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PRESIDENT ENGELHARDT CONFIDENT IN YOUTH

Full Length Concert Marks Formal Debut Of University Choir

Funds will be Raised for New Robes to be Used For First Time Feb. 8

A choir without robes is as lost as a band without uniforms; and so the University Choir, in order to raise money for these robes, will make its formal debut in a full-length concert Sunday night, February 8, in New Hampshire Hall. This will be the only time this year that the choir, which is primarily a concert organization, will give an entire program on this campus. For the remainder of the semester the choir will be busy filling out-of-town engagements.

The choisters will make a more striking and uniform appearance than ever before in the newly-arrived robes. Especially designed for our choir, the robes are in our traditional New Hampshire blue and white colors, the body of the robe being blue with eggshell satin stoles which are the background for blue letters, N H.

Piano Team Featured

A duo-piano team in the persons of Grace Brown and Wyman Pierce will be featured for the first time accompanying the choir. Louise Edson, senior, will be featured soloist.

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Committee to Select Pettee Award Winner

Ten Prominent Citizens Named to Make Choice

Ten prominent leaders of state, civic and professional societies were named as the committee which will select the winner of the Dr. Charles Holmes Pettee distinguished service medal annually by the University Alumni Association today.

The basis for the award, named in honor of the late Dr. Pettee, who for more than sixty years served as professor, dean, and acting-president of the University, is outstanding service to the state or the nation by a citizen or former resident of New Hampshire. Chief Justice Harlan Fiske Stone of the United States Supreme Court was the winner of last year's medal, the first to be awarded.

Nominations By Anyone

Nominations for the award, which may be made by anyone, will close March 1. The presentation will be made on May 9 at the alumni banquet, held as a part of commencement exercises.

The committee of selection is as follows: Dr. Charles H. Dolloff, Concord, president of the New Hampshire Medical society; John Barry, Manchester, president of the New Hampshire branch of the American Federation of Labor; William Neal, Meredith, master of the State Grange; Mrs. Earle Seaverns, president of the New Hampshire Federation of Women's Clubs; George Putnam, Hopkinton, president of the New Hampshire Farm Bureau Federation; Bradford McIntire, Durham, president of the University of New Hampshire Alumni association; Judge Henri Burke, Nashua, president of the New Hampshire Bar association; Mrs. Carl Lundholm, Durham, chairman of the Alumnae Council of the University of New Hampshire; Richard W. Salloway, Franklin, chairman of the New Hampshire Division of the New England Council; and Eugene K. Auerbach, Durham, alumni secretary.

University vs. Hollywood

The university never expected to see the day that it would be competing with a star from Hollywood. But such was the case when Mr. Eugene K. Auerbach, instructor for an Air Raid Precaution course offered by the university, went to Conway where he was to lecture, only to find that the lecture hall was in the theatre. A Gracie Allan picture, scheduled for that evening, was cancelled. When Mr. Auerbach came to lecture he found that not only was every seat in the theatre occupied but there were actually standees in the rear.

Sophomores Decide Against Spring Hop

Crowded Social Calendar Eliminates Class Dance

No Sophomore Hop! This was the decision of some hundred members of the sophomore class last Wednesday night at the meeting of the class of '44 held in Murkland Auditorium. In a discussion led by Johnny Davis, class president, the facts were presented to the effect that due to the shortened school year and the crowded social calendar it would be more profitable to all to eliminate the Sophomore Dance as a public affair.

Party Substituted

In its place a party exclusive to the class of 1944 will be substituted. As planned at present this will be held in New Hampshire Hall on the evening of March 20 from eight to eleven. In order to defray expenses, a tax of 25c will be imposed upon all those attending.

By request of the students the president appointed Ray Bowles, Olga Yeaton and "Smoky" Kelleher to work with the executive committee in making final plans. Before the meeting adjourned it was decided that if all arrangements could be made without further suggestions, no other meeting would be called. However, if deemed necessary by the committee, the president will call another meeting.

Defense Committee Giving Courses

The University Defense Committee is very active now in preparing America to defend herself. In the army camp at Manchester, two courses are being offered—one in Psychology by Dr. Thut and the other is a course in English being offered by Dr. Schoedinger. College credit will be given for each of these courses. The committee has received preliminary inquiries from the Portsmouth navy yard and there are plans to give several courses there with credit.

The committee is also conducting a number of courses for air raid wardens and volunteers in twenty towns and cities in New Hampshire and one in Kittery, Maine. Some have had only one course and others have had the whole series. Most of the courses have been given in the southeastern part of the state and some have reached as far north as Littleton and Conway. The state council on defense has also organized a training school for auxiliary firemen from surrounding towns. Their meetings are held in the university firehouse.

The morale division of the army is conducting courses by college professors on the background of the war, and will arrange discussions and lectures on the background and causes of the wars. Dr. Babcock is chairman

WMUR to Broadcast Series of Campus Musical Half-Hours

Program to Feature Local Talent; First Show to Be Aired Next Wednesday

Arrangements have just been completed with radio station WMUR, Manchester, to broadcast a ten-week series of half-hour programs which will feature the campus musical organizations as well as students and faculty members in the Department of Music. These programs will be given on Wednesday evenings from ten to ten-thirty and will emanate from the campus studios, from there being transmitted to Manchester by special wire installed by WMUR. The first program is scheduled for Wednesday evening, February 4. Mike and Dial is cooperating in this project. Jack Evans will be the announcer and Sid Dimond will be technical director.

Important Link

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Professors Start Sabbatical Leaves

Hennessey, Webster Walsh to be at Harvard

Among the members of the faculty who are starting their sabbatical leaves this week are professors Walsh, Hennessey, and Webster. All are members of the English department and plan to spend their working periods studying this particular subject. Just as a matter of coincidence all three will be located at Harvard University.

Mr. Webster will work with Mr. Dudley Cloud as an adviser in remedial reading at Harvard. He plans to attend classes in order to study their methods of teaching.

Hennessey At Harvard

Professor Hennessey will take as many English courses as he possibly can while he is at Harvard. His "major" will probably be drama. During his absence he will be replaced by Mr. Schoedinger.

Although his primary interest will be literature, Mr. Walsh will also study archeology. He also plans to spend a great deal of his time doing independent research work in the Harvard library.

Besides these professors leaving, several are returning from their leaves of absence for the last semester. Mr. Funkhouser, professor of chemistry, spent his working period at Ohio State University in Columbus, Ohio. Most of the time he attended classes, observing teaching methods. It might be of interest to know that there are over 3500 students studying chemistry at Ohio State. Mr. Funkhouser also visited Purdue, University of Michigan, McGill, and Western Reserve University. During the Christmas period he visited the organic symposium at Ann Arbor, Michigan.

Towle Back From Texas

Dr. Towle of the English department made his headquarters at the University of Texas in Houston, Texas.

Professor Gordon Percival of the Agriculture College studied plant physiology, soil physics, and pedology at Rutgers University in New Brunswick, New Jersey. While there he also did considerable research work in the greenhouses.

Mr. Charles Coulter of the Sociology department spent the first semester doing research work in New York City.

Youth is Answer to Question of What We Are Fighting For

Paradoxing Paderewski's broadcast made when Germany invaded Poland, President Engelhardt at the undergraduate convo yesterday afternoon asked, "Yankee soldier, what are you fighting for? Is there any doubt in your mind now?" In answering his own question the president said, "As I look at all you young people I know that my confidence in youth is the answer." And in answering the latter half of his question he declared, "I don't believe there is and I don't believe there can be."

Flash!!

Word has just been received as we go to press that Midge Moore was chosen from a field of ten contestants to reign as Queen over the 1942 Winter Carnival. Her aides will be Jane Haubrich and Marcia Robinson.

Enrollment Slightly Lower Than Year Ago

Slight Increase Noted in Number of Tech Students

Enrollment of the undergraduates for the first day of the second semester was only 2.7 per cent below that of the same period last year, according to figures released by the Registrar. The stepped-up schedule finds 1,751 registered as against 1,799 for February 10, 1941.

Figures are not yet available to show the number of men students lost. The greatest drop occurred in the College of Agriculture, including students in the two-year Applied Farming course with a loss of 19 per cent, but it may be pointed out that this college has a greater proportion of men of draft and enlistment age. Furthermore, a heavy demand of farm labor may be the reason for the loss. The technical students have increased 1.8 per cent, although the Liberal Arts college lost 1.2 per cent.

The graduate school, which suffered a sharp decrease in the first semester, continued some 41 per cent below last year with a registration of 29 as compared with 49 on February 10 a year ago.

Red Cross Committee Offers New Course

Under the auspices of the Durham Chapter of the American Red Cross, the Student Red Cross committee is organizing the next standard twenty-hour course and the advanced course in first aid for students on campus.

The next twenty-hour course is scheduled to begin February 16, allowing a short interval for the respective instructors before assuming their new duties. Classes will be arranged on a schedule similar to the present one, and an equal amount of participation from the student body is expected.

One hundred fifty persons are expected to receive their certificates within the couple of weeks remaining in the course. The committee feel that their work is a gratifying success, and the people who have been unable to complete the course have been obliged to drop it because of too-full schedules or of inability to make up necessary cuts.

Further notices concerning the first aid classes will be posted in "The New Hampshire," and in another week, facilities for signing for the new classes will be ready at 309 Ballard Hall.

In a fervently sincere plea the president suggested that the entire student body adopt this quotation as a slogan and at the end of each day ask themselves if they have really fought as they should. He went on to say that this was the spirit with which we must all face the task day by day, and every day.

New Experiment

In commenting on the new experiment which the university is going through of condensing the school term President Engelhardt said, "No one knows what the consequences of this action will be, or how well or how poorly it will turn out. It is quite certain though that the experiment will be carried on for as long as the war lasts." In listing the main reasons for the condensation the following points were given: to make it possible for people to do more work; to enable students to get into industry early; to facilitate those men who are going into armed forces; and to speed the training period of those students who are going in to professions which take more than four years of undergraduate work.

Quelling all rumors of whether there would be an undergraduate summer (Continued on page 4)

Photography Exhibit Here Early in April

The Third Annual Granite State Salon of Photography, sponsored by the Lens and Shutter Club of the university, will take place in the Hamilton-Smith Library from April 1 to 13.

Jim Keenan, general chairman of the committee, states that the contest is open to everyone, all over the country. No limit is placed on the number or class of prints entered. However, it is preferable that they be mounted on the regulation size mounts. It is hoped that several hundred entries will be received; of these 125 will be selected to be exhibited.

Prints are due not later than March 28. The entrance fee is a twenty-five cent defense stamp.

A banquet is scheduled for April 11 to entertain members of the Lens and Shutter Club and their guests. Several well-known speakers will give talks.

Air-Raid Conference On Campus Saturday

Air Raid precautions are to be discussed for the benefit of rurally located schools and resident students by representatives of ten New England colleges and educational institutions in a conference to be held at the university on Saturday, January 31.

Mr. Marc Peters, black-out consultant of the First Corps Area (Civilian Defense), will lead a round table discussion on shelters, refuge rooms, protective constructions, etc.

Speakers representing Dartmouth and St. Anselm's College, Colby, Stoneleigh, and Westbrook Junior College, Plymouth Teacher's College, and Phillips Exeter, Deerfield and Andover Academies will join the discussions.

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Which Way?

A new editor upon entering office finds himself faced with the task of making a decision—a decision that must endure throughout his tenure of office. Shall he fill his columns with such immature subjects as walking on the grass, cheering at football games or the folly of making the freshmen wear high-water pants; or shall he face every issue that arises on the campus, and in an unbiased manner state his sincere belief regardless of the criticisms that come from all sources?

If he chooses the former method of writing, he will be sure to have and keep his friends, and at the end of his term he may have the satisfaction of leaning back in his chair with the secure feeling that he has been successful, since none of his topics have been criticized. If he chooses the opposite way he will make many enemies; but on the other hand he will make many friends, friends whose praise and agreement will more than repay him for all the unhappy hours he has to face reading and rereading the many criticisms that are bound to come.

This decision has been made by every editor of *The New Hampshire* since its earliest establishment; and down through the many years, the policy of the paper has been rarely challenged; at times it may seem to have strayed a bit, but basically it has adhered to the strictest ideals of fair play. The former editor and his staff have just completed their job; a job which saw them beset with many difficulties, but through them all they managed to keep the paper's name above reproach. They have not allowed one organization to control it or in any way change its policy. They have criticized wherever they thought it was necessary and they have given the due amount of praise to all individuals and bodies that they have deemed worthy. They have pointed out weaknesses and they have helped to remedy the causes. They have supported worthwhile programs and they have done their best in denouncing programs that were of no benefit to the university as a whole. Yes, the outgoing staff has done much to keep the paper CLEAN.

Our policy for the coming year will be much the same as that of the previous two semesters. We have seen the shortcomings of many bodies, organizations and individuals here on campus and when the time arises we shall feel free to express our opinions. We will do so, not with any fear of criticism, and not with the idea that we have the proper solution; we will invite criticism from any and all sources. Our columns are always open to "Letters to the Editor" wherein any reader of the paper may express his opinion. Anonymity will be preserved if requested, but all letters must be signed for our own protection.

An editor need not worry too much when people write him opinions differing from his own, but it is time for him to start worrying when the public starts neglecting the paper so much that they do not even bother to express their own ideas to him. A newspaper, especially a college newspaper, is built on controversial issues, and it is only natural that the majority for, and the minority against an issue will both want their cases stated. Since we do not feel that we should stay on the fence in major issues we shall of necessity have to back whichever side we feel is in the right. We shall, however, present to the best of our ability both sides of any and all arguments.

With the Fraternities and Sororities

Alpha Xi Delta: All advance reports heard concerning the annual winter vic dance which will be held tomorrow night point toward the most colorful affair of the season. . . The theme is that of a Blues Party and it is expected that the background of blues records plus various gals costumed as St. Louis women will give it an air of authenticity. . . Chaperones will be Mrs. Sara Sawyer and Mrs. Elizabeth Knowlton. . . Dotty Kimball and Melba McKay were chosen Monday as members of the College Chest Board. . . Babe Fletcher, Midge Moore, Ethel Steigman, and pledge Peg Garran are all candidates for Carnival Queen. . . An alumni tea will be held Friday, February 6.

Sigma Alpha Epsilon: We were pleased to see so many of our friends at our smoker last Saturday evening. . . Brother Paul Wheeler has left us to make good in the Army and Brother O'Sullivan is just one jump ahead of the breeze himself. . . Brother Barnett, pledges Dave Ritchie and Don Marsden spent the week-end in Boston enjoying Harry James. . . Brothers Archambault and Hancock are taking Defense Training Courses this semester. . . Pete Richmond has just accepted a position as a member of the Student Police. . . Hell Week for the pledges is planned for the last week of February. . . Brothers Turner, Martin, and Jack Constable are planning a business trip to Boston this week-end. . . We all heard from Bill Finnigan last week and he sends his regards to all his friends. . . At present he is stationed at the Paris Island Marine Barracks. . . Chet Turner announces that he is helping put the final touches on Katy Kadet.

Theta Chi: Bill Horner left Sunday for active duty with the Naval Reserve. . . Nelson Tewksbury, ex '43, goes into the Army Air Corps next week. . . Walt Webster will not be with us next semester. Having enough credits for graduation, he will only take Mil Art and will commute from Kingston. . . Ken McLeod '41 will give up his job with Liberty Mutual next month to go in the Navy Air Corps. . . Twenty eight men of the last five classes to be initiated are now in the armed forces. . . Our house basketball team led by husky John Greenaway captured second place in the round-robin tournament by virtue of wins over T.K.E. and Commons. The team lost but one game this year and that one to A.G.R. by a one point margin.

Chi Omega: Pledge President "Tiny" Johnson is doing a great job. . . Other officers are Elly Huse, Vice-president, Barbie Brown, Secretary, and Gracie Murphy, Treasurer. . . Pris Alden came back from Christmas with a diamond and a wedding ring. . . She is now Mrs. Charles Pierce. Janie McHenry, our transfer from Kansas, is also flashing a beautiful diamond. . . Jo Blodgett, Barbie Pride, Elly Doyle, Dottie McCloskey, and Nancy Donahue have gone practice teaching. . . Joan Osborn has taken over the duties of president and Pris Pierce as Vice-president. . . Both have shown themselves very capable and are doing a great job.

Theta Upsilon: Louise Eastman, Pat Shaw and Dorothy Page are practice teaching in Portsmouth, Rochester and Kittery respectively. . . Annette Thompson and Marcia Weatherill are living in the Elizabeth DeMeritt House. . . Jeanne Pike has moved to Congreve, while Virginia Morse has moved from Congreve into the house. . . Mr. and Mrs. Bjornar Bergethon were dinner guests Wednesday evening. . . Ellen Stoddard has returned to school after a successful appendectomy.

Lambda Chi Alpha: Carnival house dance will prove to be a big event. . . Plans for decorations and orchestra are being made by Carl Preble. . . If there is snow at carnival, the toboggan slide and ski slope will be in condition and will be used to advantage to add to the color. . . John Dearborn and Phil Dunlap were week-end guests. . . John expects to go into the Merchant Marine as a radio operator within a few months.

Pi Kappa Alpha: The following officers for 1942-43 were initiated at the last meeting: Henry Dowst, S.M.C.; John Marr, Jr., I.M.C.; John Stowell, S.C.; Guy Dodge, Jr., M.C. The ping pong team and bowling team are going strong. . . The house took Lambda Chi Alpha 4-1 in ping pong and Phi Alpha 4-0 in bowling. . . Charles Gerould, one of our pledges, is staying with us for a week.

Tau Kappa Epsilon: Exams are over and everyone managed to survive although there had been many plans to join the army. . . Frater Robert McKeagney was elected Vice-president of the Intramural Council. . . The election of house officers was held Tuesday night. The results were as follows: President, James Moulton; Vice-President, George Herrick; Secretary, Robert Carter; Treasurer, Frank Lambert; Chaplain, Robert McKeagney; Rushing Chairman, James Sleeper; Sergeant at Arms, Russell Orton; Historian, Howard Darling. . . Although it had been rumored for some time, it has just been officially announced that Frater Bruce Carr is married. . . Plans have been made to invite each pledge to live at the house one week during the semester. . . Pledge officers were elected last week and the following men were honored: President, Chester Otis; Vice-President, Wallace Goddard; Secretary, Dick Marden.

Alpha Chi Omega: Madelyn Cram left campus last Saturday to enter defense work as a Registered Nurse. . . Norma Prohaska has come down with the mumps and is now residing at Hood House. . . Ruth Grube is back with us again. . . Mr. and Mrs. Partridge were dinner guests recently.

Phi Mu: Carolyn Gove was elected the new president of Panhellenic at their meeting Tuesday afternoon. . . Most of the girls in the house went home for the week-end. . . Phil and Duds Churchill went to Boston and took in Dean Hudson at the Totem Pole. . . Carolyn Gove went home with Edith Wright this week-end, and was a guest at Psi U Fraternity at Bowdoin College on Saturday night. . . Incidentally, we'd like to quell all the rumors that Carolyn Gove is married. Both Rolland and David Gove are her brothers. . . Virginia Page is practice teaching in English in Laconia High School, while Daphne Hurlbert is practice teaching in Home Economics in Concord High. . . Lorna Wakefield Stiles, who recently announced her marriage of July, is not coming back to school this semester. She is with her husband in Orford, N. H., where he is practice teaching. . . Charlotte Sweet is back from six days confinement in Hood House. . . Rheta Coulombe is still convalescing there. . . Gretchen Pearson was back at the house Tuesday afternoon for a short visit. She is training at the Elliot Hospital in Manchester. . . Phi Mu extends deepest sympathy to Lorene Scott on the recent death of her grandfather.

Pi Lambda Sigma: One of the main social events of the year is coming off on February 21 in the form of a dinner dance at Commons. . . Announcement of Betty O'Neil's marriage to Boo Morcom was made. . . Mary Pluff has returned from a prolonged visit at Hood House and home. . . "Berry" Marcotte has gone practice teaching at Rochester.

Sigma Beta: Bill Feeney was sworn as apprentice seaman class V7 of the Naval Reserve in Boston on Tuesday and will see active duty this summer. . . Bob Stanton was supper guest Wednesday evening. A vic party is planned for Friday evening.

Dr. and Mrs. Phillips will chaperone. . . The bowling team lost to T.K.E. but this was offset by a win on the part of the ping pong team. . . So far this season the basketball team is undefeated.

Alpha Gamma Rho: We are holding a vic party tonight at the house. . . Dr. and Mrs. Fred Allen will chaperone. . . Al Greenwood, Bob Kelley and Dwight Stiles have finished their practice teaching. . . Martin Mitchell got a job teaching agriculture at Winchester, N. H. . . Raymond Dupell is staying at the house while practice teaching in Dover. . . The pledges ran a successful vic party last Saturday night. . . Jim Williams, Carol Ajnley and Mr. and Mrs. Conklin were in the receiving line. . . The bowling team was edged by Theta Chi and A.T.O.

Alpha Tau Omega: House elections were held last Tuesday night with the following results: President, Roger Marshall; Vice-president, Robert Clock; Secretary, Milton Cram; Treasurer, Glenn Wright. . . At the same time Frank Robbins was appointed house manager. . . This past week-end saw the house practically deserted; the largest contingent consisting of Shorty Nettleton, Frank Robbins, Charlie Moller, Ralph Allen, Stan Platek, and Ed Lindahl wound up in or around Manchester. Bob Clock went all the way to Bantam, Conn., to see his girl, while the rest of the boys spread joy over the remaining better parts of these New England states. . . Homer Hamlin has left school to join the Army Air Corps. . . Dick Smith and Stan Platek had to walk home from Dover at five a.m. because they were unable to open the door when the train went through Durham. . . We are having a vic party with Dr. Slanetz and his wife as chaperones.

Phi Mu Delta: Lots of the boys have been leaving town lately — but they've always come back. . . Bernie Pender, Bill Anderson and Scotty Morrow went to Boston and vicinity last week-end. . . 'Tis rumored that Merit Bean went sledding up by the Canadian border recently. . . Rolly Gove went to Marblehead, what for your guess is as good as mine. . . Virtually the whole house went to Boston to hear Harry James, Glenn Gray and Pat O'Brien. . . Don Linscott now loves all his profs. . . Martin Ericson has been pledged. . . Three brothers are now spreading education among high schools in the state merely practicing, you understand) Mal Smith is in Dover, Chuck Kimball in Concord, and Harry Smith in Rochester. . . Warren Hay made

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Soph Star Sparks Wildcat Six; Adams Second in Loop Scoring

by Al Jacobson

Latest figures released by Dr. John Harmon, secretary of the New England Intercollegiate Hockey league, show that Karl "Red" Adams, New Hampshire's sensational sophomore pivot, trails leader Joe Wallace of Colby by one point in the race for the loop individual scoring honors.

The scrappy redhead is credited with 17 points and has banged home more goals than any other player in the league—two more than his closest rivals, Wallace and Bob Johnson of Colby.

One of the fastest skaters in the league, "Red" combines his goal getting with a tight defensive game and is rated by Coach Tony Dougal as his most valuable player.

Not swell-headed despite his meteoric rise, the Concord flash is popular with the other squad members because of his great team spirit.

An example of that quality in the redhead which players term "guts" is shown in this account of his performance during the Christmas vacation.

Lt. Metcalf Pilots Rifle 'Sharpshooters'

One of the least heard-of athletic teams on campus, but one which has ranked among the best of New England colleges for the past five years, is the rifle team sponsored by the Military Science department.

This season the marksmen have already participated in postal matches with Bowdoin and Lowell Textile, the results of which have as yet not been received.

The squad, comprised of Capt. W. Coombs, D. Richardson, C. Martin, J. Day, A. Turner, L. Morse, W. Oakman and E. Richardson, is holding firing practice daily under the supervision of Lts. Hutchins and Metcalf in preparation for the stiff schedule ahead. Last week Capt. W. Coombs scored 284 to break last year's record of 283 held jointly by several of the sharpshooters of the league.

The season's schedule follows:

Postal Matches: Feb. 14—Norwich; Feb. 21—M.I.T. and Wentworth; Feb. 28—Vermont and W.P.I.; Mar. 7—Tufts; Mar. 21—Connecticut and Brown.

Shoulder to Shoulder: Feb. 6—B.U. at Boston; Feb. 28—Harvard here; Mar. 6—Northeastern here; Mar. 4—U.S.C.G.A. and R.I. at New London, or Northeastern at Boston, Mar. 20—B.U. here.

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FRIDAY JAN. 30
I WANTED WINGS
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SATURDAY JAN. 31
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Charles Boyer - Margaret Sullavan

MON. - TUES. FEB. 2-3
LYDIA
Merle Oberon - Alan Marshall
Edna Mae Oliver
Second Show at 8:50



Let's Down Dartmouth

We hereby wish the ski team the best of luck in all their future ventures, especially their ski meet with Dartmouth at Hanover on February 10, 11. Last year the Wildcats won. If they duplicate this feat, it certainly will make them one of the most popular ski teams in the East.

Student Body Must Support Hoop Team

Squad Has Improved; But Fans' Actions Disappoint

by Charlie Gozonsky

Nine times the New Hampshire University basketball team has come out on the basketball court. On four of these occasions the scene of the game has been the floor of the Field House and on each of these four occasions the lack of school spirit has become increasingly more noticeable.

Now, it is a fact that the team has lost nine straight games. It is true that the student body has been disappointed. Furthermore, this disheartened attitude on the part of the student body is partially understandable. It is natural for nearly everyone to want to win and to want to win as often as possible. That is admitted.

Attitude a Puzzle

On the other hand, this is what puzzles us, how can any group of people students or otherwise, take their disappointment out on another group which is doing everything in its power, a great deal more than the rest of the student body, to remedy the situation. The group that is attempting to halt the losing streak is, of course, the basketball team, headed by Coach Henry Swasey and Captain Hal Monica.

It is almost incredible that any group of supposedly intelligent people should act and talk about a team (that is certainly working hard) as have New Hampshire students. Attendance at all four games has been far from satisfactory. But that's not the worst aspect of the matter. What is particularly griping is the fact that many of those who attend the games (not every one, but quite a few just the same) do so with the intention of almost ridiculing the efforts of the individual members of the squad.

This attitude on the part of the students has appeared just at the time when it is very obvious to one and all that the sophomores, who are so vital to the team's success, are beginning to show the benefits of half a season of varsity competition. But what has happened? The improvement has come along all right. There is no doubt about it. In the Springfield game of a week ago, playing against an admittedly superior team, one of the best in New England, in fact, the New Hampshire team exhibited some of the best basketball that has been displayed by any New Hampshire team in the last four or five years. That the game was lost was no fault of the team. The Springfield team was just too good. It was composed primarily of veterans while the Swaseymen, as already stated, depend to a large extent on sophomores.

Team Has Improved

Once again, then, the improvement has come; but the school spirit has gone. Regardless of how any team makes out in any sport, the least that any student body can do is to support (Continued on page 4)

Frosh Trim Andover in Season's Opening Track Meet, 42-38

Scammon Paces Kittens' Upset with Three Firsts

By triumphing over Andover Academy, 42 1/3 - 38 2/3, last week for the first time since the commencement of track relations between the two schools, the Kittens track team has established itself as one of the most promising groups on the athletic horizon in Durham.

Looking ahead to next year when such stars as Morcom and Styrna will only be juniors, and therefore eligible for two more years of varsity track and field competition, and when such frosh runners as Scammon and Koumantzelis will be sophomores and thus able to bolster the weaker department of the varsity's track and field squad, it is no exaggeration to say that Coach Paul Sweet may be able to put out a couple of the best teams in New Hampshire track history; that is, unless unforeseen situations develop.

Gets Three Firsts

Scammon, for example, captured 3 first places in the Andover meet in the 40-yard dash, the 300-yard dash, and the 600-yard run. Koumantzelis was right behind with 11 points, which he rolled up by winning the broad jump, and taking second places in the 40 and the 300. In addition, Dick Tower won the high jump at 5' 10" and Bert Cram the shot put with a heave of 48' 2". Scammon, by the way, ran two especially fast races—the 40 in 4.6s and the 300 in 34.6s.

Meanwhile the varsity has yet to taste its first competition. The first officially sponsored contest for the upperclassmen is scheduled for February 13, to which date the meet with Tufts has been moved up from the 14th. New Hampshire will be represented at the B.A.A. games in Boston.

Informal Meet At Harvard

Before this, however, on February 7 to be exact, Boo Morcum will be competing in the famous Millrose games in New York City and on the same day, other varsity trackmen will be taking part in an informal field competition sponsored by Harvard University. The shot put, the 35-pound weight event, the high jump, the broad jump, and the pole vault are the five events scheduled for this meet.

Idle For Two Weeks

Not until two weeks from now do the frosh get going again; but from then on, for about a week, they are really going to be kept busy since four contests have been arranged, including meets with Kimball Union Academy on the 11th, Tufts frosh on the 13th, and Portsmouth High School on the 17th. And in between all of these, there are the B.A.A. relays on the 14th.

Pole Vaulters Needed

Sweet's outstanding worry, with reference to the frosh, lies in pole vaulting. If any freshman with even the slightest amount of jumping ability will report to Sweet, it is possible that this Kitten track team may go through the season undefeated. But Sweet needs this vaulters before this success can be achieved.

CONGREVE NORTH NEWS

The other night Congreve North had a house meeting and decided that Betty Nock would represent them in the competition for the inter-house activities cup. The person to participate must not be a sorority girl. The one who places first, second, and third in an event receives so many points, and the house that has the most points will gain possession of the cup.

Another thing that was discussed was a "Sadie Hawkins" dance, and boys, won't that be great to have your girl call for you and then bring you home?

Hockey Team Hard Hit by Uncle Sam

Uncle Sam is really causing havoc with what looked to be the most successful of the varsity winter sports teams, or more specifically speaking Tony Dougal's hockey sextet.

With Begin and Perkins definitely out, word now comes out that our stellar goalie, Paul Nugent, will soon be called into one of the armed branches of the service and if Paul can stop those Japs the way he has been stopping flying pucks all year for UNH he will be a handy man to have around.

To date the team has played ten games and won three of them, beating Union, Bowdoin, and MIT, while forcing the strong Cornell and Boston College clubs to the limit as they lost heartbreakers.

Also worthy of mention is the fact that on the club are two of the classiest players in New England circles. They are "Red" Adams, who is one of the leading collegiate scorers in the country, and Al Sakoian, who could play defense on anybody's team.

Jack Mudge, a sophomore, is the only other goalie on the squad and if Nugent is forced to go this lad will have a man size job. Other boys who should be around for the remainder of the season at least are Adams, Thayer, Quinn, and "Scrappy" Singleton.

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BASEBALL CHIPS

Due to the fatal cut in the scholastic schedule, baseball activities will be curtailed to almost nothing this spring so that the team that definitely shows great potential strength will be unable to demonstrate its ability in good fashion. Sparked by the capable twirler, Sheik Karelis, the diamond performers, benefited by a year's additional experience, seem to be about ready to accomplish something this year but will be forced to merely face a few foes and then quit.

If the squad really lives up to expectations and exhibits good form throughout the early spring, it would be a very wise and fair move to allow the fellows to take a week's journey to contest opponents all over New England and even a little farther. Most of the other colleges, including Dartmouth, arrange athletic trips for their baseball aggregations. It would be a splendid compensation for the fellows who have been playing baseball for two or three years and simultaneously would furnish a wide publicity program.

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SKI ACTION

Let's hope that this minute lay-off in sporting activities will enable the University of New Hampshire teams to recuperate and fight with ever-increasing vigor in the future. The Wildcat ski team, one of the top-notch outfits of its kind in the East, will engage the mighty Dartmouth snow team on February 6-7 at the Dartmouth Winter Carnival. Last year the Blood squad was exceptionally successful, thus gaining valuable prestige and a repetition of this feat will increase their prestige still more. New Hampshire has good skiers who have had good training in such fellows as Townsend, Merrill, Clark, Keough, and Roger and Richard Howard, so we feel confident, although the snowless weather has hampered their opportunities for practice, the most valuable asset in sports. On the following week-end the skiers will be hosts at the University of New Hampshire Carnival and then on the 20-21 the Wildcats travel to Middlebury's Ski Championships. Every student should fully realize that the ski team is undoubtedly the most successful outfit on campus and that it has given this university first-rate publicity.

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Spirit and loyalty to the school are vitally necessary in order to have basketball games colorful, thrill-packed, and easy-to-watch. After witnessing the Dover-Portsmouth High tussle held at Dover on Tuesday evening, it was obvious that high school spirit excels the spirit of the UNH student body. Both teams were fast and powerful but the motive behind every play was the perfect cheering and shouting on the sidelines. The players were stimulated by their followers and thus did everything possible to win. We realize that the present basketball team hasn't been producing and that this is a reason for the lull in school spirit, but, nevertheless, a good student body stands firmly behind the team under all conditions.

FOLIO CLUB

There will be a Folio meeting Monday night at 8:00 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. David Jolly, 1 Main street. Dr. Carroll Towle, who has just returned from Texas, will be present at the meeting.

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Competent Actors Compete with Penguins, Roaches, Donald Duck

by Elwyn Dearborn

"When Mr. Sheridan Whiteside comes to town, that comes under the heading of news. Practically the biggest news since the depression"—so run the lines about the man who came to dinner in the comedy of the same name, the next production of the Mask and Dagger Dramatic society now in the capable hands of director Ray Keesey. Rehearsals have been in progress since December and as one campus correspondent chose to put it, the play is "sharp as the proverbial marsh grass and has plenty of color!"

Don Crafts, cast as the acid Sheridan Whiteside, is sure to turn in his usual fine performance. Don will be remembered for his excellent work in "Tovarich" and the "Old Homestead" among others. In this, Don sits in a wheel chair practically throughout the show which is quite an accomplishment in itself, let alone learning reams of lines.

Toohill As Secretary

Jeannette Toohill is playing Whiteside's secretary and should turn in a performance that will easily gain for her the reputation of being the first

actress of her class. Jeannette has appeared regularly on Mike and Dial broadcasts and has turned in one vivid characterization in Mask and Dagger's production of "Ah, Wilderness."

Connie Estes, cast as an actress in this hilarious comedy, looks great in rehearsal. Connie's dramatic experience began in high school and was continued at a school of the theatre connected with the Rice Summer Theatre at Martha's Vinyard.

Fun With Roles

Clayton Smith and Wini Kennedy are having a lot of fun with their characters and should easily "put 'em in the aisles," while Mado Crafts is doing his stuff as a playwright newspaperman, and dashing Romeo.

Even those in minor roles are working hard to "squeeze all of the juice out of their parts," as director Hennessey puts it.

Everything crazy happens in "The Man Who Came to Dinner." Penguins arrive from the South Pole, Donald Duck calls on the phone, ax murderers run loose, and fifty thousand cockroaches make their first stage appearance.

Faculty to Serve In Conducting New Air-Raid Courses

Schools Arranged for Small, Large Towns; Dover Repeats Course

The university faculty members have been requested by seventeen communities in New Hampshire and one in Maine to serve in conducting the Air Raid Precautions courses. Reports from the instructors indicate that the meetings to date have been well attended with even the smallest towns getting out groups of one hundred or more, while in larger cities, the audiences total as high as one thousand persons.

Towns which have had the course or have arranged for it include Salmon Falls, Littleton, Dover, Sanbornville, Portsmouth, Newmarket, Bennington, Kensington, Somersworth, Epping, Hampton Falls, Exeter, South Hampton, Condit, Conway, Deerfield, and Seabrook in New Hampshire, and Kittery in Maine. The city of Dover, New Hampshire found its ARP school, conducted with the aid of University lecturers, so successful that it has arranged to repeat the course.

Services Free

Services of lecturers are free but the communities are expected to pay traveling expenses. According to Dr. Everett Sackett, registrar and chairman of the University Defense committee, the services of the University men will be available as long as there is a demand. Request from towns should be addressed to the General Extension Service, University of New Hampshire.

Instructors Named

Faculty and staff members contributing time to the work include E. K. Auerbach, alumni secretary; David Jolly, librarian; R. H. Grant and S. H. Bingham, English department; L. C. Swain, forestry; E. T. Huddleston, architecture; E. B. Sackett, registrar; A. F. Daggett, S. R. Shimer and E. R. Atkinson, chemistry; H. I. Leavitt, physics; and R. R. Starke, hotel administration. All have taken special ARP instructors' training courses.

Student Organizations

Those organizations that are anxious to do their part in some defense activity are asked to register with the Student Organizations Office any week day between the hours of four and six, Room 309 Ballard Hall. . . Many organizations have not donated books to the drive for literature for the service men. . . You still have time to drop them at the Student Org. Office 309 in Ballard Hall. . . 4-6 P.M.

STUDENT SUPPORT

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it in every possible way. Anyone who has taken part in any sport surely realizes that the sound of applause and cheering is strong incentive to get out there and try until it hurts.

To get to the point, tonight, the varsity will take on a team from Camp Langdon in Portsmouth at the Field House, at 7 p.m. The team has a fine chance to win the game. A win will be of great benefit to the squad. It can inspire them. But unless there is a crowd to play for, a crowd that wants its team to win and, at the same time, a crowd that is willing to overlook mistakes and to take defeat with victory, unless we have all this, well, never mind.

Therefore, and finally, the blame for the relatively poor showing of the varsity basketball team should not be laid entirely upon the shoulders of the coaches and players. Student enthusiasm has always played a major role in the success of athletic teams. The same holds true today. Maybe better crowds will result in better teams.

LOST

Red Glasses Case. . . Return to Student Organization Office, 309 Ballard Hall.

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Hempler Discusses, Evaluates Portraits

Orval F. Hempler of the architecture department led a most interesting discussion on some thirty-five portrait prints at the last meeting of the Lens and Shutter, on Wednesday evening.

The prints on loan from the library were literally picked apart piece by piece, and many suggestions were made for improvement in both technique and composition.

Recording secretary Blair Watson submitted his resignation to Prexy, Don Linscott. Watson is on furlough from the Air Corps. Jim Keenan, General Chairman of the Third Annual Granite State Salon, rendered a report on what his committee has accomplished to date. After the meeting the club inspected the new darkrooms in Hewitt Hall.

New Vic Purchased by Women's Phys. Ed. Dept.

Relief from exams and the strain of registration or the freshman girls' celebration of their new freedom was shown in the improved attendance at "rec" last week. Hoping to better Monday and Thursday evening "rec", the Women's Physical Education department has purchased a new electric vic and amplifying system. A new supply of records has been furnished to go with the new machine. With these and the fact that "rec" may go until eight o'clock instead of until ten minutes of, this semester should top all time records for enjoyment.

The Women's Athletic Association invites all to come to New Hampshire Hall every Monday and Thursday evenings at seven o'clock to dance to the latest hits played by your favorite band. While "sitting out" one you may play badminton, ping pong, cards, or shuffleboard.

WMUR BROADCASTS

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Professor Bergethon, supervisor of these programs, in releasing the proposed ten week schedule states: "This series of broadcasts is an important link in the educational program of the Department of Music. Through them we shall be giving our students valuable experience in the important field of broadcasting. Each program will be recorded in its entirety, giving students as well as faculty members an opportunity to study the various aspects of their performance and thereby enable them to analyze faults and weaknesses which they might not be aware of. This should prove to be a valuable stimulus to further improvement.

"These broadcasts will also enable us to acquaint a much larger number of New Hampshire people with the work of the Music Department. We hope that they will furnish good entertainment and that they may help to stimulate interest and appreciation of good music."

Complete Schedule

- The complete schedule is as follows:
- Feb. 4 University Choir
 - 11 Student Trio (Tritt, Kushious, Giles)
 - 18 Faculty: Mr. Coplestone and Mr. Tritt
 - 25 Students (Piano, voice, violin)
 - Mar. 4 University Orchestra
 - 11 Students (Piano, violin, violin)
 - 18 Faculty: Mr. Berman and Mr. Manton
 - 25 University Glee Clubs
 - Apr. 1 Students (Piano, violin, voice)
 - 8 University Band

CONVO

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session or whether there wouldn't, Dr. Engelhardt stated that there would be two six-week summer schools. The first one will start June 29 and the second one on August 10. The president urged all those students who can possibly go to school this summer to do so. If it is impossible for a student to go to school, he should work. "Whatever you do, you have no right to loaf, unless you are sick in bed."

Summer Jobs

The administration is doing all it can to find opportunities for summer jobs, such as canvassing all branches of industry vital to national defense. They are particularly trying to place students in industries which will more or less be training schools that will parallel their regular year's work. There is even a possibility that some students might go to night school to prepare for their summer jobs.

"May will follow January in a much shorter time than we ever expected," and thus Dr. Engelhardt emphasized the fact that we must have a daily program rather than waiting for the last week of the semester. "We must work—daily, nightly, today, tomorrow, and the next day, and not wait until the last minute in May." The reaction of the student body to this was a thousand sighs from as many guilty consciences.

Physical Fitness

The president then brought up his theory of physical fitness. He suggested that the men take physical education four times a week for the four years. He then went on to qualify himself by saying that none of us can be morally, emotionally, or intellectually fit without being physically at our best. "We must deliver every time that we are asked to deliver and we can't do this unless all of us are physically alright."

The president answered another question that has arisen in some people's minds when he stated that the War Department is going to maintain the R.O.T.C. units at state universities as long as they can compete with regular army training camps.

President Engelhardt ended his speech with these words, "We can't be doing all the things we're doing if we aren't great. If we aren't great it will be an awful farce. It won't be my generation that will suffer but yours. But my confidence in youth is the answer to the question, 'Yankee soldier, what are you fighting for?'"

Women Students Vote To Accept New Plan

Responsibility and More Cooperation Encouraged

A convocation of the women students was held yesterday afternoon for the primary purpose of voting upon the new changes in the Constitution. For the past week a tentative outline for the dormitory reorganization has been posted in the various dorms. The plan is for the purpose of making the girls' dorms governed by the girls themselves.

It includes as its major objectives two of the original statements in Article 2 of the present Constitution.

1. To promote a sense of individual and collective responsibility among the women students in maintaining the highest standards of university life.

2. To encourage active cooperation in the work of self-government among the women of the university.

Barbara Burns presided over the meeting. First she read through the new plan pointing out the major

Registrar's Office

The following is a statement prepared by the Registrar's Office for all those who inquire about entering the University of New Hampshire:

In keeping with the times, the University of New Hampshire is accelerating its program. Beginning with January, 1942, the academic calendar has been condensed by the elimination of the former 10-day examination periods and the shortening of winter and spring vacation periods.

The summer session will be expanded from the usual single six weeks session to two six-week sessions. One will start June 29 and one August 10. This will enable students who wish to do so to earn credit equal to the normal quota for a semester. By attending for three regular college years and two summer sessions a student will be able to complete the usual four-year course.

Detailed plans for the summer session have not been completed. As it is not intended to make the summer school mandatory for all students, it is probable that specialized advanced courses attracting only small enrollments during the regular year will not be repeated during the summer. Basic courses will be given during the summer. Programs for entering students will be worked out so that loose ends will be avoided.

Under the new program it will be possible for a student to enter the university at the end of June, 1942, and to complete the requirements for a bachelor's degree in May, 1945. Whether the university recommends such a program depends upon the needs, plans and abilities of the individual student. For a boy facing military service the speed-up seems to have definite advantages. For a girl the advantages are not so obvious. The student working his way through college would find the restriction of the summer working period a handicap. No freshmen week program preceding the summer session is planned, but if an appreciable number of freshmen enroll for the summer a special advisory and guidance plan will be set up. This will enable the summer session to serve as a try-out period for students uncertain about future plans or having records raising doubt as to success in college. It is assumed that most entering freshmen will start their college work with Freshman Week, October 5 to 10.

changes. There will be a meeting of the council every week to discuss various advancements.

In order to serve on the house council a girl must have attained an average of 70 per cent in her last semester's work and she must pass an exam on rules given by the executive council. After the discussion was completed a vote was taken and the new plan was almost unanimously accepted. It will go into effect immediately, probably the beginning of next week.

GREEK WORLD

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Alpha Chi Sigma, honorary chemical fraternity. . . Leon French is at last out of Hood House and we're all glad—but pledge Frank Blair is still in with a slight case of rheumatic fever. (Keep yer chin up, Frank!) Bill Diamond is at last a bonafide announcer—he announced the Classroom of the Air Program this week

. . . Brag Hanson has a new gal friend, but Nate is still going from sorority to sorority. . . The house dance on February 14 will be without programs—another contribution to national defense. . . Hell Week soon . . . Jack Freese and his band are really getting around: North Hampton prep, February 6 and 7, Pittsfield Winter carnival the 13th and, of course, our house dance. They feature Herb Smith as vocalist. . . Sid Dimond has Brud Warren's job in the news bureau and only goes to WHEB Sundays now. . . Art is shedding "Riel" (ugh!) tears because Betty has gone to Florida. . . Bob French is now a lieutenant in the army air corps. . . "Mickey" had her picture in the Phi Mu Delta Triangle this month, also the Portland Sunday "Telegram" in December. . . She really gets around. . . Mrs. White, wife of the cook is arriving Sunday to help out over the big days. . . Don Russell is still wondering how Jane is.

CHOIR CONCERT

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The University Choir was organized last year for the first time by Professor Bergethon, its director. This year's aggregation is made up of fifty-two members who have been selected through rigorous tryouts. About three hours a week is spent in rehearsals and the major part of its repertoire is sung from memory and a capella. On several occasions during the past two years the choir has been heard and is gaining a reputation as one of the outstanding choral organizations in New England.

To further its success it was decided that the choir could rely on the income from their various concerts to pay for their new gowns. It is hoped that students and faculty will rally to the support of their choir by attending this concert to the capacity of New Hampshire Hall.

Granite Heelers

All freshman and sophomore heelers and those interested in heeling for the Granite are urged to report Sunday at 7 P.M. in 302 Ballard Hall. There is still plenty of work to be done and all staff positions are still open. Please report this Sunday evening without fail.