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MILITARY DRILL TO BE RESUMED

Juniors and Seniors Will Join R. O. T. C. PLANS BEING MADE

Though Not Compulsory, Major Halls Hopes All Juniors and Seniors Will Drill

Owing to the necessity of starting the military activities of the college as soon as possible, no Convocation was held on Wednesday afternoon, but a part of the usual Convocation period was given over to a meeting of the men students, who were addressed by the new commandant of the R. O. T. C. Reserve Officers' Training Unit to be re-established here, Major H. N. Halls.

The meeting was short, Major Halls simply giving a brief outline of the proposed activities for the present year. He spoke of the possibility of having a Machine Gun Unit, if the college had a regiment, which he said was very probable, since a company must be composed of from fifty to eighty men and on this basis there being enough men to form five companies.

PURPOSE OF R. O. T. C.

The purpose of the R. O. T. C. is to train men in time of peace to become officers in war time, and the officers of the college regiment will be chosen from the members of the Junior and Senior classes, who are taking drill, as has hitherto been the case.

This year each member of the R. O. T. C. will be furnished with a complete uniform including both summer and winter clothes; and members from the two upper classes will receive pay for commutation of rations, at the rate of forty cents per day.

NAVY MEN NOT ELIGIBLE

Major Halls said that at present men in the Naval Reserve Force are not eligible to join the R. O. T. C. The members of the corps are compelled to wear their uniforms only when required to drill or while attending classes in military science; but the Major intends that when a man wears his uniform a complete uniform must be worn, or none at all. Drill will undoubtedly start Monday, and the military activities will once more be in full swing. Major Halls promises to offer a very interesting and varied program in drill and military tactics.

Major Halls has expressed the desire to have every able bodied Junior and Senior take drill and it is hoped that the wish of our new commandant will be universally complied with.

SECOND SMOKER HELD BY MEN IN FAIRCHILD.

On Saturday evening, February 8, the second smoker of the year was held in Fairchild Hall, with the faculty of the Arts and Science division and Mr. Robert Watson as the guest of the men rooming in "the dorm."

The rooms of the building were lighted and left open, that the visitors might have a chance to inspect them. Card-playing was enjoyed by most of the men, while those who did not play cards gathered around the piano and sang, with Dr. A. E. Richards at the piano. During the evening cigars were passed around and ice cream and cookies were served.

After the refreshments the faculty members made a few appropriate remarks. Coach C. R. Cleveland had a few words to say about the track squad, and among other things, urged that more of the men come out for this sport. The gathering broke up about eleven o'clock, after a very pleasant evening.

The members of the faculty present were: Dean C. H. Pettee, Dr. A. E. Richards, Prof. W. C. O'Kane, Prof. J. H. Marceau, and Coach C. R. Cleveland, and Mr. Robert Watson of the Y. M. C. A.

INFORMAL SATURDAY EVENING MUCH ENJOYED.

The Informal held last Saturday night, February 8, was well attended and proved a success. The number of couples present was above the average, and the music was good. The only drawback was the sticky condition of the floor which should be remedied if the informals are to be held in the Gym. Quite a number of out-of-town young people were at the dance. Mrs. J. C. Kendall and Mrs. J. H. Gourley were the chaperones.

MEN IN FAIRCHILD HALL TO HAVE A POST EXCHANGE.

Fairchild Hall now has a post exchange which bids fair to surpass the P. X. of the S. A. T. C. days. "Pa" Curtis has taken full charge of the project and has located the "store" in his headquarters in the "dorm."

A short time ago the idea of establishing a P. X. was laid before the men of the "dorm." by F. A. Brooks, '20. They were given an opportunity to think the matter over, and about a week ago, by a unanimous vote, decided to start one. The offers of the college and "Pa" Curtis, the former to back the venture and the latter to take full charge of it, were an added incentive to the men.

The scanty stock of a few past has been rapidly augmented and now a fine assortment of goods consisting of candies, tobacco, cigarettes and cigars may be purchased there. The profits of the exchange will go towards the smokers and other social events which the men of the "dorm." may plan.

ECONOMICS CLUB HOLDS SECOND MEETING OF YEAR.

The second meeting of the Economics Club was held last Wednesday evening in the college library. The program consisted of an open discussion on various economic subjects. President Arthur E. Clapp, '19, opened the discussion by telling of his experiences while working in the accounting department of the Portsmouth navy yard. The different systems of accounting used there were discussed in their various phases and mention made of the results secured.

Following this interesting talk a general discussion of economic subjects was held. Among the subjects discussed were employment for returned soldiers, the rise and fall of prices, and the probability of successful government operation of this country's railroads. Both the negative and affirmative sides of these questions were stoutly defended by members of the club, thus making a very interesting meeting.

At the next meeting Conda J. Ham, former registrar of N. H. State, is expected to be present and will speak to the club.

Assistant D. C. Babcock spoke before the Newmarket Woman's Club, on Saturday afternoon.

NEW HAMPSHIRE VS. MASS. AGGIES

Blue and White Relay Team to Run Tonight—Expect to Make Up for Last Year's Defeat—In Good Condition

New Hampshire College relay team will run against Massachusetts Agricultural college tonight at the East Armory, Boston. The team is in first class condition and Coach Cleveland expects that it will come through with a win.

Last year the Blue and White team ran against Massachusetts Aggies and was defeated by a scant margin. This year New Hampshire will put three of her last year's team in the field again. Mass. Aggies has been less fortunate in this respect, having only two members of her former team return to college. Both teams have had no races so far this year and hence no comparison can be made that way.

THREE VARSITY MEN

The three members of the Blue and White team who were varsity relay men last year, are Nightingale, '19. O'Leary, '20 and Melville, '20. "Night" it will be remembered ran first against the Aggies last year, after running the three-mile special. His opponent on the relay team has not returned to college this year. Dewing, second man on last year's Mass. Aggies team, and probably the fastest, has returned and will probably be seen in action again this year. "Don" Melville, who ran third on the team last year, will not have the opponent that he had before as Newall has not returned to college. Captain Yessair, who ran against O'Leary last year, will in all probability be seen in action again this time.

The new man on the Blue and White team is Norwood Nute, '22, formerly of Exeter academy. "Doc" is running pretty strong and he is expected to show up well at the meet. The fifth man on the team, who will go as a substitute, is Felix Lagasse, '21.

Coach Cleveland has announced that in all probability he will run O'Leary as the lead off man, owing to the quickness that he has been showing in starting. Melville and Nute will run second and third and Nightingale will run as anchor man because of his wonderful speed and endurance.

DISCUSS REORGANIZATION AT WOMAN'S LEAGUE.

At a business meeting of the Woman's League held Wednesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. R. D. Hetzel, the question of a reorganization of the league was discussed. No definite action was taken, for the matter is to be presented to the women students for their consideration.

NOTICE.

The faculty dancing class will meet in Thompson Hall gymnasium Thursday evening, February 20, at eight o'clock.

RALLY AT BOSTON BEFORE THE B. A. A. GAMES.

Arrangements are being made for a Grand Rally of all New Hampshire alumni, undergraduates, and former students at Boston on the night of the B. A. A. Games, March 1.

A welcome home meeting and smoker will be held at the Copley Square Hotel in honor of our men, who have been in the service, at which we will organize a cheering section for the support of our track men at the B. A. A. Games.

The Alumni Athletic Board has arranged a most strenuous programme. Assembly at 5 o'clock, Mess at 6 o'clock sharp, First Call at 7 when the fire works begin, and Last Call at 8 when we all go up to Mechanics Hall to show Old Boston that New Hampshire is a long word but it means Speed.

A full section of 100 seats has been reserved at the games which is the largest number held by any one organization. Your committee has arranged for a real New Hampshire Night in Boston. Now then—EVERYBODY OUT. Watch the "New Hampshire" for further announcements. Return post card notices will be sent to all members of the Association. There's only one answer.

We'll meet at the Games in Boston.

NEW HAMPSHIRE DEFEATS BROWN WESLEYAN AND CONNECTICUT

Win Places Team in Line for New England Basketball Championship.

"BEST TEAM EVER."—COACH.

Wonderful Endurance of Blue and White Team, Coupled With Clever Passing and Good Teamwork, Furnishes Spectacular Plays.

New Hampshire's triple win over Brown, Wesleyan and Connecticut Aggie respectively, on Thursday, Friday and Saturday nights of last week has placed the team as the foremost candidate for the New England collegiate basketball championship. By superb playing, wonderful endurance and team work the Blue and White team thrilled their spectators. The work of the team has been the subject of much comment in the daily papers of late.

Coach Cowell's comments on the team, "the best ever."

The results of the games are as follows:

BROWN GAME

New Hampshire opened her trip with the game with Brown. Coach Cowell sent in his three substitutes, with the two varsity guards, to start the game. Brown started off the game like a house afire but the New Hampshire defense soon started working, and the result was never in doubt.

Many fouls, both technical and personal, were called by Referee Sullivan. New Hampshire had more fouls called on her than did Brown, but the ability of Davis to shoot goals from fouls, gave her a decided edge on her opponents.

New Hampshire was leading at the end of the first half 12-11. Coach Cowell sent in Butler, Craig and Anderson for the last four minutes of play, and the game was soon decided. The varsity team gave a wonderful exhibition of play while it was in and furnished the spectators with a real treat of offensive playing with wonderful passing and team work. The consistent work of Captain Davis and Shuttlesworth was a feature for the Blue and White.

Pieri and Lamson excelled for the Brown five.

The summary:

New Hampshire	Brown
Stewart, I. f.	Samson
Butler	
Perry, r. f.	Pieri (Capt.)
Craig	
Harris, c.	Weeks
Anderson	
Shuttlesworth, r. g.	Nelson
Davis (Capt.) I. g.	Miller

The score: New Hampshire, 27; Brown, 21. Goals from floor: Samson, 5; Pieri, 4; Harris, 4; Butler, 3; Anderson, 2; Stewart. Goals from fouls: Davis, 7 out of 11; Pieri, 3 out of 10. Referee, Sullivan, Dean Academy. Scorer, Strain. Timer, Hahn. Time, 2 20-minute halves. Attendance, 200.

The second and most interesting game of all was that played at Middletown, where New Hampshire defeated Wesleyan 37-13. The excellent team work of New Hampshire still was evident and coupled with a strong defense gave our men a slight advantage. Wesleyan was slow to take the offensive and placed much reliance in long shots of which Travis shot four in the first half. There were many fouls called on both teams and Davis for New Hampshire tallied nine points in this manner. The team work of the Blue and White was the best exhibited on the Wesleyan floor this season and drew much praise from the spectators. Shuttlesworth and Davis starred for New Hampshire while Travis and Hartman did excellent work for Wesleyan.

The summary:

New Hampshire	Wesleyan
Butler, I. f.	Travis
Craig, r. f.	Ryalls
	Parsons
	Hartman
Anderson, c.	Dixon (Capt.)
Shuttlesworth, r. g.	Deppler
Davis (Capt.) I. g.	

The score: New Hampshire, 37; Wesleyan University, 23. Goals from floor: Craig, 5; Anderson, 4; Butler, 4; Travis, 4; Hartman, 3; Davis, 2; Ryalls. Goals from fouls: Davis, 7 out of 13; Travis, 5 out of 15; Parsons, 2 out of 3. Referee, Swaffield, Brown. Scorer and Timer, Strain. Time, 2 20-minute halves. Attendance, 300.

Again New Hampshire lived up to its record when pitted against the Connecticut Agricultural College quintet at Storrs for the last game of the trip. New Hampshire swept into her sixth straight victory that resulted in the score, 51-18.

Coach Cowell placed his first string men in the game at the outset and by scoring nineteen points before their opponents had one, the team soon had the game. The game was noted for the number of fouls called, thirty-seven being registered.

The reason for Connecticut's poor showing is due perhaps to the fact that the team is made up practically of new men, while New Hampshire has her last year's team complete.

"Coach" sent in his substitutes soon after the start of the second period and they continued to roll up the score.

After the game several old New Hampshire men at Storrs entertained the team with a feed.

The summary:

New Hampshire	Connecticut
Craig, r. f.	Lockwood (Capt.)
Stewart	
Butler, I. f.	Dean
Perry	
Anderson, c.	Elcock
Harris	Crumwolt
Shuttlesworth, r. g.	Putnam
Davis (Capt.) I. g.	Gotburg

Score: New Hampshire, 51; Connecticut, 18. Goals from floor: Butler, 5; Anderson, 5; Lockwood, 5; Craig, 4; Davis, 2; Shuttlesworth, Harris, Perry and Dean. Goals from fouls: Anderson, 7 out of 7; Davis, 6 out of 16; Lockwood, 6 out of 14. Referee, Dillon, Hartford. Scorer, Strain. Timer, Bauer. Time, twenty minute halves. Attendance, 250.

Miss Caroline Perkins, '19, was the leader of the Y. W. C. A. meeting held last week in Smith Hall. A very interesting discussion on the principles of materialism, as opposed to vitalism, was opened by Miss Perkins, which was later given over to informal discussion.

CALENDAR OF EVENTS.

Saturday, February 15. Basketball game, N. H. vs. University of Maine at Durham.

Monday, February 17. Agricultural Club meeting, Morrill Hall.

Monday, February 17. Engineering Society meeting at DeMerritt Hall.

Thursday, February 20. Basketball game, N. H. vs. Stevens Tech. at Durham.

Friday, February 21. Basketball game, N. H. vs. Rhode Island at Durham.

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"TAXATION WITHOUT REPRESENTATION."

As a regular reader of the "New Hampshire," I am always interested in the editorials for I presume they express the ideals and sentiments of our student body. Being chairman of one of the committees singled out last week made me doubly interested in "Taxation without Representation." I am heartily pleased to note that students are giving their attention to these matters and thinking seriously about them. I do hope that still more thought may be given to matters, especially those which are now handled by the Committee on Student Organization.

I feel impelled, however, to say a few words in reply to the aforesaid article, not for the purpose of retaliation or of engaging in controversy, but simply to give a better understanding of the function of the Committee on Student Organization, of the work it must perform and its relation to the various elements of the college community. Let me say that at some time in the past the faculty felt the need of some rules whereby the social affairs might be somewhat controlled and the interests of what it is inclined to consider our main side-show, i. e. the academic work—be not entirely crowded off the stage. This feeling was but father to the act by which the faculty made some rules and provided for a committee to apply them. Then the President of the college appointed various people to membership on this committee and required them to function in good faith to see that the desired ends were attained. Thus did the committee come into possession of its authority. Furthermore, it must be evident to the reader by this time that this committee has a duty to perform and I must say it has labored to do so wisely. The committee is always accessible and especially does the chairman of it desire to have the students feel free to come to him to talk over matters. When the committee has been in doubt as to its course of action, or the policy to apply in deciding matters, it has talked the matters over with the students concerned, sometimes with President Hetzel, or has sent the students to consult him and state to him their case. Let me say right here that I am sure the President is also easily accessible and approachable even for students. Perhaps it is evident now that the committee was intended to be a co-operative committee, but it must co-operate with the faculty and administrative officers of the college as well as with the student body. I am greatly interested in co-operation and as will be seen later, welcome the desire of students to participate in it.

Contrary to the notion expressed in the editorial, the committee is not opposed to dancing. In fact, I should like to see the students, who so love to dance, co-operate in getting the non-dancers of the student body to participate in the social pleasures of the dance. We should much prefer that the matter be acted upon in this way rather than that the line of least resistance be followed, as is suggested will be done. The easiest way is not necessarily the best. In fact, not likely to be the most educational. It is true that the committee intends to promote social affairs other than

dancing. These are to be for that larger portion of the student body who do not dance but at times do wish to engage in social activities.

Many of the students who do dance still feel the necessity of having other forms of entertainment, if for no other purpose than to give happiness to those who find no pleasure in the terpsichorean art. We have no intention of forcing students to attend them, and especially do we have no intention of forcing attendance by the elimination of dances. If we can believe the reports we receive, and also our own observations as we attend social affairs, it is only the minority of students who dance and not the large majority as has been reported. If I am wrong in my supposition about the matter, I should be pleased to have the author of "Taxation Without Representation" set me right by presenting me with facts and data. But if you feel we have been niggardly in the matter of granting petitions—presented with or without prayers—please go to the registrar's office and review the date book from January 1, 1919 to April 15th.

The Committee has acted slowly but necessarily so. The Lecture Course Committee and the Athletic Committee have right of way for dates. The athletic schedule was not nearly completed until February 1st and did not come into my hands in its final form until the 10th. We have already had to change the dates of two social events because of unforeseen dates required for athletics and this necessitated other changes in the social schedule. I might add the situation has been very unusual this year because the athletic schedule was necessarily made in its entirety since January first. Thus I hope you see that our slowness was necessary and not a procrastination. Upon first thought it may seem that college activities are back on a pre-war basis but such is certainly not the case, nor shall we be able to get back upon such basis during the present college year. I am not certain that the Committee intends to go back to a pre-war basis at all because we have the spirit of a new and better world, facing forward to the future rather than back toward the past. I hope, however, you will not be unduly alarmed for we intend to allow just as much social activity as we feel is consistent with the best interests of college life.

I am astonished, for while the writer says the demand for dances is but normal and that the committee is liberal enough in granting petitions, he finds there is a growing feeling of resentment by the students against this most excellent committee. It also seems necessary for him to make a threat,—not even lightly veiled—that the demand for dances will be satisfied at college or outside if necessary. It is very unbecoming to say the least for any student to make such a threat even lightly, especially as I am sure he has not conferred with the committee about the situation. This is the same spirit we find expressed when some one says prohibition is wrong because if a man wants liquor he will get it by some means though it be illegal.

Again, we should like to have students co-operate in making social events in college life more democratic, since it has been intimated that the affairs are not democratic. It is not enough to say, "Of course we must do this" and then positively insist on letting George get results when George is not in college. We need co-operation on the part of the committee with the students and likewise on the part of the students with the committee. It must necessarily work in both directions. I feel that we have had a very good understanding and the hearty support and co-operation of the student body during the past year and that the sentiments expressed in "Taxation Without Representation" are not those of the majority of our students. I hope that we may continue to have their support and that we may have more of it, and more of co-operation in the future than we have had in the past. The motto of the committee is "We strive to please" but we would have you remember that we must strive to please the administration and the faculty as well as the student body.

Is it perhaps too much to hope that this committee can please all the people all the time?

Charles L. Simmers,
Chairman of Student Organization
Committee.

RELAY TEAM.

Tonight the Blue and White relay team will be seen in action at the army and navy games against its last year's opponents—Massachusetts Aggies. Defeated last year in one of the hardest run races at the meet New Hampshire will try to make up for that loss, tonight. With three of last year's varisty team back again as members of this year's team and with the men in good condition, the team ought to come through a winner. The "New Hampshire" extends its best wishes for the success of the team.

APPRECIATION.

"I have learnt to appreciate heroic France, and her terrible sacrifices, made in the sacred cause of democracy. I have had many of my pet convictions torn to shreds by the experience of army life in France. My experiences will leave an irremovable trace upon my life either for good or bad, (I know not which). I believe it to be the universal experience of the A. E. F. that we have all come to love America as never before. Being separated for a time from the wonderful privileges and unequalled opportunities of free America, we can better realize their immense value to our individual lives."

The above is one New Hampshire college man's expression of how the new experiences, which he has had over there, have impressed him.

DARTMOUTH TAKES EXCEPTION

Newspaper reports recently stated that New Hampshire State College at Durham, N. H., and Bates College at Lewiston, Me., were the best rated S. A. T. C. units in District No. 1. It is noted that the Boston Transcript of February 11, states that Dartmouth College takes exception to this statement and that its former commandant Lieut. Pickett had written to Maj. W. S. Dillon, the district military instructor for District No. 1, for verification. Maj. Dillon has replied to the effect that no ratings have been sent out from his office, and that among the reports so far received in his office Dartmouth ranks favorable with the other colleges. Maj. Dillon also adds that Dartmouth had the best facilities for developing the S. A. T. C. unit.

HOSTESS HOUSE ITEMS.

On Wednesday, February 5, Miss Frances Russell, Durham's kindergarten teacher, gave a small party to her friends. A pleasant evening was spent in dancing and singing.

Miss George Stevens has presented some music for the use of the house, thus filling a greatly felt need. The music is of both the popular and classical variety, and its usefulness was well seen at the piano on the night of Miss Russell's party. Gifts of this kind are greatly appreciated and the House is deeply grateful to Mrs. Stevens.

The social rules and regulations governing the hours and uses of the House have been formulated and published by order of President Hetzel, and are now posted both on the bulletin board in "T" Hall and at the House. It would be well for all to acquaint themselves with this set of rules.

That the popularity of the House is steadily on the increase is conclusively shown by Miss Sawyer's report that she has had numerous requests from town residents that they might make the House their permanent boarding place. The Hostess has had to refuse them, however, much to her regret, for well she knows that should she start this plan, the House would so quickly fill up as to leave no room for transients and week-end visitors. And it is for this latter that the House is maintained. To quote Miss Sawyer herself: "As it is, when it comes Saturday night I regret that we haven't more room. Next year we shall have to have a larger house." Surely this signifies success.

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ENGINEERING SOCIETY MEETS MONDAY NIGHT.

The next meeting of the Engineering Society will be held in the Physics lecture room, DeMerritt Hall, on Monday evening at 7.30 p. m. At this time Mr. P. H. M. P. Brinton, Ph.D. will speak on the subject of "Poison Gases." All members are urged to be present, as the talk will be extremely interesting to all engineers, both from a chemical and from a physical standpoint.



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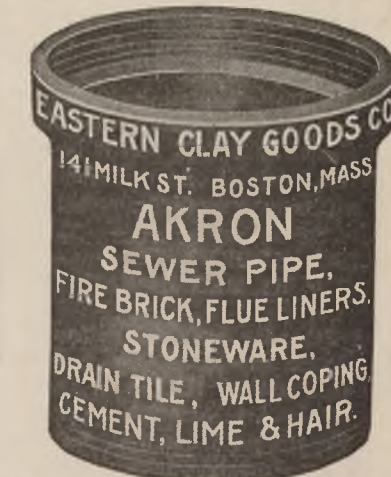
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NEWSY ITEMS OF THE ALUMNI.

THOMPSON '19, TO REMAIN IN FRANCE

Jones, '18, Proud to Belong to Engineers—Rogers, '12, and Towle, '15, Just Returned from Other Side

'09. J. W. Tucker, former secretary of the Food Administration Committee of New Hampshire is now Secretary of the League to Enforce Peace (New Hampshire.) Tucker was the founder of the "Granite" in 1909, an editor on the "New Hampshire" staff and a general all round live wire while here at college.

'11. B. F. Proud has been discharged from the officers' training camp at Camp Zachery Taylor. He was in Durham over the week-end.

'12. Wm. E. Rogers stopped at Durham the other day. He has been across for fifteen months in the aviation service, and has received his discharge.

2-yr. '12. R. R. Thomas includes in experiences at the front that of being confined in a German prison as a captured prisoner.

'15. Sergt. Joe Towle has recently returned from France to his home in Newmarket. Sergeant Towle was in a trench mortar battery and was fighting in the Argonne Forest and St. Mihiel salient. He visited Durham last week-end.

'15. Lieut. Clinton A. Reed recently discharged from the army, has accepted a position in Manchester High school as teacher of commercial subjects. Before going into service was a private secretary to the senior member of the firm of R. H. Macy & Co., New York City. He also did much organization work for Percy L. Strauss, then chairman on committee of Industrial Training, Council of National Defense.

'15. Russell T. Welch, '15, a former star New Hampshire baseball player is "over there" and is in the 44th Signal Corps now stationed at Gievres, France.

'15. Word has been received here that Captain L. S. Crafts, who has been "over there" for more than a year, has landed in this country. Capt. Crafts was a former professor here and when war broke out he took the examination for a second lieutenant in the regular army and was successful in passing the examination with one of the highest percentages ever attained.

2-yr. '15. Sergt. Russell T. Sheehy, ex-2-yr. '15, of Newfields, N. H., related some of his experiences "over there" in a talk to a Boston Herald Reporter one day this past week. He was in Co. K, 325th Inf., and served nine months "over there." He said that his regiment spent three days in London practicing for the parade before King George and that when they passed by the king in the parade he was near enough to touch him, and when eyes right was executed he had a splendid chance to get a good look at him. That look was enough to convince him that the king was a good chap and made him understand why he boosted the English soldier's spirits by his frequent visits to the front. Sergt. Sheehy is the son of Representative Thomas Sheehy of Newfields and since his return has been stationed at the Base Hospital at Camp Devens under treatment for gas and wounds.

'15. Lt. R. A. Knight recently took a hike with his regiment of the Fourth Field Artillery, the only mountain artillery regiment in the United States Army. The hike started at the camp, at Corpus Christi, and went to Camp Stanley. The regiment is unique in that it has no trucks, all of its equipments, even the deadly little mountain guns being carried on pack mules. It can be packed and ready to start on the march in twenty minutes; and it can unpack and set up a gun, ready to fire, in less than two minutes.

2-yr. '17. Ward B. Rounds has a position with M. E. Pierpont, at Waterbury, Conn. Rounds used to substitute on the old "Black Maria" when Holbrook was not on duty with the milk cans.

Ex-'17. First Lieutenant Sumner Carlisle, air service, A. E. F., says that he has been having good fun lately overhauling Boche planes. He declares that they are much easier to fly and land and climb much better than American planes. He considers the Boche planes much superior to their pilots. He writes: "I saw old "Doc" Bell yesterday, we were both some surprised. He was pretty modest about his achievements but what I gathered from his friend, I guess "Doc" has seen a whole lot of fighting. He was in all of the last three big drives and wasn't scratched. A couple of days after the armistice, his horse fell on him and smashed his foot up quite badly. He is still in the hospital near here but is getting along fine."

'18. R. C. Jones is with the 23rd Remount Depot, at Sougy, France. His address is P. O. 908. He considers the eight months that he has been in France has been profitable. He writes: "Believe me, we engineers have worked, and fought as well; and to the everlasting glory of the U. S. Army Engineers, an engineer was the first Yank to cross the Rhine."

'18. F. I. Howe met R. C. Jones in Grenoble. Howe is with the 41st Engineers.

'18. Joe W. Morrill was in Durham last week. "Joe" has been in the navy six months on a destroyer which was part of a convoy acting off Queens-town, Ireland.

'18. Howard Willand has left the service of Uncle Sam and is now back in "civilians."

'18. Sergeant R. W. Hutchins formerly of the medical department at Camp Devens, Ayer, Mass., has received his discharge from the service.

Ex-'18. Lieut. Leroy A. Boutwell was discharged at Lake Charles, La., on January 6, 1919. He has for many months been an instructor in aviation. Immediately upon his discharge he went to Washita Falls, Texas, a new and booming oil town and secured a position in charge of tools and machinery used in boring oil wells. Like most other jobs in a "boom town" his position is a profitable one. There seems to be a great call for men in that section.

'19. Mildred Doherty is teaching cooking in the Junior High school in Durham and assisting in the establishment of the home economics course there.

'19. Lieut. Oliver Colby, aviation corps, recently stationed at the Ellington Field, Texas, has been discharged. Lieut. Colby spent a few days at Durham this week.

'19. Jack Brosnan, is located at Headquarters Detachment, 151st Field Artillery in France. He writes that he wants to be remembered to all the fellows and longs for old New Hampshire and Newmarket.

'19. P. H. Torrey has returned from France and is waiting his discharge at Camp Devens. He was with the American troops fighting in the Argonne Forest, and St. Mihiel sectors.

'19. "Tommie Thompson writes that he has volunteered to remain in France indefinitely for the Service of Supply, and that he would like to hear from his N. H. C. friends. He says he has spent only twelve hours in Paris and that he is "going again for a week, if I have to stay over here a year." His address: First Sergeant W. H. Thompson, Headquarters Co. No. 3, Camp No. 1, B. S. No. 1, A. P. O. 701, A. E. F.

2-yr. '19. "Dutch" Conners has returned to his home in Exeter. "Dutch" expects to be back on the football team again this fall.

'20. Ruth McQuesten is teaching this week in the grade school in Epping, N. H.

'20. I. L. Williams arrived at Hoboken, New Jersey, on the U. S. S. Fairmont from "over there." He hopes to get out of the service soon.

'20. Lieutenant L. C. Currier has been discharged from the service. He was in Durham recently.

'20. Lieut. Ray E. Shum made a passing off visit to Durham last Saturday while on his way home from Camp Devens. Lieutenant Shum is doing personnel work relative to the discharge of troops. He was on a short leave. Shum hopes to be able to get out of the service, in time to return to college next fall.

'21. E. L. Gadbois and E. D. Graham, classmates, spent the week-end in Durham.

'21. A. R. Calpin spent the week-end in Durham. He has been stationed at a ground school for aviators in Mississippi. He has received his discharge and returned to "civilians."

'22. Lieut. F. H. Derby, recently commissioned in the Field Artillery school at Camp Zachery Taylor, Louisville, Kentucky, reports this week at Camp Devens to get his discharge. Derby is planning to return to college at the first opportunity.

2-yr. '16. Corporal Arthur H. Smith is in the 103rd Infantry A. E. F. Arthur expects to come home soon. Two letters recently received from him tell where he has been since across.

November 22, 1918.

"It came out in the 'Stars and Stripes' that the censorship ban is practically lifted. When the armistice was signed we were on the Verdun sector; we had often wished to be there and our wish was surely fulfilled. It surely was a wild place! On the morning that the fighting stopped we had only about twenty-two men left in our company—a great many had dropped out on the way.

"I've got a German watch that I took from a prisoner on the St. Michel drive. If all goes well I shall bring it home.

"Many the times we think how lucky we were that we got out of the Soisson front just as we did. We pulled out of there on the nineteenth of March and the Germans broke through on the twenty-first. Practically every man on that sector was either killed or taken prisoner."

December 25, 1918.

"Six weeks ago tomorrow the armistice was signed and I sure did think that I would be home by this time, but we spent our second Christmas here. We had a very pleasant time, although of course we would have all had a much better time had we been home.

"I suppose we had a great honor bestowed on us today. President Wilson and his party spent the day with our division. The presidential party came through the village which we are in and stopped here; however it was in the other part of the town that they visited so I, in fact none of my company, saw any of the party. We saw the automobiles come into town, that was all that we saw. General Pershing was in the party, also the president of France."

Joe Dearborn, a former N. H. C. student is working for the Diamond Match Company in Athol, Mass.

ALUMNI! ATTENTION!

Feeling that new college songs are needed to be used in addition to the old songs, the Girls' Glee Club announces a song contest to be governed by the following rules:

1. All members of the student body and alumni are eligible to compete.
2. All words must be original.
3. The music may, or may not, be original.

a. If the music is not original, copyrighted privileges should be obtained before passing in the music.

4. All material must be put into the box for that purpose, which will be placed on the "T" Hall bulletin board, on or before April 15, 1919.

5. The following prizes will be awarded:

First prize,	\$5.00
Second prize,	3.00
Third prize,	2.00

SERG. HAYES URGES MILITARY TRAINING IN HIGH SCHOOLS.

Sergt. James Hayes, now stationed here, was a first lieutenant in the regular army during the war but resigned his commission recently. Sergt. Hayes was offered a second lieutenantancy, but declined the offer and went back to his former rating of Sergeant. Sergeant Hayes was stationed here when war broke out, was then sent to the Plattsburg camp as an instructor, and later to southern camps. He urges the adoption of military training in the high schools of New Hampshire, stating that at the recent conference of the Educational Committee of the War Department at Washington, which he attended, such a movement was encouraged.

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Next Sunday will be observed all over America as "Father and Son Go to Church Sunday." Durham church plans to have special services for fathers and sons. Seats will be reserved for fathers and sons. Mr. Dabney will speak on the theme, "Parental Influence and Filial Piety." This same topic was preached on 100 years ago by Rev. Federal Burt of Durham church. Mr. Dabney will quote from Rev. Burt's old manuscript which is in his possession.

MORNING WORSHIP, 10.45 CHURCH SCHOOL, 12M.

NEW YORK SOCIETY HOLDS BANQUET

Club of Former Residents of New Hampshire Hold Get-together Smoker at Hotel McAlpin—About Seventy-five Present

The New Hampshire Society of New York held its annual get-together smoker and banquet at the Hotel McAlpin last Friday night, February 7, 1919. More than seventy members of the club were present. The president of the club, William B. Greeley, Dr. J. Whitney Barstow, the oldest living Dartmouth college graduate and Mrs. A. L. Livermore, a prominent New York suffrage worker were among those present.

ALUMNI WANTED

The society is formed for the purposes of having, from time to time a sort of get-together to talk over old Granite State affairs, of yesterday, today and tomorrow. All former residents of New Hampshire no matter how long or how short a time they have lived in the Granite State are entitled to become members of this club. The membership fee is very small, only two dollars per year, and the return for members living around the vicinity of New York, is very beneficial. The "New Hampshire" has been asked to co-operate with this society and urges all former students and alumni around New York to become members of the society. Persons desiring to join the club are asked to get into communication with Jos. W. Doolittle, Woolworth Bldg., Room 2613, New York City.

SHORT TALKS

At the banquet the president of the society, W. B. Greeley, spoke briefly concerning the history of the society. Mrs. A. L. Livermore, a prominent New York suffrage worker, who has been actively engaged in suffrage work in this state during the attempt to put suffrage through the present legislature, spoke concerning the conservatism of New Hampshire Legislators. Mrs. Livermore brought out the fact that with the largest representative body in the United States and the smallest Senatorial unit, New Hampshire paid her representatives the smallest amount of any state in the union. She also stated that with such a fact existing it was not to be expected that New Hampshire would have a class of representatives who would carry on the business of the state in a business-like manner, and that men of good salaries, men who were wanted in these representative positions would not give up good paying jobs to go to the House for a meager remittance.

Captain C. Gale Shedd, one of the members of the club, who has been "over there," related a few of his adventures while present in the war zone. The Honorable Irving W. Drew was expected to be present and talk but owing to the contraction of a severe cold while in New York he was unable to attend the banquet.

The banquet ended about eleven o'clock and the rest of the evening was spent in dancing.

LIEUT. BENNETT ADDRESSES THE DURHAM MEN'S CLUB

Lieut. Chas. A. Bennett was the speaker at the monthly "two-bit bean supper" of the Durham Men's Club which was held Wednesday night, February 5, in the Grange Hall. After a rousing sing led by Dr. A. E. Richards, Mr. Craig introduced Lieut. Bennett. For almost an hour, he held the attention of the men with his vivid account of battle conditions on the other side. His description of his visit to the home of Joan of Arc was of especial interest. The speaker told of an exciting duel between an American machine gun squad, of which he was commander and a German machine gun. At the close of his remarks Lieut. Bennett answered questions which were asked by the men. Lloyd Gilman, who served in the navy, was present and told of the deadly ash-cans of T N T which were used by the American destroyers. A lively discussion took place among the men concerning the suggestion made by Mr. Craig that a memorial monument be placed on the green triangle of land, opposite the town hall, as a tribute to the soldiers and sailors of Durham, who served in the war. Prof. McFarlane said that he preferred a memorial building which would be of use as well as a thing of beauty, to a monument.

It was decided that the next meeting of the club should be held on Wednesday evening, March 5. The program of the evening will be the general discussion of the articles in the town warrant. The club is beginning its third year with strength and enthusiasm. It was voted that the men defray half of the expenses of five boys to the State Y. M. C. A. Convention for Boys to be held in Concord next month.

CHANGES IN CONSTITUTION OF ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

Owing to the fact that all students are now members of the Athletic Association, it is necessary that several changes regarding membership be made in the constitution. It is possible that Sections 1 and 2 of Article II may be dropped entirely and that section 3 be amended, so that it will read, "The dues of the Association shall be five dollars per annum," instead of "four," as the section now reads.

When the committee on revision meets, it now appears that it will be advisable to make several other changes in the wording in order that clauses now permitting of more than one interpretation may not be misunderstood, thus avoiding the possibility of any such ambiguity of meaning again arising, as was manifested at the Athletic Association meeting last week.

BASKETBALL RESULTS ARE VERY GRATIFYING.

The fine showing of the varsity basketball team has thus far made this season has been such as to justify the confidence in its ability which last season's showing created among New Hampshire "rooters!"

Not only has individual playing been of an unusual quality, but the team work has combined a brilliant defensive with an irresistible, sure-fire offensive that few teams can equal. At present there seems to be more than a possibility that the New Hampshire five may win the New England championship.

In speaking of the three-game tour of last week, Coach Cowell said, "The team worked just as I like to have it." He also said that no element of luck entered into the results of the game but that the three victories were the result of hard work and genuine ability. The fact that "Ducker" Davis shot seven baskets from fouls out of eight tries during the Brown game, speaks for itself. Wesleyan University, hitherto undefeated, was hopelessly outclassed during the last period of play. Harris, a husky freshman, plays a brilliant game that promises well for future seasons.

Tonight at eight, New Hampshire will meet Maine University in the Gym. Although Maine has not played basketball outside the state for several years, the old-time rivalry between the two colleges should insure a lively, interesting game.

The results of games already played are as follows:

N. H. C., 20	Battery Wharf, 5
N. H. C., 31,	Worcester Tech., 24
N. H. C., 32,	Springfield Y. M. C. A., 20
N. H. C., 27	Brown, 21
N. H. C., 37,	Wesleyan, 23
N. H. C., 51,	Conn. State, 18

NEW COMMITTEE FORMED ON STUDENT ORGANIZATION.

A new committee on student organization has recently been formed and is composed of the following: Prof. C. L. Simmers, chairman; Prof. K. W. Woodward, Prof. M. O. K. McKay, Prof. J. M. Fuller, Prof. O. K. Cleveland, Miss Louise Knight, Miss Ruth Richardson, Miss Helen Bartlett, Mrs. E. P. DeMerritt, Mr. Robert Watson, Mr. Werkenthin.

Dean Groves has accepted a summer teaching position of two weeks at the summer school at Estes Park, Colorado. This is the fifth invitation for summer teaching from Canadian and Western institutions that he has received.

WOULDN'T TAKE A CHANCE.

Charities Agent: "Why don't you get out and hustle? Work never killed anybody."
Rastus: "Yuah sure am mistaken boss. I done lost foah wives dat a way."

LACK OF ASSISTANT MANAGERS FOR ALL SPORTS.

Coach Cowell declares there is a serious lack of assistant managers for football, baseball, and track; this situation is due, in part, to the unusual conditions brought about by the war.

Every year from three to five men of the sophomore class usually try out for assistant managerships in each of these sports. The next year two of these men are chosen as assistant managers and one of the two becomes manager when he is a senior.

At the present time, Ackerman and Perkins are the junior assistant managers of football. One of these will be manager next season. As yet, there are no managerial aspirants among either the sophomore or the freshman class. E. E. Bartlett, the track manager, is now at home with a broken ankle. This causes all the work to fall on Abbott, the only junior assistant manager, as no sophomores have yet volunteered to "do their bit." The baseball situation is the same. A. B. White, the manager, has no assistance from either the junior or sophomore class, although it is understood that there are some juniors who asked for positions last year before the college decided not to support a team, who are willing to take the work.

Here are opportunities for a man to make his letters, and at the same time be of material assistance to the college. This matter should receive careful consideration from every man in the three lower classes, says Coach Cowell.

Y. W. C. A. HOLD MEETING AT THE HOSTESS HOUSE.

The regular Y. W. C. A. meeting was held Wednesday evening at 7.15 in the parlors of the Hostess House. The meeting was led by Ethelle Hayes, '20, and the speaker was Mrs. Vickers, who told of Y. W. C. A. work in Oregon State College, where she has been a member of the advisory board. After the meeting an opportunity was given the girls to meet Miss Sawyer, the hostess, and to inspect the house.

GIRL'S DRAMATIC CLUB HAS LARGE MEMBERSHIP.

The Dramatic Club now has a membership of 85, and is still well started on its season's work. A series of plays is being prepared and it is planned that every member of the club may take some part, and have an opportunity to show her dramatic ability.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

The new Y. M. C. A. hut was opened to the public on Friday from 4 p. m. to 8.30 p. m. This marked the first official opening of the hut, and while there was no special program a social time was enjoyed by the many townspeople and students present. The college Y. M. C. A. cabinet was present and with Mr. Watson helped welcome the guests. The hut will be opened regularly from now on.

At a recent meeting of cabinet the college Y. M. C. A. work was outlined. It is hoped to hold Sunday afternoon services which will also be social gatherings as well as religious meetings. Speakers will be furnished by the Y. M. C. A.

Following the plan started here at college last year, the various fraternities and dormitories will each form a discussion group with an appointed faculty leader at the head. These groups will, because of their size, be better able to get at the individual men than could combined meetings alone. All groups will study a single book, namely, "The Call of a World Task in War Time," by J. Lowell Murray. Copies of this book will be furnished to both men and women by the Y. M. C. A.

The first of the series of moving pictures to be given during the college year was held at the gymnasium on Friday evening.

Tau Chapter of Alpha Xi Delta fraternity held its initiation ceremony and banquet in Dover Saturday, Feb. 8. The following girls were initiated: Ruth Barker, '22; Jemima Dore, '21; Hazel Dearborn, '20; Miriam Furber, '20; Sadie Marion Griffiths, '22; Vivian Hewitt, '22; Rhoda Hyde, '22; Ruth Knight, '22; Marjorie Saxton, '20; Hope Stevens, '22; Mildred Swasey, '22.