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Large Audience Hears Handel's Messiah Given

Bergethon Conducts Glee Clubs, University Choir, Orchestra and Soloists

by Richard Dent

Before a capacity audience of one thousand people, the *Messiah* was presented Sunday night by the combined Glee Clubs, University Choir, Symphony Orchestra, and four soloists under the direction of Bjornar Bergethon.

The performance was languid; it did not come up to last year's precedent. There were compensations, however, for the general lack of spirit. Miss Edson's performance, as soprano soloist, was one of these ameliorating features. Her stage presence has improved considerably, and her singing with a passionless beauty of last year, has now resolved itself into real emotion and drama. Superbly sung was the aria "I Know That My Redeemer Liveth." Another compensating aspect was the singing of Mr. Copplesstone. Of the four soloists his performance was the most accomplished. Mrs. Hutchins, as contralto soloist, was fine though she lacked volume. Mr. Leavitt sang the bass part.

Trumpet Disconcerting

The orchestra during most of the oratorio was quite smooth. Unfortunately Mr. Cattabriga, playing trumpet, chose to be a one-man swing band at inappropriate moments. It was disconcerting even if not intentional. The "Pastoral Symphony" was sweetly played.

If anything came up to last year's performance it was the chorus. The formal gowns of the girls were quite colorful integrated in rows on the stage. The soprano portion of the chorus sang with perfect sympathy and union.

Chorus and Orchestra Fine

Together the chorus and the orchestra (Continued on page 4)

Congreve North Dance And Open House Friday

Congreve North will hold open house and a semi-formal dance Friday evening, December 19. All are cordially invited to attend the open house from eight until nine p.m. From nine until eleven forty-five there will be dancing for the Congreve North girls and their escorts to the music of the College Inn of the decorations for the affair. The Orchestra. Christmas will be the theme chaperones will be Miss May E. Phipps, Mr. and Mrs. B. W. Bergethon, and Mr. and Mrs. William Kichline.

Tau Kappa Alpha Speaking Contest Tomorrow Evening

Students, faculty, and others interested are invited to the Tau Kappa Alpha extemporaneous speaking contest which will be held at 7:30 Wednesday evening in Murkland auditorium. Enough contestants have signed up to assure a good contest for the three medals which will be awarded winners at the annual Senior convocation in June.

A committee of faculty will act as judges, Neale Westfall, president of T. K. A. will preside, and there will be no charge for admission. Since it is felt that this type of speaking is of interest to all, it is hoped that a large audience will turn out in order to make the contest worthwhile.

A committee composed of Sid Diamond, chairman, Doris Trafton, and Eleanor Mauricette made arrangements for the contest which is an annual affair.

TENOR SOLOIST



WESLEY COPPLESTONE

Industry Training Courses to Start Here in February

Announcement was made here today that additional federally sponsored defense courses in welding engineering and engineering drawing will be opened at the university in February.

Held as a part of the United States Office of Education's defense program, past courses at the university have trained more than 150 men and women for defense industries.

The courses will be 15 weeks in length. The engineering drawing work will begin February 2 and will include 225 hours of machine shop practice, 225 hours of drawing, and daily recitations in mechanics and shop mathematics. The welding engineering course will start February 16 and will include 225 hours of welding practice and in addition, classes in welding theory, metallurgy, mechanics, blueprint reading and specifications, and shop mathematics.

Tuition for the courses will be paid by the United States government under its engineering defense training program.

Any student wishing further particulars, or those interested in the course are requested to report to 104 De-Meritt Hall this week if possible.

Incompleted Courses

Courses for which incomplete grades were received at the end of the second semester of 1940-41 must be completed by January 27, 1942. Please refer to pages 19 and 20 of the 1941-42 Official Information for Students and Faculty.

Everett B. Sackett
Registrar

Emergency Calls Faculty Members

The following members of the faculty are on leave of absence either doing emergency work or military service. Dean George Case, Head of the College of Technology; Harry H. Hall, Assistant Professor of Physics; Gregory K. Hartmann, assistant professor of physics; Thomas H. Marston, instructor in Horticulture; Albert G. Welch, Research Assistant in Industrial Engineering; Peter E. Galans, Research Assistant in Industrial Engineering; Warren S. Hunsberger, Assistant Professor of Economics.

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President Speaks To Student Body On World Crises

Expected That He Will Clarify Part University Will Play in Emergency

President Engelhardt will speak to the eagerly awaiting student body on the present emergency Thursday, December 18, at the second convocation of the year. This will be the first statement on the world crisis that the President will make to the undergraduates as a group because he was in Montana last week when war was declared.

The President will particularly stress the part that the university will play in meeting the problems which have arisen in the last week and a half. He will also probably clarify the question of granting academic credit to all men who have enlisted or been drafted.

The latter part of the program will be devoted to numbers sung by the University Choir and carol singing by the entire audience, under the direction of Professor B. W. Bergethon. Originally a concert by the glee clubs and choir was scheduled for this convocation but because of the sudden emergency the program had to be shortened.

Radio Club to Air Christmas Party

Members of Mike and Dial, invited guests, and those who have participated in at least one broadcast this semester are invited to a Christmas party which will be held in the workshop in Thompson Hall Friday afternoon from 4 to 6 o'clock.

It is expected that Santa Claus will make a special effort to be present although difficulty in traveling due to world conditions may interfere. To help the old boy out, those attending the party are asked to bring a ten cent present for exchange on the Christmas tree.

The final part of the affair will be broadcast over WHEB at 5:45 p.m. Friday afternoon. This is the first time that a student organization has broadcast a Christmas party from campus and the broadcast should prove most interesting as it will be almost entirely ad-lib.

Refreshments will be served, members may come stag or invite a guest, and faculty advisors and wives will act as chaperones.

Annual Winter House Dance at Smith Hall Complete Success

by Sid Diamond

"It can be done here!" was apparently the attitude of the girls of Smith Hall when they planned their annual house dance, held last Saturday evening. In fact, the success of their party definitely proved that dormitory girls could plan and execute a most interesting and colorful evening.

Every window was lighted with colored candles, every room was attractively decorated with greens and ribbons, as faculty guests arrived for open house. Of special interest was the lavishly set-up tree in one of the parlors, and the snow man in one of the rooms upstairs. After the faculty had inspected and approved, boy friends began to arrive and for probably the first time in history, both solidly agreed on a point—namely, that everything was well planned and executed. After inspecting various rooms in the hall many faculty members stayed to dance, making up a considerable percentage of the 75 couples there. Refreshments of punch and amusingly-decorated cookies went fast as the group enjoyed

Plans Underway for 3rd Pilot Training Course

ATTENTION MEN OVER 21

All male students who were twenty-one years of age, on or before July 1, 1941, are required to fill out a special Selective Service Registration Blank before Wednesday, December 17, at 12:30 p.m.

Registration will take place in Murkland Auditorium Lobby, Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, December 15, 16, and 17, between the hours of 8 and 12:30.

This applies to every male student who was 21 years of age before July 1, whether they have registered for Selective Service or not.

By order of the National Selective Service Board.

Student Defense Committee

200 Gals Lose Out As Soldiers Dance Is Called Off

Plans for the United Service Organization dance for the benefit of the soldiers of the Portsmouth Harbor defenses had to be abandoned, due in most part to the issuance of new orders to the personnel of the units.

Orders to the effect that at no one time can more than ten percent of the personnel of a unit be absent from the post, was the main reason for the cancelling of the entertainment. Another factor which arose was that of transportation. War orders state that the necessary number of trucks to carry the two hundred men cannot possibly leave the post all at the same time.

Original plans were to have the two hundred soldiers carried here to the New Hampshire Hall at 8:30 p.m. tomorrow evening, and from that time until 11:00 p.m. they were to be the guests of two hundred chosen coeds at a dance and entertainment.

Lt. Hand, Morale Officer of the Portsmouth units, in rejecting the university's offer Monday morning stated that, "The invitation of the university and its personnel was valued very highly, and he and the men around him regretted the fact that they would be unable to accept at the present time.

Trainees Sign Military Pledge; Have Obligation To Complete All Courses

In view of the United States declaration of war, the Civilian Pilot Training course has assumed a greater importance in the training of prospective military flyers.

The University of New Hampshire has been tentatively allotted a quota for the spring session—this quota being subject to the final approval of the Washington office.

Mr. Nelson A. Nelson, Ground School Supervisor of the course, in a recent letter to Professor Stolworthy, head of the ground school course here in Durham, stated, "The student will not only be required to sign to the military pledge on his initial application but he should thoroughly understand that he has a moral obligation to affiliate with the military air services, or to complete all courses of CPT and engage in flight instruction."

The Training course at the present time fulfills two purposes: first, to cover the needs for national defense as to primary flight training, and the second, to continue the education of the student along a specialized line.

The Army and Navy Air Corps recognize the completion of the CPT (Continued on page 4)

N. H. Club Holds Pre-Christmas Dance Friday

Winding up the pre-Christmas social season, the N. H. Club, composed of letter-men of the various sports on campus, will hold its annual dance Friday night in New Hampshire Hall.

A fine program has been arranged by Hal Hall and Will Feeney who are in charge of the arrangements for the social. Music will be furnished by Jack Freese and his orchestra, which features the smooth type of music.

Dr. and Mrs. Arwood Northby, and Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lundholm will serve as chaperones for the affair.

"New Hampshire" Attends N.E.I.N.A. At Tufts College

Four members of the editorial and business boards of *The New Hampshire* attended the semi-annual meeting of the New England Inter-collegiate Newspaper Association conference at Tufts College in Medford, Mass., on December 12, 13 and 14.

Eighteen schools throughout New England are recognized members of the N.E.I.N.A. Members of the boards of many of the schools were represented at the three day conference.

Miss Ethel Hughes, dramatic critic of the Boston Herald was the first speaker of the morning and gave her impressions of writing from the reviewers standpoint.

A representative from National Advertising, Jack Riley, the controlling body of college advertisements was present and spoke to the business staff members and questions concerning policies of the different papers were discussed.

The most informative talk of the day was given by Arthur Sampson, Sports Columnist of the Boston Herald. In the newspaper business for fourteen years after an active career as a coach, Mr. Sampson had a wealth of experience from which to draw upon in his talk.

Late in the afternoon a two hour tea dance and entertainment was scheduled for the representatives, to be followed by a banquet for the entire conference in the evening.

itself to the utmost. The atmosphere of "everyone having a good time" which prevails at all good parties was very much felt by guests. Mrs. McLellan chaperoned.

Credit for the success of the evening is due Barbara Derby, general chairman, and her other committee heads: orchestra, Betty Jo Weaver; decorations, Joan Paulson; refreshments, Ann Clark; arrangements, Eleanor Kimball; ushers, Dorothy Weden; invitations, Wanda Furman; and music, Betty Stearns.

Jack Freese and his New Hampshire Wildcats, playing their second engagement on campus, met with wholehearted approval from the crowd. Their novelty rendition of "White Heat" had everyone jumping up and down. The band is becoming more and more popular as it becomes better known, having been engaged for the U. S. O. dance in New Hampshire hall on the 17th, and the New Hampshire club dance on the 19th.

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Worth Fighting For

It seems rather fitting that the nation should be observing the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the Bill of Rights at a time when we are at war with empires which do not believe in such principles and which are opposed to our way of life as set forth by these precious laws. In times of peace it is more or less natural to take these fundamental principles as a matter of course, but with the world in its present condition and with most of its inhabitants deprived of these liberties we should take cognizance of our good fortune and do everything in our power to not only show appreciation to those who had the foresight to endow us with such freedom but should also keep up the good fight to preserve it.

Freedom of religion, press, speech, and assembly and the right to fair and speedy trial are the most important of the first ten amendments to the Constitution of which we are so proud. With the United States as one of the leaders, it has appeared at many times since 1791 that the certain truths which the founders of this nation held as "self evident" were going to spread and become the common law of all lands, but tyrannies and dictatorships have always arisen to combat the liberties and make it necessary to fight for their maintainance.

The present war may have had several immediate causes but like any other far-reaching struggle it has certain underlying causes which form the basis for the contention. Represented by the leading nations of the earth are two fundamental ways of life; that of the democratic principle and that of the totalitarian system. As Benito Mussolini said in a speech to the Italian people many years ago, "It will either be they (the democracies) or us (the dictatorships). Both systems cannot live side by side in this world."

The number of countries in the world where the people enjoy "certain unalienable rights. . . life, liberty and the pursuit of happiness" has decreased markedly in the last decade by usurpation of power by certain of our enemies. Two years ago England and France were forced to do something about the propagation of this "other way of life" and now in December 1941, 150 years after the Bill of Rights was written into our Constitution as the first ten amendments, the United States has been forced to take action.

Actually it is the American way of life, the truly democratic and free way of life, for which we are fighting. This is not a new battle. It has been raging from time immemorial. From the time that the colonies broke the yoke of English oppression at the time of the Revolution, down through all our history, we have always been successful in preserving the rights and principles in which we believe. The Bill of Rights is typically American and stands as a symbol of all that we hold dear. Let everyone make it his own individual job to carry on the fight for its preservation.

To the Editor

During this academic year the editors of "The New Hampshire" have received quite a large number of letters concerning matters of editorial policy and campus problems. We appreciate the interest the student body is showing and believe these communications are a good indication of concern over the general welfare of the university and the nation in the world situation.

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Letters to the Editor

Dear Editor,

To me there is nothing more calming, more satisfying, than the pleasure of smoking a cigarette. Alright, I'll live a few days less because of the nicotine content in them, but that is easily compensated for by the extreme relief that a cigarette affords—your troubles go up in smoke, and all that sort of thing.

But such a hedonistic effect presupposes comfort. The subject must assume a complete state of relaxation. An arm chair will do, a sofa, a chaise lounge; anything that has kapoc and coil springs in it.

Now, I often find that I'd like one of these "charm" cigarettes, when I'm in our own beautiful Hamilton Smith Library.—Say, how do you like the—"smoking room" there? Isn't it a pip! You know, I tried relaxing there the other day by bracing the back of one of those formidable, twenty-pound chairs, up against the wall, while I slung my feet over one of those oversized "ash trays". Guess what happened. I fell. But such a fall I've never experienced in my life. Every nerve ending in the dorsal part of this anatomy cries out loud as I write this letter.

But look, the school owns some neat furniture. The reading room is a real tribute to the fine taste of the administration. Can't they just take three or four nice soft chairs (there are some in the reading room that I've never seen touched) and put them in that square little area, at the foot of the stairs, right by the drinking fountain and let us smoke our Chesterfields in Comfort?

Leon Eckman

Recently I received a petition containing the signatures of over 300 students suggesting that the price of week-end informals be established at 60 cents a couple. In reference to that petition I should like to report the following:

The majority of week-end informals are held early in the school year. They are sponsored by student organizations in the hope of realizing a profit in order that they may carry on their activities for the year. When a student group decides to run a dance, it has to consider a rather long list of expenses. Dance bands average at least \$50.00; the amusement tax is still growing, six or seven men must be hired to work in the check room and at the doors; and the numerous small items such as posters, tickets, refreshments for the chaperones wax and decorations—all run into money. We do well to average 200 couples at our informals; and under the above conditions 60 cents a couple would find the management just breaking even, if they are lucky. It is rather difficult to run a dance at cost, since one cannot predict just what the attendance will be.

We agree with the petition that lowering the price will increase attendance. This fact was proven at our Junior Prom last year when the price was dropped to \$3.30 a couple. The Council is interested in this petition and we will continue our investigation at other institutions.

I would appreciate any suggestions in reference to the matter.

Very sincerely yours,
Ray Doyle

President of Student Council

During the present emergency a greater demand is being made upon paper and paper containers.

The Chief of Civilian Defense, Mayor LaGuardia has asked the people of this nation to save all old newspapers and boxes. The majority of the people have entered into his plan whole heartedly.

On our campus an incinerator still burns about one truck load of paper a day. Much of this paper is newspaper taken from the various dormitories, the rest is miscellaneous paper that has value if saved.

Why is this waste being allowed at an institution that is looked to as an example for other institutions to copy? Why shouldn't we show the rest of the state and others the correct way of being patriotic?

A very little work on the part of some workman would allow us to give considerable to our nation in its time of need.

Very truly yours,
Wm. R. Bryant

With the Fraternities and Sororities

Phi Mu: Margery Johnson was initiated into the Honorary Economics Club recently . . . Florence Strout was initiated into Phi Kappa Phi, the honorary scholastic society, the same evening . . . Our annual Christmas party is to be held Tuesday evening . . . Jean Dempsey is responsible for the tree that we have enjoyed so much since last Saturday. . . Lorna Wakefield, Carolyn Gove, Charlotte Sweet, and Edith Wright participated in the Messiah Sunday evening. . . Margery Johnson is the Junior Basketball Manager for this season. . . Virginia Page is wearing a diamond on her left hand now. Congratulations, Mr. Whiting. . . Carolyn Gove and Jean Dempsey are the air raid wardens for the house.

Kappa Sigma: Brothers Paul Harrison, Bob Gardner, and Charlie Clute were guests at Alpha Xi Delta Saturday evening. . . Brothers Bob Dowd, Pat Hinchey, Bill Kemp were guests at Chi Omega the same evening. . . Brother Sherm Benson was a week-end guest. . . Stan Hoyt was a guest of Bob Dowd. . . A very successful Christmas party was held Friday evening . . . The gifts were very surprising and varied. Kappa Sigma's chief cook and bottle-washer Homer Boggis was the witty Santa Claus. Brother Lapeza was all alone this week-end and Brother Rocheleau made the usual trek to the big town. . . Brother Terry Frost is Camping Editor of the "Outdoors" magazine. . . Brother Dave Johnson has been voted into the Blue Circle.

Pi Lambda Sigma: Several of our members were among those who went to a Newman Club Communion breakfast in Boston last Sunday. . . Because of Kay Sullivan's resignation, a new election for president and vice-president was held. The new officers are President, Albertine Phaneuf, and vice-president, Dorothy McCready. . . National officers were up this week-end as well as two of our sisters from B. U. namely, Maureen Maguire and Grace O'Brien. . . Sister Beryl Marcotte has just come back from Hood House after a two week's adjournment.

Phi Alpha: Lou Geller has been released from the university infirmary after having suffered a severe case of cold. . . Mike Satow, who has also been suffering from a bad cold has been placed in quarantine up on deck under doctor's orders. . . Brothers Sam Askenazy and Sheik Karelis unhocked their tuxedos last week-end to pay a visit to the annual Wellesley winter fromal. . . Dr. Seymour Osman, a brother and graduate from Pennsylvania, was a surprise visitor last Thursday.

Chi Omega: The first house dance of the year brought forth 60 couples to dance to Bud Killam's orchestra. Mrs. Pearl, Mr. and Mrs. Schoolcraft, and Mr. and Mrs. Walsh chaperoned in an atmosphere of Christmas lights and snowflakes. The fireplace, which always provides the house members with an opportunity for artistic expression, framed a lighted snow scene under fir boughs. A snowman was mascot of the evening, and a large Christmas tree lighted the dining room. . . Gabriella Hines, now teaching in Pittsfield, Maine, and Eleanor Dearborn, a student nurse at the Children's Hospital, returned to campus for the week-end. . . The annual Christmas faculty tea will be held on Thursday afternoon.

Sigma Beta: Bill Hall '41 was called to active service at Fort Devens last Wednesday. . . Some of the members have left for home and Christmas jobs. . . Brother Leaver burned his hand severely and is now at his home in Newert. . . No new enlistments reported as yet.

Tau Kappa Epsilon: The bridge tournament is just about to get under way with all the contestants predicting easy and quick victory. . . Jim Moulton attended the fall convention of the NEINA. . . The following men were officially pledged on Thursday night: Dick Marden, Doug Bowles, Phil Kelly, Earl Robinson, Chester Otis, Wally Goddard, Frank Potter, Andy Dacos, Charles Kohler, Ray Fisher and Dick Mason. . . Senor Lobes is keeping the fratres posted on Pan-American relations during the present crisis. . . The basketball team closed a most successful season by dropping only one contest and placing second in our league.

Alpha Xi Delta: With a turnout of over a hundred people, Alpha Xi's winter formal resolved itself into the highlight of the house's fall social season. . . The decorations which were under the capable chairmanship of Pat Jordan were appropriately concerned with Christmas. . . Chaperones were Dr. and Mrs. Chapman, Mr. and Mrs. Kichline, Mrs. Sara Sawyer, and Mrs. Gertrude Smith. . . A predominance of Alpha Xi's ushered at the "Messiah" Sunday night; Shirley Clark, Vera Lang, Barb Lewando, Bicky Grant, and Ethel Steigman. . . Judith Austin has been an instructor in the Red Cross course. . . Alison Teel and Pat Jordan are the Air Raid Wardens at the house.

Phi Mu Delta: At the first meeting of the pledges, the following officers were elected: President, Brag Hanson; vic-president, Dick Tenney; secretary, Greg Prior, and chaplain, Armand Riel. . . Bill Anderson is out for winter track. . . Duke Tous-saint is out for hockey. . . Chuck Kimball was pledged to Phi Kappa Phi. . . Pledges Hanson and Morrow have received bids to Phi Epsilon, the newly organized Phys. Ed. society. . . Sid Dimond is now working more hours at WHEB as they go on an unlimited time schedule. . . Babcock and Hanson went to the Westbrook Junior winter formal over the week-end. Babcock always liked Westbrook anyway—so did Bernie Pender. . . Brother Robert French "42" will receive his wings from the Army Air corps in two weeks. . . a very successful exchange "vic" dance was held with Theta U last Friday night. The New Hampshire Wildcats played at the Smith hall dance on Saturday night. . . Woz-jie Hall went back to Green Moun-

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On to Lake Placid!

Good luck is in order for Tony Dougal and his hockey team on the coming trip to Placid. They will meet some good teams but are prepared to put up a strong stand.

Good Luck

We take this opportunity to wish Henry Swasey and his entire squad the best of luck during the coming season. The going will be tough in places but we can be sure that they will do their level best.

Cagers Open with American International

Freshman Hockey Schedule Released

Coach Hal Rood has just released the freshman hockey schedule for the coming season. Five games are scheduled to be played in Durham including a contest pending with the strong Boston College frosh. Three are scheduled for foreign rinks.

Although the varsity hockey candidates have already been out for two weeks, the freshman will not be called out until after the vacation.

The schedule: January 10—Bridgton Academy; 14—Exeter at Exeter; 16—Northeastern; 21—Lawrence Academy; 24—Tilton at Tilton; February 13—Boston University; 18—Boston College (pending); 21—Northeastern at Boston.

Busy Schedule for Women's Ski Team

The women's ski team is planning a busy season, having arranged a schedule of five races and several training week-end trips.

Intramural time-trials will be held on Thursday afternoons to classify women skiers, and there will be a try-out for the women's ski team on the week-end of January 8-10 at Jackson, New Hampshire.

Dottie Page is handling the Ski Team for the Outing Club, Betty Sanders has charge of transportation, Chipper Curtis has charge of petitions and entries and Leslie Ireland will take care of registration and numbers.

EXCHANGE

A black velvet evening wrap was taken by mistake Friday night from the check room at New Hampshire Hall. Anyone who finds that she has the wrong wrap is requested to call Anne Hall at Pettee House.

OUTING CLUB MOVIES

Tow Ski movies will be shown by the Outing Club on Thursday evening at 7:30 in James Hall 301. The films are "New Hampshire Ski Trails," and Winston Pote's newest ski film.

All Outing Club members are invited to attend and are asked to bring their OC tickets.

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Co-Feature
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Tommy Lydon - June Preisses

Sophomores Bow to Junior Hoopsters

First and Second Teams Chosen by Managers for WAA Basketball Tourney

Women's Basketball season got off to a good start last Wednesday when the juniors won over the sophomores 19-6. The teams were picked by the various class managers and the W.A.A. Executive Board. The senior team is Clare Parker, Dorothy Page, Elizabeth Blood, Elizabeth Ridlon, Daphne Hurlbert, Florence Strout, Virginia Dow and Eleanor Mauricette. Juniors are Margaret Dower, Virginia Gardner, Alice Garland, Tremaine Goodrich, Louise Griffin, Ellen Morton, Audrey Pierce and Frances Robinson. The sophomore first team consists of Shirley Loughton, Marjorie Cass, Doris Dearborn, Doris Cooper, Marilyn Whitcomb, Shirley Lyford, Elizabeth Stearns and Doris Flynn. The freshman first team includes Betty Durfee, Jeanette Dube, Esther Drew, Shirley Boynton, Carolyn Cleasby, Joye Churchill, Agnes Harvey and Marilyn Colby.

Two Teams Appointed

Because of the large number of candidates of ability this year, it was necessary to appoint teams for the freshman and sophomore classes. The second team of sophomores is made up of Norine Edwards, Ann Hodgkins, Harriet Congdon, Theda Oakes, Virginia Pearsons, Lily Carlson, and Wanda Furman. There are two freshman second teams. The pink team includes Barbara Brice, Jane Barton, Lydia Shaw, Thelma Houston, Gladys McCrone, and Alma Chandler. The yellow team is Marvis Congdon, Lorraine Thyng, Ruth Metzger, Honey Clifford, Barbara Brown, Dorothy Gammons, Dorothy Stacey, and Ruth Haynes. A blue team was chosen of members of all classes equal in ability but left from the second teams because of limited numbers. This team consists of Gladys Perkins, Carolyn Gove, Anne Wilson, Ruth Cressy, Anne Clark, Florence Bauckman, Barbara Koon, and Dorothy Weinreb.

The schedule for the rest of the season is as follows: Thursday, December 11—Blue - Yellow. Monday, Dec. 15—Freshman - Senior. Tuesday, Dec. 16—Pink - Sophomore (2). Wednesday, Dec. 17—Seniors - Juniors. Thursday, Dec. 18—Yellow - Pink. Monday, January 5—Sophomore - Freshman. Tuesday, Jan. 6—Yellow - Sophomore (2). Thursday, Jan. 8—Junior - Freshman. Friday, Jan. 9—Blue - Pink.



by Charlie Untiet

The questions that have been bothering Hank Swasey the past fortnight will be partly answered by ten o'clock tomorrow night. The chances for victory seem fairly bright but you can never tell. He has three sophomores in the starting combination in Bill Kolinsky, Bob Wheeler, and Don Harris. Harris, however will not be available for the opening whistle as he has gone home to take a vacation job. Just how these sophs will hold up under fire is still a matter of speculation. They will improve as time goes on and should be A-1 performers by the end of the season. Meanwhile Harold Hall and Hal Monica are the least of his worries.

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Bob Mathews, Fred Jervis, Morris Pinks, Sheik Karelis, and Arky Vaughn can be depended upon for understudy duty. Mathews has been a steady performer in practice and Hank Swasey is expecting a lot from the veteran senior. Arky Vaughn is the only left handed shot on the squad. The only thing that holds Arky from being a great player is experience. Occasionally he is at the wrong place at the wrong time and that is due to the lack of active duty. He has a wonderful eye and is a sure shot when set. Fred Jervis was a mainstay on last year's Kitten aggregation and has been impressing the board of strategy. One thing in his favor is the fact that he is a hard worker and his whole heart is with the team and that counts a lot. Sheik Karelis is going to see much service this season. He has been outstanding in practice and will press Don Harris all year. Ike Rhuland is another deserving much praise. A quiet hard worker, he is making himself known around the cage, being one of the best liked players on the whole squad.

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The ski team is set to make history this season. Captain Bob Clark, Al Merrill, Ralph Townsend, Bill Keough, Smokey Costello, and Doc DesRoches are the nucleus of the team. Clark is a great skier and his future is bright. Townsend and Merrill were frosh sensations a year ago and are going to make the experts sit up and take notice. One of the best men on the entire club is Bill Keough. A daring skier, he will risk his neck to score and beside his ability he is one of the most colorful men on the team. Smokey Costello and Doc DesRoches can be depended upon for some good work.

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A boy who is going to be missed around Ed Blood's squad is Norm Flint. He was never a great skier but

Monday, Jan. 12—Senior - Sophomore. Tuesday, Jan. 13—Blue - Sophomore (2).

All games will be played at 4 p.m. at New Hampshire Hall.

Basketball Schedule

- December 17 American International at Durham
- January 7 Northeastern at Durham
- 10 Tufts at Durham
- 13 Connecticut at Storrs, Ct.
- 14 Boston University at Boston, Mass.
- 16 Northeastern at Boston, Mass.
- 20 Massachusetts Institute of Technology at Boston, Mass.
- 21 Springfield at Springfield, Mass.
- 24 Lowell Textile at Durham.
- February 7 Connecticut at Durham
- 10 Rhode Island at Kingston, R. I.
- 14 Alumni at Durham
- 17 Maine at Orono, Maine
- 18 Bates at Lewiston, Me.
- 21 St. Anselm at Durham
- 24 Rhode Island at Durham

Ski Team Working On Lacrosse Field

A squad of about forty men is working out daily on the lacrosse field. The team is about two weeks behind last year's training schedule, and will be ready to get out on skis as soon as snow comes to Durham.

The squad will be handicapped because of lack of conditioning in their first meet, which is to be held at Franconia on December 21 and 22. This is an annual College training meet.

The schedule

- Jan. 1-3. Lake Placid, College Week Competition, Lake Placid, N. Y.
- Feb. 6-7. Dartmouth Outing Club Carnival, Hanover, N. H.
- Feb. 13-14. New Hampshire Outing Club Carnival, Durham, N. H.
- Feb. 20-21. Intercollegiate Ski Union Meet, Middlebury, Vt.
- Feb. 27-28. Norwich Winter Carnival, Northfield, Vt.

REC NOTICE

Just a reminder that the gym is open for "Rec" every Saturday and Sunday from three to five in the afternoon for those who wish to play badminton, ping pong, battleboard tennis, cards, or shoot baskets. There are a few worn badminton birds in the equipment room which students may use. Now that the football season is over, "Rec" furnishes week-end recreational activity with no expense.

he was always in there trying. He was forced home with a threatened appendicitis early in October and has been bothered ever since. He is looking well but when he tries to do anything he gets very tired. The doctors do not seem to know what the trouble is but we hope that it isn't serious.

Rhode Island opened up their season with the Alumni a week ago and by the results they are loaded. By the time the gun sounded the Rams had counted one hundred and ten times which is some contrast to the thirty seven which the Alumni registered. It was first thought that they would be considerably weakened by the loss of Bill Keaney but that failed to materialize.

Both Coaches Confident Of Victory; Sheik Karelis Receives Nod at Guard

The current winter sports schedule gets under way here tomorrow night when the basketball five meet the invasion of American International College of Springfield, Mass. The game starts at 7:30 p.m.

Coach Swasey announced that Don Harris would not be available due to the fact that he has returned home for a vacation job. In his place he plans to start Sheik Karelis. The rest of the lineup will consist of Harold Hall and Bill Kolinsky as forwards. Much of the team's success this season rests on the shoulder of these two boys but both of them are expected to come through with flying colors. Bob Wheeler will be in the circle and Swasey has high hopes of developing this sophomore into a first class player. He was one of the mainstays on last year's freshman club. Sheik Karelis is experiencing his first starting assignment but he is a very good floorman with a fairly good eye. Of course Hal Monica is no stranger around New England basketball courts.

Swasey has been driving his forces hard in preparation for this clash and he expects trouble from the boys from Springfield.

Moge Coaches A.I.C.

American International is coached by Bill Moge who served as assistant to Russ Peterson last season. Since then Peterson has departed to Boston University. Moge claims that his material is better than usual and is confident of defeating the Wildcats. He has Bus Hanna at forward who scored 164 points last season to lead the squad. He also has a great sophomore in Ray Carr who was all high school at Springfield Tech and Ray Kogut, an all western Mass guard at Springfield Commerce. In addition to these boys he has potential stars in Mike Borazna, Herb Cowles, and John Fazio.

On the other hand Hank Swasey is confident of making A.I.C. bite the dust. "I believe that the boys have come a long way since practice got underway and the scrimmages that were held with the Marine Barracks have been very beneficial. We will have a tough time but I think that we will be victorious in the end."

The probable lineup:

New Hampshire: Hall, lf; Kolinsky, rf; Wheeler, c; Karelis, lg; Monica, rg.
American International: Hanna, lf; Hart, rf; Kuczynski, c; Carr, lg; Kogut, rg.

Applied Farming Students Hold Christmas Party

Tuesday evening of last week the Applied Farming Students held their annual Christmas party in Ballard Hall. A business meeting preceded the evening's festivities, at which plans for a future radio presentation were discussed. The Extension Service of the university showed a movie.

Everett Clement, president of the "Aggies" played Santa and distributed gifts for a loaded tree.

UNH First Fatality In War

Killed in action Sunday at Pearl Harbor, H. I., Ensign Edward B. Cloues of Warner. Attended UNH as a freshman, entering with the Class of 1939. Was Valentine Smith scholarship winner. Was member of Sigma Beta fraternity.

Commissioned in June, 1940, after graduating from US Naval Academy at Annapolis. Would have been 24 Christmas day.

State Theatre
Washington St. -- DOVER
WED. - THURS. DEC. 17-18
CHEERS FOR MISS BISHOP
with MARTHA SCOTT WILLIAM GARGAN
also Mary Beth Hughes George Montgomery
THE COWBOY AND THE BLONDE
FRI. - SAT. DEC. 19-20
FLYING CADETS
with Edmund Lowe - Wm. Gargan Peggy Moran - Frank Albertson
also The Three Mesquiteers
GANGS of SONORA

CHRISTMAS SPECIALS
UNH Wildcat Christmas Cards
Distinctive Mont St. Michel Christmas Cards
Special Christmas Gift Tape
UNH Song Book
University Plates
The University History
The New Hampshire Anthology
The University Bookstore



Couplings of the Month

by James Kalled and Paul Bandidos

Glen Miller—All the jute boxes throughout the country are bowing out JD's Jim, and ushering Miller's Chattanooga Choo Choo as their number one money-maker. Styled by powerful rhythm, rolling saxes, Tex and the Modernaires harmonizing, while the band fairly rocks the ending with a rich riff. (Bluebird)

Harry James—Full of sultry chords smoothly welded Minka is coming right along as evidenced by its increased sales. While Dick Haymes delivers feeling to swell lyrics, James pedestals him with slow, almost whispering band. (Columbia)

Benny Goodman—We don't see how Benny's I Got It Bad can miss. Charlie Barnet shares this same opinion for he has made it quite plain in music circles that he has been beside himself with joy since Duke Ellington played it on the coast. Goodman's interpretation is "solid Jackson—solid." Peggy Lee handles the lyrics to give this recording a tremendous lift. (Columbia)

Tommy Dorsey—When Dorsey cut Embracable You, little did he know that he had a hit on his hands—and we mean hit! You should hear the vocal on this disc. Jo injects everything into it with slow and lovely feeling against the subdued Pipers. (Victor)

Theme Song of the Month

Jimmie Lunceford—The syncopated rhythm of this great negro band is characterized by his inimitable Jazz-nocracy. This is the number with which Lunceford starts and ends all his appearances—that has endeared him to the hearts of is ever increasing number of fans. From the opening note to the closing it is one continuous band ride that kicks, swings, and pauses for short licks. Throughout the saxes ride high and clean,

Mike and Dial Experiments With Dearborn's Radio Drama

by Richard Dent

Elwyn Dearborn's radio play, "A Rhapsody in Chaos", was presented by Mike and Dial over WHEB Friday afternoon.

The play itself combined with its production formed, without doubt, the most accomplished program Mike and Dial has put on thus far. Quite uniquely, "A Rhapsody in Chaos," begins, continues, and terminates back-studio, to paraphrase a stage term. When it commences, people are heard talking, yelling "quiet", and otherwise in apparent preparation for a radio broadcast. Altercations develop between the Actors, the Musician, and the Sponsor as to which of them is the most important part of the program.

A steady background of time-passage is provided by the Studio Clock, personified with a voice, uttering the passage of seconds with a metronomic beat. Then when the argument between the three main elements of any radio program, Actors, Musician, and Sponsor, has reached an apex and subsided ever so little as the Actors become ready to admit the Sponsor might be more important than they are, the Radio rebels! Voice characterizes the Radio. With the Radio refusing to broadcast an impasse is reached. But Dearborn has adapted the "deus ex mechanica" to the radio. Music comes from the unwilling wireless. It swells louder and louder. The participants in the argument are willing to admit, "If ears were made for hearing,

Freshman Party Features Singing Waiters' Quartet

Freshman diners will again see their waiters in action—tomorrow evening at the supper meal the annual freshman Christmas party will be held—accentuating the true spirit of Yuletide.

The half hour party will consist mostly of musical selections, with a quartet of waiters singing Christmas carols and one or two novelties. Festivities start promptly at 5:30 p.m., and all freshmen are requested to be at the hall on time.

MESSIAH

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tra did very well. There were variations on themes by Handel but they were so slight that they did not detract too much.

No doubt most of the audience was struck by the obvious possibility of an application of the aria, "Why Do the Nations Rage so Furiously Together," to the present world situation. This potentiality in the Messiah is a characteristic of great music. It is applicable at all times and all places. It knows no chronological boundaries. Not only the spirit and genesis of the Christmas season is captured in the Messiah, but all the longings and power of the human heart working with the mind. If there ever existed a time in the affairs of men when this type of expression needed production, it is now.

Compliment Music Department

The musical organizations of the university are to be complimented for doing their bit to make an unpleasant chaotic earth more pleasant to walk each day. Many people must have left the Messiah Sunday evening humming its restorative melodies and cosmic harmonies. Something is given to an individual which may not be subtracted by any human or natural process while that person lives, when he has listened to the Handel Oratorio or any other music of the titans for that matter. It gives courage and it gives hope. It leaves beauty and at the present time a tremendous sadness, that we are so far removed in our actions from similar expression. Temporarily we move away from the stars. The Messiah makes us remember the time when we moved toward them with all desire.

with brass chipping in. Incidentally Lunceford happens to be one of the most under-rated bands in the country. (Bluebird)

Red Cross First Aid Training is Offered to Women of University

Durham Red Cross Plans Student Courses; Gail Daly Heads Workers

Defense work of the university goes full speed ahead this week with the Air Raid Warden's preliminary training course concluding, plans underway for new student defense efforts, and a Red Cross First Aid course started.

Two hundred and thirty-seven women have signed up for the First Aid course which began Monday and will continue through the winter. Gail Daly, in cooperation with the Durham Red Cross, has inaugurated courses in Beginners and Advanced first aid for women. Classes are offered at convenient hours through the week, in the Organization Room at Commons on Monday and Wednesday from 3:30 to 5:30; Monday and Wednesday from 7 to 9; Tuesday and Thursday from 3:30 to 5:30; Tuesday from 8 to 10 and Thursday from 7 to 9; and in Congreve South, Wednesday and Thursday from 4 to 6. For those with only one day a week free for volunteer work, a course will be given Thursdays from 7 to 9, after vacation.

One advanced course, and one course for women who do not expect to be in school the second semester, are to be arranged. Also a class for training men instructors is being held in Commons.

A great shortage of trained leaders exists. As soon as persons qualified are available for teaching, other courses will be opened to students. Anyone with a Red Cross instructors rating is urged to offer their services. Information regarding classes and arrangements, can be obtained from Gail Daly, Congreve South. (8350)

Music Program

- Monday, December 15. 4:30.**
- UNFORGOTTEN LANDS—4. The Netherlands.
- Lassus: Matona, lovely maiden.
- Lassus: Benedictus.
- Okeghem: Ma maitresse.
- Des Prés: Ave, Maria.
- Jannequin: Petite nymphe.
- Sweetinck: Christ is born today.
- Two Dutch folksongs.
- Beethoven: Egmont overture.
- Wednesday, December 17. 4:30.**
- BIRTHDAY PROGRAM**
- Beethoven: Coriolan overture.
- Beethoven: Piano sonata in F sharp major.
- MacDowell: Piano concerto, third movement.
- Weber: Der Freischutz—overture.
- Taylor: The King's Henchman. Finale to Act III.
- Puccini: La Boheme. Addio!
- Friday, December 19. 1:00**
- CHRISTMAS PROGRAM**
- Italian, 14th century: Glory in the Highest.
- Palestrina: Christ is born today.
- Corelli: Christmas concerto.
- Bach: Beloved Jesus, we are here.
- Bach: Jesu, Joy of man's desiring.
- Daquin: Noel for flutes.
- Humperdinck: Christmas.
- Holst: Wassail song. (English folk carol)
- Wolf: The sleeping Christ-child.

FACULTY CALL

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Dean Edward Y. Blewett, College of Liberal Arts; William Medesy, Instructor in Forestry; John D. DuRie, Instructor in Physical Education, and Robert Halpin, Instructor in Poultry Husbandry.

PSYCHOLOGY CLUB

A Psychology Club meeting will be held tomorrow night at 7:30 in Room 16. New Hampshire Hall. Anyone who is interested in attending this meeting is invited to come.

roe, Va., where he has been called to active service. Lt. Donle was graduated from the university in 1936. . . Induction of pledges will take place Tuesday night with a formal ceremony. John Davis is pledge master.

Air Raid Wardens Announced; Final Session Tonight

For the past few days air raid wardens have been busily preparing defense precautions in the event of a possible raid. Two classes of instruction have already been held with the final one scheduled for tonight. The first was devoted to general air raid precautions and the second was concerned with incendiary bombs, a demonstration of which was held.

Students selected to serve as wardens were: Alpha Gamma Rho—Norton Bean, Kenneth Wiggin; Alpha Tau Omega—Frank Robbins, James Stevens; Kappa Sigma—John McKeon, Wilfred Silvia; Lambda Chi Alpha—Carleton Preble, Stanley Mason; Phi Alpha—Ezekial Booth, Bernard Rosenblatt; Phi Delta Upsilon—Sherman Reed, Vernon Wilkins; Phi Mu Delta—Kenneth Creed, Herbert Wirth; Pi Kappa Alpha—John Marr, Daniel Hurley; S. A. E.—William Call, George Archambault.

Sigma Beta—Ed Stanton, John Hasset; Tau Kappa Epsilon—George Herrick, Merton Bell; Theta Chi—Sheldon Prescott, Murray Smith; Theta Kappa Phi—Arthur Rouillard, Thomas O'Donnell; Student Cooperative—Wallace Morse, Rowland Mayor.

Alpha Chi Omega—Madeline Cram, Margaret Dower; Alpha Xi Delta—Pat Jordan, Alison Teele; Chi Omega—Aline Walsh, Frances Metcalf; Phi Mu—Carolyn Gove, Jean Dempsey; Theta Upsilon—Rachael Morrison, Margaret Jackson; Scott Hall—Claire Parker, Jeanne Tebo, Marion McIver, Claire Richards, Adrienne Astle; Congreve South—Gail Daly, Sophie Byk, Margaret Sanborn, Christine Morrill, Rita Battistine, Katherine Batzis; Wing—Joan Nugent.

Smith Hall—Elizabeth Mercer, Tremaine Goodrich, Virginia Gardner, Ann Clark; Bickford House—Priscilla Gilchrist, Martha Ricker; Pettee House—Mary Garrett, Stella Gagne; Elizabeth DeMerritt House—Doris Churchill, Mable Bartlett, 2nd semester, Frances Colman, 2nd semester. Congreve North—Eleanor Mauricette, Rosalie Libby, Virginia Tarr, Mary Elizabeth Porter, Priscilla Garron, Betty Nock.

Hetzel Hall—John Sideris, Evert Smith, Paul Nugent, Arthur Galli, Dominic DiMartino, Carl Adams, Steve Laskevich Charles Flynn, William Aliapoulos, Richard Emery; Fairchild—Ernest Towers, Charles Costigan, Richard Ordway, Robert Quinn, Ralph Goodno, Albert Soule, William, Mason, Lloyd Hoxie.

Commons—Robert Crosbie, George LeLoup, Andrew Kowalczyk; East—Ray Doyle, Robert Kennedy, William Hadley, Joseph Riccardone, Arthur O'Connell, Carl Carlson, Robert Rowe, Robert Rollins; West—Truxton Perry-Smith, Winslow MacDonald, Ed Richardson, Francis Duclos.

PILOT TRAINING

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course and assigns those students to advanced status. Qualifications and rules are much the same this semester as last. The prospective trainee must bear cost of the physical examination, (\$12.00) and pay an insurance premium of \$7.00.

Trainees must be citizens of the United States, must have reached their 19th birthday, but not their 26th. One full year of accredited college work is required, although those no longer enrolled in college may be eligible if they have completed two years of college work.

Practical ground school work will be held here on campus, presumably at night under the guidance of competent instructors, while actual flight instruction will be given at the Portsmouth Airport at such times as not to interfere with academic work.

Convocation

President Engelhardt will discuss current issues that concern the students which have arisen because of the present war crisis at a required convocation to be held at the Field House on Thursday, December 18, at 1:15 p.m. The President will also speak on the part that the university will play during these crucial times.

The latter part of the program will be devoted to the carol singing under the direction of Professor Bergethon which was originally scheduled for this convocation.

Initiation Held by Pi Gamma Mu

Pi Gamma Mu, national honorary social science society, initiated eleven new members into the local chapter last Friday evening.

President Vernon Lewis officiated at the initiation, assisted by Robert Mullen and Professor Harry Smith and Professor Harry Berg. After the ceremony a banquet was held in the President's Dining Room at the Commons. Professor Donald Babcock welcomed the new members and then President Lewis introduced the main speaker of the evening, Dr. George Fundberg, Professor of Sociology at Bennington College, Bennington, Vermont, who spoke on "The Place of the Social Sciences in Modern Education."

After the speech a discussion pertaining to the topic was held by all those present.

The following were initiated into the society: Undergraduates, Doris Trafton, Lois Richardson, James Martin, William Fitzsimmons, G. Ralsey Stevens, Wilfred Feeney, John Evans, Theresa Foley, Harrison Smith. Graduates were: M. Elizabeth Norton and Kenneth Morrow.

Faculty Tea Held At Congreve South

Congreve South was the scene of a Faculty Tea on Sunday afternoon from three-thirty to five-thirty. Approximately thirty-five faculty members attended.

Gail Daly, alias Santa Claus, did her best to find out what each professor wanted; and entertained them further by showing off all the furry dogs, cats, monkeys, jumbos, and other animals which she had with her.

The livingrooms were decorated with pine boughs and Christmas lights; there was a lighted tree in the east room and a fire in the fireplace of the west room.

The tea was in the charge of committees appointed by Marcia Robinson, Social Chairman.

GRANITE NOTICE

Any Juniors dissatisfied with their finished portraits are requested to be at the Granite office Thursday evening. Roger Marshall Editor

GREEK WORLD

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tain for the week-end. . . Doc Fortier is to be the new house manager. . . Bing Boucher is rumored to be in the doghouse again. . . Bishop Smith has removed the newspapers from his bed, after several warnings. . . We all hope that Brother French's pressure is now down to normal. . . Reil went to the Ball, but had some difficulty Saturday night when he tried to dance and play in the band at the same time. However, Wally Kimball came to the rescue nobly. . . Pledge Koumantzelis is out for winter track.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Mrs. Earl Donle, housemother of S.A.E. left Sunday night for Providence, R. I. to meet her son, Lt. Walter Donle, and to travel with him to Fort Mun-