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BASKETBALL TEAM DEFEATS B. U. 30-16

ALUMNI AT BOSTON SUPPORT BLUE AND WHITE LOYALLY

LOSES TO RHODE ISLAND 22-16

Handicapped by Poor Equipment—Boston Game Fast But Outcome Never in Doubt

The varsity broke even on their basketball trip last week, winning from Boston University 30 to 16, and losing to Rhode Island 22 to 16. The first game was played in Boston, Friday, March 2nd. It was fairly fast but the playing was hampered by the small size of the floor. The outcome of the game was never in doubt. New Hampshire scored 15 points each period, and Boston 8. Stewart was the individual star, with six baskets to his credit. Boomer pushed him closely, scoring four times. Boston University's best man was Clark, who made two baskets. The best part of the game was the bunch of ten or twelve New Hampshire alumni who visited with the team, went to the game, and made more noise than the whole crowd of Boston University rooters.

THE SUMMARY:

New Hampshire, Boston University
Stewart, lf rb, Bluementhal
Stevens, rf lb, Jenkins
Boomer, c c, Frye
Aulis, lb rf, Noyes
Prentiss, rb lb, Clark
Davis, rb

Score—New Hampshire, 30; Boston University, 16. Baskets from floor, Stewart, 6; Boomer, 4; Aulis, 2; Stevens, 1; Clark, 2; Jenkins, 2; Frye, 1; Bluementhal, 1. Baskets from foul, Boomer 4 out of 10; Noyes 3, out of 7; Jenkins 1. Referee, Thompson. Scorer, Bennett. Timer, Steele. Time, two 20-minute periods.

RHODE ISLAND GAME

The Rhode Island game was played the next night, at Kingston, R. I. It was not up to standard. New Hampshire played good consistent basketball but was handicapped by poor lighting and the very poor condition of the baskets. One, in particular, defied all efforts, each side scoring but twice when shooting for it. New Hampshire had this basket the first half, and in the last half, Rhode Island played a defensive game, trying to keep New Hampshire from scoring.

The game as a whole was clean. Malloy starred for Rhode Island. New Hampshire had no stars, the whole team playing evenly. Prentiss had his knee twisted and was taken out of the game.

During their stay in Kingston, the team received the best of treatment.

THE SUMMARY:

New Hampshire Rhode Island
Badger, lf rb, LeBoeuf
Stewart, lf lb, Maliff
Stevens, rf c, Malloy
Hawkes, c c, Malloy
Aulis, lb rf, Lawrence
Prentiss, rb lf, Spencer
Davis, rb lf, Gray

Score—Rhode Island, 22; New Hampshire, 16. Baskets from floor: Malloy, 3; Spencer, 2; Lawrence, 2; LeBoeuf, 1; Stevens, 2; Hawkes, 2; Badger, 1; Davis, 1. Baskets from foul, Spencer 3 out of 6, Gray 3 out of 4; Stewart 2 out of 3, Davis 2 out of 6, Badger 0 out of 4. Referee, Aspinwall. Scorer, Bennett. Timer, Tillinghast. Time two 20-minute periods.

DAIRY DEPARTMENT BUYS NEW BULL FROM BALSAMS FARMS.

Prof. J. M. Fuller visited the Balsams Stock Farms at Dixville Notch Friday, March 2, and purchased a yearling bull, for the college. This animal is Balsam Changeling Segis No. 181,904. His pedigree contains the names of many famous animals, including on the dam's side Pontiac Korndyke De Kol, with 134 A. R. O. daughters. Sires in his direct ancestry have produced 65 30-lb. daughters. He captured a prize at the National Dairy Show.

ENTOMOLOGY WORK AIDS MUCH IN INSECT CONTROL

Work in Large Laboratory and Insectary Supplemented in Summer by Extensive Field Experiments

Few students realize the extensive work that is being carried on by the department of Entomology at this college.

Three divisions make up the main department: (1) the college work in Economic Entomology, taught by Professor W. C. O'Kane and assistants, (2) the Experiment Station work, and (3) the Division of Insect Suppression of the State Department of Agriculture, Professor O'Kane being at the head of the last two as well as the first. Hence the work divides itself into the three divisions of teaching, experimental work and insect control. Economic Entomology as a college subject is well known, but the work connected with the experiment station is not so familiar.

EXPERIMENT STATION WORK

The object of the work at the experiment station is to discover facts which help in the methods of controlling injurious insects. The work is of two kinds, namely, (1), investigations requiring from three to five years to complete and known as Adam's fund projects and (2) less extensive investigations requiring less time to complete and known as Hatch Fund projects. At present the Adam's Fund project under way is an investigation in the control of root maggots by insecticides. This investigation, which has been in progress for three years, is a thorough and detailed study of the action of certain chemicals available as soil insecticides.

For two winters in the large laboratory in Thompson Hall, directly beneath the Dean's office, experiments have been carried out with carbon disulphide. The rate of diffusion of this gas in the soil at different depths and in soils which vary in texture, composition and moisture content, have been studied through hundreds of careful and complicated experiments.

In summer the work is continued out of doors, partly in Durham and partly in Dover. Cabbages, radishes, turnips, and onions are grown and the common cabbage and onion maggots used in the experiments. Last summer the department devised a method to control these maggots and this summer, after further thorough tests, the method will probably be published.

ARSENATE OF LEAD

Another project which has just been finished and is now being published, and which has taken three years to complete, is a series of investigations upon the poisonous qualities of arsenate of lead. There has been a widespread opinion that this spray was poisonous to animals and human beings even in small quantities, but no definite investigation has heretofore been made to substantiate any such claims. In experimenting upon animals with arsenate of lead, sixty guinea pigs have been used. The pigs have been kept in a glass house behind Thompson Hall, a building which is kept at summer heat throughout all seasons of the year. In determining the residues remaining on apples, solutions of arsenate were sprayed upon apple trees, bearing both early and late fruit. In some cases the spray was applied but two days before harvesting. Different methods of picking were used so that variable amounts of the spray would be rubbed off. Arrangements were made with the Hull Physiological Laboratory at Chicago University to determine the solubility of arsenate of lead in human gastric juice. These tests have been supplemented by an investigation of the amounts of arsenate remaining on hay and grass, and the possible danger of poisoning calves, sheep and chickens.

The brown tail and gypsy meths have not been neglected and various methods of combating these pests have been tried out in detail. At Dixville Notch, the department has been carrying on a war against black flies with remarkable success.

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CONCERT GIVEN BY ELITE QUARTET

FAMOUS PLAYERS FROM SYMPHONY ORCHESTRA ENTERTAIN

AUDIENCE OF FIVE HUNDRED

Songs of Miss Edith Weye, 'Noted Mezzo-Soprano Well Liked by Hearers—Rare Concert of Classical Music

The Elite Quartet of Boston gave a concert here Friday evening in the gymnasium. It furnished the fifth number of the college lecture course and was well attended, a crowd of more than five hundred people being present to enjoy an evening of classical music.

Of the four instruments, violin, cello, harp, and flute, the latter was perhaps appreciated most of all, although many of the audience liked the harp. Mr. A. Brooke who played the flute is a Boston symphony orchestra soloist as is also Mr. T. Cella who played the harp. A flute solo and a harp solo were features of the program.

NOTED SINGER

The quartet was assisted by Miss Edith Weye, a mezzo-sopranoist of distinction and whose singing was well liked by many. She was greeted with applause and her first encore "Too Wet To Woo" caused much amusement. Many thought the best part of the whole program was her singing the two old songs "The Last Rose of Summer" and "Within a Mile of Edinboro."

As a whole the concert was a rare treat to musicians and lovers of that type of classical music. It furnished a good opportunity for popular ragtime enthusiasts to contrast the modern rhythmic songs with classical masterpieces played by unusually fine musicians.

DR. C. F. LANGWORTHY SPEAKS ON GOVERNMENT EXPERIMENTS.

Dr. C. F. Langworthy of Washington, D. C., expert in charge of national nutrition investigations, was the guest of the college Saturday, March 3. At 11 o'clock he described to the Home Economics students the experimental work carried on at Washington, laying special stress on the results obtained from the use of the respiration calorimeter. In the afternoon his address to members of the faculty and students was on "Food Selection for Rational Living." "There are three requisites for this," he said "careful planning of meals, wise selection of food and knowledge of markets." Throughout the talk he dwelt upon the need of economy in household administration, and gave as example, many useful hints. The lecture was illustrated by slides showing properly proportioned meals contrasted with ill-balanced rations.

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE CHOSEN BY SENIORS FOR COMMENCEMENT.

The Senior Class has chosen an executive committee to oversee the various matters incidental to Commencement and in a short time sub-committees will be appointed to handle specific details of preparation for the program. The executive committee is made up of R. C. Wiggin, president, N. J. Harriman, E. R. Wagner, and E. F. Cutts.

CALENDAR CARNIVAL.

A Calendar Carnival will be held in the Gymnasium, Saturday, March 31, from 7.30-11.45, admission being 15 cents. At 9.30, the college orchestra will play for dancing, for which a fee of 15 cents will be charged.

SHAKESPEARE'S SONGS HEARD BY STUDENTS OF ENGLISH 54.

The class in English 54 had the pleasure of listening to a few Shakespeare's songs. These were from the plays which the class has been studying. The music was furnished by a phonograph, the records being from Professor Richard's choice collection.

FORM 1918 WOMEN'S CLUB FOR DEFINITE PURPOSES

Has Constitution, Colors and Flower—Intended to Pass on to Entering Class to Foster Better Spirit

At the suggestion of Dean Knowlton, the women from the different classes met at the opening of the college year and elected officers to attend to any business which might come up in the classes concerning the women alone.

Believing that the social life among the women of New Hampshire College needs definite cooperation, if not a stimulus, the Junior women have organized a society known as the 1918 Women's club, and they intend as members of the club to work along certain lines for the promotion of class spirit particularly among the women of the college, and to promote the social life of the college as a whole.

SUBMIT CONSTITUTION

At the last meeting of the club a constitution was submitted to the Junior women by a committee of three, Elsie King, Della Ingerson, and Hazel Winn. There are one or two articles of this constitution adopted by the club, which are of interest as representing new ideas.

Article II states that the purpose of the organization shall be to promote the good of the college, the good of the class, and to enable the members of the club to know each other better.

Articles concerning officers and meetings are very similar to those of any constitution. The last article states that the constitution of the club, together with the colors, purple and white, and the flower, the purple and white iris, shall be left in the hands of the President of the 1920 Women's club to be given to the women of the entering class of 1922.

Common bonds of interest will then be formed between the sister classes, and the Junior girls believe that by encouraging class spirit, and by taking an active interest in athletics and the social life of the women in the college, a more lasting and binding college spirit will be fastened among the college women.

SURPRISE AWAITS THOSE WHO ATTEND COOPERATIVE MEETING.

On Tuesday March 13, the Durham Cooperative Society will hold its second annual ladies night. The meeting will be held in the Aggie club rooms in Morrill Hall. The committee in charge of the program refuses to make any statements as to the nature of the entertainment, but it is hinted that those present will be very agreeably surprised.

PROMISE INTERESTING PROGRAM AT NEXT AGGIE CLUB MEETING.

Because of the severe blizzard last Monday evening, the Agricultural Club meeting was postponed until next Monday. Then the program prepared for the postponed meeting will be given. Professor O'Kane will speak upon some timely topic, the subject being announced later. R. J. Ewart, '19, is to enter into the program by contributing selections upon the 'cello, while N. F. Whippen, '18, is to give a reading.

At this meeting consideration will be given the debate between the Agricultural Club and Liberal Arts Club, the challenge of the former being recently accepted.

UNUSUALLY LARGE ATTENDANCE AT INFORMAL OF LAST WEEK.

There was a larger attendance at the informal on Saturday evening than at any other this year, and, as usual, the number of out-of-town guests was large.

Mrs. DeMeritt, Mrs. Sanders, and Mr. and Mrs. C. R. Cleveland were in the receiving line. Refreshments were served during intermission to those who were fortunate enough to be first in line, the supply of ice cream being considerably limited.

Professor Whoriskey spoke before the Newport Women's Club, Friday afternoon.

INTERSCHOLASTIC PRIZE SPEAKING

ANNUAL EVENT TO BE MADE MORE ATTRACTIVE THAN EVER

TRACK MEET FOLLOWING DAY

High School Students Will Have Opportunity of Attending Both Features—Fifty Dollars in Prizes

The annual Interscholastic Prize Speaking Contest, instituted by the New Hampshire College Alumni Association, will be held at 8 P. M., May 18, 1917. The exercises will take place in the gymnasium.

This year a special effort is being made to have the high school students of this state attend both the Interscholastic Prize Speaking Contest, May 18; and also the Interscholastic Track Meet May 19. For this reason the amount offered in prizes for the first-named event will be fifty dollars, of which thirty dollars is given as usual by the Alumni Association, and twenty dollars by a friend of the college.

PRIZES

The prizes will be divided as follows: first prize, open to all candidates, twenty dollars; second prize for boys, ten dollars; second prize for girls, ten dollars; third prize for boys, five dollars; third prize for girls, five dollars.

The judges will consist of two men and a woman.

Any high school student in good standing at a certified high school is eligible, provided that the candidate has not previously received the first prize in any of our previous interscholastic contests held here. Preliminary trials will begin at 8.30 A. M. May 18 and continue throughout the day. The final trial will begin at 8 P. M. of the same day. In the preliminary trials each candidate will be allowed eight minutes; in the final trial, ten minutes.

Because of the large number of candidates expected the college, in its announcements, is requesting that chaperones be dispensed with. It is also asked that the schools send full names of all candidates to Professor Richards, on or before May 12. The candidates are to be guests of the college during their stay here.

PROFESSOR RICHARDS SPEAKS ON SHAKESPEAREAN COMEDIES.

Professor Richards spoke at Farmington, N. H., recently, before the Shakespearean department of the Woman's club. His subject was Shakespeare's Comedies. He will speak at Sanbornville on the same subject the second week in April.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

Mar 12—Agricultural club meeting in Hall, speaker, Prof. W. C. O'Kane.
Casque and Casket dance in Thompson Hall.

Tuesday, March 13—Town meeting. No college exercises after 10.00 A. M. Cooperative Society Ladies evening.
Wednesday, March 14—Theta Chi Fraternity informal dance at Thompson Hall.

Friday, March 16—Senior Skulls dance at Grange Hall.

Saturday, March 17—Basket ball game, Norwich University at Durham.

Monday, March 19—Agricultural club meeting, Morrill Hall.

Monday, March 19—Engineering Society meeting in DeMeritt Hall at 7.30.

Friday, March 23—Free moving pictures at Gymnasium, "The manufacture of cotton goods from the growth of cotton to the finished fabric," by the Amoskeag M'fg Co. with lecture by Mr. Swalloe.

Saturday, March 24—Basket ball game, 1919 vs 1920.

Friday, March 30—Chi Omega dance in Gymnasium.

Saturday, March 31—Informal dance in Gymnasium.
Wednesday, April 4—College closes at 4 P. M. for Spring recess.

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EDITORIALS.

A COLLEGE INFIRMARY.

College is no place in which to be sick. This remark made by students, who have been ill while at college, is one that will bear considering.

In spite of our supposed knowledge of care of self there is bound to be occasional illness among students, particularly at this season. The student welfare committee is supposed to be notified in each instance, but many times it is not. Friends of the incapacitated ones fail to report, either because they feel that the case is not serious enough to warrant it, or because they are in complete ignorance of the fact that there is such a committee. Male student nurses are not usually qualified to judge as to the nature of a case or the care for the patient. Danger of contagion may be present for several days before it is sensed. Then too, there are not facilities in most rooming houses for care of the sick. Therefore the only solution in sight is a college infirmary. It need not be large or expensive to maintain. If we had one, students would know where to report in season, when the ailment is in its initial stage. Danger of contagion would be minimized; there would not be so keen a homesickness, if one were confined to a sick-bed. Parents would breath more freely than otherwise, knowing that good care was being administered in congenial surroundings, and that there was no need for sending the seriously ill out of town. The expense would be less because disease would be nipped in its early stages and hospital rates would not prevail.

To be sure, there are not many college cases in a year, but there are enough to deserve humane treatment. There is no worse feeling than that accompanying sickness in a local rooming house, and in a college like this such a condition should not obtain. A sick cow is given scientific treatment, but many a student suffers for days before he is given proper attention.

When the necessity for some kind of a dispensary is seen, and the cash is available to provide it, and the matter has received public attention, we will probably have some such place provided, but until then Durham is no place in which to be sick.

APPRECIATION.

It is particularly gratifying to have it brought home to us, as it was, the fact that New Hampshire College has within its bounds musicians of such high quality as those who gave the concert at convocation Wednesday. Although home talent is often unappreciated, there was nothing half way about the applause given the players, and it was with genuine regret that the students found chapel ended all too soon.

NEW POULTRY COURSE WORKS HAVOC IN AGGIE SCHEDULES.

In order to provide time in the Junior and Senior years for the election of advanced military science under the 'Reserve Officers Training Corps Regulations' and also to provide leeway for the introduction of a preliminary subject in Poultry in the Sophomore year, it was voted to recommend to the faculty the following changes in the Agricultural Courses to be printed in the next catalogue and to go into effect within the next two years:

To drop modern language as a requirement in the Freshman year.
To transfer Botany 51 and 52 to the Freshman year from the Sophomore year.

To transfer Entomology 1 from the first semester Junior year to the first semester Sophomore year.

To transfer Shop 53 from the first semester Sophomore year to the second semester Junior year.

To transfer Shop 55 from the first semester Sophomore year to first semester Junior year.

To transfer Forestry 51 from first semester Junior year to the first semester Sophomore year.

To introduce Poultry 50 (a new three hour subject) into the second semester Sophomore year.

To introduce Botany 55 (Bacteriology) into the first semester Junior year of all four year Agricultural Courses.

To cut Animal Husbandry 51 from a 4 to a 3 hour subject.

To cut Forestry 53 from a 4 to a 3 hour subject.

To cut Forestry 55 from a 5 to a 4 hour subject.

To transfer Horticulture 57 and Forestry 59 from the first semester Senior year to the second semester.

In order to administer certain of the above changes from the standpoint of the schedule, it is proposed for next year:

To have the Freshmen take Botany only in the first semester.

To have the Freshmen take Shop 53 in the second semester.

To have the Sophomores take Botany in the second semester.

To have the new subject in poultry made elective for that year only.

To have the lecture periods for Entomology 51 and Forestry 51 for both Sophomores and Juniors come at the same hours.

COLLEGE AVERTS DANGER FROM THREATENED FUEL SHORTAGE.

Those who were looking forward to an enforced vacation because of a fuel shortage, are doomed to disappointment. Last Monday the supply of coal gave out and for a while the situation was critical. Cord-wood was used for a few hours until a carload of coal was secured. On Wednesday another carload was secured from the supply of the mills at Newmarket. Word was also received that several more cars could be looked for at any time. Even if coal could not be secured, the Forestry department is prepared to meet any emergency. The department has two hundred cords of hard wood which is in prime condition to be cut. Although Professor Woodard had planned to cut this wood during the next few years, he now has a crew of a dozen men in the woods. Enough cord-wood will be cut to insure against any fuel shortage which may arise because of delayed shipments. The college has at present a large amount of coal ordered, but it is not at all certain as to when the railroad will deliver it.

SHAKESPEAREAN SCENES TO BE GIVEN BY ENGLISH 62 CLASS.

The students in the English 62 class, which is studying Shakespeare are working on a few scenes from Mid-summer Night's Dream, and the Merchant of Venice. These scenes will probably be given sometime next month. The class is hoping to produce the play, *As You Like It*, this spring. This play lends itself very admirably to an outdoor setting, and it has been suggested that a spot in the college forest be selected. If these hopes can be materialized, the play will be given in connection with commencement.

THIRTY NEW STUDENT MEMBERS RECEIVED INTO DURHAM CHURCH.

At the Communion service last Sunday 30 new members were received into the Durham church. Of this number 21 were students who came as associate members.

MUSICAL TREAT GIVEN AT CHAPEL EXERCISES

C. A. Garabedian and L. B. Hoffman Furnish Exceedingly Well-Rendered Program of Music

Music lovers of the college were given their second treat within a week when last Wednesday's Convocation exercises were given over to a concert by Mr. C. A. Garabedian, instructor in Mathematics, and Louis B. Hoffman of the Sophomore class.

The first number, concerts No 1ffi by Ch. de Beriot was probably liked the best, although the Valse Romantique by Felix Borowski was a favorite with many. All six numbers were played in a masterly manner and brought forth rounds of applause. The program was as follows:

Concerto No. 1ffi Ch. de Beriot
Allegro Maestoso
Adagio,
Rondo, (Allegretto moderato.)
Mr. Hoffman
Melodie, Charles Huerter
Mr. Hoffman
Valse Romantique, Felix Borowski
Mr. Garabedian
Prelude in C minor, Rachmaninoff
Mr. Garabedian
Indian Lament, Dvorak-Kreisler
Mr. Hoffman
Liebesfrued, Fritz Kreisler
Mr. Hoffman

BOOKS PRESENTED ENGINEERING DEPARTMENT BY T. J. FEENEY.

Mr. Thomas J. Feeney, publicity manager of the New England Telephone & Telegraph Co., who addressed the Engineering Society recently, has given the division two books on the telephone.

The first, "The History of the Telephone," begins with a graphic account by Herbert N. Casson, of the early struggles to get the public to accept the telephones, and finishes with a sort of prophecy for the future.

The second, "Government Telephones," by James Mavor tells of the trials and tribulations of Manitoba in her efforts to get a government controlled system that is sufficient and out of reach of the politicians.

Mr. Feeney is also sending "Telephone Topics," a periodical published and edited by the employees of the company.

ALPHA TAU ALPHA FRATERNITY HAS THIRD ANNUAL BANQUET.

The third annual banquet of the Alpha Tau Alpha fraternity was held at the Copley Square Hotel last Saturday night, March 3rd. The toastmaster was Prof. F. W. Taylor.

There were about 75 men present, representing the chapter here as well as from other chapters. After the banquet a business meeting was held. Officers were elected for the ensuing year as follows: Bertram E. G. Silver, president; J. A. Murphy, vice president; D. O. Dodge of Dover, N. H., secretary and treasurer.

The speakers at the banquet were Arthur Tienken of Brookline, Mass.; Edwin H. Anderson of Hingham and J. Franklin Babb of Haverhill, Mass.

BOOK AND SCROLL DISCUSSES CURRENT MAGAZINE POEMS.

"Book and Scroll" held a meeting in the parlor at Smith Hall, Monday evening. It was voted to change the time of meeting from Tuesday to Monday night.

The evening was spent in reading current magazine poems. Theodosia Garrison's "Pierrette" was one of the popular poems. This appeared in the November number of McClures "Romance" by H. H. Bashford was an unusually good short poem and Allan Sieger's "I Have a Rendezvous With Death" received attention.

"Riders of the Stars," by H. H. Knibbs which appeared recently in the American, was much enjoyed.

Dr. Richards read two poems from Robert Service's latest publication, "Rhymes of the Red Cross Man." "Tipperary Days" was a rousing marching song with "Tipperary" running thru it. "The Three B's," which Mr. Lane of the Harvard University read in chapel last fall, was enjoyed again. "Of the Earth Earthy" by Dana Burnett excited considerable comment as a very unusual poem, with an unusual theme. "Vers Libre" poetry will be discussed at the next meeting of the club.



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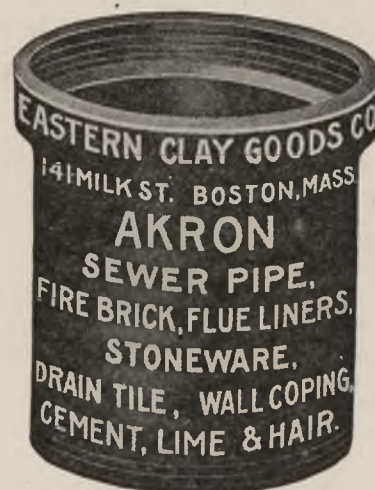
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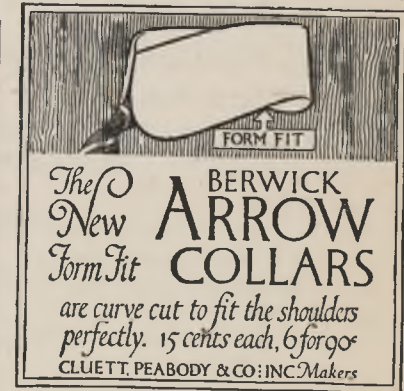
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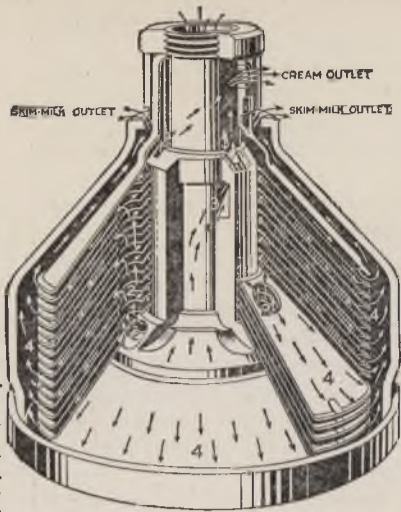
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**NEWSY ITEMS
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**A. R. MERRILL, '04, APPOINTED
SUPT. OF AGRICULTURAL SCHOOL.**

A. R. Merrill, '04, formerly director of the Theodore N. Vail School at Linden, Vt., has recently accepted a position as superintendent of the Baron de Hirsh Agricultural School at Woodbine, N. J. This school has just received an endowment of \$500,000 and will move to Peekskill, N. Y.

Herbert R. Tucker, '12, representing the Cushman and Denison M'fg Co., of New York, starts this month on an extended trip to the Pacific Coast states. Mr. Tucker will be in California during the month of March, then up into Oregon, Washington, and British Columbia, returning through Idaho and Utah to Denver, about May 1. On the way back he will stop off at Chicago, Dayton, and Pittsburg to visit the many alumni there.

Capt. Charles A. Hunt, 18th Infantry, U. S. A., N. H. C., '01, has been detailed as military instructor at New Hampshire in place of Capt. Sutherland, who leaves for El Paso, March 31. Mr. Hunt was commandant here from 1912 to 1914, while a lieutenant.

The Boston Sunday Herald of last week held on its page of entries for the photograph contest, a snapshot of Edgar H. Burroughs, '10 and his brother, in a picture, entitled, "Coming home from a New Hampshire Hunting Trip."

NOTICE TO THE ALUMNI.

Your attention is being called by means of circular letters to the 1918 Granite, which is soon to be published. A choice is offered between a cloth and leather binding, the prices being \$3.10 and \$3.70 respectively. Those desiring leather bound copies are urged to order without delay, since the publishers must know at once the exact numbers required.

**RELATION OF HIGH PRICES TO
FARMER, DISCUSSED AT BOSTON.**

Several of the extension service men and agricultural faculty attended the eleventh annual meeting of the New England Federation for Rural Progress, held in Boston last week. Nearly all of the speakers were of the opinion that the high prices of food stuffs would not cause the farmers of New England to increase their cultivated areas. It is believed, however, that the people in the small cities and villages will take an interest in the home vegetable garden to such an extent that the results may be felt in the general market.

The fact that the great opportunity for intensive farming, rather than extensive operations, is so evident, may have some influence upon the farmers of New England this year. The present war in Europe was used as an example to show the disastrous practice of enlisting those men upon whom the production of food materials depends.

The value of the extension workers and county agents in time of war was pointed out. The recent dairy products survey of this state was made in about three weeks. This was possible because of the cooperation of the farmers with the extension workers. The same system could profitably be used in making a survey of any other farm product.

**FINAL BASKETBALL GAME
WITH NORWICH UNIVERSITY**

The last basket ball game of the season is scheduled for Saturday, March 17, against Norwich University. We have not played this college since 1908. That season New Hampshire won both games, 25 to 16, and 29 to 8.

AIDS FOR JUNIOR PROM.

The following men have been selected to act as aids at the Junior Promenade. Charles O. Austin of Laconia; Carleton L. Came of Somersworth; Charles H. Coburn of Tyngsboro, Mass.; Joseph B. Ford of Milford; Alfred N. Graham of Henniker; Frederick I. Ordway of Manchester; and Robert H. Sawyer of Bradford, Mass.

200 farmers of Carroll county have been invited to meet at the town hall at Ossipee to discuss the question of appointing a County Agent for that county.

**ENTOMOLOGY WORK AIDS MUCH
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STATE WORK

The state work directed by the Entomologist, undertakes the control of any seriously threatening insects within the state. The gypsy and the brown tail moths and grasshopper have been the object of well organized campaigns and recently the Pine Chermes has come in for its share of attention. This latter insect is a small pest living both on pine trees and on spruce trees, part of its existence being spent on each. In regions where spruce is abundant, pines have suffered severely.

Every year, in the course of the summer, students, who are specializing in Entomology, are employed by the department, thus giving the student practical training in his chosen field.

The Department maintains a complete record of the occurrence of injurious outbreaks of insect pests within New Hampshire. The records are kept on a card system, and are cross-indexed to show the species of insects concerned, the locality, and the host plants.

No small part of the Department's activities are taken up with correspondence. Citizens are constantly submitting insects for identification, or asking advice as to the best methods of controlling injurious pests. Many hundred letters are written each year.

New Hampshire students, trained by the Department and now making excellent records for themselves in entomological work, include C. H. Hadley, Jr., W. A. Osgood, and C. A. Weigel.

**CONCERT GIVEN IN EPPING
BY GLEE CLUB AND ORCHESTRA**

The College Glee Club and Orchestra gave a concert at Epping, Friday evening, March 2. The audience was not so large perhaps as that of last year, but the applause was appreciative and drew the program to an unusual length.

The club left Durham at 5.32 in the afternoon. Arriving at Epping at 6.15, the first procedure was to assign the fellows to their lodging places. Since many had a preference as to where they stayed, there was much delay in getting the matter arranged. By the time all were placed, it was nearly concert time, so the last ones had to do some lightning change stunts to get to the concert before they had to appear.

Because of the loss of several men changes were made in the personnel of the quartet. It consisted of the following: J. B. Ford, '18, first tenor, R. M. Manter, '20, second tenor; C. A. Bennett, '18, baritone; and M. H. Brill, '18, basso. Juliet had another accident. This time she lost her sash but the singers grouped about her and so protected her from curious eyes while she corrected her costume. Since the make-up only consisted of two neck scarfs over a dress suit, it is needless to say that this loss of half the costume revealed the identity of Juliet as Milo Brill. With the completion of the program shortly after 10 o'clock, a part of the orchestra furnished music for dancing until midnight.

ENGINEERS' MEETING POSTPONED.

The regular Engineering society meeting for March 12 has been postponed to March 19 when an especially attractive program will be presented under the new system.

**HIGH COST OF LIVING BEING
FELT BY BOARDING CLUB MEN.**

Announcement has been made by some of the boarding clubs in town, that next week board will be advanced fifty cents per week. It is rumored that the other clubs will follow the example set by those making this statement. Instead of raising the price of board the Union Club has changed its plan of operation and will serve lunches from 7 a. m., until 9 P. M., upon the restaurant plan. Considerable dissatisfaction has already been expressed and this new announcement was received by the unfortunate boarders with some indignation. Some apparently question the fairness of the move.

At the Extension Conference for the north-eastern states, held in Boston last week, Director J. C. Kendall was elected secretary of the organization.

Mr. Thomas A. Watson will speak at Convocation, May 3rd on "The Birth and Babyhood of the Telephone." At chapel on April 18th, Mr. C. H. Eglee will talk on "Welfare Work."

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Rev. E. R. Stearns, Secretary of the Congregational Church of New Hampshire, will speak. All are invited.

10.45 A. M.—Morning Worship—Sermon by Rev. Stearns.

12 M.—Church School.

5 P. M.—Vespers.

7 P. M.—Y. M. C. A. Bible Class.

Mr. Stearns will meet members of the church informally after vesper services in the vestry, where tea will be served. Church members are especially urged to be present.

FIRST-YEAR TEAM DEFEATS SECOND-YEAR 25 TO 12

First Half Speedy, But Slackens in Second—Mixture of Rules Finally Supplanted By None at all

Last Monday night the first-Year Two-Year team defeated the second-year team 25 to 12. The game was interesting to watch, and the rooters seemed to enjoy it. Promptly at half past eight, Referee Davis started the fracas. The first-year team scored the first basket in 4 minutes, and the second-year men made their first one two minutes later. The first half was speedy all the way through and ended with the score, 11 to 8, in favor of the first-year men. After the crowd had indulged in a ten-minute free-for-all, the second half began. This was much slower than the first part. The first-team scored seven times and their opponents twice.

The first half was played under a mixture of rules. This caused several fouls to be made, so in the last part, natural rules governed the game, and no fouls were called.

The stars of the game were many, but those who shone brightest were Thompson, Huntley, Harris, Doyle and Davis.

THE SUMMARY:

First-Year Team	Second-Year Team
Thompson, rf	lb, Williams
	lb, Roberts
	lb, French
Huntley, lf	rb, Capt. Rounds
Eastman, lf	
Capt. Schoff, c	c, Potter
Holt, rb	lf, Foss
Gardner, rb	
Harris, lb	rf, Doyle
Bond, lb	

Score, First-year, 25; Second-year, 12. Baskets from floor: Schoff, 5; Huntley, 5; Thompson, 2; Doyle, 3; Foss, 1; Potter, 1. Baskets from foul: Thompson, 1; Doyle, 2. Referee, Davis. Scorer, Shirley. Timer, Stevens. Time, Two 20-minute periods.

LIBERAL ARTS CLUB FINALLY FILES NOTICE OF INTENTIONS.

To the Agricultural Club: be it known that the Liberal Arts Club has decided, after due deliberation, to accept the challenge of aforementioned Agricultural Club, and to append the question of their choice to this notice.

Question:—

Resolved: that the right to strike in cases affecting inter-state commerce should be withheld until the causes of dispute are submitted to investigation by federal authority.

(Signed,) A. N. Graham,

President of the Liberal Arts Club.

The Liberal Arts Club team consists of F. I. Ordway, '18; J. F. Densmore, '18; and A. N. Graham, '18. They add as an after thought that they are backed by such well known men as Professors Jackson, Scott, McKay, Richards and Groves. Quite unabashed and willing to go them one better, a member of the agricultural faction declares that the Aggie Club team is backed by the entire agricultural faculty and student body. The members of the latter team, together with the side of the question they chose and the date of the debate, will be published in the next issue.

DATE OF BIDDING FRESHMEN BY FRATERNITIES, CHANGED.

At a meeting of the Casque and Casket society Monday, it was voted to change the date of bidding of Freshmen to fraternities from May 14 to April 30 for this year. This was done to eliminate the confusion incidental to having the bidding done immediately after the house parties had just ended.

The following resolution was also drawn up:

Be it resolved, that it is the sentiment of Casque and Casket that it is for the best interests of both fraternities and Freshmen, that Freshmen take leave of fraternity houses in the neighborhood of eight o'clock, except on nights of special occasion.

Be it further resolved that a copy of this resolution be printed in the New Hampshire.

Signed:

Zeta Epsilon Zeta
P. J. Griffin
Kappa Sigma
R. C. Wiggin
Beta Phi
E. F. Cutts
Gamma Theta
N. E. Robinson
Theta Chi
R. T. Roberts.

COOPERATION OF COLLEGE AND TOWN IN FOREST FIRE FIGHTING.

Plans are being completed for a more efficient fire fighting organization for Durham. Professor Woodard and Captain Sutherland are working out the details of the new system and expect to have it in working order before the forest fire season begins. The town will probably work with the college in the matter of buying tools. There has been introduced into the town warrant an article appropriating \$111.00 for the purchase of shovels, mattocks, etc. The military department will be organized according to companies. Each company will be assigned to a certain branch of the work and will be directed by competent leaders. The few forest fires of last year showed that the students were good fire fighters, but their efficiency will be increased under the new system.

CRESCENT CLUB TEAM DEFEATS THETA CHI IN BASKETBALL.

In a fast basketball game last Monday afternoon, the team representing the Crescent boarding club won from the Theta Chi fraternity team by a score of 10 to 7. The game was very close throughout, the score at the end of the first half being 6 to 5. Neither team was at its best, but there was nothing lacking in sport. The game was called as a result of the challenge which appeared in a previous issue of the "New Hampshire." From the first the Crescent team had an advantage in that its members had practised together before.

Reardon featured for the Crescents, shooting three baskets from the floor. "Gib" Lane was the individual star for the Theta Chi team, shooting two baskets from the floor and making one goal from a foul.

The summary:

Theta Chi	Crescents
R. S. Morrill, rb	lb, Golding
Stafford, rb	
Eastman, lb	rb, Leavitt
Shuttleworth, lb	
Page, c	c, Christensen
Lane, rf	rf, Donovan
Lynde, lf	rb, Leavitt

Score—Crescents, 10; Theta Chi, 7. Baskets from floor: Reardon, 3; Lane, 2; Christensen, 1; Donovan, 1; Lynde, 1. Baskets from fouls, Lane, 1. Referee, Bissell. Timer, Tibbetts. Scorer, Matthes.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY MEN MEET TO DISCUSS JUDGING CONTESTS.

Saturday, March 3, the heads of the animal husbandry departments of the various New England state colleges, met in Boston to discuss the future management of New England student live-stock judging contests. Until this last year these competitions have been run by the students. However, since the necessary change of officers each year caused friction with the management of the Brockton Fair, where the contests were held; the last one was supervised by Professor McLean, formerly in the Animal Husbandry department of the Massachusetts Agricultural College, and, at the time of the contest, employed by the Quaker Oats Co. Professor McLean has since gone to teach in the Canadian North-West, and the position of supervisor is vacant. It is desired to secure some disinterested man capable of the work to oversee the contests, which will probably be held at Brockton again this fall.

The meeting which was to be held at Rochester, March 5, for the purpose of considering the advisability of appointing a county agent for Strafford County had to be postponed on account of the storm. Another meeting for this purpose has been called for Friday, March 16, in the Rochester Grange Hall.

SPECIAL CHAPEL CALLED WHEN SENATORIAL COMMITTEE VISITS

On Friday of last week a special chapel exercise was called, because of the committee or the college, from the upper legislative branch, desired to meet the student body. Senators Hall of Westmoreland, and Hardy of Hollis addressed the students. Mr. Hardy, chairman of the committee, assured the students that the college has his support in all matters which could benefit the institution. He stated that the graduates who had returned to Hollis were very emphatically demonstrating the value of the college to the state.

Friday, March 9, Professor Taylor spoke at the Farmer's Institute, at Hollis. His subject was soil fertility and the use of lime.

SOPHOMORE WOMEN WIN ANNUAL BASKETBALL GAME

Delegation From Senate Witness Event and Presents Players with Chocolates—Much Enthusiasm

Playing before the delegation from the Senate, who offered a generous box of chocolates to each player on the winning team and three boxes as a lump consolation prize to the losers.

The Sophomore Girls' basketball team defeated the Freshmen by a margin of one point in their annual Sophomore-Freshman game Friday afternoon, March 2. The entire game was hotly contested, and the victory was not 1919's until the final blow of the whistle. Though the upper class has lost two of its best players, it still has some good material. The Freshmen played a clean, fast game. The work of Ruth McQuestion and Sidnie McIntyre was especially good. Miriam Sanders, '19, scored the entire number of baskets from the floor for 1919; and the playing of Olive Ashford, '19, and Alice Kemp, '19, was of the same high quality.

The Senators appeared much pleased with the game put up by the girls and not only gave evidence of their interest by the 8 boxes of chocolates, but also had a lively discussion on the athletic life of the co-eds.

THE SUMMARY:

Sophomores	Freshmen
Kemp, lf, (capt.)	lf, McIntyre (Capt.)
McCarty, rf	rf, McQuestion
Ashford, lg	rg, Chadwick
Center, rg	lg, Gzrdner
Sanders, c	c, Norris

Score—1919, 10; 1920, 9. Baskets from floor: Sanders, 3; McQuesten, 1; McIntyre, 2; Norris, 1. Baskets from fouls: Kemp, 4; McIntyre, 1. Time two 10-minute periods. Linesman, Mrs. C. F. Jackson. Referee, Miss Rollins. Scorer, Julia Roberts.

BETTERING RURAL CONDITIONS DISCUSSED BY Y. W. C. A. LEADER.

"What the College Girl Can Do for the Rural Community" was the extremely practical subject of the Y. W. C. A. meeting Monday evening, March 5.

Ruth Hadley, '18, the leader, divided her discussion of the topic into three parts, the educational, religious and social aspects of the problem, and made several pertinent suggestions for the betterment of rural conditions.

On Friday Professor Prince and E. B. Nichols '17 left for Boxton, on an instruction trip. They are to investigate the conditions of the hay markets at the Boston & Maine and Boston & Albany terminals.

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