

COMMENCEMENT

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the faculty as escorts, marched from the campus to the church. Rev. Robbins W. Barstow, D.D., President of the Hartford Seminary Foundation, Hartford, Ct. delivered the sermon. Chandler Hard, Pittsfield, was the general chairman in charge of the arrangements for the class.

Last Chapel and Banquet

The last chapel for the year, on Monday, June 20, was in general charge of the president, Robert D. Bailey. Committees for this event included the following: music, Miss Theresa Vercauteren, Manchester; ushers, Miss Anna F. McCarthy, Manchester; decorations, Miss Elthea Speare, Methuen, Mass.; and presentation of class gift, Edmund D. Talbot, Worcester, Mass.

The banquet is scheduled to be held on Tuesday evening, June 21, at the Keene Country club with John S. Hobson, Concord, as general chairman. His assistants will be: finance, James Connelly, Gonic; music, Miss M. Dorothy Barnes, Pepperell, Mass.; arrangements, Henry Mahoney, Newport; decorations, Miss Beatrice Slater, Methuen, Mass.; and program Clayton L. Perrault, Keene.

The class teachers and other members of the faculty will be guests and will join with selected members of the class in offering toasts after the meal.

Rose Night

One of the events of the graduation period in which underclassmen and faculty share is the Annual Rose Night, which is planned for the evening of Wednesday, June 22. The general chairman for Rose night is Miss Caroline Tewksbury, Littleton. W. Allen Caldwell of the faculty will have charge of the marching. Music will be under the direction of Miss Mildred R. Moore, Greenfield, Mass., and the underclass activities will be supervised by Miss Genevieve McGirr, Concord. In case of rainy weather on June 22 this

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

"K" Club

The officers for the "K" club were elected as follows: president, George Knox, Concord; vice-president, Priscilla Abbot, Baldwinville, Mass.; secretary-treasurer, Earl Harris, Franklin; social committee, Frances Rawstrom, Claremont, and Eleanor McAllister, Warner.

The Forum

Officers of the Kappa Pi Omicron (the Forum) were elected for the year as follows: president, Helen M. Couture, Groveton; vice-president, Ernest Peltonen, Newport; secretary, Carl Johnson, Hillsboro; treasurer, Thomas McCullough, Manchester. Mr. Waltz was elected by the Forum to coach freshman debating.

event will be held on the following evening.

Class Day

Miss Thelma Fitzgerald of Methuen, Mass., will be the chairman for class day on Friday afternoon. This will include the ivy planting by Miss Dorothy Britton, Walpole, and other interesting items in a program in charge of Miss Anna M. Courtemanche, Lebanon. Paul C. Rizzi, Milford will head the corps of ushers and Edward L. Presby, Lisbon, will represent the underclassmen.

Graduation

The conferring of degrees and address will occur in the Colonial theater on Saturday morning, June 25. Hosts of relatives and friends will be present at that time. A colorful academic procession of members of the State Board of Education, faculty in black gowns and gay hoods, and members of the class will march from the campus to the theatre. Here President Mason will preside, and the address will be given by Rev. William Porter Niles, D.D., Nashua.

Special music and the presentation of diplomas and the announcement of prizes will conclude the ceremony and the graduation of 1932 will be at an end. Class of 1932, hail and farewell!

Sigma Pi Epsilon

The Saturday night social on June 11 was in charge of the Sigma Pi Epsilon (the English club), and took the form of a mock trial. The case tried was "Detective" Stories vs. Keene Normal School. The act was written and directed by members of the club, under the direction of Miss Doris M. Kimball, Beverly, Mass. Miss Ruth Lennartson, Pembroke, was the judge. Other parts were taken by the following: the Misses Adeline B. Cygan, Manchester, as clerk; Dorothy M. Cunningham, plaintiff; lawyer; Mildred Berquist, Manchester, defendant lawyer; witnesses: Jean Ellen W. Marshall, Groveton; Kora Katnip, Eugenia G. Lambert, Hooksett; social worker, Doris B. Wilson, Concord; society girl, Geraldine W. Haywood, Newcastle; critic, Ruth C. Winslow, doctor, Dorina Mitchell, Newfields; business woman, Dorothy M. Tibbetts, Keene.

A period of dancing followed, with music by the girls' orchestra.

De La Salle

On Monday, June 13, the De La Salle presented to the school as a token of their appreciation, two lamps, a reading lamp and a floor lamp. It was suggested that these be used at the school camp.

At the last regular meeting of the De La Salle, officers for the year were elected as follows: president, Genevieve McGirr, Concord; vice-president, Earl Harris, Franklin; secretary, George Sullivan, Penacook; treasurer, Jeannette Diotte, Newport.

The De La Salle sponsored a social for the entire student body on June 9 in Armstrong hall. A special feature of the program was the introduction of an original composition entitled "Pleading for You." This composition was played by the composer, Miss Louise MacDougall of Berlin. She was assisted by Miss Kathleen LaCoy, Portsmouth, violinist, and Stuart Cartage, Bradford, drummer. The program was in charge of Stanley Dydo, Manchester.

SENIOR OFFICERS

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Miss Charlotte Nims, Keene; and treasurer, Henry E. Mahoney, Newport.

Officers of the elementary division are as follows: president, Miss Dorothy J. Britton, Walpole; vice-president, Miss Alice C. Felt, Thomaston, Me.; secretary, Miss Frances E. Hallisey, Nashua; and treasurer, Miss Ida M. Blaseom, Dover.

The class teachers are: Miss Marion M. MacDonald of the home economics department and Conrad A. Adams, head of the department of trades and industries.

Certain of the officers for the class graduating in 1933 have a part in the graduation exercises.

This class has already selected Martin E. Heffernan, Portsmouth, president; Miss Elizabeth Aldrich, Keene, vice-president; Miss Marion Lathe, Manchester, secretary; and treasurer, Carlton E. Brett, Keene.

SCHOLARSHIP CUP AWARDED

The Kappa Delta Phi fraternity received the scholarship cup for high scholarship announced by President Mason at assembly on June 13, with an average grade of 82.99. The Alpha fraternity followed in order with a grade of 81.77, and the non-fraternity men were third with 81.76.

High ranking individuals in the three groups were Carlton E. Brett, Keene, of the 3H division, 92.21; Dean H. Hall, Winchendon, Mass., special student, a Kappa man, second with 90.73, and Robert D. Bailey, Concord, 4MA, was third with 90.08. The latter is a member of the Alpha fraternity.

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The student body wonders whether Kora Katnip passed her library science exam.

How Come?

Boo P.: "What a pity that handsome men are always conceited."

John C.: "Not always, I'm not."

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EARLY ARRIVAL OF NEW STUDENTS PROVES TO BE SUCCESSFUL EXPERIMENT

Freshman Reception and School Picnic Held in Starting 23rd Year

Activities of the 23rd year at Keene Normal school were opened by the arrival of the freshmen Friday, Sept. 9 for registration. A few of the upper classmen also came to help orient the new class. Students were shown around the campus and given their programs and tests on Saturday.

On Saturday evening a social was given in the gym where dancing took place after a short program.

Sunday afternoon, a tea was given on the roof garden. Each person wore a card bearing his name and address and thus members of the faculty and student body became acquainted.

On Tuesday morning the students gathered at Spaulding Gym

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MISS RUSSELL PRESENTS TALENTED RECITAL PROGRAM

The opening event of the musical season at Keene Normal was a recital on the pianoforte given by Miss Janet Carolyn Russell, Mus. B., the new assistant in the music department. Members of the school and public were admitted free and a good sized audience greeted the artist. Her work showed painstaking study and was satisfactory both from an intellectual and emotional viewpoint. The following program of classical numbers was presented: "Sonata in D Major," "Sonata in A Minor" (Searlatti);

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MAJOR KINGSBURY OF STATE BOARD EXTENDS GREETINGS OF KEENE TO THE FRESHMEN

To the Freshman Class:—

It is a happy privilege to be permitted, as a member of the State Board of Education, to repeat a welcome to Keene Normal School to you, whose eager, alert attitude made a deep impression at your opening assembly, and to assure you of the hearty interest of the entire board in your successful years here.

If, because of economic conditions, there has been the necessity of a smaller entering class and resulting higher standard for selection, you may take a just pride in those qualities of scholarship and character which have brought your admission.

That these same conditions are imposing greater obligations and responsibilities in the distinguished profession which you have chosen for your life work, is but another challenge to the ability and determination which

have brought you thus far and which, I am sure, are going to carry you through.

May I hope that in the years here, in the environment of these attractive grounds and buildings and the sympathetic helpfulness and leadership of faculty and staff, you may find the spirit of work and happiness which has made New Hampshire so proud of its Normal School graduates.

Sincerely yours,

Robert T. Kingsbury.

CALENDAR

Oct. 18, 8:00 Dramatic Inter-ludes, Gymnasium, V. L. Granville.

Oct. 21 - 22 Meeting State Teachers Association, Manchester.

Oct. 24, 8:00 Recital-Lecture, Mrs. Patrick Campbell, "Beautiful Speech and the Art of Acting."

Nov. 5 Fall Sports and "Home Coming Day."

Nov. 7-13 American Education Week.

Nov. 19, 8:00 Bergmann Players in "Tommy" at Gymnasium.

Nov. 23 - Nov. 28 Thanksgiving Recess.

Dec. 3 Manchester Club Ball (pending).

PRES. MASON INTRODUCES NEW INSTRUCTORS AT THE OPENING FACULTY DINNER

Ideals of School Are Stressed At Get Acquainted Party in Fiske Hall

With the opening of the school year in September the members of the faculty of the Normal and Practice schools were entertained by Pres. and Mrs. Mason and the deans, at a dinner in Fiske dining hall. This was in the nature of a get-acquainted party, and after the excellently served meal the president spoke briefly of the ideals of K.N.S. He also took the occasion to introduce the new members of the staff.

Miss Lillian C. W. Baker a HEAD OF HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT



MISS LILLIAN C. W. BAKER graduate of Kansas State Teachers college and with a

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K.N.S. REPRESENTED AT N.E. EDUCATOR'S CONFERENCE

Pres. Wallace E. Mason, Charles W. Cutts, head of the department of economics and

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EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

ORPHEUS CLUB WELCOMES NEW MUSIC STUDENTS

Committees Are Appointed to Plan Year's Music Appreciation Program

The Orpheus club, our school musical organization, held its first meeting Monday evening, Sept. 19 in the music room of Parker hall. Miss Frances Shaughnessy, club president, opened the meeting and introduced Harry W. Davis, supervisor of music, who formally welcomed the new music students.

A committee for enlarging the active membership was chosen: Robert L. C. Tinkham, Manchester, chairman; Miss Miriam E. Phippard, Nashua; Miss Elsie E. Wheeler, Greenville; and Miss Kathleen LaCoy, Portsmouth.

Miss Ruth Forbes of Nashua conducted the program. Miss Isabel M. Blake, instructor in the social science department, gave an interesting description of her visit to the Zulu tribes of South Africa, including some phases of the native music. Musical selections by members of the club completed the program.

The new club members are: Miss Evelyn L. Brinton, Keene, Miss Winnifred Hammond, Manchester; Miss Ada Collins, Colebrook; Miss Frances L. Sweeney, Littleton; Miss Elizabeth Sargent, East Washington; Miss Geneva Dickinson, Bristol; Miss Velma K. Lawler, Washington, Vt. and Charles Stowell, Walpole.

SUNDAY EVENING SINGS

A feature of the fall term has been an informal sing for students held each Sunday evening from 6:30 to 7:00 o'clock in the reception room of Fiske hall. It is planned to continue these pleasant gatherings for the present under the joint auspices of the Y. W. C. A., and the De La Salle Club with the cooperation of the music department of the school.

Miss Ruth Forbes, Nashua, has acted as pianist, and Robert L. C. Tinkham, Manchester, as song leader.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

The Forum

The Forum started its year's activities at a meeting held Thursday evening, Sept. 22. The officers are Miss Helen Couture, Groveton, president; Ernest Peltonen, Newport, vice-president; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro, secretary; and Thomas McCullough, Manchester, treasurer. Valmore Blais, Laconia is chairman of the entertainment committee and is assisted by Stewart Carter, Bradford, and Miss Alice M. Upton, Hancock.

Arrangements have been made for new members' tryouts for both freshmen and upperclassmen are five minute speeches on any subject, to be given before the Forum, and judged by a committee composed of Miss Edna McGlynn of the social science department, Maynard L. Waltz of the department of languages, and Miss Josephine Alteneau of Manchester.

Plans are being discussed for the season's schedule of inter-collegiate debates.

Sigma Pi Epsilon

Sigma Pi Epsilon (the English club) is looking forward to a year of activity and enjoyment. The club officers are: Miss Eugenia Lambert, Hooksett, president, Miss Dorna Mitchell, Newfields, vice president, Miss Ruth Winslow, Mount Holly, Vt., secretary, and Miss Geraldine Hayward, New Castle, treasurer. Sprague W. Drenan, head of the English department is faculty adviser.

Plans are being made for some interesting club meetings. A program committee consisting of Miss Alice M. Upton, Hancock, chairman; Miss Geraldine Hayward, New Castle; and Miss Loretta Bliss, Amherst, has been appointed.

New members, recommended by their English instructors, will be invited to join the club later in the year.

Rural Club

At the first meeting of the Rural club, held on Sept. 28, in the Hale building, Miss Marion Brown, Wolfboro, the president, presided. A committee was appointed to arrange for a contest for a club song. Details will be announced later.

Members listened to an informal address on "Opportunities for Service through New Hampshire Schools" by Harry B. Preston of the faculty. There were 40 members and guests present, including the faculty adviser, Miss Idella K. Farnum, and Miss Amy L. Tenney, of the staff of the Central Junior High Training school.

Y. W. C. A.

The Keene Normal school division of the Young Women's Christian association opened its year's activity with a vesper service held in Huntress Club Room, Tuesday evening, Sept. 17.

Miss Nona V. Haynes of Portsmouth, president of the club, opened the meeting with a scripture reading. Miss Faith E. Woodbury, Bradford, Mass., rendered a vocal solo accompanied by Miss Ruth Forbes, Nashua. Miss Isabelle U. Esten, dean of women, spoke to the girls on "Building the Rock Foundations of Character". She stressed the fact that many of the unfortunate incidents in life are the result of thoughtlessness. School years are the formative period in a girl's life and should be influenced along constructive lines. In closing, Miss Esten read Henry Van Dyke's "A Handful of Clay".

Miss Isabel M. Blake of the Social Science department, faculty adviser of the Y. W. C. A., welcomed the new members. She emphasized the valuable influence of religious life upon our school.

The club anticipates a happy and successful year.

MRS. LUCIA AMES MEAD GIVES ADDRESS ON PEACE

World Traveler Gives Students An Insight into Government Attitudes

Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead, a well known world peace worker, gave an interesting talk in Monday chapel, Sept. 26. She has attended many peace conferences and has a fine understanding of world problems of today.

Mrs. Mead emphasized the fact that children should be trained in our schools to realize the destructive effect of war, and the value of peaceable relations to human progress. She said that few people think deeply enough to see that our present economic depression is traceable to the World War. Mrs. Mead said that, contrary to common belief, it is not natural for members of a species to kill each other; struggle is fundamental, but not slaughter. She appealed to the students, as future teachers, to help lift the burden of war and put internationalism as a patriotic urge, into the hearts of the coming generations.

Dramatic Club

Several changes have been made with the beginning of the school year in the conduct of the Dramatic club. Formerly there has also been a Junior Dramatic club for freshmen. These two organizations will hereafter be consolidated into one. A new constitution has been adopted incorporating these innovations. The chairman of the committee which drew up the new constitution was D. Leonard Harwood, Manchester.

At the annual meeting held in Parker hall on October 5, the following officers were elected for the year: president, Wilfred A. Poirier, Lincoln; vice-president, Miss Doris A. Swanson, Salem, Mass.; secretary, Miss Mary E. Gott, Manchester; and treasurer, Raymond O'Neil, Nashua.

SENIOR STUDENTS OUT ON TEACHER ASSIGNMENTS

For the first period of the year students of the Senior class have received assignments for practice teaching at the various high and rural schools which are part of the training system of the State Normal schools. These are in addition to those members who are in training at Central Junior high and Wheelock schools in the city.

Carlton E. Brett, and William Properzio, Keene, are at Hancock high. Other seniors who are teaching there include: Miss Genevieve C. McGirr, Concord; Miss Armine Burciel, Manchester; and Miss Ruth C. Winslow, Mount Holly, Vt.

Lee E. Goodrum, Westmoreland Depot, is teaching at South Acworth high school and other students on duty there are: Miss Margaret E. Feindel, Berlin; Miss Marion Lathe, Manchester; Miss Marjorie Freethy, Beebe River; Miss Lulu Stylianos, Nashua; and Henry E. Mahoney, Newport. Miss Eva D. Johnson, Claremont Junction, is serving as rural cadet teacher in the first six grades at Acworth.

Miss Margaret Newman, Keene, is student teacher of home economics at Hampstead high school, and William Sweeney, Nashua, is teaching manual training.

Miss Marion L. Pike, Concord, has been assigned to Dalton high school. Members of the Home Economics curriculum in addition to those mentioned above include: Miss Margaret L. Deeg, Sharon, Mass., at Concord high school, and Miss Emma L. Cram, Candia, at Milford high school.

MONITORS NAMED

Monitors have been named for the first quarter. They are in case of upper classmen highest ranking students in the four-year curricula, and the freshmen selected are from honor students in their respective high schools. Edward L. Presby, 3 H J and Miss Thelma G. Ricker, 3 H E Fred Barry, Charlestown High school, and Miss Dorothy L. Britton, Keene High are the four students thus honored.

ALPHA PI TAU

Conrad A. Adams, head of the department of Trades and Industry, and James A. Keech, of the Department of Science, have accepted the invitation to become honorary members of the Alpha Pi Tau.

The members of the fraternity received some very gratifying news when at the first regular meeting of the year, President Wallace E. Mason, promised them the Shedd house as a fraternity house after mid-years. They wish also to express their appreciation to Mr. and Mrs. Oscar C. Gallagher, for so readily consenting to the new arrangement.

George A. Sullivan, Penacook, and George C. Knox, Concord were the Alpha representatives on the committee for the Freshman smoker.

Carl Johnson: "What's a pessimist?"

"Dunk" MacLean: "A fellow that wears both a belt and suspenders."

ART DEPT.

The freshmen members of the art course this year are as follows: Rena Batchelder, Claremont; Francis Pace, Portsmouth; and Lea Peat, Acworth. Carolyn Chandler, Keene is a special student. The art-music students are: Ruth Mary Doe, Northwood and Ada Collins, Colebrook. We wish them a very successful year and hope that they will enjoy their studies with us.

The members of the art supervisory course who are practice teaching for this quarter are: Charlotte Thibodeau, Claremont, in Hillsboro schools, Keene Junior High and Wheelock Practice school; and Albert F. Brown, Lawrence, Mass., supervises the art work in the Hancock school, Central Junior High and Wheelock.

We are sincerely glad to know that Miss Lucy H. Doane, former supervisor in art, has an excellent position in the high school at Braintree, Mass.

KAPPA NEWS

Congratulations to brothers "Jonnie" Frye, "Bob" Cutter, "Bus." Perkins, and "Ray" Camp of the alumni, each of whom have announced their marriage which occurred during the past summer.

"Gil" Tuson and Harold Edgerly are back for further practice teaching. The former is at Central Junior High, and the latter commutes for a part of each week from his Rochester home.

Gamma chapter served its annual tea to the faculty, Wednesday afternoon, Sept. 28, from 4 to 5:30 in the house, on Appian way. Pres. Martin E. Heffernan, Portsmouth, assisted by the other officers, received about 70 guests during the afternoon. Miss Isabel U. Esten and Miss Ida M. Fernald, deans of women poured.

The tea was in charge of the following committee: Edward L. Presby, Lisbon, chairman; Stanley F. Dydo, Manchester; John H. Day, Hillsboro; and Edward F. Broderick, Wilton.

TRADES AND INDUSTRIES

William Properzio, Keene, is teaching in Hancock this period; William Gamester, Portsmouth, at Rochester; Earl M. Colbeth, Portsmouth, at Concord; and Walter E. Miner, Keene, at Laconia.

The vises which were manufactured last year in the machine shop by men who were getting their credit in industry have all been sold, and there is a demand for more. Roger Smith, John Matthews, and Everett Snow, who have been working in industry, have returned to school for their credit, and will shortly begin work on the manufacture of a new lot.

Francis Tate and Richard Hebert of the junior class have been renovating the field house by the athletic field.

Every member of last year's Freshman class has returned this year to take up his Sophomore duties.

HOME ECONOMICS

On Sunday, Sept. 18, a reception and tea was held in the Blake house for the Freshman Home Economics girls. Miss Mildred A. Knox acted as hostess and Miss Thelma E. Ricker poured.

Our practice division is placed as follows: Margaret Deeg at Concord, Marjorie Freethy at South Acworth; Margaret Newman at Hampstead, Armine Bursiel at Hancock, and Emma Cram at Milford.

Elizabeth Aldrich who was teaching at Dalton has returned to classes as the Home Economics department there has been closed to practice teachers. Sally Griswold '32 has the position as permanent instructor.

Monday, Oct. 3, the Home Economics Club held its first meeting at the school camp. A very delicious supper was prepared and served by the upperclassmen. Miss Knox, the president, outlined what promises to be a very educational and enjoyable year.

MUSIC NOTES

The Mens' dance orchestra has organized with the best prospects that it ever had. The orchestra has, at present, eleven excellently balanced pieces under the leadership of Edgar L. Paris, Manchester. The organization has appeared at several of the Saturday evening socials and the attendance of students has greatly increased, undoubtedly because of the quality of music offered.

The chapel choir has made a splendid start of what promises to be an excellent year of vocal octette music.

The Orpheus club held its reception to new members on Monday evening, October 3. The program was in charge of Miss Dorothy A. Kane, and Miss Miriam Phippard was chairman. A business meeting was followed by games of a musical nature. The program consisted of a string trio, an instrumental quartet and piano solos. Refreshments were served.

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GREETINGS, FRESHMEN!

We cordially welcome you to K. N. S. and the opportunities which it extends to you!

Each fall we return to find changes and improvements over the methods of the preceding year. From the experience of former years we came to realize that the first few days of the entrance to school were not as harmonious as we desired to see them. The process of adjustment was not easy, particularly for the freshmen.

Consequently, the administration introduced this year, a plan of orientation, with the hope that the entering students would merge gradually into their life here and become, quite naturally, a part of it.

For this reason the Freshmen registered on Friday, Sept. 9, three days earlier than the upper class students. In the days that followed we endeavored to introduce them to K.N.S.

In years to come, building upon the lessons of this experiment, this plan will, doubtless, become even more significant. At any rate, we have so far succeeded that we are scarcely able to distinguish Freshmen from upperclassmen, so inconspicuously have they become an essential part of us.

You have our sincere good wishes, Freshmen, and may you find what you are seeking.

Because of the limited enrollment in the entering class, as prescribed by the State Board of Education, it has not been necessary to use Duffy or Elliott houses. In addition to the cottages used for men last year, Shedd house, at 12 Marlboro street, and Jones house at 380 Main street will house men students this year.

Plans are made for the annual reunion of K.N.S. alumni in connection with the meeting of the New Hampshire Teachers Association. The date is 12 noon, October 21, and the place Manchester. As usual there will be greetings from the school and a pleasant renewal of friendships. Alumni, we are counting on your presence at Manchester, Oct. 21st.

PERSONAL
AND
OTHERWISE

By H. B. P.

Several of the members of the K.N.S. faculty spent a part of the summer vacation in advanced study. Among those so employed and the institutions attended were the following: Frederick J. Simmons, Maynard C. Waltz, Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, Mrs. Ethel J. Ramsden, Harvard; Miss Louise M. Norton, Columbia Teachers College; Miss Isabel F. Worth, Breadloaf school, Middlebury college; Merton T. Goodrich, Miss Lillian Brownlee, Miss Mabel M. Fisher of the Wheelock school, Boston university; Roy W. Terrill of the Central Junior High, University of New Hampshire. Dean H. D. Carle taught at the summer session of the Plymouth Normal school, in the department of science.

Alden Way Eaton came to make his home with Mr. and Mrs. Spencer E. Eaton, 48 Bruder street on July 19. He joins the group of interesting children comprising the "junior faculty."

A summer course in the history of education taught by Prof. Franklin C. Roberts, formerly of the Keene Normal faculty, was reported as one of the most popular courses at the Boston University summer session. It had an enrollment of over fifty students.

The Misses Jean F. Baird, and Martha E. Randall report an interesting and profitable trip through southern Europe. Miss Vryling W. Buffum, librarian of the Mason library, spent the summer in the Kentucky mountains as the guest of the director of the Pine Mountain school settlement at Cilley.

Some of the conventions and institutes at which members of the faculty were in attendance during the vacation were as follows: Annual conference of superintendence and headmasters, Plymouth, President Mason,

OUR CAMPUS

It is something of a satisfaction to know one's efforts are appreciated. So it is with a deep feeling of respect, admiration and gratitude that we, the students of Keene Normal school wish to express our appreciation to President Mason for planning, fostering and accomplishing the many beautiful new attractions on and about our campus.

We are grateful to the class of 1932 for the clock on Huntress. It is a never-failing source of correct information.

Our waitresses' attempts to improve the appearance of our dining room by the addition of flowers, certainly makes the place much more attractive than ever before. The new curtains add to the charm of the place.

No more do we look at walls half adorned with paint. The classrooms in Huntress look very fresh in their new coats of buff.

It is with delight, also that we find our athletic department improved in equipment. It will add to our recreational life on Campus.

The girls of the school are grateful for the excellent new furnishings in their Huntress hall club-room. They add both to the attraction and comfort of the clubroom. We are looking forward to many pleasant winter evenings.

It is perhaps the greatest pleasure of all, to the students upon entering the Mason library, to find in it so many new and valuable volumes. We were always proud of our library, but today we have an even better right to be proud of it.

There are many other improvements of which we are appreciative and of which we are proud. We rejoice in the fact that we can truly say, that Keene Normal school never was so beautiful, so well equipped, so attractive as now. We feel safe in prophesying that it will not be so very long before New England will know no better Normal school. D.M.K.

Dean Carle, Supervisors Vaughan, Farnum and Skelton, Charles W. Cutts; National League of American pen women, Franklin, Miss Idella K. Farnum; Isles of Shoals conference, off Portsmouth, Harry B. Preston.

ALBERT E. GAUTHIER
GETS MASTERS DEGREE
FROM MIDDLEBURY

Albert E. "Curley" Gauthier, of Franklin, a graduate of the class of 1928 in the four-year course with a degree of B.E., was granted his master's degree at the close of the summer session at the French school at Middlebury college. The ceremonies were held in the Mead Memorial chapel. So far as is known Gauthier is the first of the Keene Normal degree men or women to receive an advanced degree.



ALBERT E. GAUTHIER

Following graduation here "Curley" taught for two years in the high school conducted by Plymouth Normal at Hampstead, as critic teacher. Last year he spent in graduate study of French at Middlebury. He is at present living in Franklin and hopes to resume teaching in the near future.

Gauthier was awarded one of two scholarships given by James Richardson, to the two students who, in the opinion of the faculty, have shown most progress in their studies and who have also contributed most to the general welfare of the entire student body.

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The engagement has been announced of Hermon E. Erwin of Keene, to Miss Shirley Swanson, of Pigeon Cove, Mass. Erwin graduated from the Trades and Industry course at K.N.S. and has for two years taught at Rockland, Mass., High school.

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

1925

Miss Normandie Rioux of Somersworth, a graduate of the three-year junior high school course in 1925, has accepted a position as instructor in French and director of girls' athletics at the new Colby High school in New London. She has taught in Berlin and Newport and attended summer sessions in Columbia teachers college and has also studied in Paris.

Lewis J. Streeter, West Keene, has accepted a teaching position in Springfield, Vt. High school. Mr. Streeter was in one of the first classes of young men students to graduate from Keene Normal school. He has been submaster and principal at Wilton High school for several years. He is teaching mathematics and civil government at Springfield.

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Miss Marjorie Fay, Hinsdale, who graduated from K.N.S. in the three-year Junior High course in 1930, and who taught for two years in Lempster, has been engaged as a teacher at the Rice school, Winchendon, Mass.

1931

William H. Steele, Manchester, 1931, who last year was submaster at the Charlestown High school, has this year been promoted to the position of Headmaster in the same school.

Harold E. Morrill of the same degree class, who taught in 1931-32 in Moultonboro, is this year at Charlestown as sub-master.

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1931

Donovan H. Stevens of Franklin a graduate from the four-year course in 1931 is teaching the upper grades at the school conducted by the Golden Rule farm in Hill.

TEACHER POSITIONS

We plan to begin the publication in the next issue of THE KRONICLE of the complete list of the placements of the 1932. Already over fifty per cent of the of the graduates have secured positions, a most satisfactory condition, considering the over supply of teachers in the other states.

FENTON-WRIGHT

Miss Bertha Evelyn Wright of Jaffrey, graduate of the four-year home economics class at Keene Normal School in 1928, and Paul J. Fenton of Andover, were married on July 9 in the Baptist church in Jaffrey, with Rev. Frank K. Neary officiating. Miss Wright, since graduation from Keene has taught in Stevens High school, Claremont and Pinkerton academy, Derry.

Austin Fenton, brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man, and the bridesmaid was Mildred Fenton, sister of the bridegroom.

The church was decorated in an unusually beautiful design with evergreen trees, roses and numerous other flowers. Soon after the ceremony the couple departed on their wedding trip to New York. On their return they will reside in Derry Village.

MANY K.N.S. GRADUATES
TAKE ADVANCE COURSES
FOR SPECIAL DEGREES

A larger number than usual of the graduates of last June are this year taking advanced courses and courses for degrees in other institutions. Among those who are known to have registered for further study and the institutions represented are the following: Miss Frances Bickford, Manchester, at Vesper George school of Art, Boston; the Misses Dorothy A. Snow, Keene, Rena A. Torrey, Keene, Alyce L. Gage, Pelham, and Rita Anderson, Portsmouth, at the University of New Hampshire; Miss Malah Blackman, Keene, at New York University; the Misses Marguerite DuBois Belmont, Mass., and Mary W. Hoy, Beverly, Mass., at Boston University.

Harold W. Dewyea, Keene, a member of the class of 1933, has been selected for membership in New college, a part of Columbia University Teachers college; New York City, and founded this fall by Prof. Thomas Alexander and designed for the special purpose of educating teachers for teacher training institutions.

ZING-JOYAL

Miss Dorothy Joyal, of Lawrence, Mass., was married in that city on June 27 to Adrian Zing, of Manchester. Miss Joyal graduated from Methuen, Mass., High school and from the two-year elementary course at K.N.S. in 1930. Mr. Zing is a graduate of Manchester Central High school. The couple spent the summer at Old Orchard Beach, where the groom was engaged with a popular dance orchestra.

MESSAGE TO ALUMNI

The Alumni Editor wishes to announce to the Alumni that we have planned a new, and we think, interesting column for you this year. We are going to print the whereabouts and doings of as many of the students of all the classes from the first as we have time and information. We would be grateful to you, who have graduated, for aiding us in this task by sending in such information about yourself or friends.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

THE WOMAN'S ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

For the benefit of the Freshmen girls who may have been mystified the letters W.A.A., we undertake to explain their significance.

With the abolition of varsity athletics last year, the point system of earning awards was introduced. Its main objectives are to foster participation on the part of all students and to co-operate with the physical education department in promoting better physical efficiency.

It is also hoped that a large degree of permanent interest will be gained in these sports, and that Keene Normal school will have been instrumental in the acquiring of it.

So, begin now, if you haven't already, while the year is still young and you are just beginning your work here, to gain these points! The scale may be found on the bulletin board of Parker Hall.

SPORT NOTES

Has your tennis improved? If not, you are neglecting to take advantage of the splendid opportunity which Mr. Drenan offers in his special classes for beginners. It is noted that a great many more are playing tennis than in the past. Is it because time spent on tennis may also be used as credit for gym work? Be honest now!

Badminton, which was introduced here last year, is still popular, but have you noticed who it is that plays this skillful game? It is the young ladies! Perhaps the young men think that it is purely an old maid's game. Well, you know, the same thing was said of tennis a few years back and see what changes have come about.

Dot: "Lloyd clapped his hands when I was singing."
Eldora: "Over his ears?"

CROSS COUNTRY

As part of the recreation program, cross country has been introduced to the men students here in K.N.S. this fall. A squad of 10 men show very promising material for the season's team. The men who compose the cross country team are the following: Henry Hastings, Newport; Martin Heffernan, Portsmouth; Cross country leader, Maurice Kalloch, Concord; Carroll and David Fortier, Chocoma; Paul Bridges, So. Eliot, Me.; Emerson McCourt, Portsmouth; George Corson, Keene. A few meets are to be scheduled in the near future. Trials were held over the 2 1/2 mile course, last week and each man's time was considered fair by Mr. DeMar, who has consented to work-out with this year's team. With Mr. DeMar to help, our cross country team should be a winning team, and an honor to K.N.S. M.B.K.

RECREATIONAL PROGRAM

The new recreational program which went into effect this fall started off with a bang. It consists of many varieties of athletics which gives every student here in K.N.S. a chance to participate in the sport he or she desires. The program is run six days per week giving each student a chance to get their required number of hours for credits in physical education. The program is bound to be a big success. These first three weeks have showed that this is true in every way. There are students who dislike this innovation, but a greater number like this new system very much. Mr. Caldwell is doing a great piece of work in carrying on such a broad curriculum. Cross country, golf, and swimming seem to be very popular with the men; tennis, field hockey, swimming, badminton, and archery with the girls.

This new recreational program is now in full swing. So let's go out for the various sports and make it even more successful than it is now. M.B.K.

TENNIS

No depression here — hours are not cut! After the long summer vacation, with the opening of school, September brought a turn for the better in the fortunes of the tennis courts. All summer long, they have remained idle — with no summer school students to beat them down — and now, they have settled down seriously to work from six-thirty in the morning until it is too dark at night to see the little red or white pellets bounding back and forth across the nets.

Sometimes we wonder, after seeing the benches lined with observant men, whether our co-eds are really playing tennis for the love of the game or merely to show off their new fall frocks or to display their athletic prowess to the audience. For those who are really interested or talented in the net game, this censure is not intended since we know that there is real joy and pleasure in being able to play tennis in such a way as to be called a tennis player and not a novice.

As is the situation in nearly all normal schools, our tennis courts are overcrowded after school hours, especially since the new physical education program has been inaugurated, making one hour of gym work outside of class compulsory. In order to ameliorate this condition, we might suggest that the girls enforce the regulation ruling that only one set is to be played if others are waiting. Although we are not advocating that our girls become "suitcase students" we would be greatly pleased if those people who are planning to go home for a weekend would get their tennis played at the beginning of the week and not crowd the courts on Thursdays and Fridays.

We are glad to see that the depression has disappeared from our campus and to see that our

SPORT NOTES

We are pleased to pass along the news that Coach David Webb, formerly of this school, is studying at B.U. Along with his studies Mr. Webb is teaching gymnasium work.

More than a few are taking a great interest in golf. Almost every afternoon there is a group at the Hyde street athletic field practicing the various swings under the supervision of those who know a little more about the game.

A great deal of time is being spent on Speedball this season. It is a fast game and provides many thrills. It is a game involving the principles of football and soccer. The freshmen men are developing some excellent players and it will not be long before a challenge is issued to the sophomores. If a challenge is issued and accepted we can look forward to some real fast playing.

Something new in the way of equipment is now in the process of construction. It is the track on the athletic field which is nearing completion. It may be impossible to complete the project this fall, but by spring the track will be in "first-class" condition. With such a splendid track we hope to see more and more men taking advantage of this age-old sport, and who knows but what you may turn out to be another Clarence DeMar!

More and more women are getting into track sports so why not here? Let's see some of our women down on the track doing the turns at "high-speed." One never knows but what we might turnout another "Babe" Dietrickson!

equipment is not only being utilized, but worked overtime. Let's hope that it continues to be so, for that is what it is here for. F.A.R.

EXCHANGES

The Exchange Editor of THE KRONICLE invites high schools, teacher training institutions, and Junior colleges, who so desire, to exchange their respective school publications with us. We hope that all old friends will continue to send their papers, and that during the school year 1932-33 we shall see many new contributions coming to our desk.

THE EASTERNER

Ball State Teachers College
Muncie, Ind.

The Freshman edition of THE EASTERNER is a paper worth looking over and using as a standard of comparison. It is entirely devoted to advise and suggestions to the freshmen and among the outstanding points of excellence is the editorial department giving the more serious aspects of the college life and work. This edition is also valuable as a reminder to upper classmen.

THE BROADCASTER

Hancock High School
Hancock, N.H.

The first number of this little paper was published last June by the students of our practice school at Hancock, under the direction of Miss Rosamond Jerauld, '32. Most of the material was compiled by members of the Junior class who had completed a unit on the study of the essay. There is a department devoted to athletics, alumni notes, and a joke column, headed "Skull Busters". We hope that the paper will be continued and the copies will be forthcoming to our exchange desk.

THE COLLEGE EYE

Iowa State Teachers College
Cedar Falls, Iowa.

An innovation in college journalism is used to excellent advantage in THE COLLEGE EYE, in its first edition of this fall, namely, the use of editorial material of general interest clipped from city dailies. The cover topics of national and international interest and serve to broaden the scope of the editorial page.

LITERARY COLUMN

By D.M.K.

CHARGE OF THE FRESHMAN

(With Apologies to Alfred Tennyson)

Half a league, half a league
Half a league onward,
Into Keene Normal School
Rode all the Freshman
"Forward, the new Brigade
Charge for your rooms!" they
[said,

Into Keene Normal School
Rode all the Freshman.

"Forward, the new 'Brigade'!"
Was there a man dismayed?
Not tho' the Freshman knew
Each one had blundered:

Theirs not to make reply,
Theirs not to reason why,
Theirs but to do or die.
Into Keene Normal School
Rode all the Freshman.

Seniors to right of them
Juniors to left of them
Sophomores in front of them
Smiled and were cordial.

Stormed at with rules of rights,
Timid were they with fright.
Into the jams of work,
Into the mouth of new life
Rode all the Freshman.

* * * * *

When will their glory fade?
Oh, the wild charge they made.
All the school wondered.
Honor the charge they made,
Honor the new "Brigade",
All these new Freshmen. R.M.D.

THE GOOD EARTH

By Pearl S. Buck

"The Good Earth" is, without exception, one of the best books that I have had the opportunity to read in many a long year. It tells of the life and labors of Wang Lung, a common Chinese — just one of the many millions like him in China today. Through Wang Lung, Mrs. Buck presents a graphic picture of social conditions in that little known country.

Told in very simple language, as befitting the simple life of the people it describes, it nevertheless holds one's attention from the first page to the last; and, while there are no emotional storms in it, the book surges with subdued emotion which the reader cannot help feeling. E.L.P.

EDUCATION NOTES

Although there was an increased enrollment of more than 1400 pupils according to figures issued by the State Board of Education the current costs of the New Hampshire public schools system during the year ending June 30 were reduced \$72,000. The average attendance throughout the state increased from 71,523 to 81,950 while costs were reduced from \$6,433,228 to \$6,381,127.

Statistics given out by the board show that the average cost per pupil, during the year ending June 30, was lowered from \$91.51 to \$88.69.

With the beginning of the school in September a new high school was opened at New London with five teachers. Formerly students of this town have been served by Colby academy. The latter institution has become a Junior college. The new four year course will be given in the town school building which has been renovated and changed during the past summer to accommodate the additional pupils.

Ernest P. Conlon, former boys' work secretary of the state Y.M.C.A. has accepted a position on the faculty of Kimball Union academy at Meriden, where he will be instructor in Bible study and director of student activities. Mr. Conlon has been in charge of Camp Belknap since 1917 and has conducted courses in leadership of boys at the University of New Hampshire.

Miss Byrl Adams, Manchester, a senior at Plymouth Normal, was recently inaugurated a governor by the student association. This is the highest honor bestowed on any student while in school. At the inaugural ceremony the address was given by Hon. William James Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education.

THE OBSERVER

"—and when I looked from the veranda steps all I saw was Hale building, my home, and the barns." Thus spoke President Mason at the Freshman Reception, in speaking of the school plant of 1911.

Look at the campus today with its modern buildings and well kept grounds and you will readily see the growth that has taken place during the last twenty years! Such growth has not only taken place on the campus of Keene Normal School. There has been a decided tendency towards placing the school on collegiate levels in other things besides academic standards. The grounds, for instance, are well kept up. The benches, nooks, gardens, and walks all provide the freedom of leisure time, as do the grounds of a college. Another recreational feature is our school camp at Wilson pond, with its modern equipment. Then the buildings are in themselves a thing of beauty. They have all the comforts and improvements of any exclusive college and they are well-placed and attractively decorated.

Such are the outward conditions found here, and such are the things of which to be proud. In the midst of such surroundings, and with our standards of 1932, there should not be one student who does not fondly hope that someday Keene will become a State College of Education. J.A.

The 164th year opened at Dartmouth college on Sept. 21. In his opening address President Ernest Martin Hopkins assailed those who sponsored the immediate payment of the bonus to ex-service men and also criticized the workings of direct primary. "The immediate trend of pure democracy," he said, "in practice is toward concentration of power in aggressive blocks seeking special privileges and thus in the eventual establishment of an oligarchy heedless of common welfare."

OPENING FACULTY DINNER

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master's degree from Chicago university is a new head of the home economics department. She succeeds Miss Elizabeth Hendry, who is teaching this year in the Plymouth, Mass., High school. Miss Baker has had experience as instructor in the Kansas State college at Manhattan, and is the author of a text book on clothing.

Succeeding Miss Winifred Booth as girls' physical director is Miss Marjorie Bateman. The latter holds the degree of B.S. from the University of Minn. and A.M. from New York university. She has held many important positions in Y.W.C.A. work and as instructor in physical education in Chicago Normal School of Physical Education and at Franklin college in Indiana. Also in the same department a new instructor is Miss Lucy Clark, R. N. of Hubbardston, Mass. She will combine the work of school nurse with classes in health work. She holds a degree from Columbia university.

Music and Art Assistants

New assistants have been secured for the departments of art and music. To the former comes Miss Janet C. Russell, Mus. B., from Oberlin college conservatory. This is her first teaching experience. Miss Helene Putnam, of Springfield, Vt., is assisting Miss Jean Baird in art. She was educated at Pratt institute, Brooklyn, N.Y.

There will be but one change in the staff of the Central Junior High School, where Charles G. Hapgood will take the place of H. Warren Dow, as instructor in general science. Mr. Hapgood was educated at Fitchburg Normal, and holds a degree from Boston University. He has also taught in public schools and in Fitchburg Normal.

K. N. S. Grads Return

At the Wheelock school Miss Louise Musgrove, K.N.S., '27, of Hanover succeeds Miss Blooma Zeigler, who is this year en-

Miss Russell's Program

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"Variations and Fugue on a Theme by Handel," (Brahms); "Spinning Song" from the "Flying Dutchman," (Wagner-Liszt); Etude Op. 25, No. 7," (Chopin); "Rondo Capriccioso," (Mendelssohn).

FOUR YEAR STUDENTS

Members of the third year Junior High course were selected during the summer to extend their studies through four years, and therefore to become eligible to receive in 1934 the degree of Bachelor of Education. This year the group includes six women and four men.

The four year students are chosen by President Wallace E. Mason and the faculty on the basis of character, scholarship and prospective teaching ability.

Those selected are: Miss Dorothy M. Tibbetts, Keene; Miss Dorothy M. Cunningham, Wilton; Miss Litizia M. Duca, Woodsville; Miss Ruth Lennartson, Concord; Miss Ellen W. Marshall, Groveton; Miss Frances A. Rawstron, Claremont; Earl W. Harris, Franklin; Norman R. Hartfiel, Farmington; T. Ernest Peltonen, Newport; and Edward L. Presby, Lisbon.

HOME WORK

"Pa, what is a board of education?"

"When I went to school, it was a pine shingle."

gaged in further study. Miss Musgrove received her degree of B.E. at B.U. in 1931.

Miss Vera Smith's successor in the 5th grade, is Mrs. Enid Gower, who was educated at Fitchburg and Boston university. Two additional teachers have been engaged at Wheelock due to the large registration. They are Miss Elizabeth Quattlander, also a degree holder from Boston university, and Miss Marion E. Hilliard, K.N.S. '32, who will assist Miss Margaret M. Little in the kindergarten.

Educator's Conference

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geography, and Oscar C. Gallagher, head of the education department, attended the October meeting of New England educators at the Crawford house in the White Mountains, Oct. 2 to 4.

In addition to the round table discussions, Prof. W. T. Foster, economist, Miss Florence Hale of Maine, and Hon. William John Cooper, United States Commissioner of Education, Washington, D. C. gave addresses.

Those in attendance report a most valuable program and a fine spirit of fellowship. In connection with this trip Pres. and Mrs. Mason passed a few days' vacation at Hotel Randell, at North Conway, Dr. Mason's boyhood home.

NOTES

Congratulations to Mr. and Mrs. James A. Keech, on the birth of a son, June 29. He has been named William Lee Keech. Mr. and Mrs. Keech are living this year at 39 Valley Street, as Duffy house at Main and Elliott street is not being used this year.

The school orchestra organized at once and appeared at the opening assembly. This organization has been augmented by Freshman instrumentalists. Miss Dorothy A. Kane, Portsmouth, is to be concert master for the year.

JOKES

A NEW BURDEN

Mr. Waltz in Labor Problems: "I'm afraid I'm going to tax your memory."

Madeline Burpee: "Has it come to that now?"

Kora Katnip has been washing her clothes in the bathroom; nothing in the Freshman Bible forbidding it.

ENGLISH 51

Norma Haynes: "Don't you think Shylock in the 'Merchant of Venice' wore a derby?"

"Peg" MacWilliam: "Something close fitting!"

FRESHMAN RECEPTION, ETC.

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for the first assembly. The program was opened by the reading of the 121st psalm by President Mason followed by the Lord's Prayer and hymn. Welcome was extended by Major Robert T. Kingsbury, Keene member of the State Board of Education; Atty. W. Harry Watson of the Keene Board of Education, Richard P. Flynn of the Chamber of Commerce and Mrs. Paul D. Minnick of the Keene Women's Club. The churches of Keene were represented by Rev. Francis J. Crowley for the Catholic clergy and Rev. Austin H. Reed for the Protestant churches. Ministers of the other churches were introduced.

School Picnic

The annual school picnic was held in honor of the incoming freshman class, at the school camp Saturday, Sept. 17. The students joined in field sports during the morning and worked up an appetite for the dinner of "hot dogs", sandwich rolls, cookies ice cream served by members of faculty.

In the evening a reception to the freshmen was sponsored by the DeLaSalle and the Y.W.C.A. After being introduced to the faculty and club officers in the receiving line, they were entertained by a program from both organizations. Welcome was extended by Wilfred A. Poirier of Lincoln, who also introduced a program consisting of a reading by Miss Palmina B. Quintillio, Keene; vocal solos by Miss Faith E. Woodbury, Haverhill, Mass., with Miss Cecile B. Proulx, Franklin, accompanist; violin solos by Miss Kathleen LaCoy, Portsmouth; and comic solos dances by Lynn T. Richards, Franklin, with Miss Louise MacDougall, Berlin, accompanist.

Jeremiah Rhodes, first principal of Keene Normal School, spoke to the group.

Teacher: "Where was the declaration of Independence signed?"

Stude: "At the bottom."

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Manchester Club
Masquerade

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DRAMATIC CLUB PRESENTS
ONE ACT COMEDY AS PART
OF HOME COMING SOCIAL

Students Display Fine Talent in Lady
Gregory's "Spreading the News"

The opening performance of the school Dramatic club was given at the social on Saturday, Nov. 5. The play selected for the premier was the one-act comedy of Irish life, "Spreading the News," by Lady Augusta Gregory. Most of the cast had previously taken part in dramatics here and those who were appearing for the first time performed in a fine manner.

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MANCHESTER CLUB HAS ELEC-
TION OF OFFICERS AND
PLANS MASQUERADE

The Manchester club composed of students from Manchester and vicinity, and graduates from the two Manchester High schools, has organized and is actively engaged in plans for the annual masquerade ball which is sponsored by this organization.

The date has not been announced at time of going to press but it will probably be held during the week end of Dec. 3.

Club Officers

D. Leonard Harwood has been elected president for the school year. Other officers are: Stanley Dydo, vice-president; Miss Madeline Broderick, secretary; and Thomas McCullough, treasurer. Committee chairmen who will have charge of the annual party and ball have been named as follows: Miss Bernice Adams, refreshments; Ray Harwood, decorations; Miss Josephine Altenau, costumes; Edward Hickey, chaperones; and Edward Paris, entertainment and music.

NEW COURSES TESTIFY TO POPULARITY
OF K.N.S. TEACHER TRAINING
AT SOUTH ACWORTH

About 25 miles north of Keene on the banks of Cold River nestles the picturesque town of South Acworth. In this town is the progressive South Acworth High school, one of the teacher training schools connected with Keene Normal school.

HEADMASTER ACWORTH HIGH SCHOOL



MRS. VILLA HALL WIGHT

This training school has been maintained for three years, entering the fourth, under the supervision of Mrs. Villa Hall Wight, headmaster and critic teacher. The school opened this year on Sept. 6, with 35 enrolled in junior and senior high schools. All the pupils were glad to get back to school where they have so much enjoyment.

The general, the mechanic arts, and the domestic arts courses which are very well adapted to the needs of the pupils are offered. Several new subjects are offered this year, including junior business training, general mathematics, Latin and biology. The students are finding these

subjects very interesting and useful. Excellent texts have been provided for the biology class and more equipment is forthcoming. The pupils earned the money for the equipment the last two years by giving plays. The school is well supplied with texts and reference material. Domestic arts activities are carried on in the kitchen of a nearby house, while mechanic arts is carried on in a barn not far from the school.

During the year assembly periods are held in which something interesting and beneficial to the pupils is presented. A speaker from outside the school or a class exercise is the usual program. The pupils are adept in dramatics, having presented two plays each year. They also competed in the the one-act play contest conducted by the state last year.

Special mention should be given of the appreciation of the members of the school for the unusually helpful cooperation of the librarian of the town. It is possible through her kindness to borrow a great many of the latest books and to have for school use the Christian Science Monitor and all of the magazines that are especially helpful to the students.

A playground has been acquired

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HEFFERNAN IS ELECTED
1933 CLASS PRESIDENT

All Senior Divisions Choose Officers
to Plan Activities for the Year

1933 CLASS PRESIDENT



MARTIN E. HEFFERNAN

Members of the class of 1933 have held class meeting for the election of officers to plan the commencement program which will occur on Saturday, June 24. Martin E. Heffernan, Portsmouth, of the Trades and Industries curriculum, has been made president of the four-year degree group and thus ex-officio class president.

The other officers elected by the degree students are: vice-president, Miss Elizabeth Aldrich, Keene, home economics student; secretary, Miss Marion Lathe, Manchester; and treasurer, Carlton E. Brett, Keene. Both of the latter are members of the four-year English group.

Three-Year Officers

The president of the three-year class is Albert F. Brown, Manchester, of the art course. Miss M. Charlotte Thibodeau, Claremont, also an art student, is secretary; and Frederic W. Beech-

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EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

MRS. PATRICK CAMPBELL GIVES K. N. S. STUDENTS AN ENLIGHTENMENT ON DRAMA

The noted English actress, Mrs. Patrick Campbell, spoke at Spaulding gymnasium, Monday, evening, Oct. 24, on "The Voice as a Medium of expression."

Mrs. Campbell is an example of the old style dramatic tragedienne, and ranks with Bernhardts, Fiske and Duse. She gave selections from many of her successes—such roles as Lady Macbeth, Melisande from "Pellios and Melisande," and Juliet from "Romeo and Juliet." She also cited parts of "Pygmalion" by George Bernard Shaw and the "Twenty-Third Psalm."

Mrs. Campbell criticized the modern stage as made for thrills and mechanics rather than true acting. By her readings she showed how the voice can express emotion even more than gestures and facial expression.

Mrs. Campbell's speaking voice is considered the most beautiful of her time, and Keene Normal school is very fortunate to have heard her.

FRESHMAN PARTY

The annual party for freshmen of the school was held in the social room of the Spaulding gymnasium. A committee of upper classmen was in charge.

Several men of the faculty spoke briefly including Dean H. D. Carle, Clarence H. DeMar, and Merton T. Goodrich. Charles G. Hapgood, instructor at Central Junior High was introduced, as the only new man on the faculty for this year.

Robert Prescott, Meredith, presided. The men's dance orchestra of the school furnished special music with Raymond O'Neil, Nashua as soloist. Recitations were given by Forrest Gray, Portsmouth and D. Leonard Harwood, Manchester.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

Y. W. C. A.

At a very impressive candle-light service held in Huntress Club room, Wednesday evening, Oct. 19, the Y.W.C.A. welcomed a large number of new members to its group.

Miss Nona Haynes of Portsmouth, president of the Club, spoke briefly, outlining the aims and activities. Miss Isabel Blake of the Social Science department, Y.W.C.A. faculty adviser, gave a few words of welcome. She deferred her formal welcome to a later date.

Miss Ruth Lennartson of Concord gave a report of the Conference on Vocational Guidance held at Winchester, N. H., Oct. 15. Miss Lennartson, who acted as song leader at the conference, spoke of the entertainment, and briefly outlined some of the inspiring talks.

The club is very glad to welcome such a large group of new members and looks forward to a year of cooperative activity.

Latin Club

A newly formed club is THE ROSTRA, composed of students who take an active interest in the study of Latin, and who hope to teach that subject. Maynard C. Waltz, head of the language department is faculty sponsor for the club.

Officers have been elected as follows: president, Miss Winona Richardson, Pittsfield; vice-president, Miss Elsie Seed, Salem Depot; secretary, Miss Margaret McKenna, Twin Mountain; and treasurer, Miss Rose Zysk, Keene.

A trio consisting of Philip W. Brown, Pittsfield, Albert F. Brown, Manchester and Lynn Richards, Franklin furnished vocal selections.

Refreshments of doughnuts and cider were served.

"The man who fails is the man who fails to keep on trying."

—Jackson.

The Forum

A regular meeting of the Forum was held Thursday, Oct. 20 in Parker hall. Plans were discussed for the initiation of new members. After the business meeting a debate was held on the question "Resolved that the government should legalize the manufacture and sale of light wines and beer."

The affirmative was upheld by Edward Hickey, Manchester, and D. Leonard Harwood, Manchester; and the negative by Miss Miriam Roby, Belmont, and Donald Piper Meredith, Valmore Blais, Laconia, acted as alternate for the affirmative.

The us-decision style of debate which is being adopted by many colleges and universities was used.

Rural Club

The October meeting of the Rural club, had as guests Miss Phila M. Griffin, elementary school agent for the N.H. Board of Education and Miss Marcia Everett, Trenton, N. J. a "helping teacher" for New Jersey rural schools and co-author with Dr. Fanny Dunn of "Four Years in a Country School." Miss Everett spoke informally and discussed a new program of social studies for rural elementary schools, which was prepared by a committee of which she was chairman. This work has now been published by the New Jersey department of education.

NOTE

A considerable group of students enjoyed an interesting lecture on "The Theatre and the Dramatic Artists of Poland" given in Parker hall on October 28, by Prof. Eric P. Kelley of Dartmouth college. This talk was sponsored by the dramatic workshop department of the Keene Women's club.

"Men must be taught as if you taught them not."—Pope.

MT. MONADNOCK CLIMB IS SOCIAL INSPIRATION - EVEN THE WEATHER IS PERFECT

Ask any one of the 50 or more people who climbed Mount Monadnock, Saturday Oct. 15, if he or she had a good time. Chances are that the answer will be "Yes," followed by some enthusiastic comment, as "swell" or "marvelous."

The group started from Hale building at 9:30 o'clock in two busses and several private cars. Arrangements were made by a committee from the Academy of Science, composed of Emerson McCourt, Portsmouth, chairman; Madeline E. Burpee, Portsmouth; and Loretta Bliss, Amherst.

Everyone agreed that the weather was made-to-order for mountain climbing. Good humor was abundant, and was manifested by the singing of school songs and by the laughing chatter.

Another similar trip will be made in the spring, and it is hoped that even more students and faculty members will join the gay party.

Academy of Science

Eclipse night was observed at the last meeting of the Academy of Science. Each member told of his experiences and, as many were in the total area, much of interest was disclosed. Of particular interest was the effect upon animals. Cows came home, birds were frightened, roosters crowed, and crickets chirped. Merton T. Goodrich, Department of Mathematics, who was at Alfred, Maine, gave a fine account of the sight there and also of the Japanese delegation from Tokyo.

Other reports came from Concord, Rye, Berlin, Hancock, Bethlehem, Fryeburg, and Portsmouth.

Nearly everyone within the total area saw the corona, Bailey's beads and several stars.

PROF. RUGG OF COLUMBIA URGES ADAPTATION OF EDUCATION TO LIVING

Teachers College Professor Illustrates Point from World Travels

The students of Keene Normal school were exceedingly fortunate in having an address by Dr. Harold O. Rugg. Dr. Rugg is full professor of education at Teachers college, Columbia university. He has seen education around the world and is an earnest exponent of a new education.

Dr. Rugg illustrated the effect of our mechanized world on foreign peoples by giving an outline of the history of China, her economic condition, her concept of education.

China, like other peoples, has problems that must be solved. There is overpopulation, a great need of communication, the necessity for more sanitary conditions, and above all, an understanding of how to care for her people.

It is problems like these that test the practicability of education. What kind of an education, Dr. Rugg demands, can bring up children to live in this world? Surely not a formal, mechanical, standardized education that produces people who cannot think and are not supposed to think!

The new education which Dr. Rugg advocates is one grounded in the understanding of how people live. This can be accomplished by combining all the factors in geography, history and all other subjects which effect human living and explain life. This, he says, is only half the job of education. The other half is the task of building up honest and creative personalities.

This present mechanized way of living will undermine our nation unless we have this new concept of education.

Education must teach people to create, to be original thinkers and doers. Our main objective in this is to preserve the integrity of a single human being, to make him an individual who will be honest and serviceable and content with his creative ability.

D. W.

ALPHA PI TAU

The Alpha Pi Tau fraternity will hold its annual dance on the evening of Nov. 18. The committee in charge consists of the following members: Edwin Hill, Keene; Robert S. Prescott, Meredith; James R. Morrill, Pike; and Maurice B. Kalloch, Concord.

John S. Hobson, Concord; Donovan H. Stevens, Franklin; Paul C. Rizzi, Milford; and Ernest Brown, Franklin; were the Alpha men of the alumni returning for the fall sports day, Nov. 5.

After a year at his home in Manchester, D. Leonard Harwood, has joined the junior class in the four-year English curriculum. The forum and Dramatic club as well as the Alpha group welcome him back to K.N.S.

M. K.: "Pardon me for stepping on your feet."

E. J.: "That's all right, I walk on them myself."

ART DEPT.

The Arden Craft club is composed of students from the various art classes. The organization met Oct. 17th and elected the following officers: president, Charlotte M. Thibodeau, Claremont; vice-president, Albert F. Brown, Manchester; secretary, Francis Pace, Portsmouth; treasurer, Barbara Anderer, Wolfboro.

Miss Jean Baird, the faculty adviser, aided the Club in outlining a course of activities for the year.

The Junior High Art club held a Hallowe'en part at the studio, Oct. 28. Miss Baird, Miss Helena Putnam, and the cadet teachers of the art course assisted. It was a pleasant evening spent in playing games and in enjoying the refreshments which everyone had donated. The scene was enlivened with much color by the decorations about the studio, from the black-faced comedians to the gay little Dutch girls.

KAPPA NEWS

Nine members of the faculty were made honorary members of Gamma chapter at an initiation ceremony held at the house on October 25. The welcome was extended by President Martin E. Heffernan and Lynn A. Richards conferred the three degrees.

The new members are: Clarence H. DeMar, Merton T. Goodrich, Maynard C. Waltz, Walter A. Pierce, Oscar C. Gallagher, Harry W. Davis, Charles G. Hapgood, W. Allen Caldwell, and Spencer E. Eaton.

President Mason, an honorary member, spoke for that group, extending a welcome to his associates, and brief remarks were made by Harry B. Preston, house-master of the fraternity. A musical entertainment was then given under the direction of a committee consisting of Brothers Edgar Paris, Robert L. C. Tinkham, and Edward L. Presby.

Refreshments of sandwiches, coffee, ice cream and cookies were served.

HOME ECONOMICS

How many heard the noise in Parker Hall Oct. 19? It was the Home Economics club giving a reception for their freshmen. We had a great deal of fun getting acquainted, playing games and dancing. Everyone enjoyed the cider and doughnuts which were served.

Here is the reason for hurried conferences and weighty discussions among the home economics girls. The club constitution is being revised and the year's program completed. Plans are under way to make a change in membership requirements. Also, we expect a rearrangement of committees. The year's program includes such speakers as Miss Phila M. Griffin, elementary school agent, Miss Elizabeth R. Elkins of the State Board of Education, and Walter M. May, Deputy Commissioner of Education, as well as some of our own faculty members.

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

This is third consecutive year in which there has been no change in the personnel of the instructors of the department.

Alfred J. Mannix, '33 of the Senior class, is rewinding a two-horsepower electric motor, as a project in electrical work. This is the first time a project along this line has been attempted in the shop. It is planned that the motor, when complete, will be used as power for the drill press in the machine shop.

The pattern making department has long been in need of facilities for melting metals. The construction of a small furnace to supply this need is now under way. The air draft for the furnace will be furnished by a positive-pressure blower now being manufactured in the machine shop.

"It is a test of character to be considerate in the crowd when others are too hurried to remember."—J. Edwardson.

MUSIC NOTES

During the week of October 31 the following musicians entertained the Parent-Teachers of Westmoreland and the Men's Club of Swanzy Center; Miss Eleanor Buzzell, East Barrington, trumpet; Miss Audrey Brann, Portsmouth, violin; and Miss Miriam Phippard, Nashua, piano. In Swanzy Center, Miss Kane played a violin solo, "Fiddlin' the Fiddle" by Rubinoff.

A trio composed of Miss Mary Dearborn, saxophone; Miss Ruth Forbes, piano; and Miss Kathleen LaCoy, violin; played for the Parent-Teacher association in South Acworth on Nov. 3. In addition to trio selection, Miss LaCoy played "Flower of Italy," a violin solo, and Miss Ruth Mary Doe, gave interesting readings.

A recent meeting of the Orpheus club enjoyed an interesting program under the leadership of Miss Faith Woodbury, Bradford, Mass.

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ON EDUCATION

"True education means keeping the passage-way clear. The biggest thing we can do for another is simply to open a door, or rather to show him where the door is open, out to a larger knowledge, a broader sympathy, a fuller life. This alone is education, not spoon-feeding information, but deepening the insight and widening the outlook."

We always seem to be confronted with the real nature of this process called "education". The above quotation is from "The Open Door" by Hugh Black and appears to be a very sensible idea of the objective of education and educators.

Now our word "educate" is derived from the Latin, "educere" which is literally "to lead" or "to draw out". Consequently educators are the agents whose duty it is to accomplish that which the word "educate" implies.

The paramount difficulty seems to be a difference of opinion as to just what is to be led or drawn out. It would seem that there is the common mistake of trying to pour something in. This is unfortunate unless there is a proper outlet for this knowledge. The vessels into which learning is poured often lacks the sieve-like quality which can sift the real from the unreal, the false from the true.

Today's educational theory emphasizes the practical. Then it must follow that education should be more natural, a skilful leading or drawing out of what is within. In so far as what is drawn out is fine and valuable it can be directed into beneficial channels. It is also a most important function of education to substitute a right activity for that which, improperly guided, would become harmful or result in defeating the higher purposes of education.

Thus our task as educators is to open doors to our students beyond which they may glimpse vistas of loveliness, truth, understanding. We cannot expect to push or force them through, we must lead them forth gently and firmly and rationally.

As a reward for our successful effort we will see men and women of fine knowledge and with a serene outlook on life which have been tempered by wisdom which alone makes education valuable.

Remember: "Men must be taught as if you taught them not."

D. W.

EXAMPLES OF TEACHER PERSONALITY CITED BY SUPERINTENDENT

Brockton Educator Gives Radio Talk Before Mass. Women's Clubs

Broadcasting from Station WBZ, the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs program, Superintendent of Schools John F. Scully of Brockton, Mass. gave an interesting talk on "Personality." In part he said: "Most people are more interested in themselves than in anything else. If one doubts this he has but to glance at the photograph of a group of which he is a part. What does he look at first? Everyone in my audience knows the answer. Everyone wants an attractive personality. Burns says, 'O wad the power some giftie gie us, to see oursils as others see us.'"

"Two attractive women came to my office one Saturday morning and applied for teaching positions. They were bright and promising. I arrived at their school one beautiful spring morning. The one I visited first had flowers on her desk. She was appropriately gowned. She smiled and her children smiled with her. The class was reading. She went quietly about the room saying a kind word to this one, tying a bandage on a little boy's finger, giving a straightening touch to a little girl's ribbon. It was evident the children were just loving their teacher and she was loving them. She corrected mistakes kindly. She laughed with her children but never at them. It was a happy group, led by a charming personality."

Visits the Classes

"After recess I visited the other candidate. She was the better looking and better dressed. But she had a frown which was not attractive. The children came in from recess noisily. She ordered a boy out to clean the mud from his shoes and another to wash his hands with the intimation that his home should teach him cleanliness. She stalked about the room as if some mistake of fate had placed

her there instead of in the White House. She was the type which make children hate school, hate the teacher and everything connected with education. She informed me that this was the meanest class she had ever seen. All the children heard her. I pitied those children. Think of having to spend five hours a day with a personality like that.

"For the teacher personality is the source of his influence and measure of his power. Contrary to a somewhat general belief, personality is not something that is born with one. A strong personality is not a gift from God, nor is a weak and ineffective personality a visitation from Providence. Nothing just happens in the realm of the spirit. It is caused. Personality grows in the thick of the day's work and play. I say play, for deliver me from the teacher who doesn't know how to play."

Personality is largely in our own hands. To be sure it is easier for some to develop an attractive and compelling personality than for others. The raw material comes with us but the finished product shows the stamp of training.

Teachers Should Be Courteous

"Children, like adults, admire the teacher who is always courteous, never harsh and rude. Sometimes teachers, feeling they are dealing with inferior or undeveloped minds, fail to realize that if they are to receive respect they must always be courteous. Emerson says, 'Life is never so short but there is always time for courtesy.'"

"A sense of humor is a saving grace for anyone but especially is this trait desirable in a teacher who faces forty children, from all types of homes, day after day, in situations which are often trying. I have never yet seen a superior teacher who has not a sense of humor to carry her over the rough places, and who could not enjoy a good laugh at least once a day with the children."

Pleasing Voice Desirable

"Nothing is more effective in the classroom than a pleasing voice. Her voice was soft and low, a very pleasing thing in a woman. I have seen the magic of a pleasing voice in many a school. It is soothing and quieting while a harsh voice harrows the nerves of all young people."

NOTES

FELLOWS-DUTTON

Miss Marguerite L. Fellows of North Sandwich, was married on June 20, to Walter B. Dutton, of Deering. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride's grandfather, Charles Fellows, by Rev. William Streeter, Moultonboro. Mrs. Dutton, who was a member of the class of 1929 at Keene Normal, was attended by two classmates, the Misses Ilene and Erlene Murdough, of Hillsboro. Her teaching experience was gained in the schools of Sandwich.

After a wedding trip to the White Mountains and the Maine beaches the couple are at home at the old Dutton homestead in Deering, where Mr. Dutton is engaged in farming and cattle raising.

1921

Miss Mary C. McQuade of Manchester, graduate of Keene Normal in 1921, has been honored with appointment as chairman of the program committee for the Quota club, International, because of her efficient work as a member of the New Hampshire Quota club.

Miss McQuade is playground supervisor for girls in Manchester, a teacher in the public schools and is active in a broad scope of activities.

1930

Mrs. Albert C. Peabody, Berlin has announced the marriage of her daughter, Miss Hortense O. Peabody, K. N. S. 1930, to Guy F. Burrill, N.H. University, '31, of Claremont. Both bride and groom were teachers last year in the Towle High school, Newport. They will make their home in Newport.

1931

Edward J. Hickey and Raymond L. Harwood, both of Manchester, are back at K.N.S. for a fourth year, taking special subjects.

Miss Mildred Whipple, Keene, spent the summer in a trip to Europe with her mother. She is at her home 284 Court street, Keene, recovering from her severe illness of last year.

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

TEACHING POSITIONS OF 1932 GRADUATING CLASS

Alumni Editors Start Preparation of Reference List

Members of the class last June who have been placed in positions through the appointment bureau are listed below. Considering the over-supply of teachers in some states the efforts of Prof. Charles W. Cutts and other members of the administration of the school have been crowned with a high degree of success. The list will be continued in the following numbers of THE KRONICLE.

Four-Year High School Course

Miss Thelma R. Fitzgerald, Methuen, Mass.; Junior High, Greenfield, Mass.

W. Chandler Hurd, Pittsfield; sub-master, Ashland High school.

Miss Genevieve A. Jaastad, Franklin; Wilton High school.

Miss Edna L. Johnson, Hillsboro; Hopkinton High school, Contoocook.

Miss Virginia A. Park, Pittsfield; upper grades, Pittsburg.

Louis L. Ramsey, Colebrook; critic teacher, Plymouth Normal Practice High school, Orford.

Miss Caroline Tewksbury, Littleton; Bethlehem High school.

Miss Beatrice A. Wilcox, Keene; Junior High school, Greenfield, Mass.

Trades and Industry Course

Elwin W. Avery, East Kings-ton; Penacook High school.

Robert D. Bailey, Concord; Dover High school.

Harold E. Bridge, Keene; Junior High school, Tilton.

Reed D. Hardy, Manchester; Junior High school, Franklin.

John S. Hobson, Concord; State Industrial school, Manchester.

Thomas L. King, Dover, public schools, Derry.

Lloyd T. Olmstead, Concord; Morrill school, Concord.

Home Economics Curriculum

Miss Kathleen Goss, Laconia; Simonds Free High school, Warner.

Miss Sarah Griswald, East Jaffrey; Dalton High school.

Miss Irene E. Jewett, Middlebury, Vt.; Public schools, Monroe.

Miss Ruth M. Langley, Reeds Ferry; Lancaster High school.

Miss Frances B. Peabody, Berlin; Junior High school, Berlin.

Miss Marjorie Rhodes, Walpole; Charlestown High.

Miss Iva Styles, Rochester; Franklin.

Miss Phyllis Whitehouse, Alton; Coos Academy, Northwood.

Miss Eleanor Williamson, Lancaster; Groveton High school.

Music Supervisory Course

Miss A. Katherine Josselyn, Ludlow, Vt.; Derry.

Miss Mildred R. Moore, Greenfield, Mass.; Henniker and Dunbarton.

Miss Dorothy Soule, Manchester; Lincoln.

Art Supervisory Course

Miss Pauline L. Roby, Franklin; Sanbornton Public school.

Three-Year Junior High Curriculum

Miss Olive L. Ames, Pittsfield; Gilmantown.

Lewis D. Bailey, West Lebanon; Canaan.

Miss Ruth Bemis, Chesham; North Surry.

Miss Gladys E. Bridges, Keene; Northfield, Mass.

Miss Francis L. Clark, Troy; Lempster.

Miss Wilma F. Clark, Portsmouth; Stewartstown district.

Miss Mary E. Colby, Suncook; North Pembroke.

Miss Florence Dunningham, Nashua; Tilton.

Miss Lenore Edgecomb, Harrison, Me.; Rochester.

Miss Edith Fletcher, Baldwinville, Mass.; Templeton, Mass.

Miss Helen Huston, Concord; Hooksett.

G. Edward Jones, Manchester; New Hampshire Orphans' Home, Franklin.

Miss Ruth Jones, Manchester; Plainfield.

Miss Anna F. McCarthy, Manchester; Twin Mountain.

Miss Charlotte Nims, Keene; Meredith.

Miss Anne Oulton, Nashua; Hanover.

Paul C. Rizzi, Milford, State Industrial school, Manchester.

Miss Frances Smith, Laconia; Tilton Junior High.

Continued in next issue.

KEENE NORMAL GRADUATES HAVE REUNION LUNCHEON AT TEACHER CONVENTION

More than 130 former students and members of the staff of Keene Normal gathered for lunch together at noon on the first day of the meeting of the State Teachers' association, at Manchester. A fine meal was provided by a local church group at I.O.O.F. hall, Hanover street. At the close of the luncheon President Wallace E. Mason told of the present registration of the school, and gave other news items of interest to the alumni. Copies of the current issue of THE KRONICLE were given to all present. The remaining time before the afternoon session was taken up with the renewal of acquaintances. The reunions of different college groups have become one of the most pleasing features of the annual meeting of the teachers of the state.

In the afternoon section program of the convention several of the faculty served as section presidents, as follows: Miss Jean F. Baird, Art; W. Allen Caldwell, Physical Education; Miss E. Marie Eppinger, Primary. Oscar C. Gallagher, head of the Department of Education, and William F. Skelton, supervisor of secondary training, each spoke at the Higher Education section. Mr. Gallagher was elected president of this section for the coming year.

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1932

John S. Hobson, teacher at the State Industrial school, Manchester, is in charge of a squad of 25 football players. Trustees of the institution have but recently adopted a system of athletics for members with teams to represent the school in football, basketball, and baseball, and to engage in contests with schools throughout the state in the high and secondary school class.

The morale of the school population has increased immeasurably with incorporation of the athletic program.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

CROSS-COUNTRY

On Wednesday, November second, a squad of ten Keene Normal men went over to Concord to compete in a triangular cross country meet with Concord High and Manchester West. The Concord team proved to be too strong and won with a team score of 25. Our Keene Normal team placed second with a score of 44. Manchester West was third with 51. Every Keene Normal man finished the entire 3 mile course and each man deserves a lot of credit for such a fine showing in their first race of the year.

The Keene Normal men finished in the following order: Henry Hastings, Newport, second; Carroll Fortier, Chocorua, ninth; George Sullivan, Penacook, tenth; Paul Bridges, So. Elliott, Me., eleventh; and Maurice Kalloch, Concord, twelfth. Capt. Hefernan, Portsmouth, ran well but failed to place.

The first five men from each team counted in the score. Keene showed up well and the runners gained a great deal of valuable experience, as it was the first time some of the men had been in such an event.

The Concord course was particularly hard and included a steep sand bank, and another hill where the runners had to slow down to a walk to make the grade.

Considering that it was the first competitive race for the Keene boys, who only recently took up the hill and dale sport, the team made a good showing. M.B.K.

MANCHESTER CENTRAL 19. KEENE NORMAL SCHOOL 36

On Nov. 5, Keene Normal's cross country team ran its second meet of the season with Manchester Central, at Keene as part of

SPEED BALL

Speed ball has been played very successfully these past weeks by the men students of K.N.S. Rivalry between each of the five teams has increased. These teams consist of freshmen, A and B, teams, sophomore men C and D, and junior and senior men E.

Norman Hartfiel, Farmington is coach of team A. Earl Harris, Franklin, is coach of team B. Frank E. Bennett, Jr., Keene, is captain of team C. Robert Girardin, Peterboro, captain of team D. Team E has no captain.

The schedule and results of games up to Oct. 26 are as follows:

Oct. 17
Team B won 15 to 3 from Team A
Oct. 20
Team C won 13 to 7 from Team B
Oct. 24
Team D won 18 to 5 from Team A
Oct. 25
Team E won 19 to 4 from Team B
Oct. 26
Team C won 10 to 9 from team A

Finals of this tournament were scheduled to be played Nov. 5 at 3 P.M. as part of the "Fall Sports" program. M.B.K.

Fall Sports' day, loosing to them 19 to 36. Henry Hastings, Newport, finished a close second to John Irving, Manchester. Irving's time was 17 min. 35 3-5 sec. Following Hastings four Manchester men finished in order and Carroll Fortier, Chocorua, seventh; Paul Bridges, So. Elliott, Me, eighth; Maurice Kalloch, Concord, ninth; and Roger Clouette, Penacook, tenth.

Coach Carl James of Manchester, stated that our three mile course was the best marked course that he had ever seen and complimented the student attention given to the management of the race.

The next cross-country meet will be here on Nov. 19 with the Newport Y.M.C.A.

THE W.A.A. PICNIC

The W.A.A. held a picnic at the school camp recently for all active members, that is those having 100 points, and the freshmen girls.

The time was spent in singing, dancing, playing volley ball, baseball, and "murder." Supper consisted of hot dogs, rolls, doughnuts, mince pie and coffee.

A short business meeting was held and the following officers were elected. President, Miss Mildred Berquist, Manchester; Vice-President, Miss Vera Bradbury; and Secretary, Miss Dorothy Cunningham, Wilton.

Miss Berquist explained the system of awards to the freshmen and it was decided to make these awards as soon as they are earned. Regular meetings of the organization are to be held in the near future.

WOMEN'S PHYSICAL DIRECTOR



MISS MARJORIE BATEMAN

NOTE

And if you think that shuffleboard is another game of the Little Lord Fauntleroy type you are mistaken. The other day I saw two of the men students playing it. (They weren't freshmen either.) I was surprised at the skill required to build up a score.

FALL SPORTS' DAY

Fall Sports' Day held here Nov. 5, proved to be very successful and beneficial. This new intramural program was put on in place of the former "Home Coming Day."

The results of the different events were: In the women's events the "Maroons" and "Whites" divided the winning honors. The "Maroons" won the field hockey game 7 to 3, won two out of three sets in badminton, and won the swimming matches 16 to 14. The "Whites" won first place in bowling, archery and field ball.

In boys' speed ball the juniors and seniors defeated the freshmen for the school championship, 14 to 13. The winning junior and senior lineup included the following: Ted Hill, Keene, center; Ray Luxford, Landuff, Laurent Ruell, Ashland, and Harold Wheelock, Keene, forwards; Raymond Martineau, Farmington and Maurice Kalloch, Concord, ends; George Knox, Concord, Lynn Richards, Franklin, Neale Curtin, Portsmouth, Roy Gove, Newton Junction, and Howard Wheeler, Milford, backs; and Robert Ringland, Keene, goal.

Miss Vera Bradbury, Bradford, captained "The Maroons" of the winning field hockey team. Miss Louise Tewksbury, Littleton, captained the loosing "Whites." Doris Morgan, Hampton, was champion in badminton and Josephine Altenau, Manchester, runner-up. In the swimming, honors went to Juliet Blackburn, Berlin; Anna McGarthy, Concord; and Louise Tewksbury, Littleton. The "Whites" won in archery 41 to 20.

Miss Faith E. Woodbury, Haverhill, Mass., had high individual bowling score of 69 and Marjorie Cummings, Manchester, was runner-up with 64.

THE OBSERVER

The following letter from Miss Jean F. Baird, head of the Art department appeared recently in the columns of a New Hampshire daily.

Art in The Schools

That the special teacher and supervisor of art is being dropped from the payroll in many places does not mean that art has been dropped from the curriculum.

Even though we feel that the step of curtailing school art is shortsighted, we have faith that few educational administrators call school art an over-expensive and unnecessary—or solely recreational subject.

But a small minority still call art in school a frill. Their knowledge of its field of usefulness is limited. The most modern and meaningful goal of school art is service—to pupil, teacher, school, home and community.

There are some things we know and more that we ought to know about school art.

1. We need art in every school.
2. "Drawing" is only part of school art.
3. School art fosters culture, individuality and democracy.
4. Cultural returns are needed as much as money in a community.
5. The public sees and judges the work of a school largely through its art activities.
6. Because of extra labor or lack of competence and confidence many unsupervised teachers will allow a slump in school-room attractiveness and opportunities for creative expression.
7. The application of art to school life is so extensive that even a "gifted" or competent teacher, can not, unsupervised, cope with preparation and application.
8. The present situation is expensive saving.

What a front door is to a house, that is art to a school. You can get in by the back door, but one prefers a front door and when there is a front door one likes to use it.

The gas man, and the grocer, and the garbage man go to the back door—but even they would like to use the front door occasionally.

Your guests always come to the front door, and you seldom send them out by the back door.

EXCHANGES

By M. B. S.

THE ANCHOR

R.I. State College of Education Providence, R.I.

The cuts and headings for each department are excellent both in quality and appearance; such things undoubtedly add to the general makeup of a paper and help to raise its standard. There is a good variety in the material published, and each department is of fine literary quality. We hope to see more of THE ANCHOR.

FORTNIGHTLY CHRONICLE

Duluth State Teachers College Duluth, Minnesota

A small weekly paper could hardly contain more and a greater variety of material than the FORTNIGHTLY CHRONICLE does; a number of short, compact and important articles combine to make this achievement possible and it is an achievement worth being noted and reproduced by other papers. The personal items are quite unique as is the Student Alumni column, a valuable feature of any paper.

NORMALITE

State Normal School Paterson, N.J.

The literary material in this monthly edition, THE NORMALITE, is by far its best feature, its one good point we might say. The other material is extremely trite and the over used type which any mediocre paper can boast of. More variety and originality should be your maxim.

We are so used to a front door that no one thinks of doing without one. It is the pride of the architect and the owner. It opens into the most attractive part of the house. It leads you into a pleasant, comfortable, homey atmosphere. It invites you to come to stay, and to come again. It is beautified and preserved. It is the center of attraction to passers by, and partakes of the character of the inmates.

The opportunity to make school art function in its various fields—school, home, and community is an open door. It invites every lover of beauty and children to bring it back to its proper place in education.

EDUCATION NOTES

By J. T. A.

Mrs. Louis P. Elkins, of Concord, a member of the State Board of Education recently spent a fortnight in a speaking tour of Minnesota, North Dakota and Wisconsin in behalf of Hoover and Curtis. Mrs. Elkins is a sister of Mrs. Bertha R. Page, head of the New Hampshire Republican Women's State Committee.

At Bridgewater Normal this year, freshman initiation rules, which were drawn up by the sophomores are being strictly enforced. Some of the rules are as follows: While in Bridgewater the freshman shall wear a band of orchid ribbon around the forehead, use no cosmetics and carry a paper shopping bag for books. Failure to comply with these regulations means: first offence, warning; second offence, the matter will be brought up before the committee in charge of enforcing the rules. Then, too, the freshman should allow upperclassmen to precede them in entering the buildings or rooms, they should stand when upperclassmen enter the room or speak to them, no freshman may enter or leave through the main front door or the two back entrances of the administration building until further notice.

Actively taking over the reins of Amherst college, President Stanley King lost no time in bringing up two ancient problems: compulsory chapel and use of automobiles by undergraduates. Chapel exercises will be held four times per week. Attendance will be required with a limited number of cuts.

The students were warned that they will be expected to dress appropriately, that there will be no smoking or eating in the church or chapel building, nor reading of books, note-books, papers or magazines. The use of cars were explained as a distraction from rather than an adjunct to the primary purpose for which the students attended college. The privilege of running a car is to be considered a privilege not a right and an overstepping of rules set would revoke the privilege.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

By H. B. P.

The class of 1932 clock has put in place in the east gable of Huntress dormitory and adds much to the appearance of the campus. Renovations completed during the summer include the redecoration of the dining room in Fiske hall, and new draperies there; interior painting in Huntress and Hale building, and minor repairs elsewhere. Much of this repairing can be done only once in two years because the State Normal schools summer session is held in Keene on alternate years.

Speakers at the Monday morning assemblies have provided programs of more than usual interest so far this year. Aside from Mrs. Lucia Ames Mead, mentioned in the last issue of THE KRONICLE, students have been privileged to hear among others, T. Z. Franklin of Hartford, Ct., manager of one of the special departments of the Automobile Insurance company, in a demonstration of various fire hazards, and Miss Lilly Grace Mathewson, field secretary of the Women's Christian Temperance Union, who was touring the state in the interest of temperance education. The members of the four-year senior group have as usual given each Monday a brief address on some current topic.

Many members of the faculty and student body are pleased to welcome to the community Rev. George Lawrence Parker, the new pastor of the local Unitarian church. Rev. Mr. Parker is an authority on Russia, having served as pastor of the American church there. He is also a man with wide intellectual interests and a writer of note.

Sprague W. Drenan, head of the English department has been elected president of the Keene Philatelic society, succeeding Maj. Robert T. Kingsbury, who has served for many years.

SOUTH ACWORTH SCHOOL

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in a situation that is advantageous for the pupils. It is proving an excellent place for the pupils to enjoy physical activities. The boys are becoming expert at kickback football, and the girls are enjoying volley ball.

The primary classes are held in the same building. A cadet teacher from K.N.S. has charge of these grades. The enrollment in the primary room is 26, and Miss Eva Johnson of Claremont is the student teacher for the first quarter.

In previous years the teachers have lived at what was called the "teacherage." There they did the housework and prepared their meals. This year they are boarding at the Maple Farm, and this arrangement allows more time to be spent on main interests.

Acworth high school always welcomes guests. Come to visit the school on the banks of Cold River.

The teaching staff for the first quarter is the following: Miss Marion Lathe, Manchester; Lee Goodrum, Westmoreland; Miss Marjorie Freethy, Beebe River; Miss Margaret Feindel, Berlin; Henry Mahoney, Newport; Miss Eva Johnson, Claremont; and Miss Katherine Sullivan, graduate of K.N.S., 1931, is Mrs. Wight's assistant.

CLASS OFFICERS ELECTED

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man, Manchester, of the Junior High curriculum is the treasurer.

Elementary Officers

Of the elementary group, Miss Helen G. Reed, Newport, is president; Miss Elizabeth Sawyer, Walpole, secretary; and Miss Arlene Sweet, Claremont, is treasurer. Committee members and class teachers will be elected at later meetings.

"Do you know that a wise and good man does nothing for appearance; but everything for the sake of having acted well?"

-Epictetus.

JOKES

A POLITE RACE

First Greek (airing his English): "How is you, I believe?"
Second Greek: "Thank you, I hope."

IN AMERICAN GOVERNMENT

Mr. Preston: "Garfield was shot in the railroad station."
Class snickered; they thought it was a new part of the anatomy.

CONTENTED COWS

Wheelock teacher: "Do any of the children know the meaning of the word 'posture'?"
Bright pupil: "A place where cows are put out to feed."

Kora Katnip says someone must have had a very artistic eye to have added the new cement walks with such curves.

BLAME THIS ON THE DEPRESSION

—And then there was a Freshman who sent home for his flannels. He wanted them for the Freshman Reception.

By special delivery he received two sets of fleece-lined underwear.

CASUALTIES OF ATHLETICS

Joe Altenau and Nat Scott ran a race one Sunday evening to see who could eat the most asparagus on toast. The results of the race cannot be given as both girls suffered sprained wrists while eating.

OBSTRUCTING TRAFFIC

A certain faculty member was pushed away from the book store by a female student, who remarked, "Why can't you freshmen get out of the way and let me buy something?"

—State Signal, Trenton Normal School.

ILLITERATE PARENTS

M. Burpee, trying to decipher the writing in "Jo's" note:

"What's this word?"

"Jo," resignedly: "You're like my father; he always saves my letters, so I can read them to him when I come home."

LISTENERS HEAR NO GOOD

Priscilla Abbott: "Florence was talking about you before you came in. What do you think she said?"

"Iboo" Aldrich: "I haven't any idea."

Priscilla: "You must have been listening."

Kora Katnip wonders where "the cream of the crop" will go with this now intelligent looking class of freshmen.

—OR AMY LOWELL?

The book worm: "Do you ever read Chaucer?"

The young florist: "Oh, yes; I like his 'Canterbury Bells'."

A REAL STUDENT

Mother: "Does my little boy like to study?"

Marion Lathe: He likes to do nothing better.

PAGE EMILY POST

Q. May lettuce be eaten with the fingers?

A. No. The mouth is generally used.

Q. What would be the proper thing to say if, in carving the duck, it should skid off the platter into your neighbors' lap?

A. Be very courteous and say, "May I trouble you for that duck?"

—The Southeastern, Southern Teachers College.

THE ALARM CLOCK'S ALARM

"There's music in the air" or, perhaps in this radio-age we should say "on." Well, no matter, whether it is "in" or "on" it is there forcing itself upon us every week-day morning from 4:00 to 6:45 A.M.

We have an ambitious neighbor who persists in rising early. By the time the alarm clock's alarm has finished alarming (she never shuts it off), we have been rudely transported from the banks of the Lethe. From that time on we are awakened at half-hour intervals. All the other clocks seem to have caught it.

"SPREADING THE NEWS"

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The Cast

The cast included the following: "Bartley Fallon," Edward J. Hickey, Manchester; "Mrs. Fallon," Miss Dorothy Chute, Keene; "Jack Smith," Raymond O'Neil, Nashua; "Shawn Early," A. Wilfred Poirier, Lincoln; "Tim Casey," Raymond Harwood, Manchester; "James Ryan," Carl Johnson, Hillsboro; "Mrs. Tully," Miss Esther Koskela, Troy; "A Magistrate," Valmore Blais, Laconia; policeman, Thomas McCullough, Manchester.

Student committees who assisted in the success of the play were: Neale W. Curtin, Portsmouth, stage manager; T. Ernest Peltonen, Newport, assistant stage manager; lighting, George Donovan, Franklin; scenery, Forrest Gray, Portsmouth; properties, Theodore H. Blanchard; make-up, Miss Doris A. Swanson of Salem, Mass., and Lewis Goffe of Litchfield.

Sprague W. Drenan of the English department, was coach and in general charge of the play which was the first presentation of the season. The production was enthusiastically received.

A casting committee has already made a selection for the parts of a second one-act play in which all the characters will be women. This will be given at a date to be announced.

A change that has met with the approval of the students at Bates College was the allowing of 22 chapel cuts a semester this year instead of the usual 11. It has been apparent in the student protests, classroom debates, and editorials in the college weekly that compulsory attendance at chapels, a source of constant wrangling between students and faculty, has succumbed to the ravages of modern youth.

It's queer about these alarms: they all sing the same song so lustily and merrily and yet they fall so dismally and dolefully on the startled ear! D. B. W.

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Holiday
Greetings

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58 WOMEN STUDENTS,
AND 28 MEN ON 1931-32
SCHOLASTIC HONOR ROLLDean's List for the Year is Announced
Showing High Standing

Based on scholarship standing for the year 1931-32, 58 women students and 28 men students are on the dean's list, and constitute the honor group for the past year. This list has recently been given out from the administration office.

Women's List

The dean's list for girls is as follows:

Altenau, Josephine, Manchester; Anderson, Harriet, Goffstown; Atherton, Emily, Winchester; Austin, Frances, East Jaffrey.

Bates, Marguerite, East Granby, Conn; Brown, Marion A., Wolfeboro; Bumpee, Madeline, Portsmouth.

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WORCESTER ART TRIO IN
PROGRAM FOR STUDENT
ENTERTAINMENT COURSE

The Worcester Art Trio of Worcester, Mass., presented a varied program of chamber music in the Spaulding Gymnasium, Dec. 2. The concert was added by special arrangement to the entertainment course. The members of the trio are: Fredyum Hendrickson, formerly of Keene, Oreste Montagne, cello, and Albert Erickson, piano. Mr. Hendrickson, who has recently changed his residence to Worcester, has been a very popular teacher of the violin and has won admiration as a performer on the instrument. He still retains a studio in Keene.

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PRESIDENT MASON TELLS NEW
ENGLAND EDUCATORS OF N.H.
NORMAL SCHOOL ECONOMIES

Keene President Addresses Teacher Training Association in Boston — Explains Methods Used to Meet Present Situation of Teacher Surplus

Ways in which Keene and Plymouth Normal Schools are cooperating with the state board of education and other state departments in the imperative need of reducing government expenditures, without impairing the educational system were related to the New England Teacher Training Association by President Wallace E. Mason, at the annual meeting held recently in Boston.

The subject of Pres. Mason's talk was "What the New England states are doing to meet the



PRES. WALLACE E. MASON

present situation of a surplus of certified teachers and the possibility of decreased budgets for teacher training."

Some of the most significant paragraphs from Pres. Mason's address are the following:

Student Enrollment

"The New Hampshire an-

swer to the first question is meet the "surplus teacher" problem by reducing student enrollment, increasing standards of admission and increasing length of curricula; to the second question, 'cooperate with the comptroller's or finance departments in planning a balanced budget by decreasing expenditures so far as possible without injury to the education of the child'.

"During the school year 1929-1930 Keene Normal school registered 601 students and in June, 1930 graduated 182. Of these less than 10 percent failed to get positions, and some of these who did not secure positions continued their education studying for a degree in other institutions.

"During the year 1930-31 we registered 628 students and in June, 1931 we placed about 75 percent of the 165 graduates of that year. Warned by the decreased number who secured positions we reduced the number of entering freshmen by 50, limiting our entering class to

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MANCHESTER CLUB HAS
ANNUAL MASQUERADE
IN THE SPAULDING GYM

"Suburbs" of Nashua and Concord Assist in Entertainment Talent

The imagination and originality of Keene Normal School students was manifested in a social way, Saturday evening, Dec. 3, at the annual masquerade party conducted in Spaulding gymnasium under the auspices of the Manchester club.

The prizes for the two best costumes went to George C. Knox of Concord, dressed as a Spanish cavalier, and Miss Alta E. Perkins of Franklin, who appeared in a Colonial costume of unusually fine texture. A third prize, for the most original costume, was presented to Duncan MacLean of Berlin, attired as a woman of the nineties.

Costumes Varied

Among the numerous costumes represented were "Felix" cats, dice, soldiers and sailors, nurses, bakers, Spanish, Colonial, clown, Dutch, negro and negress, old-fashioned bustles, pajama girls, pirate, widow, beach girls, gypsies, farmer and farmerette, sheik, Egyptian, child in rompers, Japanese, newsboy, Santa Claus, gym girl, monk, Bowerly girl, Hallowe'en, Chinaman and wife, Pierrot and Pierrette, band leader, cossack, Arab.

Program Pleases

Entertainment was furnished by students of the club and other talent.

Thomas McCullough of Manchester was general announcer. The program included xylophone solos by Robert L. C. Tinkham with Ed Paris at the piano; crooning melodies by Raymond O'Neil of Nashua; saxophone solos by

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EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

DEBATING TEAMS ARE REHEARSING FOR ACTIVE COLLEGIATE SCHEDULE

DEBATING COACH



MISS EDNA M. MCGLYNN

The Forum has an extensive debating schedule for this season. Several different squads, under the direction of Miss Edna M. McGlynn (coach of upperclass teams) and Maynard C. Waltz (freshman coach) will participate.

The first debate of the season was at Middlebury College, Middlebury, Vt., Nov. 11. The question was: "Resolved: That Japan's action in Manchuria is justifiable." The affirmative was upheld by the Keene Normal squad composed of: Josephine Altenau of Manchester, Jeanette Diotte of Newport, and Helen Couture of Groveton. Middlebury, upholding the negative, won the decision. The English system of debate was used.

In a No-Decision debate with the University of Vermont team at Burlington, Vt., Nov. 12 the Keene Normal team took the negative side of the Manchurian question. The debaters: Ellen Marshall of Groveton, Helen Couture, Groveton, and Josephine Altenau, Manchester.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

De La Salle

The De La Salle club, under the supervision of its faculty adviser, Miss Edna M. McGlynn, has been very busy in its activities since the opening of school in September. The club journeyed to the school camp the second week in October, and held its regular meeting followed by the initiating of the incoming Freshmen. The new members have cooperated in every way, making it possible for the club to continue the good work that it has been noted for in the past.

During this school year two socials have been held at Armstrong hall. At each, refreshments were served and several musical selections were given by the boys' orchestra.

The last regular meeting of the De La Salle, was held Tuesday, November 15, in Parker hall. Plans were discussed at that time for the annual Saturday night entertainment to be given in the gymnasium. The committee in charge consists of Miss Catherine La Coy of Portsmouth; D. Leonard Harwood, and Stanley Dydo, both of Manchester.

Plans are also being made for a whist party and entertainment at Armstrong Hall, January 5.

The Rostra

The initiation of new members of the Rostra, the Latin club of K.N.S., took place at the school camp at Wilson pond Wednesday evening, Nov. 9. Eighteen of the regular members of the club were present. Supper was served by a committee and a social hour was enjoyed, during which the initiation ceremonies took place. A short but interesting talk on the value of Latin and the classical subjects was given by the club faculty sponsor, Maynard C. Waltz. Mrs. Waltz was present as guest of honor.

The new members admitted to the club were the Misses

Dramatic Club

The members of the dramatic club held the meeting of Nov. 16 at the school camp at Wilson pond. A picnic supper was enjoyed, also games and a social hour.

The cast for the second one-act play of the season has been selected from members of the freshman class. The play is entitled "When the Whirlwind Blows" and the scene is laid during a national revolution in Europe. "Josefa" will be played by Miss Janet Whitcomb, Keene; "Anna" by Miss Ruth Mary Doe, Northwood; and "Madame Androya" by Miss Barbara Severance, Hillsboro. The production will be directed by Miss Doris Swanson, Salem, Mass., assisted by a technical staff selected from members of the club. Sprague W. Drenan is the faculty sponsor.

Rural Club

Walter L. Mason, superintendent of schools of the Charlestown district, was the speaker at the November meeting of the Rural club. Due to conflicting activities, there was but a small attendance to hear Mr. Mason's worth-while address. Harold E. Morrill '31, a teacher in the Charlestown High school, was a guest, as were two of the faculty sponsors of the club, Miss Farum and Mr. Preston.

"TOMMY"

The Broadway Players presented "Tommy," an American comedy, at the Spaulding Gymnasium Saturday evening, Nov. 19, at 8 o'clock.

This was the fifth presentation in the Keene Normal entertainment course. A large audience of students and townspeople attended.

Ellen Stoderstrom, Penacook; Miriam Roby, Belmont; Helen Pratt, Keene; Myla Kimball, Franklin; and Aura McQuide, Hanover.

STUDENTS AND FACULTY ASSIST IN ENTERTAINING AT THE INVALIDS' HOME

The Alliance of the Unitarian church held its annual entertainment and tea for the women in the Invalids home, Wednesday afternoon, Nov. 16. Keene Normal School students furnished a program, and Alliance members served refreshments.

A short business session was held, and it was announced that Miss Jean F. Baird of the Keene Normal Art Department would give an illustrated talk on "Christ in Art," following the monthly parish supper early in December.

Miss Mabel R. Brown had charge of the Wednesday afternoon program. A trio composed of Miss Kathleen LaCoy, Portsmouth, violin; Miss Mary Dearborn, Woodsville, saxophone; and Miss Ruth Forbes of Nashua, piano; gave several selections. Miss LaCoy gave several violin solos and Miss Ruth Mary Doe of Northwood entertained with readings.

AMELIA EARHART

Amelia Earhart Putnam, world famous transatlantic aviatrix, appeared at Spaulding Gymnasium Monday, Nov. 14, at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Putnam was in Keene to speak before an audience at the Colonial Theater in a charity benefit, sponsored by the Keene Rotary club.

A large and enthusiastic audience of Normal school and high school students listened to Mrs. Putnam at the gymnasium. She spoke informally in a conversational manner, of her plane, and of her flights. She answered questions which were asked her by the students.

It is safe to say, that we have even more aviation enthusiasts in our midst as a result of this interesting experience.

BOOK REVIEW

"THE KING'S HENCHMAN"
By Edna St. Vincent Millay

Too often in our reading we are apt to devote ourselves to fiction in the shape of novels almost entirely, with an occasional popular discussion of some current or radical thought. Plays, and poetry perhaps even less, rarely come into our ken unless some writer puts on an endurance contest in that line as O'Neil did a short while ago. Recognizing this fact I try to include in my literary diet some of both poetry and drama. When I can do both in one, it is indeed a happy occurrence.

Edna St. Vincent Millay's "The King's Henchman" is just such a combination. The verse form is excellent for itself and because its simplicity fits wells with the tone of the play. The play is eclectic in that you can find the happenings in any good encyclopedia under Eadgar, king of England, and we read it for Miss Millay's interesting treatment of the facts. The story is a form of the Arthur-Guinevere-Launcelot plot: Eadgar sends his best friend to woo for him; and the girl and the emissary fall in love with each other, and, being simple souls, get married. Here the story is different from the Arthurian tale in that the ambassador does not inform the lady that she could have wed a king.

Problems:

1. What does the lady do when she finds what she lost?
2. What does Eadgar do when he discovers how his friend has betrayed his trust?

The solutions have interest.
L.E.G. '33.

According to figures released by the administrative office of the University of Vermont and State Agriculture college 696 men and 481 women have enrolled for the fall term. This includes 50 students enrolled in the two-year teacher training course, 30 graduate students and 10 special students. There has been a decrease in the enrollment of the other colleges as compared with last year at this university.

ALPHA PI TAU

The Alpha Pi Tau fraternity gave its annual dance to the freshmen, recently in Parker hall from 7.30 to 11 o'clock. Music was furnished by the girls' orchestra of the school, consisting of a "band" of eight pieces.

The patrons and patronesses included Alpha Pi Tau honorary faculty members and their wives, and those in the receiving line were Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cutts, Mr. and Mrs. Sprague W. Drenan, H. Dwight Carle, Conrad A. Adams, and Mr. and Mrs. Frank Blackington, Jr.

The committee in charge of the dance was Pres. A. Wilfred Poirier, Lincoln; Maurice B. Kalloch, Concord; Robert Prescott, Meredith; Edwin Hill, Keene; and James Morrill, Pike.

Punch was served in charge of Earl W. Harris of Franklin.

The hall was attractively decorated with yellow and blue streamers from one side of the hall to the other.

ART DEPT.

Between practice teaching and vacation, our attention has been mostly centered on the exhibit of art work which we have arranged about the studio. The results of our work have been discouraging, for few visitors have been to see the various displays from the outside schools done under cadet teacher supervision. The exhibit was opened on Saturday, Nov. 19th and continued through the week after the Thanksgiving vacation. It was a worthwhile exhibit for it showed a great amount of work done during the school year. Miss Eleanor L. Buzzell of the third year art group had an interesting table upon which her numerous wood carvings were shown. Miss Buzzell is the only student here who does this work. Her only tool is a jack-knife.

A few of the Arden Craft club members are working on leather Christmas gifts. We have just seen two leather pocket books in evidence but surely there must be others who have projects in mind.

KAPPA NEWS

The fraternity kept open house on the evening of Nov. 14, to a group of honorary members and a few other guests. It is hoped to have these get-togethers monthly. Rev. George Lawrence Parker, the new pastor of the Keene Unitarian church was the guest of honor. He spoke informally of his experiences in Russia, and allowed the members to ask questions. Refreshments were served under the direction of a committee of which Jack Day, Hillsboro, was chairman.

Brother Earl Colbeth received considerable favorable comment in several newspapers while teaching at the Morrill school, Concord, on his ship models. These have been built as a worthy use of leisure time, and serve Colbeth as a most interesting hobby. In design and skill of workmanship they are worthy of the best standards of technical skill. He has a large variety of ships.

HOME ECONOMICS

Miss Edna P. Amidon, regional agent for home economics of the Federal Board for Vocational Education, made her fourth annual inspection of Keene Normal school on Nov. 15. She spoke to the Home Economics club on Nov. 16 about home projects carried on in various parts of the United States.

Nov. 18 and 19 Miss Amidon spent in conference with the Home Economics teachers of the George Reed schools of New Hampshire.

Nov. 18 the Woman's club and Fortnightly club extended an invitation to the Home Economics students to attend a lecture on oriental rugs given by Mr. Nerses Piligian of Springfield, Mass. Mr. Piligian is an importer of oriental rugs and has had personal experiences which made his talk very interesting and instructive.

This year the Home Economics club is carrying on two projects. One is doing sewing for the Red Cross and the other is making Christmas presents for a needy family of five in Keene.

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

The fourth year men who are out practice-teaching this period are: Forrest E. Gray, Portsmouth, at Rochester; Robert Ringland, Keene, at Laconia; Martin E. Hefferman, Portsmouth, at Hancock; Alfred J. Mannix, Portsmouth, at Concord; and Herbert Hecker, Manchester, at Manchester West Side.

One of the fourth year men, Herbert Hecker, Manchester, has devoted much of his spare time to a project outside of his prescribed studies. The finished product is a beautiful table-lamp which was built up by gluing together several varieties of cabinet wood in such a way that when the whole was turned in a lathe, the various colored woods formed a symmetrical pattern. The base of the lamp was built up in the same way and was also inlaid. This lamp is the result of many hours of painstaking work and is very beautiful.

MUSIC NOTES

The following students entertained the men's club of the First Congregational church on Dec. 1: Miss Dorothy A. Kane, Portsmouth, violin; Miss Audrey L. Brann, Groveton, clarinet; Miss Helen M. Couture, Groveton, cornet; and Miss Miriam Phippard, Nashua, piano. Miss Kane played two violin solos which were well received.

On Nov. 21 the Orphans held a regular meeting devoted to a study of the life and works of Bach. Miss Louise Chapman of Westminster, West, Vt., was in charge of the program which consisted of club singing of Bach chorals, recordings of two Bach compositions, rendered as piano solos by Miss Russell. Miss Winifred Hammond, Manchester, presented an excellent biography of the life of Bach.

The Men's Glee Club is making excellent progress under the direction of Mr. Davis. The club meets on Wednesday evenings.

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SATURDAY NIGHT SOCIALS

One of the greatest problems in the past years has been the problem of "Saturday Night Socials." The aim of these socials has always been to provide some place where students and faculty might congregate and enjoy themselves. The aim seems to have defeated itself sometimes in the past for it seems that not everyone does have a good time. Any Saturday night there is always a group who very apparently are not enjoying themselves. The Social Committee has tried to remedy the situation by providing cards and card-tables, and by having the bowling alleys open. Last year the bowling alleys helped to solve part of the problem temporarily; but again this year the problem has cropped up - "What shall we do to help everyone have a good time?"

To you, as the ones who benefit from our socials, comes the question - can you help out in any way? What would you do if faced with this problem? Can you think of any means by which everyone who goes to the gym on Saturday night might have a good time?

I am sure the social committee would more than welcome any suggestion from the student body. Perhaps you do not feel free to go to a member of the faculty on the committee, if this is so go to a student member and tell him what you think would help. Helpful criticism is always welcome and especially when so many may benefit by it.

How about some suggestions, Freshmen and Upperclassmen! D.A.S. '33

"The great business of life is to be, to do, to do without, and to depart." - John Morely.

"Respect is a feeling born of the emotion affection." - Angelo Patri.

"Culture is the knowledge and the appreciation of all that makes life worth living." - Dr. A. C. Boyden.

THE VALUE OF THE SCHOOL NEWSPAPER

From "Campus Comment," State Teachers College, Bridgewater, Mass.

"A school newspaper acquaints both members of the faculty and of student body with the various activities carried on in the other school organizations. It serves as a prize to spur students on to win a place on the editorial board. It derives new interests in fields of literature and journalism. It is a means of bringing a teacher in contact with the views of the student body.

"The paper is planned with certain sections to appeal to everyone. It is a standard to carry. It is a means of communicating the ideals and ideas of the school with those of other schools.

"A school newspaper is not a luxury but an essential part of every institution of learning, material of current interest is forwarded to the student body, giving slants on campus life, sports, and happenings about school.

"School spirit is aroused and real interest is incited. Connections with prominent alumni who are in the limelight are retained."

A BETTER KRONICLE

Martin D. Powers, 1932, Minnesota university, spoke at a recent meeting of the KRONICLE Board. While at the university, Mr. Powers was one of the editors of the "MINNESOTA DAILY." Mr. Powers gave the members of the Board a timely prod and many of his suggestions were helpful.

Mr. Powers criticized two issues of the "KRONICLE;" one of the year 1930, and the other of more recent date. On the whole, it seems that progress has been made.

A word as to proof-readers: Mr. Powers believes your task an important one. Please do not murder the young poet's first creation by some ludicrous twisting of letters!

Here's a tip for you would-be writers of editorials: Mr. Powers recommends "The American

LITERARY COLUMN

LATE AUTUMN

The trees are bare
The cool skys stare
Through leafless window panes.
The plants turn brown
And then bend down
By force of autumn rains.
The soft wind plays
The sunlight strays
Among the leafless forms,
And streaks the cold
With lovely gold
Casting a world in bronze.

Each little bird
That flies southward
Warns of the snowy white,
That soon will fall
And cover all,
The gift of leaden night.

- M.H.

COMPENSATION

An aching heart which craved
some consolation
In its utter overwhelming desolation
came to thee -
And found the blessed balm of
work - and more -
The joy of service, the satisfaction
of a score
Of souls set free.

- E.L.

MY AMBITION

One thought is newest, dearest
to my heart:
Let me but write to stir this
restless age
In poetry, my single heritage;
Let me but turn my petty verse
to art.

The echo of a now forgotten
time -
The wonder of the hills, the sky,
the seas;
The murmuring of the centuries'
melodies
Let me ever in vivid, striking
rhyme.

- R.C.

Commonwealth" by Lord Bryce
and also Edmund Burke, with
whom you are all acquainted,
for good editorial style.

It seems best not to divulge
too many of the hints that were
given us. Here's hoping you
see an improvement in the next
issue!

FIRST K. N. S. PRINCIPAL
PAYS VISIT TO SCHOOL

Jeremiah Rhodes Has Been Superintendent in California and Texas

Members of the early classes at Keene Normal will be interested to know that Jeremiah Rhodes, first principal of the school, 1909-'11, with Mrs. Rhodes and their daughter, Elizabeth, made his first visit to Keene in 21 years on a recent week end. The family had visited their son and brother who is a freshman at Dartmouth. While here they were guests of Pres. and Mrs. Mason.

Mr. Rhodes was introduced to the student body at the Saturday evening assembly and later met the men of the faculty for an informal discussion of educational topics in the club room in the Spaulding Gymnasium. Mr. Rhodes makes his home in San Antonio, Texas, and divides his time between free lance work in the educational field, and institute service for the University of Indiana.

FRESHMAN STATISTICS

A review of the statistics of the 150 freshmen show that the same high academic standing and quality of leadership as prevailed in the 1931 entering class exists among this year's first year students.

One less than one-half of the entering class were on the honor roll of their high school; 10 having been valedictorians, eight salutatorians, and 56 received special honors. More than two-thirds were active in church and community affairs and a large percentage of the class were leaders in the various activities of their high schools.

Many are musically inclined, 37 being listed as playing instruments. There are nine piano accompanists, and 57 have participated in glee club presentations.

A further examination of their previous record shows that they have participated in other activities, as follows: dramatics 92; debates, 24; school paper, 54; football, 17; basketball, 59; baseball, 52; other physical activities, 64.

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

TEACHING POSITIONS OF
1932 GRADUATING CLASSReference List Continued from Last
Month's KRONICLE

Three-Year Junior High
(Continued)
Leonard J. Smith, Newport; Wentworth.
Olin L. Swett, Hill; Freedom.
Stewart Thompson, West Stewartstown; Rumney.
Everand Young, Franklin; Moultonboro.

Three-Year Elementary
Miss Charlotte Davison, Woodsville; Springfield, Vt.
Miss Helen M. Deal, Portsmouth; West Rindge.

Two-Year Elementary
Miss Althea Allen, North Weare; Washington.
Miss Ina Bombard, Lyme; Grantham.

Miss Dorothy J. Britton, Walpole; Bethlehem.
Miss Carolyn R. Brunel, Concord; Hinsdale.

Miss Ruth Coleord, Plaistow; Lyndeboro.
Miss Hazel Connor, Henniker; Rindge Center.

Miss Isabel A. Davis, Amherst; Charlestown.
Miss Irma DeCamp, Claremont; Unity.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

1926

Miss Hazel M. Beard of Keene was married at the Court Street church on Nov. 6 to William L. Mills of Newburyport, Mass. Miss Beard had received a degree from New Hampshire University, and had taught at the Exeter High school, and for several years had been principal of the Bennington Junior High. Mr. and Mrs. Mills will make their home in Manchester.

1930

Miss Grade E. Marland of Ware, Mass., was married to Frank A. Rogers of Franklin, early last summer. Mrs. Rogers has been a teacher in the graded school in Hanover for two years, while Mr. Rogers is an instructor in geology in Dartmouth college.

Miss Florence A. Eastman, South Lyndeboro; Marlow.
Oscar Frazer, Worcester, Mass.; Sullivan.

Robert L. Hill, Plaistow; Tuf-tonsboro.
Miss Marion E. Hilliard, Claremont; Wheelock school, Keene.
Miss May Knight, Lebanon; Grantham.

Miss Martha A. Lord, Dunbarton; East Rindge.
Miss Muriel McCullough, Wal-tham, Mass.; Laconia.
Miss Doris C. Nelson, Mill Village, Newport.

Miss Helen S. Nelson, Mill Village, Newport.
Miss Rebecca Richardson, Littleton; Lancaster.
Miss Florence L. Robbins, Greenville, Grafton.

Miss Dorothy B. Robinson, Milford; Wolfeboro.
Miss Helen Spaulding, Plainfield; Enfield.

Miss Mildred M. Starkey, Fitzwilliam; Fitzwilliam.
Miss Irene Tupper, Claremont; East Unity.

Miss Margaret F. Waite, Dunbarton; Lyme.
Miss Muriel F. Woodward, Portsmouth; Hooksett.

Miss Clarice J. Zanes, Pittsfield; Acworth.

1931

Three young men members of this class have announced their marriages which took place during the summer vacation: Waldo J. Perkins of Manchester was married on June 14 to Miss Margaret V. Walsh of the same city. They will make their home in Plymouth where Mr. Perkins is a member of the faculty of Plymouth Normal school.

Raymond H. Camp of Hanover was married on June 5 to Miss J. Hazel Bradbury of Keene. They are living at 153 Howard Street Keene.

John H. Frye, now a teacher in the Hampstead High school, was married to Miss Hilda D. Bowers of Hartland, Vt., a graduate of the training school of the Elliot Community hospital, Keene.

CHRIS J. AGRAFIOTIS OF
MANCHESTER WRITES BOOK

Graduate of 1926 has American Constitution Interpreted in Greek

Chris J. Agrafiotis, 1926, a teacher in the Manchester High School, West, has recently issued through the Athens Printing Co., Boston, "A Critical Study of the Constitution of the United States" a volume in the Greek language.

It contains the various political documents of this country climaxed with the constitution which is analyzed and explained paragraph by paragraph. Charts and figures are used to make it more understandable.

The book aims to aid the Greek immigrant in his efforts to become a better citizen, especially those who have been unable to attend any American Institutions or schools in their study of the American Government.

Text in Greek

The book will be used as a reference book in the study of law and political science at the University of Athens and other colleges of Greece.

Mr. Agrafiotis selects some of the great men in past congresses, Clay, Calhoun, Webster and LaFollette and in the present congress, Borah and Moses, for special mention. He explains the electoral college which really elects presidents, citing the famous case of a president being elected by a minority.

The book closes with a discussion of the cost of Congress which amounts to \$8,000,000 annually and a definition of the constitutional rights of a citizen granted him by the bill of rights.

1932

Further members of the class of 1932 who have registered in colleges for advanced study for the coming year include the following: Edmond D. Talbot, Worcester, Mass., Clark university, Worcester; Miss Bertha I. Williams, Keene, and Keith M. Quimby, Andover, Boston university School of Education, Boston, Mass.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

A HINT TO THE WISE

Aristotle realized the importance of "health" when he said, "He who has health has hope, and he who has hope has everything." Today health is not only an asset but is an obligation of each individual. Keene Normal school is doing her part toward helping each student to enjoy the maximum amount of health. She is doing this through the physical examination which has been given by Dr. Warwick.

SCHOOL NURSE



MISS LUCY CLARK, R.N.

This physical examination is merely an inventory of the health assets and liabilities, and the doctor has given each student a "close-up" picture of these. It is now up to the student to take advantage of the advice.

A good physical education department is another way the school has of helping the students to enjoy health. The splendid after-school activity gives a real opportunity for physical, mental and social development.

Personal Hygiene

The Personal Hygiene classes provide another source of help. Here the student is given knowledge of scientific facts which pertain to health. The student is expected to apply this knowledge to his own way of living

INTERDIVISIONAL HOCKEY

On Monday, Oct. 31, the first of the interdivisional hockey games were played. Division 1E defeated Division 1HF by a score of 3 to 2, while division 2HF was victorious over Division 4H by a score of 2 to 1.

Wednesday of the same week, Division 1HR was snowed under by the 2HR's to the count of 9 to 0. Divisions 3HJ and 3HE tied Division X, 1 to 1 on the same day, but in an overtime period the next day, Division X scored a point and won the game. Division 2HE won over Division A on Thursday by a score of 10 to 1.

On Friday, the 2HF's beat the 1E's, 2 to 0, and the 2HR's won over Division 3E by a score of 6 to 3. The game between the 2HF's and the 2HR's was sacrificed to the latter, making them division winners. F.A.R.

during a laboratory period of 24 hours a day, 365 days in a year. Fixed rules of health are not discussed in our hygiene classes, but problems of right living hold a very important place.

Individual conferences with the nurse are still another way the Normal school has provided for the safe-guarding of the student's health. The nurse is glad to talk over any problem with the individual student, and either advise or direct the student to some expert on the particular problem.

A Health Foundation

As a student at Keene Normal school, as a future teacher and leader of the young people in our state, are you looking forward to a life of happiness, adventure, service and success? If so, be sure that you have the right foundation—HEALTH!

—LUCY CLARK.

SPORT LEADERS

The following women were selected to serve as leaders of the fall and winter sports program: archery, the Misses Barbara M. Alexander, Canobie Lake; Barbara Boardway, Claremont; Florence Dane, Franklin; and Helen E. Rice, Rindge; badminton, Josephine L. Altenau, Mary T. Powers, Manchester; and Madeline Dearborn, Concord; bowling, Eugenia G. Lambert, Hooksett; field ball, Ada Perkins, Franklin; hiking, Frances Shaughnessy, North Walpole; hockey, Vera Bradbury, Bradford; M. Elaine Dwyer and Elizabeth White, both of Keene; Hazel Sleeper, Lebanon; and Ada Perkins, Franklin; golf, Ruth C. Lennartson, Pembroke; and Muriel James, Keene; tennis, Geraldine Haywood, Newmarket, chairman with Doris B. Wilson, Concord; Priscilla Abbott, Baldwinville, Mass., and Elizabeth Aldrich, Keene as her assistants.

Miss Dorothy M. Cunningham, Wilton has charge of all women life savers and together with Miss Barbara F. Smith, student assistant conducts classes in beginners' swimming.

Miss Bateman has as her student supervisor, Miss Frances A. Rawstron, Claremont, who is assisted by Miss Ellen W. Marshall, Groveton. F.A.R.

TENNIS TOURNAMENT

The girls' Tennis Tournament this fall proved to be most successful and interesting. After considerable delay due to the weather the final matches were played on Nov. 10.

The results of these matches were: Doris B. Wilson, Concord, defeated Hazel M. Oeschger, Keene, 7-5, 3-6, and 6-0.

Another tournament is planned for the spring.

WINTER RECREATIONAL PROGRAM

A new program has been posted for the winter recreational period.

On Monday afternoons there will be golf and volleyball; in the evening, recreational swimming. Beginners swimming and bowling will be on Tuesday afternoons, with volleyball practices in the evening. Wednesday afternoons are reserved for golf, volleyball, and recreational swimming. Thursday afternoons beginners' bowling and beginners' swimming will be held, and at night, volleyball practice and games. Volleyball and recreational recreational swimming will be on Friday afternoons.

An additional Saturday morning program is offered for the winter program. From nine to ten in the morning there will be volleyball; from ten to eleven, swimming; and from eleven to twelve, badminton and bowling.

F.A.R.

BASKETBALL SCHEDULE

The Keene Normal school men's basketball team is facing one of its hardest schedules in many years, playing college freshman teams, preparatory schools and Fitchburg Normal school five.

The following is the schedule: Feb. 1, Fitchburg Normal at Keene; Feb. 4, Clark university at Worcester; Feb. 7, Boston university freshmen at Keene, pending; Feb. 11, Boston university freshmen at Boston, pending; Feb. 15, Fitchburg Normal at Fitchburg; March 1, "Y" club at Spaulding gymnasium; March 4, M.I.T. freshmen at Boston; March 8, Clark school of Hanover at Keene; March 11, Nichols Junior college at Keene; March 15, Nichols Junior college at Dudley, Mass.; March 17, "Y" club in High school gymnasium; March 22, Clark school at Hanover.

EXCHANGES

By M. B. S.

THE GATE POST
State Teachers College
Framingham, Massachusetts

The editors of the GATE POST should be complimented on the make-up of this paper, it is extremely good and far above most of the papers that came to the exchange desk in this point. The paper is fortunate in having an adequate but not overlarge number of advertisers. "Literary Lives" are exceptionally good, the contributors of this column should be commended.

Two exchanges from New Hampshire High schools which we always gladly welcome are "THE ENTERPRISE" from Keene High, and "THE SPIRIT OF TOWLE" from Newport. The former is especially strong in its literary department, having considerable space devoted to book reviews, and a "poet's column". The athletic department of the Oct. issue is more readable than the same section of most High school exchanges.

"THE SPIRIT OF TOWLE" heads its editorial column of the Nov. number with an interesting editorial by Headmaster Charles J. Emerson, on "Good Health." Both papers receive splendid support from the business men of their respective communities, as shown by their extensive advertising pages.

EXCHANGE HUMOR

THE LADDER OF SUCCESS

100 per cent. — I did
90 per cent. — I will
80 per cent. — I can
70 per cent. — I think I can
60 per cent. — I might try
50 per cent. — I suppose I should try
40 per cent. — What is it?
30 per cent. — I wish I could
20 per cent. — I don't know
10 per cent. — I can't
0 per cent. — I won't

—Gate Post.

S. T. C., Framingham, Mass.

BOOM—

Son, writing home to father: "Yes, I'm a big gun at school now."

Father, to son: "Well, let's hear some better reports, then."

—Teachers College News
Toledo, Ohio.

JOKES

Prof.: "You're late again. Do you never use your alarm clock?"
Al. Brown: "Yes sir, but I no longer find it alarming."

THE ABSENT-MINDED PROFESSOR
Prof. x.: (meeting his own son, one morning) "Good morning, Willie, how's your father?"

HOME DISCIPLINE

"Dear teacher," wrote an indignant mother, "You must not whack my Johnny. He is a delicate child and isn't used to it. At home we never hit him except in self defence."

NECESSITIES OF LIFE

Margaret S.: "A few winters ago it was smart to have a coat of tan."

Nona H.: "Now it is smart to have a coat."

BUSINESS SLOGAN

Mr. Waltz: "How do you like 'go after business' for a slogan?"

C. Brett: "Sounds like good advice until you remember where business has gone."

INTELLECTUAL ATMOSPHERE

Miss Worth to the 4 H's on a balmy spring afternoon: "No, it isn't the heat; it's the stupidity."

Kora Katnip says she enjoyed having tea and the radio after Y.W.C.A. meeting. She studied much better afterward. She casts a unanimous vote in favor of more.

Miss Russell was having the freshman music class. She struck a note far down on the keyboard of the piano.

"Please sing that note, Ruth Mary."

Ruth Mary Doe tried several times and failed. Finally she said, "I guess I just can't think that low."

CLASS BONERS—

Latin class . . . Freshman's theme—Latin is known to be a dry, serious subject.

Ditto . . . Hannibal crossed the river in a Ford.

Physical Education . . . Trachoma is a city in the State of Washington.

—Teachers College News,
Toledo, Ohio.

GOSSIP?

Adeline Cygan: "Do you think it's true?"

Loretta: "You can't believe everything you hear — but you can repeat it."

SOMETHING'S WRONG!

Sign in Oslo store window: "English spoken, Americans understood."

AT SOUTH ACWORTH

The store-keeper was comfortably tilted back in his chair; his feet stretched out lazily on the counter. He was placidly smoking his pipe.

Enter, the new cadet teacher, Dot Kimball: "Can't you wait on me now, I must get to school."

Store-keeper: "Couldn't you come in sometime when I am standing up?"

THE SAME RESULT

The talkative student: "Why don't you say something?"

The silent student: "When I keep silent people suspect me of being ignorant; when I talk I remove all doubt of it."

CULTIVATED VOCABULARY

Lynn: "And how do you like Juliette?"

Tommy: "Great! She's the kind of a girl that talks on and on about the things that leave her speechless!"

FUNDAMENTAL LACKS

Mr. Cutts: "What do we mean by a depression?"

Fran. R.: "A depression is a period when people do without things their parents never had."

THE SOFT ANSWER

Bob: "Well, how did you like the election?"

Lois: "Speak easy!!"

ENGINEERING FEAT

The trades and industries men are planning a very artistic bridge to replace the rude shingle that now arches the flood, on rainy days, in front of the Mason Library.

Boiled down to the bottom of the pot, a moron is anyone who doesn't agree with you.

EDUCATION NOTES

In the freshman class this year at Plymouth Normal there are entered three men students. The school opened with an enrollment of 235 of which 87 are freshmen.

The students are fortunate this year in having one of the finest libraries in the state. It is located in the Samuel Reed dormitory, completed this summer. A sunken garden and a fountain relieves the severity of the dormitory and adds much to the attractiveness of the grounds.

The financial report of Dartmouth College showed that for the year ending June 30, 1932 the college showed a deficit of \$19,266, which amounts to \$8.16 per student. The report pointed out that salaries of instructors and professors at Dartmouth have not been decreased. The deficit from last year has been wiped out and the present figure represents only this year. It was pointed out that tuition and other student fees had increased \$22,485, due to an increase of about 50 in the enrollment of the college. This increase wiped out a shrinkage of \$22,271 from income on investment.

Professor Frank Schlesinger, director of the Yale University Observatory has been elected president of the International Astronomical Union at the final assembly of the fourth triennial meeting of the union in Longfellow Hall, Radcliffe College. A graduate of the City College of New York, Professor Schlesinger has long been one of the outstanding astronomers of the world. His election as president of the union marks the first time that an American astronomer has been chosen head of the international union. With the union session officially adorned most of the scientists took up informal discussions of galactic subjects at the Harvard Observatory under the direction of Professor Harlow Shapley of Harvard.

DEAN'S LIST

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Carver, Marjorie H., Troy; Chapman, Louise, Westminster West, Vt.; Clough, Rita, Grafton; Connolly, Helen, Lisbon; Corbett, Helen, Colebrook; Cunningham, Dorothy, Wilton; Cygan, Adeline, Manchester.

Diotte, Jeanette, Newport; Downes, Pauline, Contoocook; Duca, Letizia, Woodsville; Dusault, Rose, Nashua.

Feindel, Margaret, Berlin; Forbes, Ruth, Nashua; Fuller, Barbara, Hudson.

Gordon, Hester, Springfield, Vt.

Halladay, Frances, Bellows Falls, Vt.; Haynes, Nona, Portsmouth; Hitchcock, Doris, Walpole; Hugron, Dorothy, Hancock.

Ingraham, Ruth, West Claremont.

Kane, Dorothy, Portsmouth; Kathan, Grace, Walpole; Kimball, Doris, Beverly, Mass.; Koski, Annie, Proctorsville, Vt.

LaCoy, Kathleen, Portsmouth; Lambert, Eugenia, Hooksett; Lane, Barbara, Keene; Lathe, Marion, Manchester; Lennartson, Ruth, Concord; Lowkis, Vladislava, Nashua.

Marshall, Ellen, Groveton; Mitchell, Dorna, Newfield; Monroe, Jane, South Shaftesbury, Vt.

Phippard, Miriam, Nashua; Proulx, Cecile, Franklin.

Rawstron, Frances, Claremont; Richardson, Winona, Pittsfield; Rickard, Esther, Guild; Ricker, Thelma, Alton; Ryley, E. Ruth, Hillsboro.

Seavey, Harriet, Milford; Seed, Elsie, Salem Depot; Shaughnessy, Frances, Bellows Falls, Vt.; Stearns, Margaret, Keene; Stiles, Lillian, Barrington; Stylianos, Lulu, Nashua; Swanson, Doris, Nashua.

Trow, Pauline, Sunapee.

Upton, Alice, Hancock.

Wheeler, Elsie, Greenville; Winslow, Ruth, Mount Holley, Vt.

Men's List

The dean's list for boys is as follows:

Valmore Blais, Laconia; Paul

MANCHESTER MASQUERADE

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Stanley F. Dydo; "The Doll Dance," by Ed Paris; and a vocal solo, "The Indian Love Song," by Miss Ruth Lennartson of Concord.

The patrons and patronesses were: Pres. and Mrs. Wallace E. Mason, Mr. and Mrs. Charles W. Cutts, and Miss Elizabeth E. Gregory.

Dancing followed the program, with music by a school orchestra.

Committee chairmen were: Miss Marion Lathe, costumes; Edward Hickey, chaperones; Thomas F. McCullough, publicity; Edgar L. Harris, orchestra; and Raymond Harwood, hall.

Leonard Harwood is president of the Manchester club. The other officers are: Stanley F. Dydo, vice-president; Miss Madeline Broderick, secretary; and Thomas F. McCullough, treasurer.

E. Bridges, South Elliot, Me.; Carlton E. Brett, Keene; Morton Q. Comee, Templeton, Mass.; William E. Gamester, Portsmouth; Forrest Gray, Portsmouth; Laurence R. Heath, Bristol; Martin Heffernan, Portsmouth; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro; Chester H. Mastine, Lakeport; John R. Matthews, Keene; Raymond O'Neil, Nashua; T. Ernest Peltonen, Newport; Edward L. Presby, Lisbon; William Propezio, Keene; Norman P. Sargent, Contoocook; Everett Snow, Keene.

The boys' list for the last semester included the following: John G. Anfronak, Claremont; Philip Brown, Manchester; Ralph Duso, Laconia; Earl Harris, Franklin; Norman Hartfiel, Farmington; Emerson A. McCourt, Portsmouth; Laurent Ruell, Ashland; John A. Whitehead, Manchester.

Kora Katnip swears on her honor that she hasn't grumbled once since the current event the other day! Have you joined the club yet?

WORCESTER ART TRIO

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Brilliant Trio Number

The trio, though comparatively young in its organization, plays with feeling and balance. In "Kamenoi Ostrow" the trio held its audience in a trance as the delicately flowing melody with its rippling accompaniment, depicted the activities of the fashionable resort where Rubenstein spent many happy vacations.

In its interpretation of "Gavotte" by Gossec, the trio displayed its incomparable technique in extremely difficult and spirited passages.

No program seems entirely completely without "Liebestraume" by Liszt. Some concert goers throw their hands up in despair when this selection appears on a program but the interpretation of this wonderful melodic masterpiece given by the trio was so magnificent that its place on the program could never be criticized.

Mr. Montagna displayed unusual cello ability in "Andante" (from Sonata) by Cervatto and seemed at his best in "Harlequin" by Popper which contains passages of a grade of great difficulty.

Pianist Pleases

At the piano in a group of two technique provoking selections, Mr. Erickson exhibited a nimble, well-founded ability. In "The Sea" by Braine his complete understanding was displayed in a manner which evoked much meritorious comment. Mr. Erickson responded to the demand with "Midnight Bells," a piece in which his ability to control the quality of the piano was noted. It was a rare opportunity for the students and other members of the entertainment course to listen to a pianist whose playing and demeanor is so intelligent and effective.

Violin Solos

The culmination of the program was in the group of three violin solos by Mr. Hendrickson. The performance of several difficult passages was excellent.

PRES. MASON'S ADDRESS

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200 by vote of the state board and the same year Plymouth Normal was limited to 150 for its freshman class.

"Last year, 1931-1932, our total registration was 666 and last June we graduated 164 students. Of these slightly more than 60 percent were placed in teaching positions, and to meet the situation we again by vote of the state board reduced admission, limiting the entering freshman class to the number of 150 and Plymouth was at the same time limited to an entering class of 100.

"A careful survey of those who failed to secure positions showed the facts: first, a large percentage were in the lowest quartile of our graduating classes and also that second, we were placing a much larger percentage of our graduates of the three and four year curricula than we were of the two-year curriculum.

Curriculum Extended

"Superintendents and school boards were evidently desirous of securing graduates of more training. This situation was met in two ways: first, by refusing to admit those who stood in the fourth quartile of their high school graduating class, and secondly by encouraging those who wished to prepare for teaching in elementary schools to enter on a three-year curriculum. A new curriculum was organized for these students, but in order that we might not have to form additional classes and thereby increase the number of instructors this curriculum was organized from subjects of the already existing two and three-year curricula.

"Balanced Budgets Necessary
Balanced budgets are the only highways out of our depression and the only way to balance a government budget is either increase taxes or decrease expenditures. The tax burden is already heavy enough and therefore, we must reduce expenditures.

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She Stoops to
Conquer

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KRONICLE BOARD ASKS
STUDENT COOPERATION
IN YEARBOOK PLANS

Committees Are Busy on Pictures—
Literary Material is Needed

"Snapshot---", "notices---", "---groups", "jokes?", "got a poem---", "Look on the bulletin board---", "Where are they to be taken?" etc. This list of assorted phrases really has a significance. Each item is a sample of what may be heard on campus or among the members of the KRONICLE Board. They are omens predicting that work on the yearbook has commenced.

Perhaps everyone does not realize the amount of time and effort that are necessary to collect all the material that is to be put in the book, to arrange it, and to print it. The members of the board do not protest about the amount of work they must do, if there is cooperation among the members of the student body. They cannot accomplish much unless everyone does his part. Whatever your part is in the making of the book, be sure to give your best to it, whether it is writing an article, being in a group picture, or passing in a joke.

Better Book Planned

This year we hope to have a book that is even better than last year's. Several changes are being made in order that we may have something a little different from what we have had previous years. This year most of the group pictures are being taken around campus by Robert L. C. Tinkham. The rest of the group pictures and all the senior individual pictures are being taken at the Granite State Studio.

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Central Junior High
School Clubs Have
Live Programs

Cadet Teachers Assist in Activities
Promoting Use of Leisure Time

Did you notice that the last period every Friday afternoon at Central Junior High is devoted to activities, in order that the pupils may gain a better knowledge of how to use their leisure time? There are eight different clubs so that every student may have an opportunity to choose the one in which he is most interested.

The Dramatic club under the able leadership of Mrs. Della Davis has given two plays at assemblies. The first, a part of "Tom Sawyer," was enjoyed by everyone. The second "When the Chimes Rang" was given at the Christmas assembly. At the last few meetings the club has been discussing tableaux.

Have you seen the sponge animals in the dormitories? These are just a sample of what the Craft club under the direction of Miss Marjorie Beach has been doing. During the first part of the year the members made telephone pads, blotter corners, and coin purses from premoid.

When we went to school we were allowed to read what we chose regardless of its value, but that is not so at our Junior High. Miss C. Adelaide Merriam in her reading club is guiding the children to read worthwhile literature.

Latin Club

Miss Harriet J. Leslie has formed a group of earnest students in cultivating an enjoyment in Latin. A Latin club has been formed in which scrap

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Dramatic Club Ready
for Mid-Winter Play
on Tues., Jan. 31

Goldsmith's "She Stoops to Conquer"
Will Be Given in Spaulding Gym

The Dramatic club play, "She Stoops to Conquer" by Goldsmith, will be given Tuesday, Jan. 31, in Spaulding gymnasium. The play is being coached by Sprague W. Drenan of the English department, assisted by Edward J. Hickey, Manchester.

Experienced Cast

The cast is as follows: John Anfronack, Claremont, Sir Charles Marlow; Raymond Harwood, Manchester, young Marlow; D. Leonard Harwood, Manchester, Squire Harcastle; Raymond O'Neil, Nashua, Hastings; Thomas McCullough, Manchester, Tony Lumpkin; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro, Diggory; Ernest Peltonen, Newport Neale Curtin, Portsmouth, and George Knox, Concord, three servants; Carlton Brett, Keene, Muggins; Wilfred Poirier, Lincoln, Aminadab; Miss Ruth Hale, Hooksett, Mrs. Harcastle; Miss Genevieve McGirr, Concord, Kate Harcastle; and Miss Palma Quintilio, Keene, Constance Neville.

The technical staff for the production include Duncan MacDean, Berlin, stage manager; Francis Pace, Portsmouth, scenery; Ruth C. Winslow, Mt. Holly, Vt., property manager; Nathalie Scott, Haverhill, Mass., and Dorothy Britton, Keene, costumes; Frances Rawstron, Claremont, makeup; and Neale Curtin, Portsmouth, business manager.

It was 130 years ago that this play first saw production at the Convent Garden theatre in London and four months later in New York.

MID-YEAR BALL AND TEA
DANCE PLANNED FOR
FEB 3-4 WEEK-END

Economy to Prevail, But Party Will
Not Lack in Social Features

The week-end of Feb. 3 stands for two events at K.N.S.: the first semester is over and the Mid-Year Ball and Tea Dance are on. What excitement there will be in the next week—letters, telegrams, specials, 'phone calls!

It is a gala week-end for K.N.S. The social rooms buzz and bustle with activity. Everyone talks about the grand time he had or is going to have. Taffeta dresses rustle and ear-rings are sparkling. What fun!

Depression Prices

Some changes have been made this year on account of the scarcity of money which has attacked everyone. The committee decided to economize and thereby make it possible to lower the price of the tickets. Instead of \$2 they are \$1.25. Likewise the Tea Dance Committee, wishing to do all it can for the students, has lowered its tickets to \$.75 from \$1.00. Instead of \$3.00 for two tickets, it is only \$2.00.

Frank Bush's orchestra of Claremont is to play for both dances. Dancing is from 8 P.M. to 1 A.M. and from 2:30 to 5:30 P.M. The two week-ends following our dances the orchestra is playing at Dartmouth and the University respectively.

Modernistic Decorations

The decorations will be very different from those of other years. Modern art is being emphasized. Dashes of color around the gym, jagged lines, angles, flames, stars, splashes of orange and red—these are what you will see. The programs will

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EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

STUDENT-TEACHERS AT HANCOCK HIGH SCHOOL VISIT PUPIL HOMES

Closer Contact Is Thus Established With Parents as Part of Education Week

At the practice high school at Hancock, National Education week during last November was observed in a manner beneficial to the pupils, the school and the student teachers who were in training there.

During the preceding week letters were sent to the parents urging them to visit school and to become better acquainted with school life, the classes and teachers. This letter also stated that the teachers would visit the homes for the same purpose—to promote a better understanding between home and school.

Education week was formally opened, at the morning assembly on Monday morning, with the reading of the message of the National Education Association. During the following assemblies different phases of education were discussed. Despite the rainy weather, many parents visited school. Each afternoon the teachers in groups visited the homes. In this way the home of each child in Hancock High school was visited by teachers who had that child in class. Thirty-two homes scattered over a large area, were visited.

Thursday afternoon was chosen as the "banner" afternoon. Classes were re-arranged so that each parent might have the opportunity of seeing his child in class. At 2:15, a special assembly program was given. Miss Manchester, headmaster, spoke to the school on the importance of education and then suggested that the "Seven Cardinal Principles" be examined in the light of Hancock High school. Each student teacher spoke briefly on one of the principles, interpreting it

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

Nature Club

The Nature club held its regular meeting in Huntress Club room, Thursday, Jan. 5 at 7:15 o'clock.

Miss Lulu Stylianos of Nashua gave a very interesting talk outlining her nature work in the Rhodes School, Alstead, where she was a cadet teacher for nine weeks. Miss Frances Austin of East Jaffrey, Miss Elizabeth Cassidy of Milford, Miss Gladys Lawkis of Nashua, and Miss Agnes Diamond of Bennington outlined the activities, and spoke of the coming election of club officers.

Miss Elizabeth Gilchrist of Sunapee gave a talk on birds' nests. The talk was illustrated by three films showing the birds and their habitats.

At the next meeting, club officers will be elected for the coming year.

Orpheus Club

On Jan. 10 the meeting of the Orpheus club featured a program devoted to the life and works of the composer, Mozart. Miss Frances C. Shaughnessy was in charge. There was a presentation of the important events in the life of the composer, and selections from his works were given as vocal and instrumental numbers. The "G Minor" symphony was given as a phonograph record. Plans were discussed for giving a musical program at a coming Saturday night social.

in the general field of education. He was assisted by pupils who applied these principles particularly, some specifically to Hancock High school. The assembly closed with chorus singing.

Hancock High school through this observance of Education week has laid a foundation on which it can build and plan an educational program which will more adequately meet the needs of its pupils. The school and the community met and are now able to work on a more comprehensive basis.

Rural Club

The Rural club held its regular meeting Tuesday, Dec. 13, at 7:30 o'clock.

A special feature of the meeting was the singing of club songs. The verses for the songs were written to such familiar tunes as "Jingle Bells" and "Auld Lang Syne." The writers are: Miss Marion A. Brown, Wolfeboro, club president; Miss Idella Farnum, faculty adviser of the rural club; and Miss Mildred Shunaman of Hudson.

The club is planning a debate concerning the advantages of the rural school.

De La Salle

A short farce entitled "The Teeth of a Gift Horse" is being prepared by the De La Salle for presentation at a Saturday night social. The play is being coached by Valmore Blais, Laconia; and those taking part are: Miss Frances Heath, Newport; Miss Cecilia Flaherty, Gorham; Miss Esther McCarthy, Manchester; Miss Juliette Blackburne, Berlin; and Edward Hickey, Manchester.

The play is also to be presented at a whist party at Armstrong hall, sponsored by the DeLaSalle.

Academy of Science

The regular meeting of the Academy of Science was held Tuesday, Jan. 10. George Chickering, Westmoreland, presided, but because of work and practice teaching he was transferred to the office of president ex-officio, and Stanley Dydo, Manchester, was chosen to take over the regular duties of president. Plans for taking in new members were discussed, and also plans were made for the Saturday night social which will take place Feb. 11. Miss Vera Bradbury, Bradford was chosen as chairman of a committee in charge of a "lemming hike", and Miss Mary Crahan, Pittsford, Vt., chairman of the social committee.

Many meetings of interest were planned for the near future.

MUSIC AND CLUB GROUPS PRESENT CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS AT SCHOOL

Men's and Women's Glee Clubs and Orchestra Furnish Excellent Musicales

Sunday, Dec. 11, the annual Christmas Concert was given in Spaulding Gymnasium by the Women's and Men's Glee clubs and the orchestra. "The Adoration" a cantata by Nevin was presented by the Women's Glee club under the able direction of Miss Janet Russell of the Music department. Solos were sung by Miss Esther B. Rickard, Guild and Miss Faith Woodbury Haverhill, Mass.

The orchestra under the direction of Harry W. Davis of the Music Department gave the overture "Christmas Bells" by Rapee. Both Glee clubs combined in the singing of two Bohemian carols. A large audience of townspeople and students filled the auditorium.

On the previous Saturday evening the Christmas party was given by the Y.W.C.A. Those in charge were: Miss Marion Knuckey, Manchester, general chairman; Miss Nathalie Scott, Haverhill, Mass., chairman of the entertainment committee; and Miss Vera Bradbury, Bradford, chairman of the decoration committee. This year instead of the usual practice of gift exchanges, students contributed money and various articles for relief for the poor and unemployed of Keene. A program consisting of carol singing and bits of humor made up a very pleasing program.

The Forum

Interesting meetings are being held bi-weekly in Parker hall at which informal debates are featured under the direction of Miss Edna M. McGlynn, and Maynard C. Waltz, faculty sponsors of the Forum. The debate with Boston College freshmen, here, has twice been postponed, because of conflicting dates with numbers of the school entertainment course. The debate with Fitchburg State Teachers college at Fitchburg has also been postponed. No date has been set for either of these.

EDWARD WEEKS OF THE ATLANTIC MONTHLY PRESS ON SCHOOL LECTURE TOUR

Well Known Editor Tells Humorous and Human Interest Side of Journalism

Edward Weeks, assistant editor of the Atlantic Monthly, gave a lecture Friday evening, Jan. 16, in the Spaulding gymnasium. Keene Normal was unusually fortunate in securing a man of his caliber for the school entertainment course. His lecture was highly entertaining, as well as instructive. Although it was delivered informally, it showed that it was the result of very careful preparation.

"The Editor's Easy Chair," as the lecture was called, treated of the human side of the editor's job. Mr. Weeks handled his subject humorously, and yet with a certain unmistakable dignity, his humor depending upon apt expression and choice of words. There was not a dull moment during the whole evening; he kept the audience chuckling from beginning to end.

He began with a brief sketch of his career as an editor, and then told of what the editor does with his day. Particularly interesting were his stories of various literary forgeries, especially those perpetrated by one Mannix, who died a few years ago.

"The greatest thrill that comes to an editor," he said, "is that which comes when he discovers new material or talent." This must be true, for it would seem to the layman that a manuscript would have to be pretty good to cause an editor who has read thousands of such manuscripts to so much as blink an eye.

Speaking of the question of whether an editor really reads all the manuscripts he receives, he said, "The editor doesn't have to eat the whole of an egg to see if it is good or bad, but he must eat some of each egg he has."

After the lecture Mr. Weeks was entertained for a short time at the Kappa Delta Phi house, before he returned to Boston.

E.L.P.

ALPHA PI TAU

F. Raymond Martineau, Farmington; Howard Wheeler, Milford; James R. Morrill, Pike; and Norman R. Hartfiel, Farmington, have been appointed as a committee to work with the Nu Beta Upsilon, Home Economics sorority, in charge of the tea dance at mid-year's.

Plans are being made for the Alpha Saturday evening program the date of which will be set later.

Maurice B. Kalloch plans to spend his next nine weeks of industry in the Normal school machine shop, Butterfield building.

Freshman: "Didn't you say that 'procrastinate' means to 'put off'?"

L.H.: "That's the meaning of the word."

F.: "Then why did that bus driver laugh when I says: 'procrastinate' me at Marlboro street?"

ART DEPT.

The absorbing items in the activities of the Art department are the decorations for the gymnasium on the night of the mid-year ball. We hear that the scenery is to be quite modernistic in design with startling effects obtained by the use of electricity.

The supervision of drawing and paper construction work is carried out in the cadet schools by these members of the three-year art class: Eleanor L. Buzzell, Barrington, in Hillsboro; Viola M. Jaastad, Franklin, in Hancock; and Lois M. Huntington, Henniker, at Wheelock and Junior High with the other two cadets.

The Arden Craft club is planning to have either a speaker or an exhibit here in the near future, so let us watch the bulletin boards for this type of worthwhile entertainment.

Fifteen Junior High Art club members are enjoying some water color work on still-life studies.

KAPPA NEWS

The annual Kappa Dance was held in the attractively decorated Spaulding gymnasium on the evening of Friday, Jan. 13. All men of the entering class and all non-fraternity men of the upper classes were guests. The frat colors with evergreens, balloons, and soft lights, were used effectively about the hall. The men's orchestra, led by Edgar Paris, Manchester, furnished the music.

There was a reception to the guests and a grand march preceding general dancing. One dance was reserved for members of the frat and their partners. President Mason, Mrs. Mason, Dean Esten and Assistant Dean Fernald were in the receiving line, also several honorary members with their wives.

Dainty refreshments consisting of ice cream cakes with the Kappa Delta Phi monogram, were served. The dance orders, which were made at the school print shop, were in the form of the fraternity seal and in the club colors, purple and gold.

HOME ECONOMICS

As this is the first issue of the year the Home Economics girls take this opportunity to wish all a Happy New Year. We also wish the KRONICLE board the best of success with the Year Book.

The Saturday before vacation, Dec. 10, a good many people were wondering where all the Home Ec. girls were going so early in the morning. They were on their way to the Invalid's home on Court street to sing Christmas carols to the ladies.

What has happened to the Home Economics girls lately! They do not seem to be doing so very much. Perhaps they are saving all their ideas for the Tea Dance, February 4. They are working with the Alpha Pi Tau fraternity to make this one bigger and better than last year.

Officer: "You can't turn round in this street, madam."

Home Ec.: "Oh, but I'm a better driver than you think!"

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

On Dec. 6, a party consisting of 32 students of the Trades and Industries department, Mr. Conrad A. Adams, Walter A. Pierce, and Mr. James A. Keech, visited the plants of the American Steel & Wire Co., in Worcester, Mass. The North works were visited in the morning, where the group watched wire of all kinds being rolled, drawn and tempered. In the afternoon, the classes visited the South works, where open-hearth furnaces and rolling mills were seen in operation, and the manufacture of many steel and wire products was observed. The group was escorted by guides, who pointed out and explained interesting details which might otherwise have been overlooked. The Industrial museum owned by the company was explored with much interest.

The entire trip was intensely interesting, and the members of the group were enthusiastic about it, all agreeing that it was a very profitable and worthwhile day's activity.

MUSIC NOTES

Miss Janet C. Russell of the Music department faculty assisted with piano numbers at the annual church meeting at First Congregational church recently.

Several innovations are being tried with the music at Monday assemblies. The seating of the orchestra has been changed bringing the players in a circle in front of the platform and the piano has been placed at the center of the stage. Due to several members of the assembly double quartette being absent practice teaching, Edgar Paris, Charles Stowell, and Francis Pace have been substituting.

Members of the faculty and students were privileged on Jan. 13, to hear a performance of Handel's "Messiah" given by the Keene Chorus club under the direction of Arthur T. Coogan. The work was given by a chorus of 175 voices and out-of-town soloists.

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IF-ONLYS

If only the world had been made of candy, perhaps we could live in cellophane houses. If money only grew on trees there would no longer be a depression — probably there never would have been one. But if money grew on trees, we might not have the excellent fruit that we do have. If the streets were made of candy, we would not have such a craving for sweet-meats.

How many times we say, "If only I could etc."! There are so many postponed actions built on IF. We often catch ourselves saying, "If only I could draw," "If only I could write poetry," or "If only I were----" someone else. Would we be any better off? Would we not still be wishing we were gifted in another way? This "Ifing" does not get us anywhere because it is only dreaming. If only you had not been driving so fast, you wouldn't have had the accident. If you had been careful, you would not have spoiled your new coat. But you did have the accident and you did spoil your new coat. If you had started a few minutes later, you might have crashed into the train. If you hadn't fallen down stairs, you would never have met the most wonderful person in the world. But you did.

It is rather fascinating to think about these IF-ONLYS. They really are not of any use but they do add a little spice to life. Sometimes these IFs are useful. No doubt a great many of our well-known inventors expressed their inventions in terms of IFs and IF-ONLYS. Instead of leaving them as they stood, the inventors set about to eradicate the IFs, and did eradicate them. Then the IFs were incentives, which is what they should be. We may say, "If only I had studied, I would have passed that test," "If only I had worked a little harder I might have received an H. These should be, "I passed the test," "I received an H." Let's get going and see what good shots we are in rolling down those IF-ONLYS and setting up "I DID," "I WAS," "I WILL."

"Let your speech be always with grace, seasoned with salt, that ye may know how ye ought to answer every man."—Colossians.

NEW HAMPSHIRE WINTER SPEAKS

Pure, fluffy whiteness covers the earth. It is the spokesman of winter, telling us that winter has arrived in all its glory. Winter is supposed to be the grayest of seasons, but is it? No, it cannot be "gray" because everywhere is the "white" snow. Perhaps the landscape is not so gayly colored, but certainly there are more contrasts in black and white. Objects stand out so much more distinctly.

Summer scenes are beautiful there is no doubt, but winter can be a close rival producing magnificent scenes. The brook is as pretty in winter as it was last summer. The mountain tops with a white scalp stand out against a blue sky and compete with the green mountain tops of the summer. The green fields of the summer are not so interesting as the white fields with their snowshoe, ski, and rabbit tracks. On our own campus we may find excellent bits of winter splendor. Have you noticed the sundial under a white mask? Near the vocational building there is an evergreen tree and near that a light cluster. The next time there is a snowfall, when the lights are on, notice the artistic effect of the light shining on the snow on the tree. When you are coming from breakfast some morning, glance at grey Monadnock looming in the southeast. Nature is expressing her thoughts and well may we heed her.

ABANDONMENT

It seems like years ago
My steady light of life
Began to flicker —
And I did heed it not.
It seems like years,
I say, and yet weeks,
Days, hours, even minutes
Might well record that
Infinitely short time
When the constant glow
Did flare, gasp, sigh,
Until at last despairing

EDUCATION NOTES

When Worcester State Teachers college opened its doors 330 girls, 90 of whom were freshmen, entered. Dr. Lawrence A. Averill gave a short talk to the incoming freshmen, stating: "We have three things to offer you; intellectual culture, purposive training and a happy social experience. In return, you can offer us youth, earnestness and devotion, and loyalty to this institution."

The new library at Plymouth Normal school was formally dedicated on Thursday, Dec. 8. It is situated in a new wing to Samuel Reed hall, and was made possible by an appropriation of \$95,000 from the last New Hampshire legislature. Additional dormitory space is also provided.

President Ernest L. Silver presided, and there were addresses by members of the school faculty, by Commissioner James N. Pringle, and by Orton B. Brown and Mrs. Elizabeth R. Elkins, members of the State Board of Education.

A study has been made of the placement of graduates at State Teachers college, Trenton, N.J., Roscoe L. West, president. It was found that of the graduates of the last eight years the per cent of placements was 78.9. Only 25 students in this period obtained places outside the state of New Jersey.

Of the class of 1932, consisting of 158 members; 69 or 44.2 per cent were placed. Of the 87 remaining 14 are engaged in advanced study at Trenton or elsewhere.

Help, and losing hope,
Settled down—to die.

It was not long in dying.
So quietly did it pass
Beyond, that awareness
To the intolerable darkness
Seeped through me
Gradually,—Leaving nothing.

—Gene Auer in
"State Signal," Trenton, N.J.

QUALITY IS STRESSED AS
TEACHER REQUIREMENT
IN N.Y. TIMES ARTICLEInstructors Look upon Salary as
Secondary Consideration for Many

The following excerpt from an editorial in "The New York Times" of last September, apropos of the return of the teachers of New York city to their work is of great to all alumni of out of State Normal schools, and to the student body who are prospective teachers.

"The public may have the impression that the matter uppermost in their minds (the teachers') is compensation. This is an unwarranted inference. The teachers are as a rule the least self-seeking group of citizens. The financial motive is seldom dominant in the selection of teaching as a life profession. And when it comes to the actual work the very presence of pupils with their varying individualities makes all other things secondary.

"Public education is the largest single industry in the United States. One person in every four gives full (or part) time to the schools either as pupil or teacher. The school budget is the largest single item in practically all communities."

"The one essential 'quality' in the teaching—quality is the sense of excellence. That involves, of course the knowledge of technique and an ability to communicate to immature minds the best that the race has learned. In so far as salary enters as a factor in securing quality, it must be maintained even at sacrifice of other things. The salaries of teachers have not till lately been at all commensurate with the relative value of the work of the best teachers. At such a time as this it must be possible to secure a higher average quality and to make greater quantitative demands upon that superior teaching. In this direction lies the road to the greatest economy.

"The teachers have had to fight pretty much alone the battles for the children and for themselves. It may now be necessary that they should share in the general reduction of salaries, but it should be only for the time, and not at the peril of the permanent schedules."

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

ALUMNI PERSONALS

Announcement has been made of the marriage of Miss Mary E. Gorman, 1925, formerly of Keene, to John Klinge, of Englewood, N.J., which occurred on Nov. 23, 1932.

1928

Supt. Leonard L. Maine of Middletown and Portsmouth, Rhode Island gave a radio address over W.E.A.N., Providence, R.I. on Nov. 21, 1932.

Supt. Maine was invited to speak on the Rhode Island Parents-Teacher Assoc. Program and he appeared under its auspices.

The subject developed was entitled, "Does Your Child Fail in Arithmetic?" This presentation was the result of study of curriculum-making, course of study revision, and of Arithmetic seminar conferences, in which Supt. Maine has been actively engaged during the past two years.

Mr. Maine is a graduate of K. N.S. class of 1928 and of Boston University, class of 1932.

1929

Laurence C. "Larry" Cornwell, submaster of Woodbury High school, Salem, and one of the coaches of the football team there, was presented a leather traveling case by the team at a banquet and dance which marked the close of the season. The party was sponsored by the Lions' club of that town. Minature gold footballs were presented to all senior members of the first team and silver footballs to the undergraduates by the club. The seniors were also presented sweaters by the schoolboard.

Mr. Cornwell and two other coaches were called on for remarks. Mrs. Cornwell entertained with vocal solos.

The Austin Cate Academy football team, coached by Edmond J. "Ed" Houle, claims the small prep school championship of New Hampshire. The team scored 108 points to its opponents 6.

1930

Dean F. Hall, of Winchendon, Mass., has accepted a position as teacher of the eighth grade in the schools of Park Ridge, N.J. Mr. Hall taught in Newport during 1930-31, and during the year just past was a graduate student at K.N.S.

Mr. George S. Chase and Miss Eunice Williams of Haverhill, Mass., graduates of Keene Normal school in 1930 were among the chief sponsors of the first annual reunion of the class of 1927 of Haverhill High school held during the holiday season.

Mr. Chase, now supervisor of music in Warwick, Rhode Island, was president of his high school class, and he welcomed the "old grads" back to the reunion. Miss Williams who sang in numerous school and community events in her school days at Keene rendered vocal solos at the class gathering. She is now training as nurse in a Cambridge hospital.

1931

Announcement has been made of the engagement of John Verne Quimby, 1931, of Andover, now teacher coach at Hillsboro High school, and Miss Marion Noble Chick, also a teacher in the same school. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. L. W. Chick of Chelsea, Mass., and is a graduate of Tufts College.

1930-32

The marriage of Miss Alberta F. Smith, 1930 of Whitefield, to Robert D. Bailey, 1932, of Concord, took place in the Methodist church, Whitefield, on Dec. 28, 1932. Miss Smith spent the year 1930-'31 in advanced study at Keene Normal, and since then has taught in the schools of Suncook.

Mr. Bailey, a member of the Trades and Industries curriculum, was president of the class of 1932. He is at present teaching in Dover.

1932

Dr. and Mrs. Harry G. Williams of Keene, have announced

1915 GRADUATE IS NOW
SCHOOL BOARD MEMBER
IN MASSACHUSETTS TOWNInteresting Letters Are Received from
Students of Early K.N.S. Classes

In answer to letters sent out to members of the first classes of K.N.S., by the exchange editor, several interesting replies have been received. We herewith print extracts from two of the letters.

1910

Miss Nina May Ball, Washington, now Mrs. Nathaniel F. Davis of Contoocook, writes:

"I have been married now almost twenty years and my household duties and the bringing up of two children keep me busy most of the time. My daughter is a junior in high school, and my son a freshman.

"I shall of course be glad to get THE KRONICLE and to see the doings of all the girls."

1915

Alice Stebbins Cheney (Mrs. Royden Winthrop), writes: "I live in an old-fashioned ten-room house in Granville, Mass., a town of 675 people. My daughter, Claire, is four years old and looks like her 'Ma.' We are bringing up another girl who is now 16, so there are four of us.

"I have a girl scout troop of 14 children from 10 to 16, and we have wonderful times. Granville is just a perfect spot for scout work. So that I may not lose contact with schools, I am a member of the school board, and have charge of buying all books placed on our public library shelves. All this together with church and club work does not leave any idle time. I shall appreciate hearing from anyone who remembers me as 'Stub'."

the engagement of their daughter Miss Bertha I. Williams, K. N. S. 1932, to Linwood H. Congdon, of Troy. Miss Williams is this year a student at Boston University, and Mr. Congdon is a senior at New Hampshire University.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

DIVISION VOLLEYBALL

The 2HJ-HE team were division champions in the volleyball games which ended just before Christmas.

On Nov. 30, the 1E's defeated the 1HF's and the 2HE's defeated the 2E's. A game was played between these two winners with the 1E's victorious. They then played the 2HR's, who had previously defeated the X's, and were again successful.

The next set of games started Dec. 1, when the 3HJ-HE combination defeated the 1HR's and the next day the A's. The 3H team was victorious over the 2HF's, but were mowed down by the 3HJ-HE's. Then in the final game, the 3HJ-HR's won over the 1E's making the three year team division champions.

The members of the winning division squad were: the Misses Dorothy Arnold, Beatrice Blanchard, Dorothy Cunningham, Letizia Duca, Mildred Knox, Ruth Lennartson, Ellen Marshall, Jane Monroe, Dorothy Morgan, Frances Rawstron, Thelma Ricker, and Pauline Trow. Miss Morgan was captain. F.A.R.

CLASS VOLLEYBALL

Class volleyball began shortly after Christmas. The Juniors and Seniors combined, making three class teams. Three games were played, the Junior-Seniors defeating both the Freshmen and Sophomore teams and were declared school "champs." The Sophomores came in second, defeating the Freshmen team. The games were all played on a basis of two victories out of three games played.

The champion squad consisted of: the Misses Beatrice Blanchard, Mary Crahan, Dorothy Cunningham, Adeline Cygan, Letizia Duca, Margaret Feindel, Mildred Knox, Ruth Lennartson, Ellen Marshall, Dorothy Morgan, Frances Rawstron, and Nathalie Scott. Miss Cygan was captain.

PLAY AFTERNOONS

Keene Normal school is doing something to foster better relations with the schools of the city. On Saturday afternoon, Jan. 28, the active members of the Women's Athletic association were hostesses to the Keene High school basketball squad in an afternoon of fun in the Spaulding gymnasium.

A game of basketball was played between two teams, each composed of three Normal students and three Keene high players. These mixed teams promoted a feeling hitherto often destroyed by interscholastic games. After the basketball games, those wishing to do so, had opportunity to bowl, dance, or swim. Refreshments were served and an afternoon of good, clean fun was enjoyed.

The Women's Athletic association is a new organization in the school, but by no means a weak one. It is trying to work out a program to help K.N.S., and, incidentally, her relations with Keene's other schools. The W.A.A. has taken the lead—surely the men can't go far wrong by following it. Let's have more "Play Afternoons" for ourselves and others.

F.A.R.

STUNT CLUB

Did you know we had a "Stunt Club" again this year? At Thanksgiving time, Miss Smith organized a club which is unusually enthusiastic and now numbers about twenty-five. It meets but once a week on Tuesday afternoons, but is doing some fine work preparatory to a "Stunt Nite." For some reason, the Stunt club lapsed last year. Now that it has started again, let's keep it going. If you want it, the instructor is willing to supervise it. It's up to you!

F.A.R.

SWIMMING

"Speaking of 'good old days' complexes, in the good old days (and that's not so long ago) when we learned to swim, we practiced our strokes and our form for hours. Now how do the freshmen learn to swim? A new class has recently been organized for freshmen wishing to learn to swim. By playing such water games as "Newcomb" and "Polo" or even just splashing games, they hope to learn to swim, and at the same time lose their fear of the water and have a lot of fun.

Miss Bateman is working out a schedule of interdivisional and interclass splash meets so that a great many beginners may display their prowess. She is hoping to work in a few more freshman classes in water games so that the present freshman class when they graduate a few years hence will be marked 100 per cent on the requirement that every K.N.S. student must learn to swim before graduation.

One of Ruth Winslow's pupils at Hancock in history of civilization wanted a definition of "chloroform writing." Can you give it?

Mistress: "Mary, when you wait at table for my guests, please don't wear any jewelry."

Maid: "I have nothing valuable, ma'am, but thanks for the warning." —ECHO, Hume-Fogg High, Nashville, Tenn.

Neighbor: "Was your son home for the Christmas holidays?"

Father: Well, if he wasn't, somebody else borrowed the car." —THE MANITOU, New Hampton School.

Alpha: "Why did you tip that girl so much when she gave you your coat?"

Kappa: "Look at the coat she gave me."

BOYS' SPORT NOTES

Laurent Ruell, '33, Ashland, has been elected captain of the varsity basketball team. John Whitehead, '33, Manchester, was chosen manager for the season. Roger Clouette, '35, Pennacook, and Weldon Stanford, '35, Keene, will act as assistant managers.

"Freddie" Beechman, '33, Manchester, and "Andy" Crooker '35, Hillsboro, promise us "good cheer" during our season of athletic activities. It is rumored that a third cheer leader may be a young lady. And why not? "Ain't dat sumpin'!"

A real honest-to-goodness hockey team is in the making. May we not look forward to some excellent reports with such ice stars as Bennett and Domina?

Cheer up! That skating rink may prove a success after all. The odds have been against us. First we have no snow and no water to flood the rink, then we have snow and still no water to flood the rink, and now we have the water—and no snow. Never mind, get out those rusty skates and sharpen them up for the snow is coming—it always has and it will this time!

During the past few hundred years the art of fencing has been frightfully neglected. Duels are practically unheard of today. What a pity! We have a remedy for this within our reach. Frank Pace, '33, Portsmouth, is adept at the art of fencing and has willingly organized classes for instruction. If you are interested consult Frank at any time and you may be sure that he will be only too glad to instruct you.

Are you neglecting your golf? Needless, my dear readers, needless! The large net cage, which, perhaps you have noticed in the balcony of the gymnasium, is for the purpose of improving your swings or strokes, (as they may be). It really is surprising how one improves from driving practice. Use the driving cage at any time. J.D.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

By H. E. P.

We regret that ill health has compelled Prof. Oscar C. Gallagher, head of the department of Education, to relinquish his classes for a few weeks. Mr. Gallagher is convalescing at his home, 12 Marlboro St. Classes in secondary education and tests and measurements are being taken by William F. Skelton.

Miss Dorothy S. Simpson of Laconia began her duties as teacher of home economics at the Central Junior High school with the opening of the winter term on January 3. She takes the place of Miss Lillian Brownlee, who did not return after the Christmas vacation, having secured a leave of absence for the remainder of the year because of ill health.

Miss Simpson is a graduate of Skidmore college and received master of arts degree from Boston university.

The New Hampshire legislature has been in session at Concord since Jan. 4. We shall hope to entertain the committees of the House and Senate which have charge of legislation pertaining to the Normal schools, before the session ends. This has been a custom for a number of years. Louis P. Elkins, Concord, husband of a member of the State Board of Education is speaker of the House this year.

The sympathy of the student body goes out to Dean H. D. Carle, on the loss of his father, who passed away on Dec. 18, at Hyde Park, Mass.

Harry B. Preston, of the English department, substituted for Mrs. Elizabeth R. Elkins, member of the State Board of Education, as speaker at the joint meeting of the Senior and Junior Women's clubs at Brattleboro, Vt., on Jan. 5.

On Jan. 9, Clarence H. DeMar addressed a Christian Endeavor convention at Fisherville, Mass.

EXCHANGES

"THE CLIPPER"
Donald McKay High School,
East Boston, Mass.
If any of our student teachers wish suggestions on work in Junior High schools, let them read "THE CLIPPER." It is one of the best papers produced by a Junior High. The literary and art departments are very good.

"THE LOG"
State Teachers College,
Salem, Mass.
Read "THE LOG" if you want a "newsy" paper. All the school news is placed together, making it interesting and uniform. Two very amusing columns are: "Dotty Duichell's" and "Billy Baner's." The individuals' write-ups are very good.

"THE TOWER" is the name of a newspaper, the first number of which has come from St. Anselm's college, Manchester. This is the first newspaper to be published at that institution, and consists of four pages of five 18-inch columns. It is planned to have issues appear every other Friday.

Rev. Robert Quirk, O.S.B., is the faculty adviser of the publication, and David Rooney, Ludlow, Mass., is the editor-in-chief.

We hope to have this paper on our exchange list.

EXCHANGE HUMOR

Teacher: "Who are the Untouchables?"

Student: "People in India that are cast aside, not looked upon."

—LACONIAN, Laconia High.

Novelist: "How are my novels going?"

Bookseller: "I can't imagine, sir; unless its shop-lifters."

—ENTERPRISE, Keene High.

"By Air, Earth and Water," was the subject of an interesting talk given by Miss Martha E. Randall recently before the members of the Fortnightly club of Keene.

Miss Randall told of her recent trip to Europe and of the countries visited, Italy, Germany, France and Spain.

AROUND THE CAMPUS

We are wondering if all the election bets have been paid off.

Have the girls in Huntress hall noticed that the walls in the halls are very, very clean? Mrs. Pope, Mrs. Knight and Mrs. Bragg worked hard during vacation to clean them. It wasn't an easy task. Do your part to keep them neat!

Kora Katnip has at last put her jig saw puzzle together. She said she had to do some "jig-sawing" herself before she finally completed it.

The social committee received many suggestions for the improvement of the Saturday night socials. Many of them are usable—others are not.

Kora Katnip says her skating has improved since last year because the other day the ice came up to meet her only eight times.

The idea of using the club room for cards and games on Saturday nights is excellent. What fun it would be to get a crowd together working on jig-saw puzzles! Why not try it?

Before Christmas we saw several Christmas trees in some rooms and Christmas decorations on doors. One group of girls had the clever idea of making ornaments for their tree. The ornaments were very cute and clever, being made of odd bits of string, paper, and spools.

Kora Katnip thinks she is the most popular co-ed at K. N. S., because she has her own name in print so much. She is waiting for someone to compose a song about her—something like "Betty Co-Ed" or "All American Girl".

We hereby give warning to all pipe-smokers who use the library. Be sure the ashes are entirely extinguished before putting the pipe in ones pocket. Linings burn and the fire department may have to be summoned. If you do not believe it, ask John Whitehead.

THE OBSERVER

The other day there was a visitor in the dining-room. Perhaps you did not see her because you were so busily eating. Yes, it was Emily Post. She decided to have a meal with us.

In Fiske social room I heard her ask, "But why are they crowding-around the door so?"

"We go down to meals that way," answered a girl, pointing to the stairs. Miss Post looked rather perplexed at the fact that the students should flock about this door, especially since they left very little room for a person to pass through the crowd. And when she went down into the dining room after the bell had rung, her frown increased. And why should it not, — with pushing and with having her hat disarranged?

She found a place at one of the tables very easily because there were plenty of places in the dining-room. As the meal progressed, her frown deepened. What could be the cause of that frown? When she asked for the salt and pepper, they were almost thrown as her. The hand-ler could hardly stop eating long enough to grant her request. When the bread was passed around, she saw several people take off two slices at once. At first she thought there must be a bread shortage, but the bread plate was replenished very soon. Miss Post asked for the sugar which was at the other end of the table. Instead of asking for it to be passed, her neighbor reached in front of another person, grabbed the sugar, and handed it to Miss Post.

Between courses there was a short wait, but even in that short time something happened which displeased her. The students started cleaning and stacking the dishes. She was wondering if they would do this in a restaurant, when something else occurred which startled her. The dessert was served before the other dishes were removed from the table.

All through the meal there was a continual rush. That is bad for the digestion.—A real meal is much more enjoyable if one eats more slowly.

Miss Post confided in a certain person and suggested that perhaps we could remedy some of these faults. Can we? X.Y.Z.

SUGGESTED READING

Mr. Carle recommends:

Prince Von Bulow's Memoirs: "The World War and Germany's Collapse" Vol. III. (A fine German view of the World War.)

C. J. C. Street: "Thomas Masaryk of Czecho-Slovakia." (A very readable story of the rise of the young nation of Europe.)

Ida Tarbell: "Owen D. Young" (All of Miss Tarbell's books are worth while.)

Mr. Preston recommends:

Mrs. M. P. Gore and Mrs. Guy E. Spear: "New Hampshire Folk Tales." (Legends of Indians, pioneers, and early history of New Hampshire.)

John Galsworthy: "Flowering Wilderness," Scribners. (A new novel dealing with the Charwell family, relatives of the Forsyte's)

Burton Rascoe: "Titans of Literature" Putnams. (Spicy and unconventional literary criticism set forth as biography, from Homer to the present.)

THE KRONICLE YEAR BOOK

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Their work is highly satisfactory and their cooperation is certainly appreciated by the board. There may be several changes in the book which we hope will be enjoyed by the students.

Lois Huntington and Ruth Mary Doe are collecting snapshots. If you have a snapshot which pertains to school life here, be sure to hand it in as soon as possible. We have about fifty group pictures in all to be taken which we hope to have finished by vacation. Do your part to help us by being prompt. Seniors, be sure to follow the rules about individual photographs. Amusing incidents and conversations are always occurring on campus. We want a good collection of jokes for the yearbook. If anything funny happens write it down and hand it to any member of the board. If we do not have a good joke column, remember it is partly your fault. We have plenty of space for adver-



JOKES



Junior High Pupil: "Miss Bliss, how do you say 'Valley Street' in French?"

Loretta: "La rue de vallee." Pupil: "Oh, Rudy Vallee!"

Mr. Simmons was emphasizing a fact in philosophy class by using different kinds of apples as illustrations. "Now here let's say we have a Baldwin, here a Mac-Intosh, and here Rhode Island Red - - -"

No matter how good looking you are you look better when you smile.

Tourist: "Well, it certainly looks to me as if you ought to be satisfied with such a wonderful crop as you have this year"

Farmer: "Maybe so, but a heavy crop like this is terrible hard on the soil"

The Rostra

At the December meeting of The Rostra the members of the club provided a most enjoyable program. It was arranged by a committee of members with the cooperation of the faculty adviser, Maynard C. Waltz. The following selections were presented: "The Saturnalia" Miss Vera Bradbury, Bradford; "Integer Vitae", Miss Miriam Roby, Belmont; reading, Miss Ellen Marshall, Groveton; discussion of Latin clubs in the Junior High school, Miss Harriet T. Leslie, of the staff of the Central Junior High school.

BROKEN BUTTERFLY

They robbed you of your happy sunny hours
To put you in a case of long dead flowers;
They laid you in a bed of milk-weed pod—
Poor substitute for wild free air, and God.
Wherefore those lovely wings if not to fly!
All pity for you, broken butterfly.

R.C. tisements. Any firm interested will please communicate with the board.

Last year the books came out about the middle of May. That was a new record established at K.N.S. Do we want to equal that record? Yes! Do we want a better book? Yes! Than do your part!

Seen on the bulletin board at Hancock High school after the biology class had made a collection of bones: "All those who wish to see a collection of biological bones see Miss Altenau"

Why kill your wife—get a washing machine to do the dirty work.

Emma Cram had drawn a picture of a cow on the board for her Junior High Economics class.

Enima: "What do we get from a cow?"

Bright(?) pupil: "Pork chops"

A RELIEF TO MEET HER

Lee Goodrum: "That's a remarkably bright girl I was just talking to."

Helen Hayward: "It must have been quite a strain to keep up to her."

Lee Goodrum: "Yes. It was a great relief to meet you."

JUNIOR HIGH CLUBS

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books are being made, bringing out the life and customs of the Romans. The pupils are also learning to count in Latin.

How would you like a nice piece of bread with home-made jelly? Well just go up some Friday afternoon to Miss Dorothy Simpson's Home-Making club, where the girls are learning to cook and make clothes for the poor.

There are also the music lovers. Under the direction of Harry W. Davis an orchestra has been formed, which we hope to hear soon at a Keene Normal chapel.

Did you know that Miss Amy L. Tenny has formed a Service club in which the girls fold bandages for the hospital and cut pictures and paste them on cardboard for children in the hospital?

Many of the boys who are interested in woodworking have been making door steps under the guidance of Roy L. Terrill in the Wood Craft club.

These are only a few of the activities which are carried on in these various clubs.

The work, as you see, is very worthwhile and instructive.

MID-YEARS

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carry out the same scheme. As usual the entire art department, under the direction of Miss Jean Baird, is working hard to make the decorations. If you are not planning to go to the dance, you will want to look in on the affair. The balcony will be open, with the admittance fee only \$.25.

As usual the Alpha Pi Tau fraternity and the Nu Beta Upsilon will be in charge of the tea dance Saturday afternoon. This dance is always very enjoyable. It rounds out the week-end which does not seem complete without it.

Although there may be some sore feet by Saturday night, everyone is very happy after enjoying a week-end which will always be remembered.

The committees in charge are the following: Albert F. Brown, Manchester, general chairman; Marion Lathe, Manchester, assistant. Ticket committee: John H. Day, Hillsboro, chairman; Genevieve McGirr, Concord; Neale W. Curtin, Portsmouth; Marguerite Bates, East Granby, Conn.. Orchestra committee: John A. Whit-head, Manchester, chairman; Cecile B. Proulx, Franklin; Lynn A. Richards, Franklin. Refreshments: Mildred A. Knox, Concord, assisted by members of the Home Economics department. Program committee: Robert C. Tinkham, Manchester, chairman; Esther P. McCarthy, Manchester; Eugenia G. Lambert, Hooksett; Loretta Bliss, Amherst. Chaperon committee: Wilfred A. Poirier, Lincoln, chairman; Emma L. Cram, Candia; Dorothy Kenna, Greenville.

SO. NEW ENGLAND ALUMNI

Plans are being made for the annual luncheon of the Southern N.E. Alumni association to be held in Boston, on the first Saturday of April. All interested are invited to communicate with the secretary, Mrs. Alma Matson MacKinnon, 23 Orchard St., Reyere, Mass. Further particulars in the next issue.

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MORE THAN 100 ARE ON
DEAN'S SCHOLARSHIP
LIST OF LAST SEMESTER

The Dean's list of honor students for the first semester has been given out from the administration office. This list comprises all those whose average is 85 per cent with no grade below 80 per cent.

Women Students

The list of women students includes the following: the Misses Barbara Alexander, Canobie Lake; Laila Anderson, Newport; Dorothy Arnold, Nashua; Barbara Auderer, Wolfboro; Frances Austin, East Jaffrey; Hilda Barrett, Lisbon; Marguerite Bates, East Granby, Conn.; Florence Blanchard, Meredith; Vera A. Bradbury, Bradford; Audrey L. Brann, Groveton; Virginia Bulkeley, New York City; Madeline E. Burpee, Rye; Marjorie Carver, Troy; Dorothy Chute, Keene; Rita Clough, Grafton; Helen Connolly, Lisbon; Helen Corbett, Colebrook; Helen Couture, Groveton; Mary Cummings, Colebrook; Adeline A. Cygan, Manchester; Madeline Dearborn, Concord; Letizia Duca, Woodsville; Estelle Dupelle, Reed's Ferry; Rose Dussault, Nashua; Elaine Dwyer, Keene; Margaret M. Findel, Berlin; Cecelia Flaherty, Gorham; Elizabeth N. Gilchrist, Sunapee; Naomi Guibord, Rupert, Vt.; Ruth Hale, Hooksett; Winifred Hammond, Manchester; Nona Haynes, Rye; Barbara Haywood, Randolph, Vt.; Geraldine Haywood, Newcastle; Doris Hitchcock, Walpole; Lillian Hock, Reed's Ferry; Mildred Holcomb, Berlin; Dorothy Hugron, Hancock; Ruth Inghram, West Claremont; Doris Kimball, Beverly,

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Class Officers and
Teachers Are Busy on
Commencement Plans

CLASS TEACHER



WILLIAM A. CALDWELL

CLASS TEACHER



MISS ELIZABETH P. SHAW

Officers of the class of 1933 are actively engaged with class teachers and the administration of the school in plans for the annual graduation exercises. Dates for the chief events have been set as follows: Saturday, June 3, faculty reception to seniors; Saturday, June 17, picnic and water sports,

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Public Speaking Is
To Be Tried as New
Student Competition

The student body of Keene Normal school is sponsoring a public speaking contest to be held very soon. The program will be divided into two types of performance. Upperclass contestants will present original speeches, while the freshman contest will include only selected declamations from well known sources.

The arrangements for the two contests are being made by committees. The group in charge of the upperclass program includes Miss Isabelle Worth, Sprague W. Drenan, and Miss Edna M. McGlynn of the faculty, Miss Genevieve McGirr of Concord, representing the Dramatic club, Miss Alice Upton of Hancock from the English club, and Andrew Crooker of Hillsboro from the Forum. The freshmen group is in charge of Harry B. Preston, Mrs. Marion F. Hudson and Maynard C. Waltz of the faculty, assisted by eight students, one from each of the divisions.

No student entering the contest will receive any professional coaching. All selections will be presented to the committees before they are delivered. The original selections are not to exceed seven minutes in length and the others are limited to eight minutes.

The upperclass contest will have twelve speakers, representing the school clubs. The freshman contest includes ten members, one from each division, the larger divisions having two speakers.

This contest is to be enlarged upon next year, giving a wider range of opportunity.

Suitable prizes will be given to the winners in each contest.

THE LEAGUE OF NATIONS
CLUB IS TO PRESENT
DRAMATIZATION MAY 10

One of the newest organizations at Keene Normal is the League of Nations club, which was organized only last fall. It has already sent delegates to a model assembly held at Smith college and has arranged for an exhibition league meeting open to the public for the evening of May 10.

The League of Nations club is not restricted to people who desire the United States to join the

CLUB SPONSOR



MISS ISABEL M. BLAKE

League. Rather, it has been working to study the purposes and functions of the League from an unprejudiced viewpoint.

Besides the activities of the Club concerned strictly with the League, the members enjoy a pleasant social atmosphere. Requirements for entrance are based on scholarship and interest. The meetings are held the first and third Wednesdays of each school month. The officers are: president, George A. Donovan, Franklin; vice-president, Dorothy M.

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EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

So. Acworth School Students in Evening Classes for Parents

Under the direction of Mrs. Villa Hall Wight and the student teachers of the Acworth Training school, one forty-minute session of the regular school work was carried on, on the evening of March 10. At this time four of the classes demonstrated some of the work they are doing for the parents. The four classes were: the biology class under the guidance of Miss Madeline Burpee of Rye; the history of civilization class under Miss Francis Driscoll, North Woodstock; the Junior High science class under Miss Emma Cram, Candia; the junior business training class under Miss Doris M. Kimball, Beverly, Mass.

There were some 40 or 50 parents and friends present, as well as guests from the Normal school. The parents enjoyed the privilege of observing the school in operation under the student teachers, as well as seeing some of the pupils projects which were on exhibition.

At the close of the session the parents and friends adjourned to the near-by church, where the pupils gave an entertainment, composed of musical selections, under the direction of Miss Ruth Forbes, Nashua; also of dialogues and recitations.

It is agreed that the evening was a credit to the Normal school as well as the Acworth High school.

Boys Glee Club

Under the leadership of Harry W. Davis, head of the department of music at the school the glee club composed of men students plans a concert later in the season. In addition to a wide variety of vocal selections, Mr. Davis is arranging a group of instrumental numbers by men of the club.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

Rural Club

Leonard S. Morrison, new head of the department of education, was the speaker at the Rural club on March 14, in the rural department room in Hale building. There was a large attendance. Mr. Morrison discussed the financial situation in the education of the state basing his remarks on a study which he made as chairman of a committee of the State Teachers association. He also gave the club members his conception of rural-mindedness. The club plans to sponsor a Saturday evening social early in May.

Sigma Pi Epsilon

The New English club at its regular meeting Monday evening, March 27, again considered possible candidates for membership. This list of students included freshmen girls as well as upper class students.

Miss Loretta Bliss, Amherst, was chosen as the club's entrant in the public speaking contest.

Plans are being made for a program for a Saturday night social.

Nature Club

The Nature club at its meeting held Thursday evening, March 16, installed its new officers. Miss Madeline Dearborn, Concord, was in charge of the ceremony. The officers are: Miss Lulu Stylianos, Nashua, president; Miss Stella Shaw, Hampton, vice-president; Miss Cecilia Flaherty, Gorham, secretary; and Miss Agnes Diamond, Bennington, treasurer.

Mr. James Keech gave a very interesting talk on stamp collecting.

The club had charge of the Saturday night social on April 8, which was in the form of a very novel Country Fair.

The Rostra

The members of the Latin club have been busily engaged in the past few weeks making a collection of views of Roman events, buildings and statues. These pictures, which they have hung on the walls, lend a pleasing Roman atmosphere to the classroom. The chairs have been arranged according to the plan of the Roman senate.

At a recent meeting the club chose black and gold as its colors and "Respicere, Adspice, Prospice" as its motto. It was also decided that Hecate be used as the insignia. In the near future a banner, painted in the club colors, containing the name, insignia and motto of the club, will be hung up in the classroom.

At the March business meeting Miss Ann Koski, Proctorsville, Vt., was chosen chairman of the committee which will be in charge of the next program meeting in April.

The Forum

The Keene Normal school men's debating squad met the University of Vermont team in a no-decision debate on cancellation of war debts, in Parker hall, Wednesday evening, March 29.

The question was: "Resolved: that the United States should cancel all her inter-allied war debts." The visiting team upheld the affirmative side. Carl Johnson of Hillsboro presided. The Keene squad, taking the negative side of the argument, was made up of Thomas McCullough, Manchester, Raymond O'Neil, Nashua, and Valmore Blais, Laconia.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Caldwell have recently moved from 100 Blake street to 19 Fowler street, where telephone 1304-R, has been installed.

"Home Eccers" Give Something Different for Saturday Night

On Thursday morning, March 30, in the rush to breakfast I saw a peculiar object on campus. On my way back I saw that the dilapidated scare-crow proclaimed that on April 1 there was to be a Poverty Party in the gymnasium.

My curiosity was aroused. At 7:30 I joined the crowd at the door and received my torn tag. A very good orchestra was playing. The sign proclaimed "M.A. Boys' Orchestra?" but it seemed to be entirely of girls; the first joke of the evening.

At eight o'clock games began. Everyone entered in and had a hilarious time. I never saw such spirit and enthusiasm at a Saturday night social. Games were sprinkled in with dancing so that all were satisfied.

There was a tie for first place between the Yellow and Green teams in the cork relay and the suitcase relay. The suitcase relay determined the winning team, which was the Yellow team. A prize of a box of chocolates was awarded, and this was a second April Fool for they were real, and delicious; we were sorry there were not enough for everyone.

At 9:30 the party was over, and as I slid out the door I heard more than one person remark, "What a wonderful time we had. Leave it to the Home Eccers to have something different. It was the best social we have had for a long time."

The mystery of the evening was the disappearance of the Home Economics "Man". However, he came to light in the maple tree in back of Parker hall the next morning. We are still rather dubious as to where he spent the night. -J.A.M.

AROUND THE CAMPUS

We welcome back to the campus all those people who have been teaching in schools outside of Keene. We suppose you feel very, very professional having completed your second nine of teaching. Good luck to those going out!

Kora Katnip had an acute attack of spring fever the other day. She lay on her bed day-dreaming of sunny isles, etc. for so long that she was late to class and couldn't even understand why Miss Brown gave her a blue slip.

Its queer we saw no one play a game of badminton on snowshoes this winter. At least the net was there, so that was not the reason for the failure.

Kora Katnip says we have had our own mud season around here, considering the appearance of the tennis court, hockey field, the parking space and Appian Way sidewalk.

Who was the first to see a robin? And how are you going to prove you were the first one?

Kora Katnip says that the pleats stay in her skirts much better since the new irons made their appearance in the laundry. She does wish that the girls would be a little more careful about keeping the laundry neat. At least they don't have to leave little pieces of soap, empty boxes, wrappers, and old handkerchiefs lying around.

We want a beautiful campus this year, as always, and everyone can help. Remember that walking on the grass while the earth is still soft causes damage which is not remedied in a moment. Start a few minutes ahead of time, so you won't have to cut corners.

Happy vacation to everyone! Come back ready for spring activities on campus - senior activities, baseball, tennis, tenniquoit, and the final work on backward studies.

ALPHA PI TAU

Earl Iles, Manchester, now a Railway Mail clerk, and Olin Swett, Hill, now teaching in Freedom, were recent alumni visitors at the fraternity house.

Carl A. Johnson, Hillsboro, has been chosen to represent the Alpha fraternity in the public speaking contest.

A lawn will be in existence in front of the Alpha Fraternity house, if visitors will cooperate with the members in using the walks.

Fearing that wrong impressions might be given regarding the three persons resembling convicts emerging from the Alpha house at about 6:30 A.M., we wish to explain that they are only brothers Johnson, MacLean, and Sullivan, with their spring haircut.

"Is your girl having any success in learning to drive?" "Well the road is beginning turn when she does."

ART DEPT.

Miss Helena Putnam, instructor in art, was in Williamsville, Vt., recently, where she gave an entertainment under the auspices of the Methodist church. Her program consisted of an illustrated travelogue of the countries she visited while abroad, an amusing chalk talk and a monologue. We are sure that many did not know that Miss Putnam was talented along these lines.

Spencer E. Eaton and Miss Charlotte Thibodeau are working on an outside project for the Amsden Shoe store, children's department. We understand that the decorative idea is taken from Eugene Field's poem, "Wyken, Blynken and Nod".

For many weeks now the students of the art department, third year, have been struggling to complete the panelled screens for the faculty room in the Hale building. They are to have scenes on both sides of varying designs. Albastine paint is used.

KAPPA NEWS

On the afternoon of March 23, a tea was held at the house, 22 Appian Way, in honor of Mrs. Wallace E. Mason, in recognition of her great kindness in the fitting up of the living room. Mrs. Mason poured. Wives of the honorary members of the fraternity, and a few invited guests were present. The committee in charge included "Jack" Day, president pro-tempore, and "Tom" McCoullough.

The third and final degree was conferred on the pledges on the evening of March 27. President Day was in charge of the ritual, assisted by Chaplain McCullough. Three honorary members, Messrs. Frederick J. Simmons, Charles H. Hapgood, and Harry B. Preston shared in the work, and the charge to the new members was given by Brother E. S. Huse, principal of the Junior High school, in a very impressive manner. Following the degree work, a social hour was enjoyed.

HOME ECONOMICS

Saturday, March 18, the Home Economics department served a banquet for the basketball squads of Plymouth and Keene.

On the same day Frances Halliday of Bellows Falls, Vt., gave a very interesting demonstration of the uses of sewing machine attachments before a group of 4H club leaders of Cheshire County.

During the last quarter the Junior girls have served a series of four luncheons and suppers. The first and last ones were served to members of their own class. The second one was served as a supper to the girls in the Home Management house. Miss Clark and Miss Bateman were guests at the third luncheon.

We welcome the Seniors who have completed their practice teaching. We wish success to Ella Johnson at Concord, Katherine Elliott at South Acworth, Marjorie Freethy at Hancock and Edna Sheldon at Hampstead.

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

Some of the men in the machine shop are embarking on an adventure in instrument making. Under the direction of Mr. Adams and Mr. Keech, they are building two Saybolt viscosimeters, to be used for testing the viscosity of lubricating oils.

A new bench has been installed in the chemistry laboratory by men who are working for their credit in industry.

With the aid of two small gas furnaces, experiments are being carried on in the casting of small aluminum articles. This work in metal casting offers actual working experience for the men in the pattern-making department.

The shaper in the machine-shop, which was sometime ago accidentally broken in service, has been repaired. All the repair work, including the making of parts, was done in the shop.

MUSIC NOTES

The men's glee club has added two special rehearsal periods per week and is getting down to "brass tacks" for the concert which is to take place on Friday evening, May 5. Mr. William ("Bill") Nye of Keene is to be guest soloist on this occasion. Mr. Nye has sung solo parts in the Keene Chorus club and his deep bass voice has thrilled many audiences.

The enlarged chapel choir is now functioning smoothly. The piano has been moved to an appropriate place on the floor of the Spaulding gymnasium to accommodate the group of singers. Harry W. Davis now acts as leader of this augmented organization.

Officers of the Orpheus club will constitute a committee to arrange a program for a concert on Monday evening, May 15. This is one of the annual musical events eagerly looked forward to. Rumors have already started that more of the interesting spicy two-piano duets will be played. The club has begun to make arrangements for its annual MacDowell Colony trip.

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COMPARISONS

How often do we stop our studying to remark: "If I'd gone to such and such a school—" If we could see ourselves as others see us. A short time ago we had the opportunity to visit another normal school.

We arrived at ten o'clock and were urged to hurry because you see "we have only one hour for Chapel." After climbing several flights of stairs, hurrying along innumerable corridors, we were ushered into an assembly hall filled with students who were enjoying musical selections previous to the opening of chapel. Scripture reading, the Lord's Prayer, number sixty-eight in the familiar "Students Hymnal" — we were at home. During the singing of the hymn we glanced around the hall. One group, wearing cap and gown, interested us particularly. These, we were told, were four-year degree students, who must wear their caps and gowns at Tuesday chapel.

After a brief welcome by the President a debate was held. We observed that neither before nor after the debate were any notices read. A bulletin board is maintained for this. How proud we were to describe our new bulletin board!

When chapel was over, we were shown classrooms, the library, and the gymnasium. After visiting the shop we couldn't help boasting about our Butterfield building—

"Have you an entire building for manual arts work?"

"Yes, indeed! We also have a Home Economics laboratory and a practice house, and a gymnasium with a swimming pool."

"What type of seat work would you suggest for a fifth grade Miss —?" In the friendly atmosphere of a classroom with its familiar books, project work, and bulletin, we very nearly raised our hands to expound our pet theories on motivation. But the class, sophomores of the three year elementary course who had already done their practice teaching, furnished us with several new ideas.

Luncheon, served in a small but very attractive dining hall was a most instructive meal. We corrected the impression that Keene was a normal school with a thousand students, described the practice school, the curricula of the various courses, the extra curricula activities and the social events. We learned that with a student body of four hundred, only sixty students and these girls were "dorm" students. We congratulate the school on the splendid spirit of friendliness and cooperation which has been

EDUCATION NOTES

At the annual meeting of the Keene school district, it was voted to retain the kindergartens as a part of the elementary school system. Roy M. Pickard, Esq., was re-elected to the school board. The two new members are Karl R. Beedle and Louis H. Dean. The budget as presented by the board was approved with estimated savings to the city of about \$24,000.

Harry W. Chase, Ph. D., formerly president of the University of Illinois, has been appointed to the position of Chancellor of the University of New York. Dr. Chase is a graduate of Dartmouth with the class of 1904, and holds degrees from Clark, and many other institutions. In his youth he was a pupil in the Groveland, Mass., High school, of which Dr. Ernest W. Butterfield, former Commissioner of Education for the State of New Hampshire, was then principal.

Amos W. Belding, former headmaster of the High school at Claremont has succeeded the late A. E. Winship as editor of the "Journal of Education". Mr. Belding is a Harvard man, and recently has been engaged in newspaper work in Boston. He was for a period assistant editor of the publication which he now heads.

built up among "dorm" students, town students and commuters.

During the afternoon we visited the dormitories, admired and envied the possessors of "suites", enjoyed the radio and exchanged ideas with the student-teachers who were experiencing a 'oliday due to the rainy weather.

All too soon, a pleasant day ended. We wish that more students might be given the opportunity of becoming acquainted with other teacher training institutions. Perhaps a visiting day similar to Scholarship Day, might be a solution.

THE DOG AND THE BONE

"The dog that trots about finds a bone." Sometimes he even has to dig for it, and work hard for it.

When he finally obtains it, he probably has a calm feeling of contentment. How good it tastes after working so hard for it! Perhaps it is an old bone which has been buried for some time but it gives as much joy as a new one. I wonder if he does not appreciate it more if he has to work for it.

We could change that quotation by saying, "The person who trots around finds the most opportunities." It is certainly true that no dog ever found a bone by lying on the door-step sleeping or no person ever found opportunities by waiting for them to jump out of the box when the cover is lifted, like a jack-in-a-box. A dog who is ready to run after the thrown stick is much more interesting than the dog who lies down at your feet and looks drowsily after the stick as though to say, "I know I should get the stick and bring it back but it is too hard. Let the other dog do it." It might almost be classed under Keene Normal School's by-word "responsibility," i. e. a lack of it.

Recently President Mason called for suggestions for a speaking contest. Some people were interested enough to go ahead and discuss plans. When a person takes the task of conducting a class in the absence of the instructor, he is going after the bone in the right manner. These are only a few examples of what our students can do. Sometimes there are only a few who do this. Everyone should enter in. There are lots of bones buried around and the dogs who get there first are the prize-winners.

A bill permitting the three state normal schools of Washington to grant the degree of bachelor in education has been passed and signed by the governor.

K.N.S. ALUMNI MEETING VOTES NEW SCHOLARSHIP

Fourth Scholarship to be Named For Mrs. Mason

Several members of the Keene Normal school faculty attended the annual luncheon meeting of the Southern New England Alumni association in the Hotel Kenmore, Boston, Saturday, April 1. About 40 members were present, including many who have teaching positions in or near Boston and others who attend college there.

Mrs. Lillian Timmons McDermott reported on a scholarship fund, stating that provision has already been made for three \$50 funds and it was voted to establish a fourth one to be named the Mrs. Wallace E. Mason scholarship. The other three are named after Nahum Leonard, Jeremiah Rhodes and Pres. Mason.

Miss Louise M. Phippard, formerly of Nashua, now teaching near Boston, presided, and LeRoy L. Maine, the first graduate of K.N.S. to become a school superintendent, was toastmaster. Maine was elected president for next year.

The members expressed much enthusiasm for the triennial reunion to be held in Keene on June 24 and several of the older graduates plan to return.

Miss Inez M. Vaughan was the chief faculty speaker, and others called on for remarks included Pres. Mason, Miss Idella K. Farnum, Miss Mabel R. Brown and Miss Amy T. Tenney.

Miss Marion Phippard, Nashua, and Miss Dorothy Kane, Portsmouth, two students of the music supervisory course, accompanied the faculty and furnished special music.

At its annual meeting at Minneapolis, the American Association of Teachers Colleges elected Dr. Frank E. Baker of Milwaukee State Teachers college, president. The list of officers contain no New England Teachers college official.

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

1930 — 1932

George S. Chase of Haverhill, Mass., graduate of the music supervisory course in 1930, was one of the speakers at the Eastern Music Supervisors' conference in Providence, R. I., last week. He gave an address on rural school music.

Mr. Chase was recently honored by having a musical organization named the G. S. C. choral society. His initials were selected as the name for the combined choirs of the Pawtucket Valley Protestant churches. He is supervisor of music in the Coventry, R. I., schools and organist and choir director at Quinick Baptist church.

1931

Another recent graduate of Keene, who has coached a successful basketball team is J. Verne Quimby, '31, teacher coach at the Hillsboro High school. By defeating Goffstown at the close of the Central New Hampshire league, Hillsboro won for the third consecutive season the championship of this league. The important deciding game was played on a neutral floor, at the Concord Armory. By this victory Quimby's team comes into permanent possession of the beautiful silver trophy. Throughout the season Quimby has had the backing of the school and community, and together with his hard working team, has come in for a great deal of appreciation and favorable comment.

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SUMMER SCHOOL WILL BE HELD AT K. N. S.

Partial List of Faculty and Subjects Already Selected

The annual summer session of the New Hampshire normal schools will be held in Keene from July 4, to Aug. 11. Circulars have been prepared to be sent all applicants for admission, explaining tuition, living expenses, registration, courses and recreational and other opportunities afforded at Keene Normal school.

Pres. Wallace E. Mason will be in charge of the summer school and other members of the faculty and their subjects will be: Charles W. Cutts, economics and geography; Conrad A. Adams, vocational guidance; H. Dwight Carle, science; Harry B. Preston, New Hampshire resources; Merton T. Goodrich, mathematics. Other faculty members are to be announced for educational psychology, pupil adjustment, music appreciation, principles of teaching in the secondary schools, secondary law and program, and elementary and secondary contracts.

Miss Isabelle U. Esten, dean and Miss Ida M. Fernald, assistant dean, will serve in their regular capacities. Miss Mabel R. Brown will be registrar and secretary to Pres. Mason. Additional courses will be added and instructors secured if any group of eight or more students make a request for any special subject.

NOTE

At the recent successful presentation of "The Ghost Train", by the drama guild of the Keene Woman's club, all of the women characters were with the exception of one Mrs. Margaret Newell, former students at K. N. S. and received much of their early training here.

They were Mrs. John P. Wright, Miss Mollie E. Adams, and Mrs. Harold E. Russell. Mrs. Newell was at one time a teacher at the Normal school and had charge of dramatics while here.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

BOYS' SPORTS DAY

The boys' "Sports Day" held in Spaulding gymnasium, Saturday, March 25, was won by the junior-seniors of the three and four year groups of Trades and Industry the High school curriculums, by scoring a total of 19 points. The sophomore class were close runners-up with 17 points and the freshmen scored nine points for third place. Points were awarded on the basis of five for first place, three for second, and one for third.

The sport events included bowling, volleyball, foul shooting, basketball and a swimming meet. Competition was very keen in all events.

The summary of the sport events were as follows: in bowling the junior-seniors won with a team total of 822. The sophomore team was second with 784 and the freshmen third with 736. Volleyball was won by the junior-seniors, defeating the 1 T & I team, 15-13, 15-11, 15-11, in the finals. Foul shooting was also won by the junior-seniors. Neal Curtin, Portsmouth, was high scorer in shooting fouls, with 12 out of a possible 15. The four-man junior-senior team scored 24 baskets for their total. The sophomores placed second with 20 and freshmen third, with 14 baskets.

The swimming meet was won by the sophomores with 28 1-2 points. The junior-senior team was second with 14 1-2 points and the freshmen third with 10 points. The team scores were very close in each event up until the swimming meet. This event settled the meet in favor of the junior-senior team.

The sports summary:

| | Seniors | Sophs | Fresh |
|---------------|---------|-------|-------|
| Basketball | 1 | 5 | 3 |
| Bowling | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| Foul Shooting | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| Swimming | 3 | 5 | 1 |
| Volleyball | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Total points | 19 | 17 | 9 |

—M. B. K.

BASKETBALL SUMMARY, 1932-33 Bright Spots in a Season with Hard Schedule

Eight Men Awarded Their Major "K"

Another basketball season has drawn to a close here in K.N.S. The season can not be called a failure, even though the team has won only four out of their 13 games. In each game, the fellows have displayed a hard fighting spirit and loyalty to their coach and school. The team's morale has been unbroken all year. Such a team is a credit to any school.

The following men started most of the games: Edwin Hill, Keene, center; Captain "Joe" Ruell, Ashland, forward; George Zoulias, Manchester, forward; William St. Jacques, Laconia, guard; and Paul Stimson, Milford, guard. Other members of the club were as follows: George Knox, Concord; Robert Girardin, Peterboro; Harold Wheelock, Keene; Newell Paire, Keene; Ray Luxford, Landaff; and Gilbert Wyman, Keene.

The season started out with the strong Deerfield academy team on Jan. 21. Keene bowed to them 61 to 33.

The second game was with Fitchburg teachers here on Feb. 1. Keene lost this game, keeping their morale to the highest degree, 52 to 29.

Then on Feb. 4, we played Clark university at Worcester. This should have been a victory for Keene, but Clark came out on top 38 to 19.

On Feb. 7, the B.U. freshmen came to Spaulding gym with our former coach, David Webb, as their coach, to hand a very close defeat to Keene 35 to 33. It was anybody's game up to the final gun.

Then on Feb. 11, Keene played a return game on B.U.'s floor. This proved to be another moral victory for Keene, although they

lost to B.U. by the score of 36 to 31.

Playing the Fitchburg teachers a return game at Fitchburg on Feb. 15, Keene again played brilliantly, but lost 42 to 29.

Playing the Keene "Y" club in Spaulding gym for the Nims trophy on March 1, Keene again lost 48 to 32.

After losing 7 consecutive games, K.N.S. came into the winning column, defeating M.I.T. freshmen, 41 to 31, on March 4, in Boston.

On March 8, Keene continued to win, defeating Clark school here, 35 to 31. Keene had begun to hit its stride now.

Nichols Junior college entertained Keene at Dudley, Mass., on March 11. Keene won their third straight game, 41 to 37.

Playing Nichols a return game here, Keene again won 35 to 28, on March 15.

On March 17, K.N.S. played the "Y" club at the high school gym, losing to them 37 to 22. This gave the "Y" club permanent possession of the Nims trophy.

The final game of the season was played at Clark school on March 22, at Hanover. This proved to be a victory for Clark. The score was 32 to 20.

The following men received their major "K" in basketball this season: Capt. Ruell, Ashland; George Knox, Concord; Edwin Hill, Keene; Newell Paire, Keene; George Zoulias, Manchester; Paul Stimson, Milford; and William St. Jacques, Laconia.

Weldon Stanford, of Keene, a member of the class of 1935, has been appointed varsity manager for basketball for the season 1933-34.

—M. B. K.

GIRLS' BASKETBALL

PLYMOUTH AT PLYMOUTH

On March 11, a squad of 13 girls went to Plymouth for the first game of the season. At the end of the game the score stood Plymouth 39, Keene 31. Although we lost the game, it was by no means an easy win for Plymouth. Both teams played a hard, fast game.

After the game, the teams were given a banquet which was duly appreciated. Later, there was dancing in the gymnasium. We were glad to see four or five Keene men there.

PLYMOUTH AT KEENE

On March 18, the Plymouth team came to Keene with its cheering squad and duplicated its victory of the week before. This time the score was 50 to 30 in Plymouth's favor. We were glad to see the large number of students who cheered the girls to the end even though they lost. Keene students do not lose their spirit!!

After this game, the Home Economics club served a banquet for the teams and members of the faculty. After the meal, games were played — the feature of the evening being a dance called "Dobbin" by "Andy" Collin and Miss Hodgdon of Plymouth.

The members of the Keene squad participating in both games were: Captain Hazel Sleeper, Lebanon; Dorothy Kenna, Greenville; Eleanor McAlister, Warner; Lula Morey, Keene; Ada Perkins, Franklin; Frances Rawstron, Claremont; and Louise Tewksbury, Littleton.

—F. A. R.

MEN'S CLUB BOWLING

The men's club bowling team recently defeated the faculty team 1,039 to 918. Their team was: Winn, Boccia, Colbeth and Kalloch. The faculty team was: professors, Simmons, Carle, Keech and Hapgood.

EXCHANGES

THE INDIAN
Newberry College
Newberry, South Carolina

In many ways THE INDIAN is a representative college weekly, particularly in its editorials, which are excellent. The material throughout the paper is well organized and diversified in its scope. The column entitled "Did you happen to see?" is worth noting by any publication that is desirous of variety in a more or less simplified form. The paper is apparently an addict of advertisements which may or may not be a good policy, depending on the individual case in most instances.

THE FLOR-ALA
Florence State Teachers College
Florence, Alabama

The news section of THE FLOR-ALA is by far the best feature of the entire paper. It is well-written and interesting, a standard difficult of achievement. The publication aside from this lacks compactness; it is spread rather thinly over three pages and is in itself supplementary material. The headings are good, especially to the title page, perhaps due to their excellent source, The Journal of the National Education Association.

THE FRONTLINE
State Normal School
Frostburg, Maryland

THE FRONTLINE has variety if nothing else and perhaps at the expense of the entire paper. More concentration on a fewer number of sections would be an improvement possibly. If a book review column is practical and worth doing, why not do it well, or not at all? More distinct and better classifications throughout the publication would add greatly to its merit.

THE NORTHERN STUDENT
Bemidji State Teachers College
Bemidji, Minnesota

Not knowing the purpose of THE NORTHERN STUDENT it is of course difficult to estimate its achievement, literary material seems to be its main feature, but if the paper has this sort of thing as its aim, it has failed more or less miserably. To measure up to the standards of a college paper better writing and more departments are needed.

JOKES

"Polly" Holcomb at Junior High school: "How do they catch Tuna fish?"
Pupil: "They harp on them."

One rainy morning a student met Mr. Simmons and said, "Good morning."
"It's raining," replied Mr. Simmons.

George Knox: "I met you when I was shovelling snow at K.N.S."

"Dot" Kenna: "Oh, yes That's when you scraped acquaintance."

Teacher: "Leo, give me a sentence with the word 'flippancy'."
Leo: "Let's flippancy whether I pass or not."

Substitutes are not as good as ask a man with a wooden leg.

Mr. Goodrich: "How much time did you spend on your math?"

"Gus" Peltonen: "Three hours, sir."

Mr. Goodrich: "And then what happened?"

"Gus": "My room-mate woke me up."

One of the best things to have up your sleeve is a funny-bone.

Heard in Labor Problems class during a discussion of "free trade":

"Why each country would manufacture what it was best fitted for. For instance, New Hampshire might manufacture hens — — —"

Why is it that the fellow who is most dubious about number thirteen is most confident in number one?

Helen Couture: "How do you like me with my hair back?"

"Andy" Crocker: "I didn't know you had loaned it to anyone."

AT 22 APPIAN WAY
Bill B.: "Isn't this phone service terrible?"

ANB.: "Yes, unspeakably bad."

SALESMANSHIP

First co-ed: "So you think I'll never get married! Well, believe it or not, but I said 'no' to four different men last summer."
Second ditto: "Indeed? What were they selling?"

HAPPY ENDING?

He: "Can you cook?"
She: "No, can you afford a car?"

He: "No, darling."
So they did not marry and live happy ever after.

PHILOSOPHY 4H

"What is mind? No matter. What is matter? Never mind."

RESTRICTED APPEAL

Lee Goodrum: "I write for the few."

Mr. Drenan: "Yes indeed, the fewer the better."

BEST TEMPERED WITH —

Co-ed: "The school photographer doesn't do me justice."

Younger brother: "What you want is mercy."

FIRST IN HIS LINE

Several parents were telling about their children. One was first in history, another in arithmetic, another in spelling, etc.

"And what is Jimmie first in?"

They asked Mrs. Jones.
"Not first in," she replied, "but always first out when the bell rings."

PRACTICE TEACHERS PARADISE

Teacher: Johnny, can you tell me what is the capital of Alaska?

Johnny: No'm.
Teacher: That is correct. Now, Willie, do you know how beavers cut down such large trees?

Willie: Naw!
Teacher: Very good, Willie.

And Wilfred, what is the unit for measuring electricity?

Wilfred: What?

Teacher: That's right. Now Helen, who was Mr. Pickwick's man in Dicken's Pickwick Papers.

Helen: Well—er—

Teacher: Fine, Helen. Now, Rebecca, tell me what is the name of the parchment-like paper used in book-binding?

Rebecca: Vell—um—

Teacher: That is very good—etc., etc., etc.

—COLLEGE HERALD, Kalamazoo, Mich.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

By H. B. P.

John Roger Matthews, a junior in the trades and industries curriculum, Weldon Stanford, and Charles Kline, both Junior High school freshmen, were respectively chosen to the three highest officers of Keene chapter Order De Molay, at a recent election of that body.

President Wallace E. Mason represented K.N.S. at the funeral of President C. A. Boyden, of Bridgewater, Mass., State Teachers college, on March 17. Dr. Boyden was one of the best known teacher training institution presidents in the country. Pres. Mason was among the educators of the nation whose tribute to the late Dr. A. E. Winship appeared in the memorial number of the "Journal of Education".

For the second time this season Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, teacher of psychology, is giving a course of lectures to the federated P.T.A.'s of the city of Keene. Her topics cover practical aspects of the subject of adjustment and child training, and are held in the assembly hall of the city library.

Members of the faculty and students with special interest in the drama were privileged to hear a recital recently at the Parish house of the First church, Keene, given by Hamilton Ward, the well known Shakespearean actor. Mr. Ward read the tragedy of "Romeo and Juliette" to the great delight of his audience.

The Keene Orchestral Society, with Carl R. Beedle as director, gave a concert of popular and semi-classical music in the Spaulding gymnasium recently. The assisting artists were the Mildred Trio, vocalists. The concert was much enjoyed by a large audience of students and town's people. Donald Frizzell, a member of the class of 1933, was one of the players, and Mrs. Mildred Whitcomb, first soprano of the trio is a graduate of the music supervisory department of K.N.S.

Dean's List

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Mass.; Annie Koski, Proctorsville, Vt.; Kathleen LeCoy, Portsmouth; Marion Lathe, Manchester; Ruth Lennartson, Concord; Arlene Littlefield, Danbury; Genevieve McGirr, Concord; Laura McQuade, Hanover; Grace McDonald, Hampton; Ellen Marshall, Groveton; Dorothy Minor, Keene; Dorna Mitchell, Newfields; Jane A. Monroe, South Shaftesbury, Vt.; Mary Moran, Berlin; Ruth Nelson, Mill Village; Ada Perkins and Alta Perkins, Franklin; Dorothy Powers, South Danbury; Mary Repetti, Epping; Frances Rawstron, Claremont; Helen Rice, Rindge; Winona Richardson, Pittsfield; Esther Rickard, Guild; Thelma Ricker, Alton; Miriam Roby, Franklin; Janette Saigh, Manchester; Elsie Seed, Salem Depot; Frances Shaughnessy, North Walpole; Stella Shaw, Hampton; Hazel Sleeper, Lebanon; Henrietta Stearns, Meriden; Margaret Stearns, Keene; Hazel Stone, Keene; Eleanor Tarbox, Brattleboro, Vt.; Louise Tewksbury, Littleton; Charlotte Thibodeau, Claremont; Pauline Trow, Sunapee; Alice Upton, Hancock; Mildred Watters, Waltham, Mass.; Elsie Wheeler, Greenville; Doris Wilson, Concord; and Ruth Winslow, Mount Holly, Vt.

Men's List

The men's list consists of the following: Gordon Ayer, Keene; Fred Barry, Charlestown; Byron Berry, Dover; Valmore Blais, Laconia; Carlton E. Brett, Keene; J. Lawrence Buker, Alton; Earl M. Colbeth, Portsmouth; Morton C. Commee, Templeton, Mass.; Clayton E. Craig, Bradford; Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro; Ralph Duso, Laconia; William P. Gamester, Portsmouth; Henry Hastings, Newport; Martin E. Heffernan, Portsmouth; Edward J. Hickey, Manchester; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro; Norman Mason, East Kingston; John R. Matthews, Keene; Raymond O'Neil, Nashua; Newell Paire, Keene; T. Ernest Peltonen, New-

Commencement Plans

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at Wilson pond camp; Sunday, June 18, sermon to graduating class; Wednesday, June 21, rose night on the campus (if rainy the following day); Friday, June 23, class day; Saturday, June 24, graduation at 10 a.m., followed by the triennial reunion and luncheon of the general alumni association.

Dates still to be assigned are those of the senior ball and the senior banquet.

Economy Stressed

This year's class is working on a program of economy to be carried out in connection with all events. This is strictly in the spirit of the times and the officers are to be congratulated on their thoughtfulness in this matter.

There are many points where economy can be effected without destroying either the pleasure or significance of the event. Members of the class are cooperating with officers with fine spirit.

At a recent meeting the class teachers and class marshals were selected. The former for 1933 are to be William A. Caldwell, head of the department of physical education, and Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, instructor of psychology. Marshals will be Paul K. Stimson, Milford, and Miss Juliette Blackburn, Berlin.

Announcements will be made within a short time of the speaker for the commencement exercises, for the baccalaureate sermon and further plans for the triennial reunion.

Kora Katnip may enter the speaking contest on an independent ticket. Watch for her first public appearance.

port; Edward L. Presby, Lisbon; William Properzió, Keene; Norman P. Sargent, Contoocook; Everett Snow, Keene; Paul Stimson, Milford; Charles Stowell, Walpole; and John Whitehead, Manchester.

League of Nations Club

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Cunningham, Wilton; secretary, Ruth Lennartson, Pembroke. The faculty adviser is Miss Isabel M. Blake of the history department.

Represented at Smith

The Club, being especially interested in what other colleges are doing in this respect, elected two delegates to observe the League of Nations' Model Assembly of New England colleges held at Smith college, Northampton, Mass. The delegates were: Miss Mary Rapetti of Epping, and Mr. Valmore Blais of Laconia. Miss Edna M. McGlynn, faculty member, Miss Ruth Lennartson, Concord, and Frank Tisdale, Salem, formed the rest of the party. At this Model League Assembly there were officially represented 27 colleges with 334 delegates present. The Assembly functioned three days, March 9-11. The delegates from Keene Normal attended only on Saturday, March 11.

This Assembly was conducted entirely by college students using the same procedure as at the League of Nations in Geneva. Sir Herbert Ames, former treasurer of the League of Nations, acted as critique and commented on the excellence of the proceedings. The results were so satisfactory that the Club is heartily in favor of sending official representatives next year instead of unofficial delegates.

Public Meeting Planned

The Club is at present intensely busy with plans for an exhibition League meeting to be presented to the school on May 10. This function will bear authenticity as everything will be performed just as at Geneva. Miss Blake, the faculty adviser, is working hard to make this a success. Miss Elizabeth E. Gregory, who is very much interested, is also helping the Club to put on a stellar performance. The school will, no doubt, be interested in the developments.

NOTES

The date for the annual scholarship day held at the two Normal schools has been set for May 6, the first Saturday following the spring recess. The usual program will be followed. There will be entertainment for the senior class groups in the morning at 10. The examination in a wide variety of subjects from 11 to 11:45, and after luncheon at Fiske hall, an afternoon program of games, stunts and music in the Spaulding gymnasium. This event is commonly known as "the battle of brains".

President Wallace E. Mason was in New York the week end of April 6-8 to attend the annual meeting of the Eastern States Association of Professional Schools for Teachers. Conferences of both instructors and students were held at the Hotel Pennsylvania. It has been the custom for some years for K.N.S. to be represented by at least one faculty member and one student at these meetings, but due to the present economic conditions President Mason was the only person to make the trip to New York this year.

Two articles by Merton T. Goodrich have appeared in the April issues of current magazines. One is "Should Mathematics Teachers Seek to Know the Needs of Society?" in THE MATHEMATICS TEACHER. The other is "The Children and Grandchildren of Captain Myles Standish" in the GENEALOGICAL REGISTER.

Keene Club

The Keene club, composed of Keene students and graduates of the Keene High school are actively planning for a reception to the class of 1933 of the High school. This will be held at the Spaulding gymnasium some time during the week of late spring recess, April 24 to 28. Last year the affair was a great success. Mrs. Marion Frost Hudson is the faculty sponsor of the Keene club.

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FIRST DECLAMATION
FOR K.N.S. FRESHMEN
IS DISTINCT SUCCESS

Jeanette C. Bowlby of Meriden and Theresa Burke of Fairhaven, Vt. Win

The first declamation contest open to members of the freshman class was held in Parker hall on May 19. A large audience of students and the general public showed their approval by generous applause. Preparations had been made covering a period of several weeks, and the contestants were coached by Mrs. Margaret Mann Newell of Keene.

Jeanette C. Bowlby, Meriden, won first prize with the selection "The Triumph of Faith" from "The Sign of the Cross;" and Miss Theresa Burke, Fairhaven, Vt., reciting "The Littlest Rebel" won second prize. These students were each presented a silver cup

Honorable Mention

Three other competitors received honorable mention: Miss Ruth Mary Doe of Northwood in "Teachers Are Funny," Miss Cecelia Flaherty of Gorham in "Commencement" and Miss Kathryn Egan of Newport in "The Wedding."

The other selections were: "Long Live the King," by Mary Roberts Rinehart, Miss Virginia Bulkeley of New York City; "The Character of Napoleon Bonaparte," J. Henry Hastings of Newport; "The Soul of the Violin," Miss Barbara Severance of Hillsboro; "A New Call to Duty" from the graduation speech of President Woodrow Wilson to the graduates of Annapolis in 1916, Clarence O. Richardson of Peterboro; "Die Mutter," Miss Jeanette Saigh of Manchester.

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GRADUATION AND TRIENNIAL
REUNION PROGRAMS COMBINED,
ALSO 25TH K.N.S. ANNIVERSARY

Hundreds of Alumni Are Expected to Return to School for Big Day on Saturday, June 24 - Commencement Week Dates Are Announced

Featuring the triennial reunion of the school's alumni, and the observance of the 25th anniversary of the founding of the school, the graduation program of the class of 1933 at Keene Normal, scheduled for June 18-24, will be of more than usual significance.

CLASS MARSHAL



MISS JULIETTE BLACKBURN

CLASS MARSHAL



PAUL K. STIMSON

Invitations have been sent out to former members of the faculty and to over 200 key persons among the 2500 former students. Governors of New Hampshire who have held office during the life of the school have been invited to be present on June 24, and to take part in the exercises in the Colonial theatre. Commissioner of Education James N. Pringle, as well as former commissioners Morrison and Butterfield have been included among the special guests. Following

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NORMAL SCHOOL WORKS
WITH COMMUNITY IN
RED CROSS and SCOUTS

Faculty Give Leadership Lectures - Swimming Pool Used for Tests

During the week of May 22 Commodore L. E. Longfellow, director of the American Red Cross, was in Keene in the interests of the life saving program of the organization. He conducted tests for examiner's certificates at the pool in Spaulding gymnasium. Several members of the faculty and student body, as well as townspeople took the tests. Mr. Longfellow holds the first certificate for life saving issued by the Red Cross in 1914. Since then many thousands have been issued.

Scout Conferences

The Normal school has been cooperating during the spring with the community scout organization in a series of weekly conferences for scout leaders held in Parker hall or the library. There has been a two hour session each Monday evening with Keene men in charge, as well as out-of-town speakers. About 50 students from K.N.S. who are interested in scouting are registered. A certificate for attendance will be granted those completing the course.

Besides Commodore Longfellow, scout executive Lewis, Concord, of the Daniel Webster council of New Hampshire and Rev. Willis E. Smith of Keene, have led sessions. Among the members of the Normal school faculty who have acted as discussion leaders are: Dean H. D. Carle, Leonard S. Morrison, Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, William A. Caldwell and Clarence H. DeMar. Mr. Caldwell was in general charge of the course.

EXTRA CURRICULA ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

MEN'S GLEE CLUB IN ENJOYABLE CONCERT PROGRAM FOR PUBLIC

The Men's Glee club under the direction of Harry W. Davis, head of the department of music, gave a most enjoyable concert on the evening of May 5 in the Spaulding gymnasium. They were assisted by an orchestra of men, and by William Nye, bass, of Keene.

The program opened with an overture by the instrumental group, in which Paul Corette, Lebanon, played the incidental solo on the clarinet. The chorus of more than twenty voices excelled in their several numbers and in selections in which Mr. Nye carried the solos. The latter were sea "shanties." Mr. Nye responded to an encore following his solo group.

Two instrumental numbers deserving of mention were a duet for two pianos by Laurence Bucher of Alton and Charles Stowell of Walpole. Their work in Herold's overture to "Zampa" was most cordially received. Robert L. C. Tinkham, Manchester gave as a trumpet solo "Tramp, Tramp, Tramp" a fantasia by Goldman, with the assistance of the orchestra. Here technical excellence and tone quality were marked. In the closing vocal group the incidental solo was taken by Lynn A. Richards, Franklin, tenor.

The club and the director are to be congratulated on the high quality of this, their first public program.

De La Salle

The De La Salle club held its May 16 meeting at the school camp at Wilson Pond. There was a program of music, and games, and a supper featuring strawberry shortcake. The committee in charge included Miss Katherine Cassidy, Milford, chairman; Miss Mary Powers, Manchester; and Miss Elizabeth Lamborghini, Somerville, Mass.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

Keene Club

The Keene club entertained the seniors of Keene High school at an open house reception in Spaulding gymnasium, April 26. Being vacation, the entire building was thrown open to the club members and guests, and the group joined in bowling, swimming and dancing. Cards and jig-saw puzzles were also enjoyed.

Mrs. Percy A. Hudson, faculty adviser, and Mr. Hudson, Pres. Wallace E. Mason and Mr. and Mrs. Spencer E. Eaton were patrons and were joined in the receiving line by the club officers: Newell Paire, president; Miss Dorothy M. Tibbetts, vice-president; Miss Margaret Newman, secretary; Frank R. Bennett, Jr., treasurer.

Refreshments of punch and cookies were served. At the close of the evening's festivities Harold Lewis, president of the High school senior class, thanked the Keene club for its hospitality.

The entertainment committee included Victor Boccia, Miss Lucille Nordman, Miss Dorothy Britton, Miss Helen Pratt and Robert Domina. The refreshment committee was Miss Ruth Hardy and Miss Alice Whitcomb.

Academy of Science

The Academy of Science enjoyed a lecture at their regular meeting recently, by Frank Fish of Keene, on the subject of "Bicycling." Mr. Fish, back in the 1890's was champion amateur racer in this section of the country.

He gave very delightful reminiscences of the old racing days, discussed various types of bicycles, and spoke of the large number of bicycle owners in Keene. The lecture was illustrated by pictures, clippings, and snapshots of racing events.

The Rostra

At the May 11th business meeting of the Rostra, it was decided that if possible, the next meeting, which will be the last for this year, will be held at the school camp. A special program is being planned, with Miss Ellen Soderstrom of Pennacook as chairman of the committee. All members should make a special effort to be present at this meeting.

At a recent meeting of the Rostra, the members enjoyed a most interesting and helpful talk on Roman architecture and the city of Rome, given by Miss Vryling W. Buffum. Miss Buffum illustrated her talk with many pictures of Rome and gave an interesting sketch of each place of interest. Having been to Rome several times, she was able to give short histories of several of the places mentioned, bringing in the little incidents and facts which one does not find in most books on Rome. After her talk Miss Buffum answered questions. The members voted this meeting as one of the most interesting of the year.

Rural Club

At the regular meeting, April 11th Mrs. Ruth C. Weston, Cheshire County 4H club agent spoke on 4H activities and how the teacher could help. Although she didn't recommend that the teacher become a leader she stressed the need of cooperation and assistance.

The Rural club took charge of the social Saturday, May 6. A play had been planned but due to so many conflicting activities was given up and a mixed program was given which consisted of a group of songs by the club, a reading by Miss Kathleen Hogdon, a vocal solo by Miss Esther Rickard, accompanied by Miss Ruth Forbes, piano, and Miss Kathleen LaCoy, violin, a reading by Miss Grace

LEAGUE OF NATIONS IS DRAMATIZED BY STUDENTS IN REALISTIC MANNER

The dramatization of a meeting of the council of the League of Nations in which the Sino-Japanese dispute was discussed, was presented in a realistic manner in Spaulding gym by students in the history classes on May 10.

The program, which was directed by Miss Isabel M. Blake and Miss Elizabeth E. Gregory, faculty members was for the purpose of giving an insight to the workings of the league and the material used by the speakers was taken from the official records.

George Donovan of Franklin, president of the League of Nations club at the school, presided at the opening of the meeting, after which the League of Nations association in New Hampshire was explained by Robb Sagendorph of Dublin, executive vice-president. The introduction to the dramatization was given by Miss Marion Knukey of So. Sudbury, Mass., and Miss Marion Graham of Pitsford, Vt.

The setting was similar to a regular assembly and 57 students representing the various member countries were seated around a large table.

Act I showed a meeting of the council; the second act depicted an assembly; and the third was devoted to a broadcast of recent developments in the Sino-Japanese dispute as given by Lowell Thomas, who was impersonated by Thomas McCullough of Manchester.

Kathan. After the program dancing was enjoyed with music by the girls' orchestra.

The regular meeting of May 9 was held at the school camp. Miss Vaughan and Miss Farnum were chaperones. Games, music, puzzles and "eats" were enjoyed by all.

NON-FRATERNITY MEN WIN SCHOLARSHIP CUP

Announcement has been made of the award of the men's scholarship cup based on the marks of the first semester of 1932-1933. The cup was won by the non-fraternity group with an average grade of 82.3. They were followed by the Alphas with 81.92, while the Kappa men had an average of 81.6. The individual men with the highest averages for the eighteen weeks' period were Everett Snow, '34, Keene, an Alpha, and a member of the trades and industries curriculum, 91.33; Fred Barry, Charlestown, then a non-fraternity man, and a freshman of the three-year Junior High curriculum, 90.5; and Valmore Blais, Laconia, a sophomore of the three-year Junior High curriculum, 90.21.

The announcement was made in general assembly by President Wallace E. Mason.

NOTES

A change has been made in the place of holding the regular faculty meeting at Keene Normal. Instead of the observation room at the Mason library the club room on the second floor of the Hale building has been used. This permits the serving of tea to those present before business is taken up. Different departments in order are responsible for serving the refreshments. The departments of education and English have already acted in this capacity, and for the June meeting the combined departments of economics and geography, and domestic arts will play the part of host.

The K.N.S. chapel choir under the direction of Harry W. Davis presented a half hour's program over the air from station WFEA, Manchester, Sunday evening, May 21. There were ensemble numbers and solos by Misses Faith Woodbury, Bradford, Mass., and Esther Rickard, Guild. J. Lawrence Bucher, Alton, acted as accompanist.

KAPPA NEWS

Fred Beechman, was obliged to leave school at the opening of the present quarter. We regret his going and his many friends and fellow students join in all good wishes for his success in his new line of work.

Stanley Adamandares of Portsmouth spent several days at the house recently. He plans to return and complete his course in the trades and industries department with the class of 1934. He has done part time teaching as a cadet this past year in the High school of his home city.

The Saturday evening social program for June 10 has been assigned to the Kappa group. Plans are being made for an old time "Kappa minstrel show."

Among the alumni who have recently visited the house are: Louis Ramsey, '32, John Conrad, '31, Louis D. Bailey, '32, and others.

ART DEPT.

Members of the Art club spent the week-end of May 13 and 14 in Boston. They visited the Massachusetts School of Art, the Harvard Medical School and the Museum of Fine Arts which they could not enjoy to the fullest extent because of the limitation of time. Saturday afternoon they saw several good acts of vaudeville and a good picture at the Metropolitan theatre, afterwards dining in Chinatown.

Sunday, the members attended the churches of their choice and picnicked on Boston Common. Mrs. Jack Gardner's museum provided a source of interest in the afternoon with a musical program and numerous art treasures. The public library offered a fund of information with its paintings and friezes by Abbey, Sargent and Chavannes.

For several weeks, twenty oil paintings have been on exhibit in the studio. These pictures are a hobby of Mr. Kirk Wheeler of Keene.

ALPHA PI TAU

The Alpha Fraternity presented their annual Saturday evening entertainment on May 13. The committee in charge consisted of George C. Knox, Concord, Chairman; Raymond Martineau, Farmington, and Alfred Mannix, Portsmouth.

The annual Fraternity Banquet was held May 20, at the Club Exchange. The committee in charge were: George Chickering, Westmoreland, Chairman; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro, and Stuart Carter, Bradford. Several alumni were present and all had an enjoyable time. Speakers were the honorary members of the Fraternity.

Ray: "Got any mail for me?"

Clerk: "What's your name?"

Ray: "You'll find it on the envelope."

"Only fools are certain, Bobby; wise men hesitate."

"Are you sure of that, Pop?"

"Yes, certain of it."

HOME ECONOMICS

On May 3 Miss Louise M. Norton, supervisor of home economics cadets, spoke to the home economics club on the subject of "Personality and Clothes." Her talk was suggestive and contained many practical suggestions for teaching.

Miss Marion A. Macdonald and Miss Lillian C. W. Baker attended the State Home Economics Convention at Lincoln, N.H., May 12-14.

On Friday, May 12, Blake house was a scene of great activity. The senior girls prepared and served a dinner for 35 members of the Committee on Social Relations, of the New Hampshire Congregational Christian Conference, held here in Keene.

Gone, but not forgotten, is Miss Florence E. Childs, who is practice teaching in Milford. We are sorry we overlooked her last month.

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

It is interesting to note that one instructor, one student, and two graduates took part in the program of the annual "Professional improvement" conference of Smith-Hughes and Industrial Arts teachers held in Concord, April 27, 28, and 29, 1933.

Conrad A. Adams, trades and industries instructor of K.N.S., was leader of a discussion under the topic, "Planning our Work." William Gamester, K.N.S. '33, taught a demonstration lesson on the reading of micrometers, to a class of Morrill school boys. Robert Bailey, of Dover, K.N.S. '32, also gave a demonstration of the teaching of Ohm's Law to a class. Elwin Avery, of Pennacook, K.N.S. '32, was one of the leaders in a discussion of cabinet making methods.

In a conference of machine shop instructors, of which Mr. Adams was one of the leaders, much interest was shown in the aluminum melting apparatus which was developed in the K.N.S. shops.

MUSIC NOTES

The annual formal concert given by the Orpheus club occurred on the evening of May 15. The club chorus under the direction of Miss Janet C. Russell, gave two selections, and there was a varied program of vocal, violin, piano and instrumental numbers. Miss Frances Shaughnessy of North Walpole, has been president of the club this year, and Miss Miriam Phippard, of Nashua, was chairman of the program committee.

Students and faculty enjoyed a concert of high class music at city hall on May 23, when the local men's chorus and the MacDowell club, joined with the Temple choir of Manchester in their annual concert.

June 12, at the Spaulding gymnasium, the second concert of season is to be given by the Keene Community orchestra. On their first appearance this organization gave great pleasure to a large audience.

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IT'S SMART TO BE THRIFTY

The universal slogan among people who know their values! We of Keene Normal School have the chance to set a new record in smartness by being thrifty in a big way this spring with our Commencement activities and clothes. Other Commencement days have been inconspicuously monotonous by nature of the uniform and gradually mounting expenditures, grudgingly borne by many who didn't want to, or couldn't afford to, but felt compelled to keep up with the crowd.

This year will be conspicuously different. No new clothes for anybody "wear what you have" is the slogan, and we're going to to treble the fun for everybody. We're going to be thrifty and inexpensive because both are good taste and good sense. These two conspicuous and highly prized virtues will make "thirty-three" famous in the roll of years.

Besides good taste and good sense, let's all get together and subscribe to two more values:—cooperation and good sportsmanship. There's a combination that can't be beaten. Let's all get into the spirit of the thing. Tell the good news at home—and spread it abroad that K.N.S. is not only abreast of the times, but is setting the style for thrift, economy and simplicity.

Are you with us, seniors and underclassmen? Then altogether—let's go thrifty! No new clothes for anybody for any commencement activity, and later—we'll tell you other savings and economies that will gladden your hearts and pocketbooks! —E.S.

THE OBSERVER

Dear Editor:

As a graduate of K. N. S., I wish to mention my appreciation of the values that I carried away with me—values from instruction and experiences which gave me an excellent background and revealed to me various avenues of study and an enthusiasm for a fuller realization of my present experiences at B. U.

At one the recent assemblies at the Boston University School of Education, Dean Arthur H. Wilde spoke to the students on "How the American Colleges and Universities are being effected by the Current Economic Upheaval." After making many very favorable comparisons as to the financial standing of B. U. with other universities of the country, the Dean related how Prof. Hillegas of Columbia regarded the Boston school as the most progressive of its kind in the country.

Dean Wilde soon found he had touched a warm spot in the hearts of the students, for he mentioned a point that they had thoroughly realized. In open forum fashion many students immediately responded, one after another, in expressions of their deep appreciation of the rare education that the school is offering them.

Among those who responded were students representing high schools, normal schools, and universities throughout the country, who had learned what they needed and are now getting what they want.

Comments expressing the real features of the school were:

Intimate contact between students and faculty.

A varied curriculum where one can find his most particular needs, and study under competent instructors.

Access to a very complete library including those of the different departments of the University.

Within 100 yards of the Boston Public library, and with privileges to local museums and other sources of educational material in and around Boston.

DON'T BE FOOLED

Practically speaking, no amount of argument can ever put the stamp of approval on low grades, but there is surely more to collegiate training than the grades a student receives—fortunately.

Many of our "captains of industry," our leaders in science, and our prototypes in almost every field, who have received poor marks while in college admit that the attitudes and habits that were formed during their college years were the REALLY big items. And is that not so? The only sad point is that students are not marked for this real progress or advancement in thought, for one's attitude is largely a fashion or plan of thought.

Try to get good marks; "know your stuff," but bear in mind that facts (that is what the good marks rest on) are the dearest of dead wood of intellect. Alone they stand—helpless, ancient, and often untrue. It is what one gathers from them and what he adds to them that really build the temple of progress: of life itself. —THE LOG, Teachers College, Salem, Mass.

The assemblies feature speakers who bring only the best contributions to education.

Extra curricula activities are organized so as to serve all, regardless of experience.

I venture to say that everyone felt deeply concerned with his own progress after attending this assembly. We all have much to learn before we can meet the demands of the teaching profession today. We must realize and recognize our potential abilities through our earlier training and experiences so that we can have access and utilize them as something from a storehouse of knowledge and techniques that can be easily turned into definite application in our future work. I sincerely believe that Boston University, located in a center of culture, affords innumerable opportunities for the interested and qualified student who intends to follow the teaching profession.

—Edmond D. Talbot, K. N. S. '32

INTERESTING NOTES
FROM OLDER ALUMAE

1911

Mrs. Harold Chandler, formerly Blanche Chandler, is now residing at 431 Main street, Keene. Her four children, John, James, Martha and William, attend the Keene schools.

1912-13

Margaret L. Cullen, still active in professional work, teaches the second grade of Mulberry street school, Nashua. Since graduation she has taken extension courses from Boston university.

Miss Leita Dodge, now Mrs. Ralph E. Whitney of Newton, Mass., has been actively connected with the Keene Normal school through her past presidency of the Southern New England Keene club. She has three children: Charlotte Nims, Edward and William Dodge.

Ida MacDutton taught five years after her graduation from Keene. She is now Mrs. William Coutto of Marlboro and the mother of three children, Dutton, Edythe and Beverly.

Mary S. Field has had a most varied and interesting career. She has shown herself competent in more than one line of work.

From 1913 to 1917 she was a primary teacher at Alstead Hill, Farmington, N.H.; from 1917 to 1926 children's librarian at Springfield, Mass., and Danbury, Conn.; from 1926 to 1931 a primary teacher in Springfield, Mass.; and since 1931 has been a teacher in the Shriner's hospital for Crippled Children. Since graduation she has taken a library Training course, University Extension courses, and summer courses at Boston university and Vermont university.

Agnes G. Garland of Henniker, has been supervisor of music in Somersworth, and in Montpelier, Vt., for ten years. Since graduation from Keene Normal school she has studied five summers at the American Institute of

ALUMNI DEPARTMENT

ALUMNI PERSONALS

1923

Mr. and Mrs. Isaiah Bullard, 119 College avenue, West Somerville Mass., are parents of a daughter born in March. Mrs. Bullard was formerly Miss M. Vivian Pentland, of Lincoln, a graduate of 1923. Shortly after the baby's birth Mrs. Bullard was taken with an attack of scarlet fever but the baby fortunately escaped and the mother is now out of quarantine.

1931

The engagement is announced of Miss Virginia Eileen Leary of Portsmouth a graduate of the two-year curriculum at K.N.S., to Vernon F. Waterhouse, of South Portland, Me. The wedding will take place in the early fall. Mr. Waterhouse is a graduate of Wentworth Institute of Boston, and is engaged in the wholesale lumber business at Portland. Since her graduation here Miss Leary has been teaching in Whitefield.

Normal Methods, and this year, is working for her B.S. degree at Boston university.

Ethel G. Harward is now teaching the third grade of Lincoln school, Melrose, Mass. Since graduation, she has taken summer courses at Columbia and Hyannis Normal school. She also takes extension courses during the school year.

Helen M. Hebert has been teaching in the fourth grade in her home town, Marlboro, for fourteen years. She is outstanding in all community activities.

Maud B. Parker, now Mrs. John Duston of Plaistow, N.H., has been postmistress in that town for four years. After graduation from Keene Normal school she first taught in Salem, then in Plaistow. She has two children, Christine and Ruth. Christine is a student at New Hampshire university.

1931

Miss Mildred Whipple of Keene, was appointed as one of the pages to represent New Hampshire at the 42nd annual congress of the Daughters of the American Revolution held recently in Washington, D.C. On account of ill health Miss Whipple was not able to make the trip to Washington, or to assume the duties of office.

1932

Miss Mildred Starkey, teacher of the rural school at State Line in Fitzwilliam, has received much favorable comment for the conduct of her pupils at the time of the late spring snow storm. Though the teacher who lives some miles from the school house was notified that there would be no school, 17 of the 27 pupils who had assembled, decided to take charge themselves. Miss Irene Nelson, an eighth-grader, 12 years old, took charge, and conducted the 26 classes of the day's program. Papers were collected and passed on to the teacher on her return showing the work covered. In this way the pupils proved to their teacher and to the community that they realize the real meaning of their school privileges, and illustrated the slogan of K.N.S. "responsibility".

Louise M. Phippard has been teaching in "various places and in different grades" ever since her graduation. She is now special teacher in the grammar schools of Boston, Mass. She has continued her professional studies at Boston college, Boston Teachers college and Harvard. Miss Phippard is a past president and an active member of the Southern New England Keene club.

Minnie Ripley, now Mrs. George Taylor of Lexington, Mass., taught five years in Laconia, N.H. She has one child, Georgine.

Mrs. Alberta T. Hagar, formerly Alberta Taylor, has been teaching the fourth grade in Milford since the death of her husband in 1918. She has one child, Robert.

Emily F. Lord, who now teaches the fourth grade in Washington school, Melrose, Mass., has been in that city since 1919. She has taken several University Extension Courses.

SEVERAL K.N.S. GRADS
SERVE IN KEENE SCHOOLS

School meetings are over and school reports are out. Several pages in the report of the Union School District of Keene are of interest to K. N. S. students and alumni, especially the teaching assignments. It is definitely shown there what a great asset the Normal school is to the city. Fifty-six percent of all the teachers employed by the district are Normal graduates. Forty-three percent are from Keene Normal alone. There are two graduates teaching in the High school, and forty-one in the elementary and Junior High schools, our own training schools having the smallest proportion. In the grade schools, fifty-nine percent of all the teachers are K. N. S. alumni. As one glances through the list he sees that the entire staff of more than one school is made up of Keene Normal graduates. In three of the schools the principal is from Keene Normal. Only about a dozen of all the K. N. S. graduates teaching in the Keene schools are also Keene High school alumni.

1932

Miss Verna R. Hall of Portsmouth, graduate of Keene Normal, and Harold R. Garland of Newington, were married recently in the Middle Street Baptist church, Portsmouth.

The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Carol Hall, a student at Keene Normal, as maid of honor, and Curtis Dearborn, University of New Hampshire student and fraternity brother of the bridegroom, acted as best man.

The bride graduated from Portsmouth High school and also Keene Normal school and has been acting in the capacity of a governess in the central part of the state.

The bridegroom also graduated from Portsmouth High school. This spring he completed his course at the University of New Hampshire from which he will be graduated in June. He plans to be associated with his father in the management of the farm at Newington.

VARIED ATHLETIC TRAINING FOR FUTURE TEACHERS AT K.N.S.

TRACK

For the past few weeks the K. N. S. track team has been practicing for the coming season. The material for a good team is very promising. Although the team is handicapped in not having a track as yet, they are practicing hard on the road. The weight men are working on the field beside the track oval. The track is being put into shape rapidly by the gym classes of Mr. Caldwell and other fellows interested in track and field events. It will be some years in the future before the track will be in the best of condition.

There have been two meets arranged for this Spring. They are both with Keene High School, one at the high school field in West Keene, the other two weeks from this meet, to be staged on our track on Hyde St. Another meet with some other school may also be scheduled in the near future.

The squad consists of 10 men in number. The team is very well balanced in the dashes, runs and weights. The weight men are being coached by "Monty" Kalloch; the dashes by "Joe" Baines, Manchester; and mile and half mile by Henry Hastings, Newport. The other men of the team include Herbert Hecker, Manchester, weights; Martin Heffernan, Portsmouth, 880 yd. run and mile; Waldo Streeter, Keene, weights; Thomas McCullough, Manchester, weights; Frank Tisdale, Salem Depot, high and broad jumps; Paul Bridges, So. Eliot, Maine, mile; and "Jess" Willard, Keene, dashes. —M.B.K.

Girls' track has been started at K.N.S. for the first time. Classes are being given training in the various track events. Are we going to have a woman's track meet? If you want one, it's up to you to get out and work for it.

LETTER WOMEN

At a recent Monday assembly, Miss Marjorie Bateman of the physical education department awarded "K's" to those girls earning them during basketball season.

Those receiving emblems were: captain, Hazel Sleeper, and the misses Dorothy L. Kenna, Eleanor A. McAlister, M. Lulu Morey, Ada L. Perkins, Louise Tewksbury, and Frances A. Rawstron.

At this time, also, the banner for the Women's Fall Sports Day was awarded to the Maroon team and was received by Miss Vera Bradbury, leader of the Maroons. High scorers in the different events were: Miss Mildred E. Berquist, bowling; Miss Miss Juliette E. Blackburn, swimming; Miss Dorothy I. Minor, badminton; and Miss Marie Wright, golf. The Sports Day was in charge of the Misses Eugenia G. Lambert, Dorothy A. Morgan, Gertrude L. Currier, Ada L. Perkins, Hazel Sleeper, and Dorothy M. Cunningham.

Miss Vera A. Bradbury was awarded a cheer leader's emblem for her work during the season. —F.A.R.

SCOUT LEADERS

The class in community recreation and leadership under the direction of Miss Marjorie Bateman is doing work this nine and next in the girl scout troops in Keene. Those enrolled in the class are: the Misses M. Elaine Dwyer, Ada L. Perkins, Helen E. Rice, Hazel Sleeper, Louise Tewksbury, and M. Elizabeth White. —F.A.R.

All up, girls—with three cheers for Prescott and Brown for getting our tennis courts rolled and ready for use so soon. They've fixed them up, girls. Now do your part in keeping them in order!!

DeMAR PLACES 8th

On April 19 the annual B.A.A. marathon was staged. This race covers 26 miles, 385 yards, and is from Hopkinton to Boston, Mass. This year there were 222 contestants who started. Among these was our own Clarence H. DeMar, wearing the red and white colors and insignia of this institution.

DeMar, by the way, has won this B.A.A. marathon 7 times in his 15 starts. In this race he furnished the crowds with the most spectacular spurt of the entire day. Coming into the home stretch he was 9th, with DeGloria a few yards ahead of him. Putting all he had into the race, he outspurred this man to finish 5 yds. ahead of DeGloria in 8th position. —M.B.K.

TENNIS TOURNAMENTS

About twenty girls have signed up for the tennis tournament this year. A new type of tournament has been introduced this year—the ladder tournament. In this tournament, players are placed in a ladder formation, and each player may challenge the one above her. If she wins, she changes places with that player in the ladder. The tournament may be continued as long as the players wish to play. The object is to get to the top rung of the ladder and stay there. The player at the top when the tournament is finished is the winner.

Besides this tournament, the tennis leaders this year have organized a tournament between classes. The Junior-Senior team is made up by the Misses Madeline Burpee, Charlotte Fletcher, Geraldine Hayward, and Doris Wilson. The following girls are on the Sophomore team: the Misses Vera Bradbury, Lula Morey, Hazel Oeschger, and Faith Woodbury. The Misses Juliette Blackburn, Alberta Cushing, Laura McQuide, and Dorothy Minor compose the Freshman team.

BOYS' INTRAMURAL BASEBALL

This Spring for the second year, a boys' intra-mural baseball league has been formed under the directorship of Mr. Caldwell. It was, you remember, tried last year and proved to be very successful because it gave so many fellows the chance to play on their respective teams.

This year's teams were picked by four captains. They are as follows: Newell Paire, Keene, "Athletics"; Ralph Kelly, Manchester, "Yankees"; George Chickering, Westmoreland, "Red Sox"; and Edwin Hill, Keene, "Pirates." Each of the four teams has a roster of about 15 men. All league games are played Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday. Each game is called at 4:10 P.M. by umpire Caldwell.

The league was opened May 10, with the "Yankees" playing the "Pirates." In this game of 4 innings, the "Pirates" won 2 to 0. On May 11, the second game was played. It was between the "Athletics" and "Red Sox." This was a very interesting game to witness. It ended in a 2 to 2 tie. —M.B.K.

Baseball time is here again. The field in front of Fiske is again humming with the noise of balls being whacked by bats and by the cheers and jeers of players and spectators. Still its the same old crowd that's out for everything. How about it, girls—are you going to make the baseball season a success? What does it matter whether you're a good player? Come out and let us teach you.

Preparations are in full swing for the pageant which Miss Bateman is coaching. The pageant will be presented in June as a part of the Commencement program. It is the first time for several years that K.N.S. has had an outdoor pageant, and everyone is looking forward to the event.

FIVE YEARS AGO

Gleanings from the Alpha Files 1927-'28

"Daddy" Now President

One of the most pleasing features of the annual Superintendents' and Headmasters' convention held this year in Keene, was the conferring of the title of "President" on "Daddy" Mason and Dr. Silver, formerly called "directors" of the state's two normal schools. Commissioner of Education Ernest W. Butterfield made this announcement the principal topic in his speech at the banquet.

Mr. Mason has been "Daddy" to K.N.S. students so long that this title seems to be preferred to that of the usual "Prexy" and it is probable that the fond "Daddy" will be used always in referring to the president.

New Gymnasium

The contract for our new gymnasium has been granted to Glenroy Scott. This building was donated to Keene Normal school by Governor Huntley N. Spaulding.

The gym will more than surpass our fondest expectations. With its completion, K. N. S. may brag of one of the finest plants of its kind, the equal of any college gymnasium.

Home Coming Day

An urge has been felt and expressed by a number of individuals—students and faculty members, to "start something" which will ultimately develop into the fixing of a day, sometime in the fall for a K.N.S. Home Coming Day, and to make this a regular annual event. How about it!

The "K" Club

One more club has been added to Keene Normal's ever growing organization roster—a club which is destined to take an important and active part in the life of the school.

The purposes of the club are "to promote real Keene spirit in the entering class, aid and advance athletics, and to render service to the school whenever possible.

Poet's Corner

THE TEACHER

It's strange—
There was a time
When those dark pines,
A sturdy bulwork against the sky,
Could turn my thought
To a pretty rhyme.
The sunset, with its fiery ray;
That first pale star of evening;
That slash of brook across the snow
Could bear me far away.

It's strange—
There was a time for that,
For now—
Each day is a sweet overflow
Of busy work and play;
Of putting tools in awkward hands;
Lovely words in child-like hearts,
To watch them gently grow.

And now—
When I see those dark pines,
A sturdy bulwork against the sky;
That sunset with its fiery ray;
That first pale evening star,
I hear my heart, so wistful, say,
"Children, I teach, love them
as much as I." —D.W.

Gleanings of Five Years Ago

The Senior Dramatic club chooses Lewis Beach's famous drama, "The Goose Hangs High" as its annual play.

The Alumni Gate, dedicated last June, has added much to the appearance of the campus.

The organization of a Vermont club is one of the most recent of developments at K.N.S.

Mr. John S. Davies, N.H. Commissioner of Labor, spoke to the students in chapel, Monday, Nov. 21. He gave many interesting sidelights of the labor problems which are facing N.H. today.

Due to the tearing down of the old gym the school is without a building suitable for the playing of indoor sports this winter. The Keene High school authorities have been kind enough to grant us the use of their gym on Tuesday and Thursday evenings. Interclass games will be substituted for varsity competition.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

By H. B. P.

Roy A. Sullivan, consulting editor of THE KRONICLE spent the week of April 25 at Plymouth, as lay delegate from the local Methodist church, to the New Hampshire Methodist conference. William F. Skelton, of the Keene and Plymouth faculties gave the address of welcome at the first meeting of the laymen.

Edgar C. Higby, professor at the Wilsson Teachers college, Washington, D.C., has been engaged by Pres. Wallace E. Mason to give courses in education at the summer session opening July 4. Prof. Higby received his A. M. degree from the University of Minnesota and Ph. D. degree from Columbia university. He has had considerable teaching experience in the northwest and has served as president of the Eastern State Teachers' college, Madison, S. D.

Members of the faculty and of the student body attended in large numbers the meeting of the Cheshire County Teachers' Association and Institute, held at the Keene High school, on Monday, May 1. The morning session was given over to addresses by Dr. Harold R. Bruce, of Dartmouth college; Dr. Forest L. Long, of the department of secondary education at New York University; and Dr. Frederick R. Rogers, dean of the department of health and physical education at Boston university. In the afternoon session there were sections for secondary and elementary teachers with conferences lead by Drs. Long and Rogers, respectively.

Several of the women members of the faculty attended the annual meeting of the New Hampshire division of the American Association of University Women held at the neighboring town of Peterboro on Saturday, May 6. There was a business meeting, lunch and address by President Robert E. Leigh, of

EDUCATION NOTES

William H. Buker, for the past ten years superintendent of schools at Rochester, has resigned to accept a similar position at Shelburne Falls, Mass., at an increased salary. Mr. Buker has many friends in Keene, as he was a member of the summer session faculty several years, including 1927 and 1929. He is a graduate of Bates college, and holds an advanced degree from Columbia. While in Rochester he has served as president of the Kiwanis club, and in 1930 was president of the State Teachers' association. He is married and has three children, including a son in Bates.

A recently made survey to the New Jersey legislature recommends that the State Normal school at Patterson, N.J. be abolished in the interests of economy. In a recent number THE PATERSON NORMALITE discusses all angles of this Princeton survey report, and emphasizes that no real economy will be the result, and that furthermore the people of the state have an obligation to the students of this normal school.

According to press notices, Oberlin college, Oberlin, Ohio, has announced a drastic reduction in tuition and boarding hall rates for the coming year. This action will mean the saving of about \$100 per year for each student, and cuts the cost of college fees about 15 per cent.

Bennington college which was much enjoyed. Miss Isabel M. Blake of the department of social science has during the past year been president of the Monadnock branch of the association.

The annual scholarship day, May 6, brought to the campus many K.N.S. graduates, and they were heartily greeted by friends on the faculty and among the students. Several superintendents of the state took opportunity to visit Keene and interview members of the 1933 class in regard to openings for next fall. They too were welcome!

COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES

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sermon will be given by Rev. Thomas B. Bitler, of Northampton, Mass., formerly of Somerville, Mass. There will be special music by the choir. Wednesday evening will be set aside for the annual Rose night exercises, and Friday, June 23 is class day. It is expected that most of the exercises of this occasion will be held during the evening, when many parents and friends of the graduates will have arrived in Keene.

Graduation Parts

Class parts have been assigned as follows: Four-year curriculum, history, Miss Doris B. Wilson, Concord; prophecy, Miss Florence E. Child, Farmington; class will, Miss Josephine Altenau, Manchester. Three-year Junior High, history, Norman Sargent, Contoocook; prophecy, John A. Whitehead, Manchester; class will, Miss Loretta Bliss, Amherst. Three-year Elementary curriculum, history, Miss Marion A. Brown, Wolfeboro; prophecy, Miss Myrtle Kinney, Grand Isle, Vt.; class will, Miss Barbara Lane, Keene. Two-year Elementary curriculum, history, Miss Marguerite Bates, East Granby, Conn.; prophecy, Miss Mary F. Gott, Manchester; class will, Miss Arlene Sweet, Claremont.

Committee Chairmen

The committee chairmen for various functions are as follows: banquet, Albert F. Brown, Manchester; baccalaureate, Miss Elizabeth Aldrich, Keene; last chapel, Miss Elizabeth Sawyer, Walpole; rose night, Miss Helen Reed, Newport; senior ball, Miss Charlotte M. Thibodeau, Claremont; graduation exercises, Martin E. Heffernan, Portsmouth. The marshals from the class of 1935 are: Miss Juliette Blackburn, Berlin, and Paul K. Stinson, Milford.

Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, and William A. Caldwell are the class teachers. Other class officers were published in the last number of THE KRONICLE.

The class have selected for their colors, blue and white.



FOR THE PARTY

Nona Haynes: "Do you keep animal crackers?"

Clerk: "No, but we have some very nice dog biscuits."

TOO BAD!

Laurence P.: "How soon shall I know anything after I come out of the ether?"

Dentist: "Well, that's expecting a lot from an anesthetic."

DON'T WORRY

A. Diamond: "I'm losing my memory. It's worrying me to death."

R. Riley: "Never mind, 'Aggie,' just forget all about it."

AT SOUTH ACWORTH

Doris Hitchcock: "Give the principal parts of the verb CHOOSE."

Wallace: "Choose, chose, cheese."

Customer: "A mustard plaster."

Drug clerk: "We're out of mustard, how about mayonnaise?"

LOOKING AHEAD

Miss Thynge: "These seeds are biennials - they won't flower until the second year."

Bright student: "Oh, I took that into consideration. They are last year's seeds."

EXPECTED

Helen Hayward: "The first thing Mary did with the legacy was to buy a dozen new hats."

"Boo" Perkins: Yes, I was afraid the money would go to her head."

GOOD FUTURE

Father: "Is your business course for girls considered a success?"

Teacher: "Yes, our figures show that over 60 per cent of our graduates marry their employers within a year."

IN MENTAL ARITHMETIC

Clouette: "I didn't do this in my head."

Mr. Goodrich: "That's square, tell us about it."

SPECULATION

"My daughter's music lessons are a fortune to me."

How is that?"

"They enable me to buy the neighbors' houses at half price."

WASHED OUT

"Eliza, have you seen Miss Edith's fiancé?"

Colored washwoman: "No ma'am. It ain't been in the wash yet."

"Pardon me, does this train stop at Tenth street?"

"Yes, watch me and get off a station before I do."

"Thank you."

"Are you the plumber?"

"Yes, mum."

"Well, see that you exercise care when doing your work. All my floors are highly polished and in excellent condition."

"Oh, don't worry about me slippin' mum. I've got nails in me boots."

- Journal of Education.

Magistrate (to prisoner): "How big was the brick you threw? Was it as big as my head?"

Prisoner: Yes, your honor, but not so thick."

Judge (in Chicago): "The officer said you were doing sixty miles an hour."

Defendant: "Yes sir, but I had just stolen the car."

Judge: "Oh, that's different. Case dismissed."

Mrs. Withers had been to the talking pictures for the first time.

"Ow did yer like it, Nell?" asked her friend.

"All right enough, but to tell yer the truth, I'd rather 'ave been to one of the old unspeakable ones." - Christian Advocate.

Mother: "Why didn't you wash your face as I told you?"

Bobby: "Aw, ma, you know the doctor said I mustn't get my feet wet, and I guess my face is just as dangerous as my feet."

- Boston Transcript.

FRESHMEN DECLAMATION

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The judges were: John R. Goodnow, Esq., Miss Carrie E. Whitcomb, member of the school board, and Mrs. Milan H. Collins, of the high school English department, all of Keene. Music was furnished by the Normal school orchestra, directed by Harry W. Davis, head of the English department.

Committees

The student committee in charge included: Miss Winifred Hammond of Manchester, chairman; Miss Ruth Nelson of Mill Village, secretary; Miss Dorothy Minor, Keene; Miss Madelyn Broderick, Manchester; George Cross, Grasmere; Miss Edythe Johnson, Barre, Vt.; Miss Alberta Cushing, White River Junction, Vt.; and Waldo R. Streeter, Keene.

Mrs. Percy A. Hudson, Harry B. Preston and Maynard C. Waltz were faculty advisers.

Upperclass Competition

A second contest in which upperclassmen will compete with original orations is planned for the evening of June 12.

English Club

Sigma Pi Epsilon (the English club), held its second initiation of the year in Huntress club room, May 8, at 7:30 o'clock. Miss Dorna Mitchell of Newfields, vice-president, was in charge of the exercises. Sprague W. Drenan and Mrs. Marion F. Hudson of the faculty were present.

The club welcomes as its new members: Misses Helen Pratt, Ann Carroll, and Dorothy Britton of Keene, Miss Barbara Severance, Hillsboro, Miss Ruth Hale, Hooksett and Miss Barbara Alexander, Canobie Lake.

After the initiation, those present enjoyed a program of literary games, in charge of Miss Dorothy Hugron of Hancock. Refreshments were served.

Dr. George L. Parker of the Unitarian church of Keene, was the guest of the club at the meeting of May 22, and gave an interesting and informing talk on the two modern American poets, Edward Arlington Robinson and Robert Frost.

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THREE YEAR TRAINING IS NOW COMPULSORY, N.H. JOINS IMPROVED TREND

Two Year Elementary Course Eliminated by Vote of State Board of Education

An important change in the program of studies for the two Normal schools of New Hampshire, Keene and Plymouth, was announced at the alumni dinner in Spaulding gymnasium last June. Beginning with this fall the two-year elementary curriculum will not be given and in its place the three-year elementary becomes the basic curriculum of the Normal schools. Members who entered in 1932 for two years will be allowed to continue in this course, and graduate with the class of 1934, but have been

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EIGHT WOMEN AND TWO MEN ARE CHOSEN FOR THE FOUR-YEAR COURSE

Degree Students Selected on Basis of Character, Scholarship and Ability

Ten students from the Junior High curriculum were chosen during the summer to continue their studies through four years and to become eligible to receive in 1935, the Bachelor of Education degree.

This group of students, who will follow the English curriculum, includes eight women and two men. They were chosen by President Wallace E. Mason and the faculty members on the basis of character, scholarship, and prospective teaching ability.

The list includes Miss Barbara

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"DADDY" MASON STRESSES HIGH CHARACTER TRAINING OF K.N.S. IN HIS WELCOME

President of School Extends Greetings of Faculty and Upper Classmen to Freshmen - School Enters upon 25th Year of Teacher Training

To the Freshman Class:

On behalf of the faculty and the student body I welcome you to the privileges and opportunities of our school. The sifting of applicants for membership in your class has been more thorough than ever before. You are to be congratulated on the fact that your scholarship records, your school citizenship in your high schools, and your recommendations of high character have been such as to secure for you this privilege.

With this privilege goes also the corresponding duty of keeping yourselves worthy of this high honor.

The State Board of Education has provided for you here beautiful surroundings, highly trained instructors, adequate educational facilities in class rooms and apparatus, an unexcelled library, and health training opportunities of the very best.

You will find the atmosphere of the school friendly and helpful in every way. It will be your own fault if you fail to make the best use of all these aids in preparing yourselves for the high profession you have chosen.

You must educate yourselves. We cannot educate you. We can only point the way and assist you over the hard places.

Your parents, your high school

Cordially yours,
WALLACE E. MASON,
President.

COMING EVENTS

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| Oct. 12, 13 State Teachers Association Meeting, Claremont. | Nov. 6-10 National Education week. |
| Oct. 20 Hamilton Ward, Dramatic Reader in Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliette." | Nov. 20 Rev. A. Eugene Bartlett, lecture: "Least Known American." |
| Oct. 25 Dramatic Guild, (15 players) in Shakespeare's "The Taming of the Shrew." | Nov. (date pending) Concert: Philharmonic String Quartet. |
| Nov. (date pending) Illustrated Nature Lecture, by E. D. Putnam. | Nov. 29-Dec. 4 Thanksgiving Recess. |
| | Dec. 5 Lecture: "Current Conditions in Europe". Prof. Harold R. Bruce, Dartmouth college. |
| | Dec. 9 Manchester Club Ball (pending). |

KEENE ORGANIZATIONS IN USUAL COMMUNITY WELCOME TO STUDENTS

School Enrollment Is 416 - Three Less Instructors, Only Two Faculty Changes

With a limited enrollment of 150 members in the classes of 1936 and 1937, and a total student body of 416, the 25th year of the Keene Normal school formally opened with an assembly in the Spaulding gymnasium on Tuesday, Sept. 12. Members of the freshman class had arrived on the previous Friday, had been registered, and given their intelligence tests, and physical examinations. They were ready for classes on Monday, having been assigned to different curriculums and divisions by Dean H.D. Carle.

Faculty Dinner

Members of the faculty met for a dinner in Fiske hall, on the evening of Sept. 7. Pres. Mason welcomed his co-workers back to Keene, and announced several faculty changes. Three teachers did not return: Miss Elizabeth P. Shaw, who is teaching in Brookline, Mass.; Miss Isabel F. Worth, who is employed in the High school, Nantucket, Mass.; and Miss A. Marie Eppinger, who is now Mrs. Henry C. Arwe. Due to the smaller membership in the student body, these places will not be filled. In place of Miss Barbara Smith, student assistant in physical education, Miss Eleanor Lawrence, of Manchester joins the staff; and Miss Ruth B. Diffenbach, of Newton, Mass., succeeds Miss Janet C. Russell, in the music department as assistant to Harry W.

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