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TEAM LOSES LAST GAME OF SEASON

M. I. T. Wins From New Hampshire, 6-3

WELL MATCHED

Small but Enthusiastic Crowd Saw Game at Haverhill—Good Defense

New Hampshire lost the last game of the year to M. I. T. at Haverhill, on Saturday, Nov. 30th, by the score of 6 to 3. It was by far the best game of the year with both teams evenly matched. The crowd was disappointing in numbers, but showed a deep interest in the game, making the greatest noise when New Hampshire was gaining. Tech had the better of the first half driving to the one-yard line but were held by two inches from making a first down. Their score came near the end of the first half when a long forward was completed and carried over.

Tech came very near scoring at the kickoff of the second half; the runner being caught on New Hampshire's 124-yard line but thereafter they had to defend their own goal line. New Hampshire outplayed their opponents in this half, scoring on Spaulding's field goal and missing a first down by a bare inch on Tech's five-yard line.

Neville played the best game for the line while each of the backfield men did commendable work, White gaining well and Spaulding's kick being a feature.

THE FIRST HALF

Tech kicked to Keane, who was tackled hard on the 32-yard line. The M. I. T. line solved all the plays and Spaulding punted to Tech's 43-yard line. The first down was made on the N. H. 40-yard line; but after Penwell had thrown the next runner, for a loss the line held, and the punt went offside on 11 yards. White made 5 yards but M. I. T. took the ball on a fumble and made a first down. Three plays gained slowly and the last play lacked but two inches of being a first down a short yard from the line. Spaulding punted and Neville tackled on the 36-yard line. M. I. T. rushed the ball again to the 10-yard line but the line refused to give an inch and a pass failed. White interrupted another pass, and Spaulding punted offside when the period ended. Starting on the 45-yard line a penalty put Tech back in their own territory. Held from gaining, M. I. T. punted over the goal line. N. H. failed for a first down, the punt against the wind was short and it was Tech's ball at the 40-yard mark. After one first down they lost the ball but the punt was short again and Tech started again from the 30-yard line. One first down was made and Spinney was substituted at guard. No gain was made and Stearns, interrupting the pass, carried it back to the 33-yard line. Keane gained four, but the next lost and the punt went only to midfield. The line was broken on the next play, but Stearns grabbed the runner. Then the line was solid and a long pass gave Tech its score. The try for goal failed. Spaulding received for New Hampshire and carried it back 20 yards, a pass was incomplete. M. I. T. was offside, and the first down was made. Failing to gain N. H. punted offside at midfield. Tech completed a short pass and the half was over.

THE SECOND HALF

Tech received the kickoff, and the runner went through the entire team only to be caught on the N. H. 24-yard line. Three downs netted 9 yards but the N. H. team braced from this point and thereafter outplayed Tech. The ball went to N. H. on the 15-yard line and Stearns started the drive with five yards. White made it fast down. The next play struck a stone wall but Stearns got three and White broke through to the 45-yard



Above picture shows some of the members of the concrete division which this past summer completed the foundations for all of the new buildings, besides the elaborate entrance to "T" Hall and 2,400 lin. ft. of sidewalks mostly 7 ft. wide.

line. Spaulding for five yards, then four more by White, and then another first down followed. Keane and White each got four and Stearns made it first again. The next plays failed to make the distance and the drive ended in Tech's 22-yard line. Tech soon made its first down on the 38 but were held and after failing on two passes punted offside at midfield. White made 12 yards. The next play gained one yard and the quarter was over. Tech held but Spaulding's drop kick from the 45-yard line was one of the best ever seen on the field. On the kickoff Hardy kicked over the goal line and from the 20-yard line Tech made first down on the 35. N. H. yielded but one yard and then M. I. T. got penalized 15. An attempt at a forward failed when Cooper got the man at the 8-yard line. Stearns made a spectacular runback of the punt going through to the 15-yard line. After four plays the ball lacked a bare inch of being first down, several minutes of deliberation being necessary to decide the question. Tech got the ball and failing to gain, punted offside at the 42-yard line. A line play was held and two passes failed. Another drop kick went one side and Tech had the ball for a touchback. Two attempts at the ends barely gained and having an injured leg, Neville was replaced by Broderick. N. H. was offside on the next play. Tech made six yards for the last play of the game.

N. H.	M. I. T.
Cooper, r. e.	r. e., Boli
Wild, r. t.,	r. t., F. Gaghan
Cross, r. g.,	r. g., Spaulding
Penwell, c.,	c., Johnson
(Spinney)	
Rowe, l. g.,	l. g., W. Gaghan
Hardy, l. t.,	l. t., Capt. McAuliffe
	(O'Mearn)
Neville, l. e.	l. e., Barker,
(Broderick)	
Stearns, q. b.,	q. b., Barker
Spaulding, l. h. b.,	r. h. b., Brokaw
White, f. b.,	f. b., Krantz
	(McAuliffe) (O'Mearn)
Keane, r. h. b.,	l. h. b., Hurley

Score: New Hampshire, 3; M. I. T., 6. Touchdown by Brokaw; dropkick by Spaulding. Referee, R. W. Broderick. Umpire, Towne. Head linesman, Smith. Attendance 300.

The Phi Mu Delta fraternity announces the pledging of the following men: Guy S. Garland, '22, of Hampton, N. H.; Philip H. Hutchinson, '22, of Concord; Harold J. Tripp, '22, of Epsom, N. H.; Donald S. Brown, '21, of Laconia, N. H.

CROSS COUNTRY TEAM CHAMPIONS

Wins Annual Grind at Franklin Park

MAKES SPLENDID SHOWING

Billingham, Naval Unit, First New Hampshire Man to Finish—M. I. T. Second—Score, 43-47

New Hampshire's cross country team won new laurels last Saturday, when Capt. Fitch and his fast team of cross country men won the championship of New England in a six-mile race at Franklin Park, Boston. The team made a splendid showing, despite the adverse conditions; stiff wind, plowed ground, which was new to them, and the length of the course, much longer than the one our members have been running on. There was also a squall which held all the contestants back.

There was a field of 39 starters including four different teams and the unattached entries. Clifton Horne, the veteran distance runner from the Dorchester Club, and Frank Kahdol, an Indian from Oklahoma, stationed at Camp Edgar, were picked as likely winners. There were six New Hampshire men entered, Captain Fitch, Billingham, Weston, Gould, Gove and Morrison.

GOVE LED

At the start, Gove took the lead and held it for quarter of a mile when Billingham picked it up and held it for awhile, when Horne passed him and was never headed. Billingham hung at his heels for three miles. Kahdol and Sparson passed Billingham and finished in that order. Stone of M. I. T. was fifth and was followed by Fitch and Weston of New Hampshire. Gould, the next man of the team was sixteenth, with Gove and Morrison in twentieth and twenty-second places respectively. The team total was 43, four points better than that scored by M. I. T. The team from Massachusetts Agricultural College 58 points, and Camp Edgar was fourth with 69.

The time was 35:20 which was certainly good, considering the weather, and difficult course. The first ten men were, in order, Clifton Horne of the Dorchester A. C., Kahdol of Camp Edgar, Sparson of Lewiston, Billingham of New Hampshire, Stone of M. I. T. and Weston of New Hampshire, Kants of the Finnish A. A., Dorr and Owens of M. I. T.

All the New Hampshire men finish-

ed in good condition. Much credit is due Coach Cleveland for developing a winning team in so short time. So far, the college is undefeated champion of New England.

HEADQUARTERS GIVES SUM FOR ENDOWMENT.

As a permanent record of the New Hampshire College, S. A. T. C., Headquarters is to donate to the college the sum of between \$350 and \$400, to be used as an endowment. The interest of this money will be used each year for a gold medal to be given the student in the college R. A. T. C., who is considered the best all-round soldier and at the same time stands high in his studies. The awarding is to be in the hands of a committee composed of Prof. Richard Whoriskey, Dean C. E. Hewitt, Mr. O. V. Henderson, the Commandant, and President R. D. Hetzel.

BOOK AND SCROLL HOLDS OPEN MEETING.

An open meeting of Book and Scroll was held Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Thompson hall. "War Poetry" was the subject of the program which was under the direction of Miss Irene Hall and Miss Caroline Perkins. Briefs of the lines of two of our modern American poets, Allen Seegar and Rupert Brooks, were read and then several interesting poems from each poet were given. There were also read a number of miscellaneous poems inspired by the war. Ethel Kelleher, '19, played two piano solos that were much enjoyed.

At the close of the program Irene Hall spoke of the purposes of the club and its requirements for membership. Miss Ruth Richardson, instructor in the English department, has been made an honorary member of the club.

DEAN HEWITT ATTENDS EDUCATIONAL CONVENTION.

Dean C. E. Hewitt attended the joint meeting of the British Educational Mission, and the Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Cambridge, on Saturday, December 7. Dean Hewitt was chosen as delegate to the meeting at which all the leading scientific institutions in the country were represented. In the morning General William M. Black, Chief of Engineers, United States Army, addressed the meeting on "The Training of Engineers for the United States Army."

RECEPTION GIVEN BY PRESIDENT

Faculty and College Employees Are Guests

GYMNASIUM DECORATED

Musical Numbers, Solo Dancing and Monologues Give Enjoyable Evening

President and Mrs. R. D. Hetzel received the college faculty and all assistants in administration at a reception given by them on Tuesday evening, December 3. The guests were entertained in the girls' gymnasium, which, under the direction of Professors Gourley and McFarlane had been wonderfully transformed for the occasion into a veritable bower with evergreen, palms and cut flowers.

From 8.30 to 9.30 was the reception those in the receiving line being President and Mrs. Hetzel, Dean and Mrs. C. E. Hewitt, Dean and Mrs. C. H. Pettee, Dean Helen Knowlton, Dean E. R. Groves, Major and Mrs. S. G. Eaton, and Hon. and Mrs. Dwight L. Hall of Dover.

PROGRAM

Following this a most pleasing program under the direction of Dr. A. E. Richards was given. Below is the program:

Orchestra, (a) Missouri Waltzes, (b) La Rose Bleu; Solo Dance, "Spring," Miss Helen Kelleher; Naval Quartette, "The Mermaid," Messrs. Staples, Ladd, Mathes, Nichols; Monologue, "Old Mother Hubbard," Messrs. Darvill and Dana; Solo Dance, "Fisher's Hornpipe," F. W. Stearns; Duet, "The Two Gobs," Messrs. Neville and Sanguinet; Girls' Glee Club, (a) Lullaby, (b) Pickaninny Song; Naval Quartette, "Kentucky Babe," Messrs. Staples, Ladd, Mathes, Nichols; Violin Solo, "Meditation," from Thais, Louis Hoffman; Orchestra, "Good-night, Germany!"

At the close of the program music was furnished by the orchestra for the dancing, which lasted until eleven-thirty.

POST EXCHANGE HAS BEEN VERY SUCCESSFUL.

The demobilization of the S. A. T. C. marks the closing of the Post Exchange which was organized under the direction of Major S. G. Eaton. That it had been successful is shown by the fact that after six weeks of operation, it has been able to declare a 100 per cent. dividend. In the beginning each company raised a fund among its members, and each invested fifty dollars, representing fifty shares. A complete stock of confectionery and necessities has been carried. At a recent meeting of the Exchange council, it was decided to close the Exchange as soon as was convenient, that all outstanding stock will be resold, and the December earnings go towards the athletic deficit and hospital funds.

Headquarters announces the following schedule of departure for the various companies of the S. A. T. C. Company A will leave December 6; Company B will leave December 7; Company C departs on Monday, December 9 and D Company will go on Tuesday, December 10. Companies E, F, G, and H, will be physically examined on the days, December 11 to December 14. On December 15 the entire collegiate unit will be dismissed.

Professor Simmers of the department of Education announces that during the second term, he will give a one-hour credit course in School Supervision. This course is intended for those future teachers who might wish to become principals of schools and is open to seniors only who have completed Psychology 52, Education 4 and 5 and who have taken or are taking Psychology 53.

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Durham, N. H., December 7, 1918.

Owing to the fact that there will not be any paper issued on Saturday, December 14, it was considered best to delay this edition until Monday. Due to the college recess the next New Hampshire will come out on Saturday, January 4, 1919.

TO THOSE WE LEAVE BEHIND.

With the circulation of this edition a number of the boys in khaki will have started for their homes and New Hampshire College with its pleasant environment will be but a memory of the past. We are proud to have been sent here by Uncle Sam to an institution that has done everything within power to back up the government of our wonderful country. In the years to come we can look back to the honor of the college, and to feel proud that we have once been associated with such an institution, which has distinguished itself so patriotically.

We have had a hard road to travel, but with very few exceptions everything has gone along smoothly. The epidemic came and set us back somewhat, but in a few weeks conditions soon became normal again. When the fourth detachment, that had anticipated its departure about the first of November was disappointed, and deprived of the possible opportunities we were a little discouraged, but in a few days we realized that everything was for the best.

With sentiment we bid you goodbye, your worthy President, your faculty, the instructors and last but not least Professor Whoriskey. New Hampshire you have done your bit, we all wish you goodbye and good luck.

A NEW CHRISTMAS.

Coming down through the centuries with ever increasing favor, the anniversary day of the birth of Christ stands out among the nations of the world as the day of days. A time set apart for the appreciation of the gift of gifts, Christmas has been received in homes and hearts with the same feeling of good will, that incited it in the beginning, more than nineteen hundred years ago. Gifts will be exchanged, friendships re-established more firmly than ever, a kind word spoken for all; simply the manifestation of the Christmas spirit.

It is to be questioned whether or not previous celebrations of the anniversary of Christ's birth have been wholly desirable. This thought comes from considering present conditions and in forecasting in what light the Christmas season of 1918 will be received. We are sure to have a thankful one, grateful for the blessings we might have received individually, but above all for the greatest of all, the new era of peace that lies before the world. The future is ours, to do with, what we will.

Perhaps it is better that we have had the past year. The United States has enjoyed fifty or more nationally prosperous Christmas seasons. With the shadows of the last year still not yet entirely dispersed we are able to look toward the light with a new understanding, a better appreciation and a broader sense of responsibility.

We have known what it is to keep Christmas, while a world-murder was being committed. But we hope that it is all past. Once more it is to come

to us, and let thoughts of Christianity with our better understanding kindle our hearts.

In all, is there not a thought, that in spite of honors of war and homesick hearts and depleted home circles, the rebirthday of our Saviour may once again, mean peace on earth, good will to men, among all people, just as that birthday nearly twenty centuries ago, filled the hearts of men with the desire to serve each other, to be friends, to lay down arms, to help, and not to hinder.

Following the advice of history the true and loyal men and women of the nineteen hundred and eighteenth Christmas, will keep on striving for the aims which their country has set, remembering that this time signifies life and attainment and joy, not death and failure and suffering.

THINK IT OVER.

With the departure of the Vocational Unit of the S. A. T. C. now complete and with the finish of the collegiate section of the S. A. T. C. a matter of but a few days, New Hampshire must again assume its normal peace-time conditions.

The Vocational men leave behind them lasting remembrances. New college walks now traverse the campus and new college buildings loom up here and there. A fine example of the skill of some of these men is the unique entrance to Thompson Hall, a bit of architecture that will long grace the college grounds. Surely New Hampshire College will long remember these men with high esteem and deep gratitude.

The collegiate section will probably be divided. Some will return to college in January, others will remain out for the remainder of the year, while still a few will roam back to their former positions in life. But let it be asked what greater asset for the future can be had for the taking than by returning to college and fitting oneself to meet the great world questions that are bound to arise?

HEADQUARTERS MINSTREL

A GREAT SUCCESS.

The final minstrel show of a series, that have been given by the soldiers of this command, was held in Thompson hall on Thursday and Friday evenings, December 5 and 6. This show was staged under the auspices of Headquarters Company, and the receipts were used to cover a deficit in the athletic fund. Much credit is due Sergeant-Major Hamilton for the excellence of the stage setting which was a scene typical of soldiers at camp in the evening.

The life of the show was in the hands of Sergeant LaRue, the S. A. T. C. Postmaster, who proved that he could be a comedian when necessity demanded it. Suitable quips and knocks on various men of the command were originated by him, and enjoyed by the audience who showed its approval and appreciation by frequent rounds of applause.

Company "G's" popular song, "Everything," made its usual big hit and the house called for an encore time and time again.

The work of Nutter brought rounds of applause. His ukelele solo was one of the greatest hits of the evening.

The entertainment concluded with the singing of "On to Victory." The program was as follows:

Opening Chorus; joke, Neville; song, "Till We Meet Again," Gay; song, "Everything," Hawling; joke, Prince; song, "Ragtime Goblin Man," Irish; selection, Naval Quartette; song, LaRue; song, "Sunshine of Your Smile," Buzzell; joke, LaRue; violin solo, Hoffman; joke, Neville; exhibition drill, Five Sergeants; ukelele solo, "Who Knows," Nutter; song "Somebody's Done Me Wrong," Darville; joke, LaRue; song, "Cleopatra's Jazz Band," Neville; song, "Long, Long Trail," Hamilton; trombone solo, Prince; song, "Pay Day," McNeil; trombone duet, Pulsifer, Prince; closing chorus, "On to Victory"

Conda J. Ham, who resigned as registrar of New Hampshire College the first of October, and has since been in Boston as auditor of miscellaneous accounts for the Boston and Maine, has accepted a position as Corporate Auditor of the Bangor and Aroostook railroad, at a much higher salary than he is now receiving. His offices will be at Bangor, Me.

NEW HAMPSHIRE HAMMER

"With Mallets to All
and Charity to None."
"Pie" Palmer, Editor.

Dear Minnie:

Air this letter reaches you, I will already be on my way home. Gee I'm glad, but then it gives me the blues to leave Durham.

This has been a pretty good place after all Minnie, and you can't imagine in a way, how we feel to brake up. Gene Breen, Jack White, Charlie Mulkey, Ed. Lemay and all the rest of the boys have been good friends of mine, Minnie, and believe me if the old woman says yes, they all will be up to our house before long.

I went to our company bankwet last Wednesday nite and we had a grate time. I had to eet with a fork, and I got away with it to. I don't think anybody noticed it ether.

I wish I could walk up to all the offshals heer and shake hands and say goodbye to them, thay sure have all ben god to us.

I will always remember my plesent stay heer, and some day you and me and yung "Pie" will come to Durham, and i will shoe youse the mashine shop and piggerie we built. The piggerie is better than a lot of peoples houses. Well I suppose nothing interests you now except my home coming. Gee we ain't had a fite in a long time, seems funny don't it? Well I am leaving heer contentid and happy, and I gess we will continue so? My last letter, so don't forget to come down to the depot so you can help me to carry my luggage. Goodbye,
Your own Pie.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION WORK UNUSUALLY INTERESTING.

Much interest on the part of the girls of the college is being shown in the Physical Education department. Miss Alice Bartlett, head of that department, appears to be the instigator as she has planned a very interesting program both for class and for outside work.

The work of the year began with field hockey, but as the season was short, and the game new, not much was accomplished this fall. At present the classes are busy with the regular gymnasium exercises and with aesthetic dancing. Miss Bartlett is planning a public exhibition of the regular work; this exhibition is to be given sometime after the beginning of the second term, and is to be followed by a May festival.

During the winter the classes are to take up volley ball and basket ball. Class teams are to be organized and a great many inter-class games are to be expected. As soon as the outdoor season begins again, baseball is to be given as class work. Miss Bartlett doesn't expect to have inter-class games in base ball this year, as few of the girls have ever played and the time will be taken up in learning the game.

Miss Bartlett is an enthusiastic worker in college associations; she has started the Girls' Mandolin Club, and is planning a dramatic club; but hardest of all, she is trying to organize a girls' athletic association. No definite plans for this association have been made as yet, but it is expected that they will appear soon. Miss Bartlett has already raised two momentous questions; first—if the men are to be allowed to use the girls' gymnasium, three nights a week, for basketball practice, why shouldn't the girls be allowed to use the men's gymnasium whenever they wish to do so; and, second—why shouldn't the girls' athletics be financed as are the men's—in other words, why shouldn't the five dollars that each girl pays with her registration fee go to the girls' athletic association?

Stars for Our Service Flag

Reported to date,	458
S. A. T. C.,	488
Vocational Unit,	1,400
Total,	2,346
Died in Service,	11
Wounded,	3
Gassed,	1

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COMPANY SONGS PROVING POPULAR

Song Inspector Will Teach Parodies at Other New England Camps

Company G's song and the Naval Unit's parody on "Smiles" made a hit with the music inspector, J. B. Archer, when he inspected the camp singing at Durham, recently. He has sent to Professor Whoriskey for a copy of the words so that he can spread them about through the camps of New England, and he promises that New Hampshire College will receive full credit for introducing them. He rated the whole singing that evening very highly and says in his letter to Professor Whoriskey, "Have not yet shaken off the thrill your boys gave me by their splendid singing in the gym.—it was great, or rather, GREAT." Below are the words to the two parodies as they were written for Inspector Archer:

Company G Song to the tune of 'Everything.

'Everything,
Company G has got the goods and everything

'Everything,
They are there with the Pep, and the Hip! Hip! Hip! 'everything

'Everything,
They are there with a smile,
In a race from a yard to a mile,
And they'll win it!
Yes they'll win it!

In anything worth while
Oh! we've got Liberty Bonds and War Savings Stamps

'Everything, 'Everything,
And in the War Fund, —Sh!—wewent "Over the Top,"

N'everything, 'Nothing.
And we want the world to know
If we have a chance to go,
We'll raise lots of Hell, for Kaiser Bill, 'Nothing.

To be sung to the tune of "Smiles."
I've been out with boys in Khaki;
I've been out with boys in olive drab;
I've been out with many aviators;
(And the best I thought that could be had.)
I was once engaged to a Lieutenant
And to him I thought that I'd be true,
But the boy who fills my heart with gladness
Is the boy in NAVY BLUE.

WE HOPE HE
WRITES HIS THESIS.

That the fame of New Hampshire College has reached even to Turner's Falls, Mass., is shown by the following letter received by Dean Pettee during the past week.

Turner's Falls, Mass., Nov. 29, '18.
Dear Dean:—

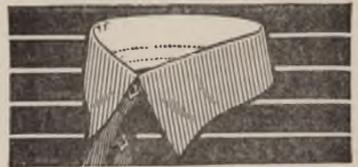
I am about to write a long thesis on the history of your college. I would be very much obliged for any information you can give me, regarding your school.

With obligations.

A. R.

P. S. Please answer this letter as quick as possible. I have to have my thesis in by Xmas.

Miss Florence Harris, '18, who is dietitian at the Margaret Pillsbury hospital, Concord, N. H., visited the college this past week-end.



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OTHER ALUMNI NOTES.

Lieut. C. O. Austin, '18, is Commanding Officer of an S. A. T. C. Unit at Carroll College, Waukesha, Wisconsin. He was formerly at the University of Vermont, Burlington, Vt.

A. R. Morgan, ex-'17, has received his discharge from the Officers' Training School for Field Artillery at Camp Zachery Taylor, Kentucky. He arrived in Durham this week.

R. A. Currier, '20, is still in the Naval Aviation at Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

**NEWSY ITEMS
 OF THE ALUMNI.**

**"DUNK" KENNEDY, '09,
 VISITS DURHAM**

Reid, '20, Has Arrived Safely Over There—"Civy" Atkins, '18, Aerial Observer

Lieut. Walter D. Reid, '20, has arrived safely "over there." He had to travel thirty-four hours by train to get to his present location from the coast, spending his birthday enroute. He is quartered in an old cathedral, four centuries old and one that it took four generations to build. At one time Napoleon had his headquarters there. Lieutenant Reid censors his own mail and stamps it with the mark of a censor. His address is U. S. Air Service, Amer. Exp. Forces, Care of Cox & Co., 16 Charing Cross, London, S. W. I. He may be among the men in the air service who return to America this week.

The following account of R. W. Shirley, '19's, death is given by Luther Tarbell, '14, who was near at the time: "I saw Shirley. He had previously had some exciting times doing outpost duty in No Man's land, while his group were working behind the lines. At that time he was working in an American saw-mill close behind the lines getting out timber for dugouts. His brother was with him.

"He soon returned to the front where his group were doing some engineer work in the front lines. He and his brother had a close one and the captain told them they better lay off that evening, (the day after.) 'No we'll go along with the bunch.' His brother was too sick to continue but Ralph kept on and that evening a bomb landed in a trench near him. He lived only a few minutes and was not conscious at all. He was buried at Beyer Leguerre, Grave 3, 7-14-18 (Amer. Sec.)"

C. D. Kennedy, '09, "Dunk," visited Durham last week and went to the football game at Haverhill with "Dick" Whoriskey. "Dunk" is to be located at New York until about June or July when he will return to the Dutch East Indies. His trip to the U. S. A. is on business for the United States Rubber Co. It took him 61 days to get here from the Dutch East Indies.

Wm. J. Haggerty, '20, is at Fort Standish, Boston Harbor, Mass. He is in Company C of the 61st Ammunition Train.

Kenneth Blood, '20, is a bayonet instructor at Camp Lee, Virginia, and is in line for a promotion to sergeant.

Robert McCartney, '16, is in the 2nd Company First Battalion, Depot Brigade, Camp Devens, Mass.

Lieut. Fred I. Ordway, ex-'18, writes in a letter dated October 24 about Sumner Carlisle, '18, who is in the same sector with him: "Sumn' is in an observation squadron only a few kilometers from my station. He is carrying on visual reconnaissance and taking pictures over the Boche lines and many times a long way behind the lines. His work is not quite so brilliant as the pursuit but it is very important and full of dangers." Lieutenant Ordway is one of five of the original pilots in his squadron left after six months fighting on the front. The sector he is in is the old fighting ground of 1914 and 1916 and consequently is much battered. He is in the First Pursuit Group of the A. E. F. Lieutenant Carlisle is a first lieutenant of the 61st Aero Squadron, A. E. F.

Corporal L. A. Tarbell, '14, has sent Miss Charlotte Thompson, (Aunt Lottie), a July 4th issue of the German war paper, Kriegszeitung, which was left behind with other papers by a Battery Commander in his hurried departure during the Chateau Thierry drive about July 20th. It contains a list of alleged U-boat successes and the German owner of the paper had added up the figures given to find out the total results. On the same page is a map of Paris with an account of an aerial attack on Paris. Tarbell is teaching machine gun crews at school in France where Marshall Ney, Na-

oleon's right hand man, and "our friend, the enemy, Hindenburg and Ludendorff" studied. His address is A. P. O., 718, France.

H. C. Atkins, '18, "Civy," is an observer in the 91st Aero Squadron of the U. S. Air Service in France and has a first lieutenant's commission. He has been in three different training schools in France before being assigned to his present squadron. At one school he met Capt. Dura P. Crockett, '16, who was taking a course at the Infantry school there. "Civy" writes, "We had a great old talk as he was the first N. H. man I had seen. Next I ran into Jimmie Griswold, '18, just coming back from the front. He is a lieutenant now in the artillery and was going to Tours to take up the aerial observation game. Day before yesterday, (Nov. 6), I ran into Jack Brosnan, ex-'19. He is a buck private in the 351st Brigade Headquarters. He told me I was the first fellow from N. H. he had seen over here."

J. W. Dodge, '18, chief quartermaster in the Naval Aviation at M. I. T. has been given no active duty and is now at his home in Contoocook awaiting discharge papers.

Everett H. Kelley, '16, was married to Miss Shirley Whitney, at Leominster, Mass., November 28, 1918. He met P. I. Fitts, '20, and Spaulding, '22, on the train as they were returning to the S. A. T. C. at Durham from Camp Lee, Virginia.

Lester Langley, '15, is at home in Durham from the Naval Aviator's School at M. I. T. He expects to get his discharge soon.

"Hank" Emery, '19, H. R. Ham, '20, H. P. Felker, '20, and M. R. Vose, '20, have received transfers to the S. A. T. C. at New Hampshire and consequently will be discharged December 15.

C. J. O'Leary, '20, and M. H. Strain, '19, appeared in Durham this week. They received their discharges from Officers' Training School at Camp Lee, Virginia.

C. H. Dustin, '17, and Clark L. Stevens, '17, visited Durham Tuesday. They are both lieutenants and have been placed on inactive duty. "Steve" has been at Camp Lee and Dustin at Camp Zachery Taylor.

**SUDDEN DEATH OF
 ABBY TURCOTTE, '17.**

The college was greatly shocked by the news of the sudden death from acute appendicitis of Abby JewettTurcotte, '17. She died at the home of Dr. Easton at North Craftsbury, Vermont, on Wednesday morning, November 27. She was not ill only two days.

Abby was very popular among her classmates, and her happy faculty of making friends endeared her to all. She was a faithful worker in college activities and was prominent in Glee Club and Y. W. C. A. work. She was a member of the Pi Alpha Phi sorority. Since her graduation she has been assistant manager at the cafeteria conducted on the campus at Cornell University. She was offered the managership, but declined intending to take up new work this coming year. Her death cut short a life that was filled with promise and one that was sure to have been successful.

**ENGAGEMENT OF MISS
 SARAH SANDERS ANNOUNCED.**

Mrs. Marcia Sanders announces the engagement of her daughter, Sarah Frances, to Lieut. John Marshall Barnswell, M. C. U. S. A. Lieutenant Barnswell has been stationed here in Durham since September 8. His home is in Florence, South Carolina.

The engagement was made known last Saturday afternoon, at a tea given by Mrs. Sanders to the Chi Omega fraternity of which her daughter is a member. There were also present the patronesses Mrs. Edward T. Fairchild, Mrs. Marion O'K. McKay, Miss Elizabeth P. DeMerritt, Mrs. James S. Chamberlin and Miss Elizabeth C. Sawyer. Preceding the announcement which came as a great surprise to everyone, a delightful musical program was given and included a piano solo by Ethel Kelleher, '19, songs by Alice Scott, '21, a violin solo by Helena Kelleher and a piano solo by Esther Huse, '21.

**TO CLOSE FIRST
 TERM SATURDAY**

**Action Follows Order
 of War Department**

REOPENS JANUARY 1

Registration This Term Has Been Largest in History of College—
 708 Students

The board of trustees of New Hampshire College has decided to close college at noon Saturday, December 14 as the S. A. T. C. men are to be demobilized the following day. This will bring the first college term to a somewhat premature close, due to the action of the war department in ordering demobilization on this date.

The college will reopen January 1 on a peace basis, with its usual program of studies.

The registration this first term has been the largest in the history of the college, 708 students being enrolled, 543 men and 165 women. The highest previous total was reached in 1916-17, when there were 660 students. Besides the 708 students enrolled in the college proper, there are approximately 500 vocational men in the S. A. T. C., all of whom are taking vocational work under college instructors in the engineering department.

The recess from December 15 to January 1 will be a very busy one for the college authorities as in that time they have to rearrange buildings which had been turned over to the military. The dormitories and the fraternity houses must have their furniture restored and the gymnasium and other buildings restored to the ordinary uses. The college Y. M. C. A. building, which was erected primarily with the S. A. T. C. in view is now nearing completion and will not be taken down as the Y. M. C. A. expects to keep a permanent secretary here.

Friday 112 men of Co. A of the vocational unit were discharged from the service. These men came originally from both New Hampshire and New York towns and have taken work in auto truck driving and auto repairing. Nine other men of Co. A paid the penalty of previous misdemeanor by being held here. These men have at some time been absent without leave and must stay as many days after their companions have left as they took without permission earlier. On Saturday Company B was dismissed. Company B consists of 93 men, all carpenters from both New York and New England. The third company left on Monday and Tuesday will see the departure of the fourth, the last of the vocational unit.

The remainder of the week will be used in preparing the S. A. T. C. for their discharge. These men will all leave together, on Sunday, the fifteenth.

January 1 the college will reopen as normal. At present it is expected a large per cent. of the S. A. T. C. will return to college. Questionnaires have been distributed in an endeavor to find out accurately the number. The returns have not yet been made but will likely be available the first of the week.

**FRATERNITY HOUSES WILL
 KEEP THEIR DINING ROOMS.**

Fraternity houses will be able to maintain their own dining rooms until next June which is the date set for the completion of the Commons building, according to the architect, Professor Eric T. Huddleston.

The construction is in charge of Lord and Allen, contractors, of Rochester, N. H. The contract calls for the completion of the basement by September 1, 1918, and the remainder of the building by January 1, 1919, but owing to war conditions the work was delayed by scarcity of labor and lack of steel.

In the basement there will be a cafeteria and on the first floor a large public dining hall and two private dining rooms, one for the bachelor members of the faculty. The agreement with which the Commons building is built is that the fraternities shall give up their own dining rooms and eat at the Commons. It has not yet been decided whether or not the girls will eat at the Commons.

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MR. METCALF ASSISTANT Y. M. C. A. SECRETARY.

Robert D. Metcalf has been appointed assistant Y. M. C. A. secretary at this college. Mr. Metcalf was graduated from Amherst College in 1917, and for a year taught in a boys' school near Richmond, Virginia. This summer he attended the Silver Bay Conference of Y. M. C. A. workers. He has been stationed at Tufts Medical College, and came from there to take up his new duties at New Hampshire College.

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REMEMBER THESE DATES

- Dec. 9. Opening Meeting Men's Club at 7 p. m., Grange Hall; Rev. Coe, Dover, speaks. Girls furnish the "bean supper." Boys have a fine minstrel show.
- Dec. 15. 2-4 p. m., Annual Church Community Canvass for funds for 1919. 4.30 p. m., Whittier vesper service.
- Dec. 22. Christmas Concert by Church School.

Have You Finished Your Xmas. Shopping?

MORNING WORSHIP, 10.45, CHURCH SCHOOL, 12 M.

COLLEGE PURCHASES PURE BRED HORSES

Two Black Percheron Mares to be Used by the Animal Husbandry Department

Two black Percheron mares, the first pure-bred mares to be owned by the College, have just arrived in Durham, where they will not only work on the College Farm but will be used by the Department of Animal Husbandry as an object lesson that brood-mares can be kept for both working and breeding purposes, at the same time.



The purchase of the horses was negotiated by Professor O. L. Eckman, head of the department; and they were brought into town by Professor C. J. Fawcett after a successful thirty-two-hour trip from Storrs, Connecticut, where they had been bred at the Connecticut Agricultural College.

One of the mares, Carfer the 2nd, was the unbeaten yearling at the Worcester, Syracuse, Trenton, and Eastern States Fairs in 1917. She was sired by Carnot, champion Percheron stallion at the great International Live Stock Show in Chicago in 1909. The other, Queen Victoria the 2nd, who took the second ribbon at the National Dairy Show in Springfield in 1916, is the dam of the champion stallion at the Eastern States Exposition in 1917 and is half-sister to the twice great champion Pink of the International Live Stock Shows of 1905 and 1906.

"It is a mistaken idea," says Professor Eckman, "that brood-mares cannot be worked. While they should not be made to do strenuous pulling which might strain them, it is better to give them ordinary work until just a few days before the foals are born. After a rest of two weeks they are again fit for work. I believe it will pay New Hampshire farmers to raise at least the horses that they want for their own use. They can get much better draft horses than they would be able to buy; and where there is pasture, the expense would not be keenly felt. We are going to keep figures on these mares and shall watch with interest how the experiment comes out."

COMPANY F HOLD GOOD ENTERTAINMENT

Company F furnished a very good entertainment at the movies last Wednesday night, Dec. 5. It was an exhibition of vaudeville that would be hard to beat.

The first number was a reel of official movies, showing in most realistic fashion, the work of the allied armies on the western front and in Italy. After this was the first reel of a side splitting two-reel film, starring Fatty Arbuckle and Mabel Normand in "A Farmyard Romeo." There was also a three-reel feature showing William Hart in "The Four Flushers."

The first act was a novel illustration of the manual of arms, executed by Ham, Felker, Fitts, Emery and Foster. Their new method of going through the steps was a stunt which pleased the crowd immensely. Ham and Emery went through a bayonet exercise that was also new and was equally interesting.

The second act was a violin solo by Hoffman. As usual, his playing drew a well merited applause.

The next number was a two-round boxing exhibition by Hardy and Gay. They were evenly matched and showed some good hard hitting ability.

"Fat" Heller and K. C. Foster foiled them with a variation on the usual style of blind folded boxing. They were armed with tin cups to attract each other, and fought on their hands and knees. It was the funniest stunt of the evening.

In the succeeding number Hawkins gave the best act of all in reproducing dialect. His snatches of French, Irish, "Canuck," and good broad Yankee stories was the hit of the evening.

Harvey and Fernald made a hit in the last number with comic card tricks and good jokes.

SUNDAY'S SERMON MUCH DISCUSSED

Pertinent Statement Made Regarding Present Status of College Organizations.

In his sermon last Sunday on "Utopia or Hell," Mr. Dabney brought home to the community its duty in the present world crisis. "Unless democracy can be practiced on the college campus," declared the speaker, "it is useless to jabber about making the world safe for democracy." Mr. Dabney urged the college students to remember that as the future leaders of America, they should not allow their college societies, organizations, and activities to impede the progress of the democratic spirit in the world.

"The world is deciding today," he said, "between Utopia and Hell. Unless the heart cry of the world for the spirit of democracy, co-operation and goodwill is satisfied by Christian leaders, then the outlook is bleak. Anyone, therefore, who sows discord, obstructs community progress by lack of co-operation and fails to practice democracy, is not only un-American and un-Christian, but is a traitor to the cause of our common humanity in the most trying hours of all history."

NOTICE!

HEAR YE!! HEAR YE!!

OLD MEN AND YOUNG MEN, FAT MEN AND SLIM MEN, RICH MEN AND POOR MEN, DEMOCRATS AND REPUBLICANS, FARMERS AND PROFESSORS, MARRIED MEN AND SINGLE MEN AND OTHER UNFORTUNATE.—Harken ye to the call for the opening meeting of the Durham Men's Club, where the lowly "two-bit" bean supper will replace the luscious beef-steak supper of the ante-bellum days. Our own Durham girls will serve the supper and our own Durham boys will furnish us with a minstrel show.

WHERE IS IT? Grange Hall, Main Street.

WHEN IS IT? Monday, December 9 at 7 p. m.

WHO SPEAKS? Rev. Robert W. Coe late of Washington, D. C., now pastor of the Dover Congregational Church.

WHY COME? (1) For fun. "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy." You must hear the boys sing "Mr. Zipp, Zipp, Zipp, Zipp! Wow!" (2) For fellowship. We need to rub elbows with the other fellow, swap yarns and exchange experiences. (3) For business. We have work to do. We must plan for our Community Xmas tree.

The aim is 100 present. Encourage the boys and make the girls happy by eating their supper even if you die the next day. YOU COME; the other 99 will meet you there. Pass the word on. Show this to your wife and ask her to let you come! Remember—December 9, Grange Hall.

Committee on Invitation:

Charles Berry,
A. E. Richards,
Samuel Craig,
Sam Rundlett,
Steve Chesley,
Vaughan Dabney,
Frank P. Morrison.

COLLEGE ATHLETICS HAS SUCCESSFUL SEASON.

New Hampshire College S. A. T. C. can well be proud of its athletic season. In spite of the adverse conditions prevalent at all colleges this year New Hampshire has maintained a creditable record. The S. A. T. C. cross country team on last Saturday won the New England championship.

The team also won the cross country meet with Springfield Y. M. C. A. on November 23 by a score of 23-32.

Of five football games played two games were won, two lost and one tied. All except one was played out of town.

The deficit in the athletic fund this season was comparatively small and amounted to \$950. It was decided that this sum should be divided between the college and the military, each bearing half the expense, making for each the sum of \$425. The proceeds of the minstrel shows given on Thursday and Friday evenings of last week by Headquarters Company as an athletic benefit, amounted to \$134.50. This together with the various sums to be collected as the business of the post is settled, will meet the required amount.

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