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## BASEBALL MEN OUT FOR FIRST TIME.

OVER FORTY CANDIDATES REPORT FOR SETTING UP EXERCISES.

## SEASON'S SCHEDULE COMPLETE

Eight Home Games—Majority With Old Rivals—Team Plays Springfield Training School Again.

Last Tuesday the baseball men were out for the first time. There were over forty men present. Coach Cowell gave a talk, in which he outlined the season's work, and Captain Brackett and Manager Harriman each spoke. Following this, the squad went on to the Gym floor where they were put through setting up exercises. This sort of work will continue for some time. All men who have any intentions of going out for the team after outdoor practise begins are expected to report for this preliminary work. It will be held every day, except Saturday, at 4 P. M. Owing to the poor condition of the field, the season does not begin until later than usual. Even so, it is possible that practice may have to be held in Dover, unless the diamond dries out faster than is expected.

### THE SCHEDULE

Manager Harriman announces the following baseball schedule:

April 21, Boston College at Boston.  
April 25, Colby at Durham.  
April 28, Bowdoin at Brunswick.  
May 4, Bates at Durham.  
May 5, Worcester Polytech at Durham.  
May 9, Bates at Lewiston.  
May 12, Bowdoin at Durham.  
May 17, Norwich at Durham.  
May 19, Boston College at Durham.  
May 25, Rhode Island at Kingston.  
May 26, Connecticut at Storrs.  
May 30, Worcester Polytech at Worcester.  
June 1, Springfield Training School at Durham.  
June 12, 1919 vs 1920.

## GETS HIGHEST PRICE EVER PAID FOR MISSISSIPPI CATTLE.

The highest price ever paid for Mississippi cattle has just been received for a carload of "bred and fed" in Mississippi steers, marketed by the A. & M. College experiment station.

"This lot of steers," says Director E. R. Lloyd, "sold for an average of \$11.00 a hundredweight, making the steers bring \$124.30 each. They dressed out 60.1 per cent., which is exceptionally high. This was due partly to the fact that this lot received a large share of corn in the ration, which consisted of corn, cottonseed meal, and silage.

"These steers were first cross Angus, Hereford, and Shorthorn, and show the result of using a pure bred bull on native cows, as well as the value of proper feeding."

### THE 1918 GRANITE.

A distinctive and peculiarly interesting feature of any college annual is its Junior section. Here one finds the likeness of each individual, together with a characteristic write-up that never grows stale. Thus by buying an annual each year, a student has the picture and unique biography of every member of those classes with which he is most intimately associated in his undergraduate career. This may mean little to a freshman, but more to an upperclassman and very much to the alumnus whose college days are only a memory.

## OFFICERS OF WOMAN'S LEAGUE TO BE ELECTED NEXT MEETING.

A meeting of the Woman's League was held Wednesday afternoon, March 14. Nomination of officers were made, and the election will take place at the next meeting.

Mrs. C. L. Simmers gave a very interesting and most instructive talk on "Parliamentary Law." Ice cream and cake were served.

## CAPTAIN S. J. SUTHERLAND GIVES FAREWELL ADDRESS

True Friendship Necessitates Sacrifice and Service—Says Men Should Volunteer if Call is Made

In a farewell address to the student body at Convocation, Wednesday, Captain S. J. Sutherland brought out the life of service as an ideal for young men. Not only should this ideal include national service, but service to friends, relatives and strangers as well. True friendship is proven by the willingness to sacrifice as well as is love of country.

### VOLUNTEER

Although Captain Sutherland expressed a hope that the government would institute some form of universal military training, he said that such a step could hardly be expected if the past policy of the department was reviewed. If a call should be made for volunteers it is the undoubted duty of every man of military age to offer his service without hesitation. Especially true is this of men who have received sufficient military training to enable them to instruct others.

In closing he expressed a hope that the service which he had tried to render to those with whom he came in contact while here, would serve to tighten the ties of friendship.

## DISCUSS COW TESTING WORK AT IMPORTANT CONFERENCE.

Professor Helmer Rabield and G. A. Oliver from the U. S. Department of Agriculture in the Dairy Division, had a conference at Durham, March 15, with Director John C. Kendall and W. P. Davis of the general extension staff of the Extension Department. Several interesting features connected with the promotion of Cow Testing Associations were discussed such as the large increase in number of cow test associations. There are in the country today 337 different Cow Test Associations with over 2,000,000 cows registered, an increase of more than 50% over last year's registration.

In New Hampshire there are 12 associations in which 5,000 cows are registered.

## LARGE ATTENDANCE AT MEETING OF CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

Last Sunday evening there was a record-breaking attendance at the College Christian Association meeting. These meetings are being held every Sunday evening at the church vestry at 7 o'clock and are proving very popular. Mr. Dabney conducts the class and many important questions are raised and discussed. These meetings are open to every man in college who cares to spend a profitable Sunday evening hour.

## VARSITY BASKETBALL SQUAD ELECTS CAHALANE, '18, CAPTAIN.

A photograph of the Basketball squad was taken in Dover Wednesday afternoon. At that time R. F. Cahalane, '18, was elected captain for the ensuing year.

## CALENDAR CARNIVAL WILL BE HELD IN CONNECTION WITH INFORMAL.

The Calendar Carnival of the Woman's League will be held in connection with the informal in the gymnasium Saturday evening, March 31, beginning at 7.30. Mrs. Jarley's Wax-works will be given at 8.15. Dance orders will be used and the college orchestra will play for the dancing.

## CORRECT MEAT CUTTING TO BE DEMONSTRATED BEFORE CLASS.

The class in Home Economics 8 will have an instruction trip to Dover on March 22. A demonstration of correct meat cutting will be given at the Swift & Co. plant.

An interesting feature of the new inter-fraternity rushing agreement at Brown is that no money may be spent on the freshmen.

## SOPHOMORES LOSE TO FRESHMAN TEAM

1919 DEFEATED BY SCORE OF 22-14 IN SPIRITED GAME.

## MEN SHOW SPORTING SPIRIT.

No Inclination Toward Class Fight in Evidence—1920 Leads From Start to Finish.

The annual inter-class basketball game was played March 17th. The score was 1920, 22; 1919, 14. The game was fast and interesting until the last part when the subs began to go in. The playing was just scrappy enough to keep the crowd on their feet. There was no visible inclination toward a class fight, and the only poor feature of the game was the audible criticism of the referee. Had noise been allowed, this probably would not have occurred.

### 1920 LEADS

The Freshmen led all through the game. Taylor made the first basket in the first two minutes of play, and followed it with another. Blood made two excellent shots, and Rogers scored once. The effective work of Blood and Booma kept the Sophomore score to two baskets. In the second half the Sophomores started out to come back and tied the score.

When Brosnan went in, he lived things up for a short time, but it did not last. The Sophomores spoiled their chance of winning by sending in subs, for it appeared that their first team could easily have outplayed the Freshman subs.

It has been said that the correct score of the game should be, 1920, 22; Jack Reardon, 14. He was the only man to score a point against the Freshmen, and all his baskets seemed to be lucky ones, most of his shots being made from impossible positions. Blood, Booma, and Rogers were the particular stars for the Freshmen, Booma and Rogers making two baskets apiece, while Blood made three and shot two fouls.

### THE SUMMARY

1920	1919
Rogers, rf	lf, Stafford
Steele, rf	lb, Eastman
Congdon, rf	
Capt. Taylor, lf	rb, Cann
Akerman, lf	rb, Emery
	rb, Hazeltine
Graney, c	c, Shuttleworth
Christensen, c	c, Brosnan
Booma, rb	lf, Capt. Reardon
	lf, Hilliard
Blood, lb	rb, Barker
Donovan, lb	rf, White

Score—1920, 22; 1919, 14. Baskets from floor—Reardon, 4; Blood, 3; Booma, 2; Rogers, 2; Taylor, 2; Christensen, 1. Baskets from fouls—Reardon, 6 out of 13; Blood, 2 out of 2, Taylor 0 out of 2. Referee, Craigen. Umpire, Cowell. Scorer, Durgin. Timer, Durgin. Time, two 20-minute periods.

## Y. W. C. A. CHOOSES OFFICERS TO BE INSTALLED NEXT WEEK.

The Y. W. C. A. has elected the following officers for 1917-18:—President, Florence Harris, '18; Vice-President, Marion Lewis, '19; Secretary, Ethelle Hayes, '20; Treasurer, Miriam Sanders, '19.

The weekly meeting was held in Smith Hall parlor Monday evening, with Mary Worcester, '17 as leader.

Each girl was asked to bring her favorite passage from the Bible or her favorite religious poem. Many fine selections were read, and Goldie Basch, '17, gave a piano solo.

The next meeting will be held Monday evening, March 26. The newly elected officers will be installed at that time.

Miss Marion O. Chase, '17, has been teaching in the French department of Exeter High School this week.

Professor Groves spoke at Laconia last Friday, March 16, on "The Conservation of Community Resources."

## FIRST CALL FOR TRACK ANSWERED BY SIXTY MEN

Coach Cleveland Outlines Preliminary Work and Advises Candidates—Men Urged to Stick

Last Monday Coach Cleveland started the Track Season by calling out the candidates for a short meeting. About 60 men were present, including many of last year's track team as well as a host of new material. Captain Ross made some brief comments, and was followed by Coach Cleveland, who discussed the season and schedule. He announced that setting up exercises and preliminary indoor work would start at 5 P. M., Wednesdays, and Fridays. No training rules were laid down, but he asked all candidates to stop smoking when they started upon the exercises. He advised all men who could, to return a week early from Easter vacation, so that they would be in better condition for the Bates meet, May 5th.

Coach Cowell, in a short talk, asked all the men to bring out all the other men they could induce to come. Jack Powers advised everybody who came out to stick the whole season. Coach Cleveland finished up the meeting by asking all candidates to see to it that they kept well up in their studies during the entire season.

## ALPHA XI DELTA FRATERNITY HOLD THEIR ANNUAL DANCE.

The third annual dance of Tau Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta fraternity was held in Thompson Hall, Wednesday evening, March 21.

The chaperons were: Mrs. C. W. Scott, Mrs. Shirley Onderdonk, Professor and Mrs. R. V. Mitchell, Captain and Mrs. S. J. Sutherland, Mrs. I. E. Ewer and Professor and Mrs. C. F. Jackson.

The hall was decorated with the pink rose, the Alpha Xi Delta flower. The orders were of an original design, representing a white leather banner, and bearing the letters A. X. D., on one side and N. H. C., on the other.

Music was by Hett of Portsmouth, and Baxter of Dover.

The guests were the Misses Nudd, Merrill, and Hatch, and Messrs. Graham, Clapp, Rollins, Vose, Hatch, Wentworth, Field, Thomas, Neviers, Paine, Jenness, Elliott, S. F. Durgin, Parnell, Brill, McBride, Ewer, Blatchford and Joy.

## NEW RETURN BOTTLE SYSTEM AT COLLEGE DAIRY A SUCCESS.

The new return bottle system, introduced by the College Dairy Department last month, is working out in a very satisfactory way.

The patrons not returning bottles when they take milk are charged for the milk and also the bottle. If a charge is made for a bottle and the bottle returned later, the extra charge is refunded. Therefore almost no complaint has been offered and only two or three patrons were charged for bottles not returned. After the flood of bottles caused by the announcement of the new system was cleared up, a very constant supply has been on hand. The number sent out does not exceed the number returned. The bottles come back more quickly than formerly and, if no objectionable fracture appears after a longer trial, the system will be continued.

## NIGHTINGALE CHOSEN CAPTAIN OF SOPHOMORE TRACK TEAM.

At a recent meeting of the 1919 track team, Gordon T. Nightingale was elected captain by a unanimous vote.

## FACULTY MAKES NEW RULING ON STUDENT ENTERTAINMENT.

It was voted by the faculty Monday, March 19, that student entertainments could hereafter be scheduled only upon Friday and Saturday evenings, and evenings immediately preceding holidays.

## TAKE UNIQUE SLEDGE TRIP IN MOUNTAINS

ENTOMOLOGIST AND FORESTER TO TRAVEL 100 MILES.

## USE SNOWSHOES AND DOG TEAM

Plan to Make Survey of Tree Growth to Aid in Preventive Measures Against Ravages of Gypsy Moth.

Prof. W. C. O'Kane, head of the Department of Entomology of New Hampshire College, and Prof. K. W. Woodward, head of the Department of Forestry, left Thursday for a survey trip in the White Mountains. The trip will be made on snow shoes and with a dog team. The two men will go with Arthur T. Walden, of Wonalancet, who is an expert with dogs. Mr. Walden drove a team in the Yukon country for eight years and has a trained team at his home in the edge of the White Mountains.

The trip will be made through a rugged and inaccessible part of the mountains, south and southwest of Crawford Notch. It is expected that it will cover a circuit of seventy-five or one hundred miles, including the upper end of the valley of Swift river and the neighborhood of Passaconaway, Kancamagus and Hancock mountains.

### PURPOSE OF TRIP

It is the plan of the New Hampshire College men to make observations on the character of the tree growth in the areas traversed. Practically all of this country is heavily wooded, the timber including stands of spruce and fir, as well as extensive hardwood growth. The undertaking is part of a general plan to secure information as to the resistance of various areas in the White Mountains to possible attack by the gypsy moth. The desire is to be able to plan in advance any control measures that may later prove necessary.

Last summer Prof. O'Kane and Prof. Woodward, with Professors Jackson and Smith, of the College, made a trip on foot thru the country at the head-branch of the Pemigewasset river, the Mad river, and a part of Swift river.

The party will necessarily go prepared for deep snow, making use of the costume and equipment adopted by winter expeditions of the Appalachian Mountain Club, with suggestions from the many trips made by Mr. Walden in the country of the Yukon. Both of the New Hampshire College men are members of the Appalachian Mountain Club.

The dog team is an excellent one. One of the dogs is a grand-daughter of the lead dog that helped to carry Admiral Peary to the North Pole and counts pure wolf in her near ancestry.

## TWO MORE GAMES WILL CLOSE GIRLS' BASKETBALL SEASON.

Two more inter-class games will bring to a close the season of girls' basketball. These games are a return Freshman-Sophomore and a Junior-Freshman contest and will be played before the vacation. Women students and members of the faculty are invited to attend. The proceeds will be used as a gymnasium fund.

Mr. F. J. Hoffman of the Prudential Life Insurance Company will speak at Chapel on May 23.

### CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

Monday, March 23—Engineering Society meeting in DeMeritt Hall at 7.30. Agricultural Club Meeting.  
Friday, March 31—Chi Omega dance, Thompson Hall.  
Saturday, March 31—Calendar Carnival by Women's League, in Gymnasium. Dancing at 9.30.  
Wednesday, April 4—College closes at 4 P. M. for Spring recess.  
Wednesday, April 11—Meeting of trustees.  
Tuesday, April 17—College opens at 8 A. M.

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## EDITORIALS.

### HYGIENIC SUPERVISION.

In these days of scientific improvement of self, there is bound to be more or less criticism of the so-called "new fangled" ways. At the present time, particularly in the country, adverse criticism of organized health control is so common that it is felt to be justified. Nevertheless, states, cities and towns have gone ahead with organized treatment of various community problems, with results that prove its worth.

Here at New Hampshire, there is apparently no need of federal health inspection; we should resent it if we were accused of being germ-laden and infected with contagious disease. But the time is coming when medical inspection of every student, at least once a year, will be required. It will be considered a part of the entrance requirements. Educators, physicians and social workers rightly claim that a body inspection is as necessary as an inspection of the teeth.

The college would at least be made safe.

There are no reasons for feeling that unless all of us are examined at once we are doomed mortals,—the insidious microbes are probably no thicker than they ever were; but when there is a chance to prevent possibilities, why not take it if it comes? Prevention in place of cure is the sign of twentieth century enlightenment. Other colleges and universities have this medical inspection in operation. It looks like a first rate plan and one that would be worth all it cost the student.

### OUR ATHLETIC PROSPECTS.

There is nothing in this wide, wide world to prove that New Hampshire will not have representative track and baseball teams this Spring. With 65 to 70 men out for track and about the same number for baseball, the prospects are certainly most encouraging. The coaches are enthusiastic; they feel that men are available who will make the name of New Hampshire prominent.

The large number of men who reported for the first workouts indicates the student enthusiasm. When over one fourth of the entire male student body report for Spring work in these two sports, it cannot be said that athletics are dormant. Only this need be borne in mind. Don't let any man drop out until he is forced to; get all the men to come out for either team that you possibly can.

A large amount of keen competition and the present enthusiasm maintained throughout the season cannot help but make this year the best ever.

### A PLEA FOR THE LAWS.

Once more the sidewalks claim our attention. Now that the snow has

melted enough to allow the sidewalks to be located in a general way, they are partially unused. Owing to the unusual precipitation this winter, it is not to be wondered at that the snow-plow was unable to keep on the lawns. But now that we are able to learn whose lawn we are walking on, it is time to get off. As a means of conserving college lawns, the sidewalks should be cleared and used as they were intended. It has taken a long time to bring the various expanses of grass land to the excellent condition they were in last fall and it seems too bad to destroy their beauty, simply because the sidewalks are being used by the snow.

### OUR INFORMAL.

There is a certain element of justice in the recent ruling to the effect that women not connected with college will no longer be afforded accommodations at the girls' dormitories. At practically every informal for the last few months the regular residents of the women's dormitories have courteously given up rooms and inconvenienced themselves for large numbers of outside girls, often times for small thanks, while they themselves in many cases had not been invited to the informals.

Informals were originally intended for the benefit of the college students as a whole and those connected with the college and occasional outside guests are desirable. If the men of the college desire to run dances for outside girls, that is their affair; but, don't call them college informals.

### POSTERS.

The class of posters advertising the Calendar Carnival next Saturday night has put to shame the usual type of bulletin board notice proclaiming a coming event.

After seeing some of the hideous scrawls that attempt to entice one to a club meeting or to some entertainment, it is not only a relief to view one of these artistic affairs, but the psychology of the thing will bring many to the Gym that night that otherwise would not go.

The bulletin board has often been decried harshly for the notices it unwillingly harbors. Why not take the example set us and make our future notices worthwhile.

### REV. VAUGHAN DABNEY TO BE INSTALLED WEDNESDAY, MARCH 28.

Plans have been completed by the deacons of the Durham Church for the installation on Wednesday, March 28, of the new pastor, Reverend Vaughan Dabney.

The Council begins at 11.00 A. M., when delegates from nearby churches convene to hear Mr. Dabney read his declaration of faith. Lunch will then be served at the church. The afternoon session begins at 2.30. The program will consist of the following numbers.

The sermon will be delivered by Dr. Albert Parker Fitch, President of the Andover Theological Seminary at Cambridge. The charge to the pastor will be given by Dr. S. H. Dana of Exeter. The charge to the people will be given by the Rev. W. A. Morgan of Dover. The right hand of fellowship will be given by Dr. Lucius H. Thayer of Portsmouth, and Dr. F. E. Emrich of Boston will lead in the installation prayer. Appropriate music will be furnished for the installation services, by the choir and double quartet from the College Glee Clubs with Mr. Garabedian at the organ. Following the exercises the Rev. and Mrs. Dabney will be given a reception by the church, to which all are invited.

These plans have been arranged by the deacons of the church, C. H. Pettee, O. L. Eckman, A. D. Littlehale, and A. E. Grant, who wish to extend a hearty invitation to all to be present both in the morning and in the afternoon.

### EDITORIAL COMMENT PRAISES PROFESSOR E. R. GROVE'S WORK.

In "Rural Manhood," for March there is an article upon "The Church of the Small Community," by Professor Ernest R. Groves. There is also in that magazine an editorial comment upon the article which says in part: "We are confident that because of the wide acceptance by keen students of Prof. Grove's pioneer work, this material will become the basis of a constructive course in the training of the ministry, as well as a scientific encouragement to the readjustment of our denominational church administrative machinery."

## JOHN P. ENGLISH TALKS ON BUSINESS KNOWLEDGE

Economic Club Told of the Fundamental Principles in Formulating Business Policies

Mr. John P. English, connected with the Alexander Hamilton Institute, New York City, spoke before the Economics Club and other students interested, in DeMeritt Hall, Thursday evening. He urged recognition of the fact that a broad fundamental knowledge of business principles is becoming increasingly necessary for anyone competing in the business world; only those possessing this knowledge can successfully occupy executive positions and guide the machinery of business. Because of the scope of business development, and the study devoted to it, a leader must be able to analyze the financial situation and formulate policies months in advance, as do such concerns as the automobile manufacturers, the National Cash Register Co., and the Burroughs Adding Machine Co. These big national organizations watch the trend of the times, the barometers of business, and modify their policies according to the conditions indicated. The advance orders booked by U. S. Steel are now considered the most reliable indicator of the business conditions of the country, since, as the use of steel is well nigh universal in big enterprises, the financial condition of the nation can be gauged by its demand. In order to draw correct conclusions from these indications, a man must be a competent analyst of business, well-grounded in its broad principles.

### COMPETITION

Mr. English stated instances to show that competition is keener for the lower positions of the business world, and that success and leadership are most easily obtained by trained men. There are three ways open to the college graduate by which he may secure this necessary training: first, a means which comparatively few can afford to take, a course at the New York University School of Commerce; second, by experience, an uncertain, costly method, furnishing unorganized knowledge, and third, a course in the Alexander Hamilton Institute. There are now 53,000 business men who have enrolled in the course, and many of them are occupying executive positions. No man will admit that he knows all that he would like or ought to know about his job, and many are taking this way of increasing their knowledge. The Institute is directed by Joseph French Johnson, Dean of the New York University School of Commerce, Frank A. Vanderlip, president National City Bank of New York, Elbert H. Gary, chairman U. S. Steel Corporation; John Hays Hammond, Mining Engineer; and Jeremiah W. Jenks of New York University; a notable group of successful educators and business men. It teaches the fundamental economic business principles by a two-year's course of reading and study of business texts which contain the essential knowledge in condensed form.

Mr. English emphasized very strongly in his talk the necessity for the possession of "trained brains" to secure success. After the talk he volunteered to explain in detail to those interested, the method of work of the Institute and the details of its course.

### DANCE HELD AT GRANGE HALL BY MEMBERS OF SENIOR SKULLS.

Friday evening, March 16, a small but enjoyable dance was held in the Grange hall by the Senior Skulls. In addition to the regular members, two alumni members, Augustine W. Jenness, '13 and Raymond J. Bean, '15 were present. Director and Mrs. John C. Kendall were chaperons.

The hall was prettily decorated with banners and streamers and soon after 8 o'clock the dancing began. The dance orders had on the cover a photograph of a skull and cross bones, symbolic of the mystic order. Within was an insert containing the order of dances.

At intermission light refreshments were served, and shortly before twelve the party regretfully broke up. Music was furnished by Brown and Prescott.

Brown University has authorized a new degree, that of Bachelor of Education, to enable "some persons who are now entering the teacher's calling without any college training, to crown their normal course with at least two years of liberal, cultural study, to be followed in most cases by a year of graduate study."



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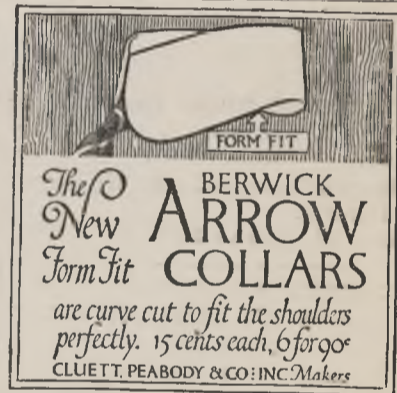
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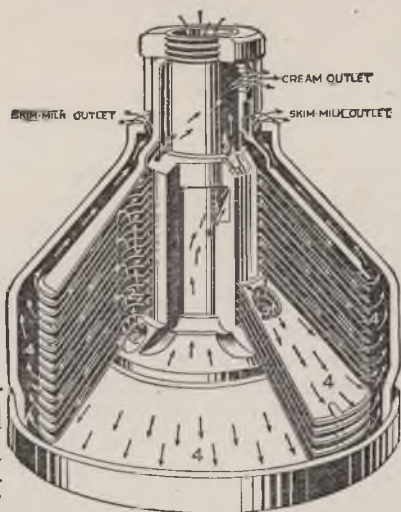
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**G. H. PETTENGILL, EX '09 WITH BOSTON ELEVATED CO.**

Robert K. Atwell, ex '08 is Chairman of College of Liberal Arts in University of Porto Rico

George H. Pettengill, ex. '09 is in the engineering department of the Boston Elevated Railway at 101 Mills St., Boston. He is married and resides at 113 Blue Hill Ave., Milton, Mass.

Robert K. Atwell, ex '08, A. B., Bowdoin '09 and A. M., Columbia, '12 holds professorship and is chairman of the college of Liberal Arts in the University of Porto Rico at Rio Piedras, P. R.

Sidney V. Green, '16, and Henry M. Hale ex 2 yr. '15 are with H. P. Hood and Sons. The former is employed at the Lynn plant and the latter at the Charlestown plant of the company.

George A. Halvorsen, '14, is employed as a landscape gardener by the firm of George W. McClure and Son of Buffalo, N. Y. He is married and resides at 308 Goodyear Ave., Buffalo.

Earl H. Chase, ex '12, is assistant squad chief with Fred T. Ley and Co., Inc., Engineers and contractors of Springfield, Mass.

Robert H. McNeil, ex '14, has a position with the C. E. Brewster Co., wholesale druggists, at Dover.

S. B. Emerson, ex '15, B. S. Cornell, '16, is conducting a greenhouse and nursery business at Lebanon, N. H.

Ralph M. Perry ex '15, is a paper maker employed at the Riverside Mill by the Berlin Mills Co. of Berlin, N. H.

John E. Robinson, '12, is now chief chemist at the works of the National India Rubber Co., Bristol R. I.

Leland S. Foster, ex '12, is employed in the equipment division of the New England Tel. and Tel. Co. at Boston. He resides at 62 Floyd St., Winthrop Highlands, Mass.

Henry B. Philbrook, '10, M. C. S. Dartmouth, '12, is in private business as an oil operator and promoter in the Pennsylvania and Oklahoma fields. His office and residence are at 1400 Sherman Avenue Pittsburg, Pa.

R. C. Ames, ex 2yr. '17, is now working for the Shannon Copper Mining Co. Gleason, Arizona.

M. M. Masmanian, '16, who was formerly with the Heinz Pickle Company, is now a traveling salesman for the Goldersmith-Wall Fruit company.

Bernard H. Dwight, '16, has a business position at the Derry office of the W. H. McElwain Co., shoe manufacturers.

Arthur J. Leighton, '12, has left his former position at Bayonne, N. J., to accept an appointment with the Babcock and Wilcox Co., well known boiler manufacturers, at Barberton, Ohio.

Joseph R. O'Connor, ex '14, A. B., St Anselm's, '15, is a student in theology in Grand Seminary, Laval University, Quebec, P. Q., Canada.

A piano recital was given in Newmarket, Saturday, March 17, by the pupils of Miss Marion E. Mitchell, '16, assisted by Goldie Basch, '17, on piano and Raymond J. Ewart, '18, cello.

Kenneth E. Sawyer, '16, and Miss Lily Knight of Madbury were married at Chelsea, Mass., March 10.

**INTRA-MURAL BOXING LIKELY.**

Recent agitation for a series of inter-class boxing matches is increased by the fact that such contests have been successfully adopted in other colleges, such as Syracuse and U. of P. Figures show that about twenty men in each class are qualified to take part in such bouts if the idea should receive the sanction of the college body. In view of this, it seems possible that boxing tournaments may soon be included in the inter-class and interfraternity sports at Wesleyan.

Middlebury College has recently organized a Winter Club along the lines of the Dartmouth Outing Club.

**DR. FITCH, NOTED PREACHER, TO SPEAK AT NEXT CONVOCATION.**

Dr. Albert Parker Fitch, president of Andover Theological Seminary at Cambridge, will be the speaker at Convocation next Wednesday.

Dr. Fitch is also preacher at Harvard University. By many he is regarded as the foremost university preacher, having spoken at the University of Chicago, University of California, Leland Stanford, and Princeton. He has a wide reputation all over this country as a college preacher and the committee here is extremely fortunate in obtaining him for the next convocation.

He is here in conjunction with the installation of the Rev. Vaughan Dabney. Immediately after chapel, Dr. Fitch will speak again at the Durham church.

**PROFESSOR SCHERRER TO LEAVE NEW HAMPSHIRE NEXT MONTH.**

On April 15, Professor Scherrer of the Horticultural Department will leave New Hampshire College for a new position at the Pennsylvania State College. He is to be extension vegetable gardener for the entire state, and will have charge of all extension work in that department. He will hold a position in connection with the college, as Assistant Professor of Vegetable Gardening, in the horticultural department.

Professor Scherrer will not, however, have any class work, because of the great amount of field work that is necessary. Pennsylvania has about fifty county agents, and by working through these agents, he will have vegetable gardening projects going on in every county. The state is one of the largest in vegetable production, and the position, which is an entirely new one, is designed to form a better organized industry. A special study of market conditions is to be made with an aim toward better co-operation. The new position will require considerable speaking and demonstration work throughout the state. Mr. Scherrer states that through his connection with the college, he expects to obtain a masters' degree in vegetable gardening in a year or two.

As yet no one has been chosen to fill the vacancy caused by the loss of Mr. Scherrer.

**GEOLOGY DEPARTMENT HAS SKELETON OF INDIAN SQUAW.**

Who would suspect that the college has the skeleton of an Indian squaw locked up in the geology closet in Thompson Hall? The poor thing has had a very interesting experience and, were it able to speak, would doubtless tell us many a fascinating tale.

This particular relic was given to the college, together with many other antiques, by James H. Fitts of Newfields, N. H., in 1896. Under the direction of a party of men representing the Essex Institute in Salem, Mass., the remains of human beings were found together with various implements of war upon a farm in Marblehead in 1874. The scene of excavations was upon one side of a large hill at a point where an old Indian burying ground had been designated upon an early map. At first the men proceeded cautiously and soon unearthed a bone of the human arm.

Carefully digging further, the skeletons of four persons were unearthed and found in a very wonderful state of preservation. All of the bodies had been buried in a sitting position. These skeletons were carefully guarded and later taken into the custody of the Essex Institute at Salem.

This discovery at the time caused much widespread discussion in the newspapers as to just who these Indian skeletons were. Records and histories were delved into until the citizens of Marblehead were satisfied that the skeletons unearthed were the remains of Chief Nanepashemet and his family.

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10.45 A. M.—Morning Worship—Subject: "God, the Retreat of the Soul."

12 M.—Church School.

7 P. M.—Y. M. C. A. Bible Class.

Attention is Called to the Installation on March 28.

Order of Exercises: 11 A. M.—Council convenes; paper by Mr. Dabney. 2.30 P. M.—Service of Installation; sermon by Dr. A. P. Fitch. 4.30 P. M.—Reception to Mr. and Mrs. Dabney by the church. The public is cordially invited to all sessions.

## PRODUCTION OF CORN SILAGE TOPIC OF AGGIE MEETING

Professor Prince Gives Interesting Talk on Subject—Figures Show that Economic Loss Hold True

Professor Ford S. Prince gave an instructive talk upon "The Cost of Producing Corn Silage in New Hampshire," at the Agricultural Club meeting last Monday evening. Analyzing reliable data of silage production on nineteen farms located in different parts of the state, he drew some interesting and valuable conclusions. The average area in silage on these nineteen farms was found to be 6.45 acres, and the average yield per acre was 10.51 tons. The main cost per ton was \$5.09. This cost varied on the different farms from \$3.46 to \$7.08.

The economic law that cost of production decreases as volume of output increases was borne out in this instance, for on farms having from one to six acres in silage the cost per ton was 5.20; whereas those farms producing from six to fourteen acres did so at the rate of \$4.94 a ton.

### SEEDING

Investigation as to the relative cost of heavy and light seeding brought out, as an incidental fact, variation in rate of from less than one half bushel per acre to over a bushel. In the West, a bushel is used to plant six acres. The amount of fertilizer which can profitably be applied to silage corn was found to be between eight and sixteen hundred pounds per acre. The figures also revealed that too little or too much man labor can be spent on the crop, and emphasized the need of making the labor effective, securing maximum results from it.

Although the number of farms furnishing this data is not sufficiently large to insure absolutely accurate deductions which would apply to the state at large, it indicates the valuable information which more complete records will give as to the production of silage corn. It is planned next year to secure reliable figures on silage production from a hundred or more farms of the state. This number will give a more reliable average on which to base conclusions.

By continuing the investigation over several seasons, variations due to the weather conditions will be minimized and the accuracy of the work increased.

### OTHER FACTORS

Besides the factors above mentioned, the following are among the additional ones which it will be possible to study in doing the work, namely, the effect of the type of soil, fall or spring plowing, different varieties, or the elevation of land on yield.

When this work is well under way, it is planned to extend the same method of procedure to investigations concerning hay and potato production in the state.

## EXAMINATIONS FOR U. S. MARINE CORPS VACANCIES TO BE HELD.

On June 10, examinations will be held at Concord, N. H., Bangor, Calais and Portland, Me. and Boston, Mass., of civilian candidates for appointment as second lieutenants in the United States Marine Corps. There will be nearly 150 vacancies to be filled and appointees from civil life must be from 20 to 26 years old and 5 feet 6 inches in height.

Candidates from New Hampshire College will be given a rigid physical examination, but will be exempt from examination in all subjects except algebra, geometry and plane trigonometry.

As stated in a former issue the pay of a second lieutenant is \$1700 with liberal living expenses. Appointees will serve a probationary period of two years. Those wishing to take the examination should apply to Maj. Gen. George Barnett, commandant at Washington.

Over ten thousand feet of moving picture film were taken at the 200th anniversary pageant at Yale this fall.

According to the latest catalogue of the living graduates of Yale there are now 19,316 living holders of Yale degrees. Of this number over 60 per cent reside in the North Atlantic States, and over one fifth of all the living Yale graduates are practising in the law.

The athletic board at Maine is working out a new plan whereby all the student managers will be Seniors? It is maintained that a Senior is more capable of handling a team than a Junior and it is hoped that a better system of management will be obtained.

## SENIORS APPOINT MEMBERS OF COMMENCEMENT SUBCOMMITTEES

At a meeting of the executive committee of the Senior Class, the following subcommittees were appointed.

Invitations and Orders—N. Joy Harriman, Chairman; R. T. Roberts, P. J. Griffin, Miss Myrtle Johnson.

Caps and Gowns—E. F. Cutts, Chairman; C. C. Bond, W. H. Thomas, Miss Abbie Tureotte, Miss Mary Worcester.

Class Day—E. R. Wagner, Chairman; C. B. Tibbetts, H. R. Meserve, Miss Julia Roberts, Miss Goldie Basch.

Commencement Ball—R. L. Nelson, Chairman; N. E. Robinson, V. W. Batchelor, E. S. Ross, C. H. Dustin, Miss Beatrice Reed, Miss Natalie Ewer, Miss Beatrice Fall.

## FAKE COURT MARTIAL HELD BY COLLEGE REGIMENTAL OFFICERS.

A very interesting court-martial conducted by the officers of the regiment at New Hampshire College was brought to a close last week, with a more or less dimming effect upon the hitherto spotless character of Sergeant Morrill. The defendant was charged with violating the Articles of War that pertain in general to insubordination. From a mass of contradictory testimony by the defence and prosecution it became evident that Sergeant Morrill had addressed Lieutenant-Colonel Roberts with language unbecoming a subordinate, and had thrown a pillow at the head of said officer.

The damaging result of the session to Sergeant Morrill is somewhat modified by the fact that during the testimony it became evident that the accused might have been under the influence of a "powerful stimulant" administered by the post surgeon as a cure for "a precarious condition, due to mental overwork while in the fulfillment of duties connected with the Military Department of New Hampshire College."

## "RURAL MANHOOD" COMMENTS ON ESSAY BY MISS GOLDIE BASCH.

The "Rural and Community Sociologist" department of "Rural Manhood," which is a department for criticizing pamphlets, and books bearing upon the above subject, is headed by Professor Groves. Among other articles in the last copy of the paper are comments upon Professor Jackson's pamphlet, "Some Principles of Health Preservation," and Miss Goldie Basch's essay upon "Recreations in Relation to Other Social Problems."

## SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS TO BE MADE FOR NON-RESIDENT WOMEN.

Owing to the crowding of the women's dormitories during the past few months, arrangements are being made to accommodate a limited number of commuting girls upon special occasions after the Spring recess, at a reasonable rate, about which announcement will be made later. For the present, non-resident girls who wish to spend the night in any woman's dormitory are referred to the Dean of Women.

Hereafter special accommodations for women not connected with the college will necessarily be secured outside of the dormitories. In the case of special guests closely related to resident women students, arrangements may be made with the Dean of Women.

## AGRICULTURAL CLUB MEETING.

At the next Agricultural club meeting, C. W. Stone, Superintendent of the College Farm, will discuss "The Sheep Industry in New Hampshire." As a special feature, Dean Taylor and Professor Fuller are expected to favor the club with a few vocal solos and duets.

At a recent try-out of prospective debaters upon the question submitted by the Liberal Arts club, two teams were chosen, which will debate against each other, the best combination then being sent against the Liberal Arts club. The teams are as follows: affirmative, H. F. Jenkins, '17; M. H. Benson, '18; E. W. Hardy, '18; negative, F. W. Fitch, '17; P. C. Cole, '20; C. H. Wilkinson, '20.

At the college wireless station of the University of Maine in Orono, within the last six weeks messages have been received from Hanover in Germany. The college expects that it will soon receive standard time every day via wireless.

Prof. Whoriskey spoke at West Newbury, Mass., last Monday evening. While there he met John Page, '08, who is teaching at the high school in Haverhill, Mass.

## GUY HUBBARD, EX '17, TALKS TO ENGINEERING SOCIETY

Traces Development of Machine Tools and Lathes from Earliest Forms—Describes Turret and Automatic Lathes

Guy Hubbard, ex-17, was the speaker at the Engineering Society meeting, Monday, March 19. He gave the history of machine tools from the prehistoric age to the present time, illustrating his lecture with lantern slides. During the business part of the meeting, it was voted to have the dues 50 cents a semester, beginning next year.

Mr. Hubbard is an expert on turret lathes at the Windsor Machine Co., Windsor, Vt. He traced the development of the machine lathes beginning with the bow lathe which the Indian used while holding it between his toes. The principal of the lathe was working in prehistoric ages, he said, when the water of a stream moved a hard stone which was lying on a soft one. This turning sometimes made hollows as much as two feet deep. The first lathes turned in alternate directions, pressing down on a treadle turning it in one direction and a weight or spring turning it back again.

### TURRET LATHES

He showed by lantern slides that part of Vermont where most of the best early lathes were made. These lathes were developed about the time of the civil war and were used in the manufacture of guns. Since the civil war great strides have been made in the machine tool. Of especial note are the turret and multiple-spindle lathes. Such lathes at the present time can turn out work with great speed and accuracy, some of the multiple lathes doing four operations at one time.

Some of the slides were not shown owing to the lateness of the hour and trouble with the projecting machine. He brought with him examples of some of the work done at the factory showing the speed and workmanship of the multiple-spindle lathes.

For the first time the scholarship average of the fraternity men at Brown University is higher than that of their non-fraternity colleagues, according to the recent report of Dean Randall of that institution. Only five of the 20 fraternities failed to surpass the average of the non-fraternity men.

The 'Rough Riders' of Spanish War fame are making plans for the building and endowing of a Commons Hall at Norwich University. The proposed new building will cost \$150,000 and will include a gymnasium, dining hall, faculty offices, and a riding hall and stables.

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