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A PLEDGE TO YOU

The present issue of THE NEW HAMPSHIRE is the first under the new administration. In it, as will be the case during the course of the coming year, we have endeavored to carry on the policy so ably fostered by Frederick L. Robinson of the senior class during the two years in which he headed the publication. He made it a paper for students and alumni by students and alumni and, we believe, at all times lived up to the ideals and traditions of the University with a wisdom and loyalty which deserve the supreme praise of imitation.

The paper belongs to the student body and the alumni and is published with the intention of pleasing them at all times. Consequently, constructive criticism will be welcome and the wishes of individuals will be adhered to as closely as possible, in order that THE NEW HAMPSHIRE will be truly representative of all the elements which go to make up the University of New Hampshire, faculty, students and alumni. The faculty are especially requested to keep in touch with the editors and to pass on such news and suggestions as they see fit. The cooperation of the athletic department, the extension service, and other divisions of the university administration during the past year was all that could be desired on the part of those connected with THE NEW HAMPSHIRE and the new editors wish no more than that the spirit of helpfulness and friendship which was then so evident on the campus will continue in the future. We realize that we are new at our jobs, that we are inexperienced, and that the record set by the retiring board is a hard one to equal, but we intend to do our best and "aim to please." If subscribers and friends will cooperate with THE NEW HAMPSHIRE, the board will do its utmost to please all concerned and to continue to make the paper another student activity which the University may feel is giving its most for the ideals and traditions of "New Hampshire."

A NEW CUSTOM

It is with considerable interest and approval that we note the recent decision of the Athletic Department of the university to hold an annual banquet for the letter men, past and present, of the university, at which time the letter certificates will be awarded to the men who have earned the coveted "N. H." in the various fields of sport during the entire year.

We see in this move an earnest attempt on the part of the athletic officials to extend an expression of appreciation far more real and personal than the formal presentation of letter certificates at a Convocation meeting, as has been the custom in the past. Fraternities hold senior farewell banquets, and other organizations wind up their seasons in a similar fashion. It is fitting that the letter men, as representatives of what is, perhaps, the most important extracurricular activity, should meet together as a body and it is especially fitting that the custom should be inaugurated at the close of a year in which New Hampshire athletics have held a notable position on the sporting map of the East.

Earning an "N. H." is an achievement and is the reward of a great

CIVIL SERVICE EXAM FOR JUNIOR CHEMISTS

Applications for Exam Must Be in Washington Before April 30—Opportunity for Chemistry Students of the University

Applications for the civil service examinations for junior chemist must be filed with the civil service commission at Washington not later than April 30. These examinations open the way for government positions which command a high salary after the probationary period and provide a start for the students who are majoring in chemistry or for the chemical engineers.

The examination is to fill vacancies in the federal classified service throughout the country including the Departmental Service, Washington, D. C., and the Forest Products Laboratory of the Forest Service, Madison, Wisconsin. The date for assembling of competitors will be stated on admission cards to applicants and will be about ten days after the date for the close of receipt of applications.

Competitors will be rated on general chemistry, elementary physics, and an optional subject, the optional subjects to be chosen from the following list: advanced inorganic chemistry, analytical chemistry, organic chemistry, and physical chemistry.

The entrance salary in government work in this field in the District of Columbia is \$1,860 a year. After the probational period required by the civil service acts and rules, advancement in pay depends upon individual efficiency, increased usefulness, and the occurrence of vacancies in higher positions.

amount of hard work on the part of the athlete, whatever the sport. It means that the wearer has participated in man to man competition in a large majority of the contests in the sport in which the letter is earned. These men have aided greatly the success of that which goes to make up university life and we extend our heartiest congratulations to the Athletic Department for instituting what appears to be a worthwhile and commendable custom.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 8
 A Paramount Picture
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Educational Comedy

SATURDAY, APRIL 9
 A Metro Picture
 "FLESH AND THE DEVIL"

John Gilbert, Greta Garbo
 Excepting "The Big Parade," John Gilbert never had a finer vehicle for his talents than this amazing picture of a soul's struggle. A youth snared by passion—trailed by disaster—finding himself at last passing through understanding to a greater love.

Pathe Comedy

MONDAY, APRIL 11
 A Producers Dist. Picture
 "CORPORAL KATE"

Vera Reynolds
 You have seen many a picture showing the man's side of the war, but this will be the first you've seen showing the woman's. It is a human story of three woman "buddies" who nobly served their country in France. Julia Faye, Kenneth Thompson.

Sportreel—Rolling Along

TUESDAY, APRIL 12
 A Warner Bros. Production
 "THE GAY OLD BIRD"

Louise Fazenda
 She was a simple sis but how she could step out with this gay old bird. But her loving chauffeur learned to drive with one hand, so there's a snappy and happy finish for their comic romance. John T. Murray, Jane Winton, Ed Kennedy.

International News

Short Subjects

WEDNESDAY, APRIL 13
 A Paramount Picture
 "LET IT RAIN"

Douglas MacLean, Shirley Mason
 The comedy-melodrama based upon the romantic and humorous adventures in the life of a marine who wins his stripes by capturing mail robbers.

A Universal Comedy

THURSDAY, APRIL 14
 A First National Picture
 "JUST ANOTHER BLONDE"

Dorothy MacKail
 He was one of the best little gamblers on Broadway, but he wouldn't take a chance on falling in love! He thought Jeanne was just another blonde, but after the first dance she was the only girl in the world. Jack Mulhall, Louise Brooks, William Collier.

International News

Matinees at 3.30; Evenings, 7 and 8.30
 Program Subject to Change Without Notice
 Admission: Adults 25c, Children 10c



"Elephants a-pilin' teak,
 In the sludgy, suddy creek,
 Where the silence 'ung that 'cavy
 You was 'arf afraid to speak!"
 —Kipling's "Mandalay"

ELEPHANTS

The elephant is man's most intelligent helper. But—consider this interesting comparison:

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Twenty elephants would eat daily 10,000 pounds of green food, which a corps of attendants must gather. A motor "eats" nothing but electricity, supplied at the throw of a switch.

Power used in the modern industrial world is applied through electric motors—tireless "iron elephants" that are relegating antiquated machines to museums, along with such oldtime household articles as wash-tubs and ordinary irons—and stuffed elephants.

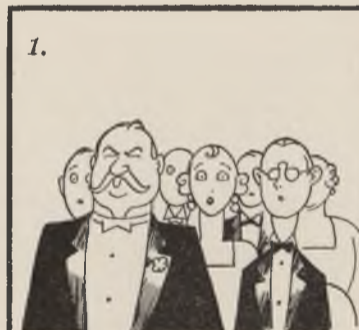


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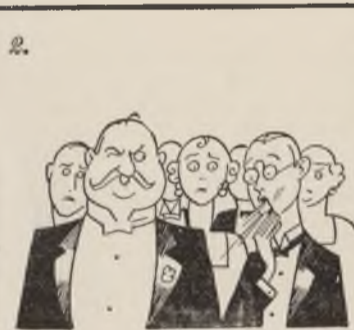
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3. "Put him out" . . . someone yelled. If looks could kill, Clarence would have been murdered by fifty people around him.



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TRACK SQUAD CALLED OUT BY COACH SWEET

Varsity Suffers Heavy Losses Through Graduation — Freshman Team Weak in Weight and Field Events—Few Experienced Men Among Freshmen Candidates

One hundred and fifteen candidates for varsity and freshmen track reported to Coach Paul Sweet Monday afternoon. Part of the squad had been out for several days, but this was the first time that the entire group appeared. Coach Sweet was reluctant to discuss chances for a successful season, but states that developments of the next few weeks may change the outlook.

The losses from the squad of last year were very severe. Captain Peaslee, star miler and two miler, Van Allen, century and furlong, Evans, javelin, and Williams, miler, all sure point winners, have been lost through graduation, as has also Grey, dependable timber topper. Kelsea, a weight man, has gone out for baseball and Daland, a quarter miler, is under the doctor's orders not to run. Jack Smith, high jumper, has left school, and Warren, pole vault and javelin, is barred through four years of competition. Lamont, half miler, transferred to Harvard, Manfreda, star of the 1929 freshman team, to Holy Cross. Manfreda averaged twenty points in all meets last spring, being undefeated in either of the dashes or the broad jump. The varsity is particularly weak in the dashes.

The freshmen candidates include very few experienced men, and there are few outstanding stars. Present indications are that the frosh will be particularly weak in the weights and field events.

PRIZES AWARDED TO COLLEGE STUDENTS

\$100 Given for Best 500-Word Essay on College Mental Depression—One Year's Travel Cruise on Floating University to be Offered as Prize

Two prizes have been recently offered to college students who are proficient in essay writing on the subjects of "Has the American undergraduate a post-war neurosis" and a discussion of the East in connection with international education. The New York Evening Post offers \$100 for the best 500-word answer to the first question while the University Travel Association will give a \$2,500 scholarship for a school year of study abroad on the second College Cruise Around the World for the second-named subject.

The topic of the American undergraduate and his post-war neurosis concerns the "wave" of mental depression apparently sweeping through American schools and colleges. Additional questions to be considered in this essay include "Does modern education foster too much independent, unguided thinking?" and "What is responsible for the melancholia which seems to have invaded the campus today?" The Post also will award a \$10 prize for every letter published.

The ample scholarship to be awarded by the University Travel association will give the winning student full expenses on the "University Afloat" for one year's cruise. The award will be made in June.

INTER-CLASS TOURNAMENT FOR GIRL BASEBALL PLAYERS

Announcement has come from Miss Katherine Watson, director of the Women's Physical Education Department, of a new program for girls' athletics this term. Baseball, which is to be coached by both Miss Watson and Mrs. Manton, is one of the chief sports and class teams are to be picked to participate in a final tournament to be held later in the spring. The events for the track work have not been announced, but there will be an interclass meet at the end of the term.

Swimming courses, which will start next week, are to be held for beginners and intermediates. There is also a life saving course to be given for the advanced swimmers. The work will be concentrated chiefly upon strokes because of the lack of a diving board. While many girls would have liked to have made tennis and archery their major sports, the work has been handicapped by lack of equipment in these two fields.

ARCHITECTURAL DRAWINGS IN NATIONAL COMPETITION

Through a new arrangement made by the Architectural department, the Beaux Arts Institute of Drawing of New York is receiving all the best drawings of the architectural students of the university. These are judged with those of other colleges all over the country. The drawings which are not considered worthy of Beaux Arts mention are put on exhibition and are criticised by Professor Schramm for the benefit of the students.

It has always been the custom of the department according to Professor E. T. Huddleston to give the students preparation in the work they take up the third term but this year the only fundamental teaching they have received is in the form of a synopsis and they have then gone into composition and original design work.

PROF. PERLEY TO BE AT PHILA. BANQUET

March Meeting of Philadelphia Alumni Branch Held on March 30—Ernest Christensen, '23, Wins At Progressive Bridge Party on March 15

The next meeting of the Philadelphia Alumni Club will be that of the annual dinner and will be held at 6.30 p. m., on April 8, with Professor George A. Perley of the Chemistry department and coach of the championship winter sports team, as the guest and chief speaker. Mr. Dodge is chairman of the annual dinner committee with Mrs. Annis and Mr. Smart as assisting members. The dinner will be informal, and all Philadelphia alumni are urged to be present.

The March meeting of the Philadelphia Alumni Club, which was held at the Engineers' Club on March 30, was attended by the following: Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Smart, Mrs. J. H. Annis, Dr. Phyllis Blanchard, Dr. Walter Lucasse, and Messrs. C. A. Dodge, M. McConachie, R. E. Parkhurst and L. H. Kenney. The business meeting was called to order by the vice president, Mrs. J. H. Annis, President Huse being in Chicago.

Correspondence was read concerning bills in the New Hampshire legislature regarding the university, the results of the Winter Sports team, and the bowling tournament. The treasurer reported that the financial status of the club is the same as it was last November.

A meeting of the Durham Branch was held at the Lambda Chi Alpha House on March 15th. The first part of the evening was devoted to progressive bridge. Ernest Christensen, '23, won first prize for men, and Mrs. Helen McRae, '98, first prize for ladies. D. A. Watson, '03, and Mrs. Helen A. Rollins, '24, received the booby prizes. A short business meeting was held afterwards.

G. L. PLIMPTON OF TILTON SPEAKS ON "PASSION PLAY"

On Monday, April 4, at seven o'clock, in the Community House, Mr. George L. Plimpton, headmaster of Tilton School, spoke on the "Passion Play" at Oberammergau. Mr. Plimpton was secured by the Y. M. C. A. for its weekly meeting. Some of the pictures used in the stereopticon slides were taken by Mr. Plimpton who saw the "Passion Play" in 1910 and 1922.

The play has been given only once since the war and will not occur again until 1930. Mr. Plimpton is a personal friend of Anton Lang, who impersonates the Christ, and was a guest at the actor's house during the play.

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