

FRAT NEWS

ALPHA NEWS

The week of Oct. 13-19 marked one of the most successful periods in two years for the brothers of Alpha Pi Tau. On Tuesday night, the Alpha A football team gave TKE A one of the closest battles in years, with the game going down to sudden death. Even though we lost that game, the tremendous Alpha spirit carried over to the Greek God rally on Wednesday, which saw most of the Alpha brothers supporting our candidate, Danny Marshall.

On Friday night the Alpha tug team was victorious over Phi Mu Delta, winning that event handily. The crowning moment of the day, however, was the coronation of Danny Marshall as Greek God, receiving the coveted torch from Alpha's own Jay Dufour, last year's Greek God. Following the coronation an open house was held at Alpha, which was well attended by fellow Greeks from other houses.

On Saturday, Alpha regained the overall Greek Week Championship beating out TKE, 66 to 44, with Phi Mu Delta and Kappa close behind. In the track and field events, the following brothers carried the glory for the "Blue and Gold": Pentathlon, Kevin Fair, 2nd; Javelin, Jim Barry, 1st, Eddie McGarrigle, 4th; Shot Put, Jim Barry, 1st; Discus, Zeke Bly, 2nd, Jim Barry, 3rd; 100 yd. dash, Ken Loughlin, 2nd; 220 yd. dash, Ken Loughlin, 1st, Mike Maher, 3rd; 440 Yd. run, Marty Gingras, 2nd, Dave White 5th.

It was swimming where Alpha showed its greatest depth, however. Brothers Jim Yeager and Bruce Falk took a first and third, respectively in the 100 meter free style; and Brothers Falk and John Geary finished third and fourth in the 50 meter breast stroke event. To top off the swimming events, the Alpha relay team, made up of Brothers Yeager, Geary, Bob Breton and Doug Armstrong, easily won the 200 meter relay.

The week was finally ended Sunday on a successful note, as the tug team, after a

tough challenge, disposed of Kappa to regain the tug-of-war championship, which Alpha had lost to Kappa the year before. Those brothers who competed in this gruelling event were: Evan (Greek) Bandoures, Bo Galloway, Mike Balon, Kevin Fair, Zeke Bly, Pete Kukish, Bob Travis, Bill Staples, Frank Pasek, Bob Langdon, Brian (Munchie) Maynard, Jim Prevost, and Frank L'Hommedieu.

Praise Given

The Brothers of Alpha Pi Tau want to thank the other three fraternities on campus: Kappa Delta Phi, Phi Mu Delta and Tau Kappa Epsilon for the spirit that they showed in promoting true interfraternity relations during this, our Greek Week. The Brothers of Alpha sincerely hope that this is a start toward closer bonds among all Greeks on campus.

Finally the Alpha Duck salutes the Keene State Audio-Visual Department for successfully wasting a goodly portion of students' time and money for the promotion of its mighty sound system on Sunday afternoon, Oct. 19.

TEKE TALKS

TEKE hopes that the entire campus had an enjoyable time during Greek Week. On behalf of our fraternity, we were especially pleased at the amount of interfraternal spirit displayed by the brothers of all four houses. Perhaps this spirit has finally replaced the unnecessary isolation which the fraternities have long been accustomed to.

Although we didn't finish as well as we did in last year's athletic events, we are still proud of a strong second place, and our thanks to those Fraters who helped us get it.

In other sports news, our football fortunes continue to go well. All TEKE teams possess winning records, especially our "A" team, which ran its 6 year winning streak to 35 straight games last week, with a 12-6 sudden-death victory over a tough Alpha "A" team.

Fraternity Goes National

Some 29 undergraduate members of Sigma Delta Chi local fraternity at Keene State College officially became pledges of the Phi Mu Delta national fraternity this week in ceremonies at the fraternity's chapter house, 57 Winchester St.

Sigma Delta Chi, now officially Phi Mu Delta, is the third local fraternity at Keene State College to affiliate with a national fraternity. Besides the other two "nationals" there is now one local fraternity on campus.

Attending the colonization ceremonies at which pledge pins were presented each colony member were representatives from the fraternity's national headquarters, an alumnus of the Nu Beta Chapter of Phi Mu Delta from the University of New Hampshire, and representatives of KSC.

An installing team of five from the Phi Mu Delta Chapter at UNH administered the colonization ceremony. George E. LaTour, national executive secretary, presented the new group a list of mandates or goals they will have to fulfill before becoming eligible for full membership in the 50-year-old national. LaTour promised the full cooperation of the national headquarters staff to the new colony in achieving these goals.

Ernest O. Gendron, dean of men at KSC, represented the college. Also attending the ceremonies were Prof. Thomas Stauffer and Dr. Richard Cunningham, chapter advisors, and Alvin E. Chase, an alumnus from Phi Mu Delta at UNH.

The newly created colony has resided at the Winchester Street address since September. The members were formerly housed in dorms.

The new colony will participate in Greek Weekend and other social events during the academic year at KSC. Parents Day is planned for Oct. 26 at which an open house will be held from 11 a.m. to 5 p.m.

Freshman class elections will be held Friday, Oct. 31, at which time the two Freshman representatives to the Student Senate and the Freshman class President will be chosen.

The Student Activities Committee of the Student Senate will conduct the election.

All candidates must be full-time students and be registered in the Freshman class. Candidates must secure fifty signatures on a petition to become eligible for election and be included on the ballot. Petitions may be picked up at the Student Union desk beginning Thursday morning, Oct. 23. A freshman may sign more than one petition. All petitions must be turned into the Student Union desk by Wednesday, Oct. 29, at 4:00.

KSC Girls Win



By Jeanne L. Lippman

Monday, on a windy hill at Colby Junior College, the KSC field hockey team improved their record with a 2-1 win for the varsity team and 1-0 win for the reserve squad.

Linda Maree, scoring the 2 goals for Keene, lifted her total number of goals to 7, tying with Sue Bateman, a co-captain of the team, who also has 7 goals.

The reserve squad, playing their first game of the season, shut out Colby's No. 2 team, 1-0. Nancy Balla was the lone scorer for KSC.

Today's win bolstered the season's

record to 6 wins out of 8 games, with 3 more to go.

Mrs. Aldrich, Mrs. Bird, Mrs. Dixon and Mrs. Wallace, the KSC cheering section, need help cheering at the next home game on Oct. 29.

Playing under ominous skies, the field hockey team once again proved victorious by defeating Mt. Holyoke, 3-2.

The game, played on Oct. 16 at Mt. Holyoke College, got off to a fast start as the Mt. Holyoke girls scored a goal in the first ten seconds of the period. The KSC girls bounced right back, however, and scored one goal in the first period and two in the second to win the game, 3-2.



John Landry throws a completed pass in Alpha-TEKE game. Blocking for TEKE are Bob Cunningham while Mike Richardson looks on.



TEKE's Joe Destefano puts the tag to Alpha's Bob Langdon.

MISSING: One field hockey goal cage, apparently taken during the week of Oct. 13th. Anyone knowing the whereabouts of this goal cage please contact the Physical Education department. If not found or returned, the sum of about \$270 will have to be taken from the student activity fund to replace the missing cage.

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Council Discusses New Hours

Ron Boisvert

A petition to revise the present parietal policy of the new men's residence hall was the main order of business at a meeting of the Residence Council.

The new policy would set women's visiting hours from 6-12:45 p.m. on Fridays, 2-12:45 p.m. on Saturdays and from 2-9 p.m. on Sundays. The present rule restricts visiting to 2-5 p.m. on Sundays.

The meeting, held on Wednesday, Oct. 22 in the dormitory's seminar room, was opened by Eric Sorenson, the recently elected president of the Council.

It was agreed upon that in the proposed policy a guest would have to sign in and out of the section she was visiting. She would be able to travel freely within this section only. A host would be allowed no more than two guests at any one time and would be held responsible for them at all times.

Presently, doors to rooms occupied by female guests must remain open. Under the proposed policy the condition of the door would be "left to the discrimination of the host and the guest."

It was reported that Ernest Gendron, Dean of Men, although in favor of the new hours, expressed his disapproval concerning the door policy.

A committee made up of Bob Bagloe, Don Grissom, Eric Sorenson, Dave Westover, Dan Delpra and Vic Racicot was appointed to draw up the document.

It was agreed that all dorm voting on the petition would be held during the week of October 27. If the proposed policy receives a two-thirds majority vote from the three hundred and fourteen residents of Carle Hall it will be presented before the Student Senate.

Other business discussed was the collection of dormitory dues during the period from October 26 to November 7.

Men Agree

By a vote of 286 to 25, the petition for parietal hours for Carle Hall was accepted by its residents Monday night Oct. 27. The measure, requiring only a two-thirds majority was passed with a 92% majority. 97% of the 311 eligible residents voted on the petition. The petition will now be submitted to the Student Senate at the earliest possible date.

WAR DEAD

WASHINGTON-(CPS)—As of the first of October, 38,823 Americans had died in the war in Vietnam since this country began its involvement in 1961. More than 250,000 Americans have been injured.

The deaths included: 20,542 from the Army, 932 from the Navy, 10,840 from the Marine Corps, and 384 from the Air Force, for a total of 32,698 in combat deaths. The Defense Department says the "other Free World forces" have lost 3,344 lives, the South Vietnamese armed forces 94,837 lives, and North Vietnam 556,629 lives. Using Defense Department figures, 693,633 persons have died in the Vietnam War since the U. S. became involved.

Women's Council Hears Report

By Cheryl Doyle

The Women's Council, in special session, heard a report from the constitutional revision committee.

The committee proposed that the Council include the president and vice-president of each women's residence hall, four elected members from each dormitory, two representatives from off-campus housing, four commuters, and two members from each class.

Each wing of Randall Hall is considered a separate dormitory. This would make the Women's Council a working body of 44 members, most of them elected directly to the Council.

Methods were then suggested for electing representatives. Nominations from the body being represented and petitions were considered by the Council and referred to the committee.

The elections would not prevent any women from running for the Women's Council. Counselors and other dormitory officers would also be eligible.

The constitutional revision committee suggested making a woman on the faculty as co-advisor with Dean Keddy. The revision is scheduled to take effect next semester.

On behalf of the freshmen women, Susan S. Kidney, president of Huntress Hall, requested a revision of the present curfew system. She was referred to the committee dealing with women's hours.

The next regular Women's Council meeting will be on Nov. 5 at 7 p.m. in SA 102.

Presidents Appealed

By Rick Fitch
College Press Service

WASHINGTON-(CPS)—The presidents of some 75 private colleges and universities have appealed for a "stepped-up time table for withdrawal from Vietnam."

The appeal came in the form of a joint statement issued by the presidents, speaking as "individuals who work with young men and women." Their statement concluded, "We urge upon the President of the United States and upon Congress a stepped-up timetable for withdrawal from Vietnam. We believe this to be in our country's highest interest, at home and abroad."

"The accumulated costs of the Vietnam war are not in men and material alone. There are costs too in the effects on young people's hopes and beliefs. Like ourselves, the vast majority of the students with whom we work still want to believe in a just, honest, and sensitive America. But our military engagement in Vietnam now stands as a denial of so much that is best in our society...An end to the war will not solve our problems on or off campus. It will however permit us to work more effectively in support of more peaceful priorities."

The statement was mailed to President Nixon and Congressional leaders October 11. The statement did not specify a time limit on withdrawal, but called for a "stepped-up timetable."

Among those signing were the presidents of Brandeis, Oberlin, Columbia, Cornell, Antioch, Swarthmore, Princeton, Tufts, New York University, Boston College, University of Chicago, Amherst, Drexel Institute of Technology, MIT, Fordham, Villanova, and Vassar.

UNION IS DEDICATED



O'Neil addresses gathering

Senate Hears Mayer

By Sandy Brown

Mr. Douglas Mayer made a plea to the Student Senate at their Oct. 27 meeting concerning recent vandalism done to the Student Union. He called for more student responsibility to prevent pranks and petty thefts from continuing. He said if these events don't stop, he would be forced to require students to show an identification card before entering the Union.

The Senate also designated November 18 to be High School Day. Arrangements are being made to invite interested high school seniors to the campus on that day.

President Redfern has suggested that a program be instituted whereby local and regional organizations would be invited one at a time, free of charge, to our basketball games to promote public relations.

The Senate was told the members of this year's College Senate Faculty Appeals Board include David R. Leinster, C. R. Lyle, Dr. Richard Cunningham, Dr. David Gregory, Thomas Stauffer, and Christopher Barnes.

A committee was formed to study reorganization of student government on campus. Members are George Nostrand, Joyce Caligero, Dennis Clark, Rick Dimico, and Frank L'Hommedieu.

The Senate chose Joe DeStefano and Barbara Temple to be on the KSC Athletic Council. Kathy Knee, Wayne Helie, and Margaret Winters were elected to serve on the Parking Court. Charles Howland was chosen to attend the Board of Trustees meetings as a representative of the KSC student body.

Senate president Frank L'Hommedieu announced that official Student Senate office hours are Mondays, 1-2 p.m., Tuesdays, 11-12 a.m., and Thursdays, 11-12 p.m.

AMA Sponsors Programs

The American Management Association will sponsor a series of Simulation Weekends, special programs designed for college seniors interested in careers in professional management. The program will be held from November until May during the 1969-70 academic year at AMA's Management Center at Saranac Lake, New York.

AMA provides complete accommodations at no cost to the students. However, students must provide their own transportation to and from Saranac Lake. Seniors who have majored in any academic discipline may apply. For a program description and an application blank, write: Director, Simulation Weekends, AMA Management Center, Lake Saranac, New York.

O'Neil Gets Award

The new student union was dedicated to former KSC president Dr. Lloyd P. Young during a ceremony on Sunday.

About 200 people were on hand for the dedication and, also, for the presentation of the Granite State Award to James E. O'Neil.

It was Parents Day at KSC and parents, relatives and friends of Keene students turned out in great numbers to tour the campus. Many gathered for the basketball and field hockey scrimmages and for the two half-hour excerpts from the new play, "Coming Soon—a Gentle Experience."

Dr. Young briefly traced the history of the student union at Keene. It started as a place to have coffee in the basement of Huntress Hall and has culminated in the new union building. It shows "what can be done by students working together." Dr. Young stated that it's the teachers' job to "provide the best situation for learning." He said, "All we can do is teach, the student must learn for himself." The student union has contributed greatly to this learning.

Governor Walter Peterson was on hand for the dedication. He remarked that it was a "proud day for KSC."

James E. O'Neil was presented the award which is given annually to a New Hampshire resident for outstanding community service. Dr. Redfern presented the award to O'Neil, calling him "a champion of education for our children." O'Neil is best known for his work in planning for the University of New Hampshire to include Keene and Plymouth State Colleges. He also worked for legislation to aid handicapped children.

UNH president John B. McConnell was among the speakers along with Student Senate president Francis L'Hommedieu. McConnell said that the dedication "indicates the close relationship between faculty and students."

Music was provided for the ceremony by the KSC Brass Ensemble, Carlson D. Barrett, Director.



Dr. Redfern present award to O'Neil.

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UNLIMITED CUTS

Several of our College Senate representatives favor a system of unlimited cuts. We agree with this policy and urge its approval by the Senate. Many times, for various reasons, a student may have to cut a class. His grade should not be affected by his attendance or lack of attendance of classes but rather should be based on his knowledge of the subject. Quizzes, exams, papers, classroom discussions, etc.; should be indicative of a student's knowledge.

A college student should be mature enough to realize the value of any given class and to know fully the consequence of missing a class. If he does not, then we suggest that he needs a

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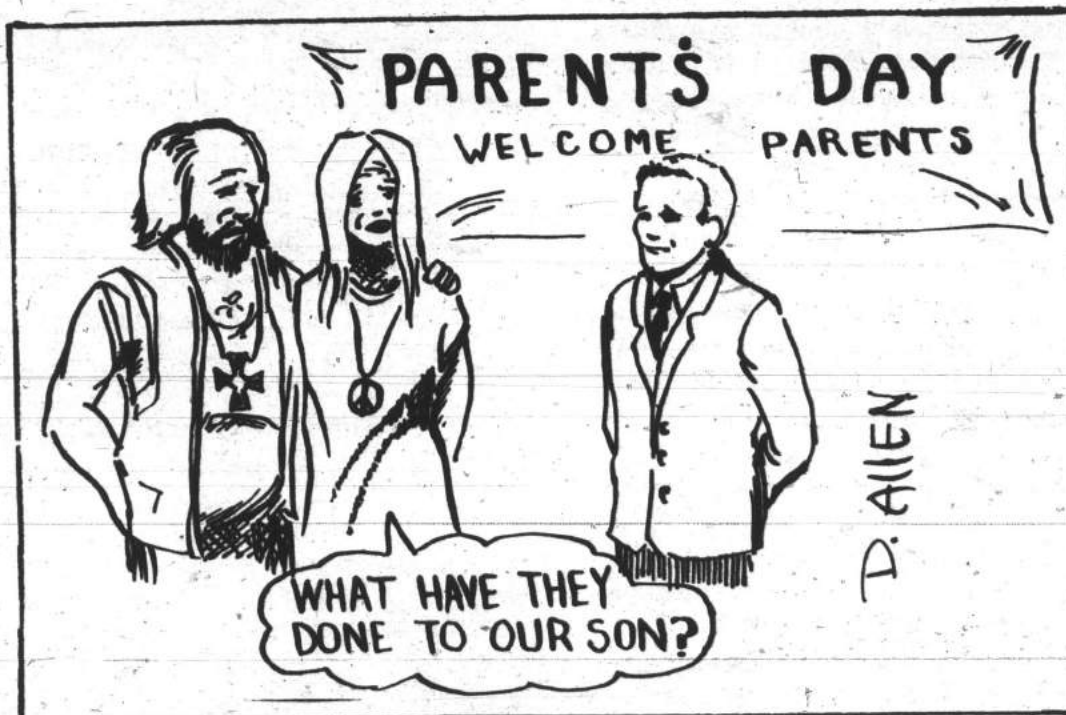
—which is also being discussed within the College Senate. Whether or not anyone wants to admit it, several students on campus have serious problems which require the services of a psychiatrist. In the past, one such student might go to a dorm counselor, who is not qualified to deal with the problem. He may also go to the Dean of Men, Dean of Women or to someone from the Psychology department. All of these people have predefined jobs and may not be available, nor qualified to deal with the problem. We feel that a full-time psychiatric counseling service on campus is a worthwhile and necessary investment. Before anything is done, however, we the students should be assured that absolute secrecy will be observed between the patient and his doctor. A college-paid psychiatrist who reports regularly to the Administration about student problems would be more harmful than none at all. Perhaps a psychiatrist would be able to analyze the person or persons responsible for the

BYRDS FIASCO

—which was a total mess. Many of those who attended the recent Byrds concert walked out, and with good reason. No, we won't pin the blame on any one person but, rather, on the lack of foresight, planning and coordination of all parties involved. Certainly, any one person who knew what he was doing could have known that the PA system would be inadequate for that type of concert. Why didn't someone speak up? We can see no possible excuse for the fiasco, but hope that it will not be repeated in the future. Finally, we sincerely hope that the

GET TOGETHER

—show will be successful in raising money for the John B. Wiseman Scholarship Fund. Tickets are now on sale.



Students Attend Conference

Five students represented Keene State College at a conference in Student and Social unrest in Concord, on Oct. 14. The students, chosen by Student Senate president Frank L'Hommedieu and announced by him at the Oct. 13 meeting, are George Nostrand and Frank L'Hommedieu from the Student Senate, Stephen Skibniowsky and Pat Barnard representing the College Senate and Cheryl Downing, student-at-large.

Also at that meeting, the Student Affairs Committee reported on the question of the Women's Council Constitution. The Council is supposed to be representative but since the constitution calls for counselors to be automatically on the Council, this is not true. The committee has given Claire Reynolds, President of the Council, until November 1 to revise the Constitution.

New Class Policy

A motion was passed that the Student Senate support a new class attendance policy which will leave the number of cuts a student takes during the semester up to the discretion of the individual student. The motion will now pass to the College Senate for discussion.

Also announced was the Senate's new policy of allowing only 2 unexcused absences. After 3 absences the delegate will be asked to leave and his organization will be asked to choose a new representative.

The Student Senate office in the Student Union is open to any student wishing to make contact with a member of the Senate or for any purpose pertaining to student government.

Bob Salmon, college public relations director, has tendered his resignation to become effective November 7.

Salmon, who has been at KSC since July 1968, will join the staff of the Philadelphia Enquirer, a daily morning paper, November 9.

The MONADNOCK wishes to thank Mr. Salmon for the assistance he has provided us and wish him well in his new position.

To the Editor:

I wonder, what continued business a number of ex-students have on campus? Keene State College, like most colleges, welcomes return visits of alumni as well as those who are interested in furthering education in some positive sense. So my question does not concern this class of visitors.

I am more concerned about another group, a group of ex-students who have no constructive interest in education, who have dropped out of school, who have been kicked out, or who have been flunked out. Some of them have been hanging around colleges for years and are now beyond normal college age.

These non-students have no official relationship to the college. Why are they not out being constructive members of society? How can they afford to spend so much time her day after day and night after night? Why do they want to stay here when they never made any contribution when they were officially enrolled here? Just what is their continued business on campus?

Sincerely,
James G. Smart

What Happened???

To the Editor:

Why weren't the Byrds provided with the sound system promised them in their contract?

Was it a simple case of neglect on the part of the audio-visual department?

If we just don't have the equipment why was it promised in the first place?

Either way, I and all the other students who bought tickets were taken. A dollar is not a large sum but if I'm promised a concert for my dollar I like to hear one.

Student — \$1.00 = ticket = 0

To the Editor:

Ah yes, my friends, tis the time of the year I guess! That is, the weather MUST have something to do with it!

What?

College Senate Meets

By Ray Miller

At the Oct. 15 meeting of the College Senate, six faculty were chosen from the College Senate to serve on the Student Hearing Committee. They, along with the six students already chosen by the Student Senate, comprise the committee.

Some discussion was prompted by a motion by Herbert Lourie of the Art Department. Mr. Lourie felt that since students had already selected student representatives to the committee, the student representatives in the College Senate should, therefore, not be permitted to vote for the faculty members of the committee.

The motion was defeated by about a two-thirds vote.

Faculty members chosen were Professors Leinster, Barnes, Stauffer, Richard Cunningham, Lyle and Gregory. Alternates chosen in case of conflict with judiciary appointments are Professors Hildebrandt, Leonard Aldrich, Doble and Keddy.

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The wonderful Byrds Concert that was in Spaulding Sunday.

As those of us that attended know, once again due to the superb planning of the student union director, we were able to waste \$2500 in 80 minutes.

It seems to be unfortunate that Mr. Campbell left. I doubt if the student body has it left in them to break in another new man.

Campbell has known all along that the people in Audio-Visual don't have that kind of fancy PA equipment for a rock group. Campbell knew that something as basic as extension cords for the instruments would be needed before 5 minutes before the gig started.

In the past, whenever an event like this bombed, and WE all know it did, don't WE, some folks got their spark out of complaining to, at, and around Audio-Visual. Since their only purpose is to peddle tape recorders and record players, let us then find a new scapegoat.

Did I hear a motion for Mr. Mayer? Splendid! Seconded, and passed.

How come we opened the event to uninvited "townies?"

To raise money!

Where the H— is our activity fee going? (Do you enjoy your free donuts Mr. Mayer?)

Why was a has-been group (Did you know that they are not the original Byrds?) given so much money?

Why was the gym closed up so that we could hear nothing but guitar amplifiers pounding at our ears?

How come chairs, not blankets?

Why were the Byrds allowed to drink beer on stage? We can't drink in rooms.

And, Mr. Mayer, let's blame the Physical Education people for letting the Coke machine run out.

From now on, let's use reason. We have learned from the past that any group that does not bring their own PA stinks. Let us try to select groups like Sly and the Family Stone, Rascals, Clique, Smith, Temptations, 3 Dog Night, and etc.

If yea all like the Byrds, hire the original Byrds—Crosby, Stills, and Nash, as they are now known.

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Dr. Shepherd Speaks To Educators

Dr. Clyde W. Shepherd, Jr., assistant professor of education at Keene State College, spoke recently to the New Hampshire Association of Public School Kindergarten Teachers meeting in Concord.

Dr. Shepherd, a special education teacher, stressed the need for the gathering of extensive data in medical, social, psychological and educational areas in thoroughly diagnosing learning disabilities in children. Causative factors such as brain injury, emotional problems, cultural deprivation and developmental tags also were discussed. The overall stress of the talk was focused on the need for interdisciplinary cooperation in comprehensive planning.

Dr. Shepherd is a graduate of Lynchburg College in Virginia and received his Ph.D. from the University of Virginia. He joined the faculty at KSC a year ago.



Keliher Speaks on Education

By Ron Boisvert

"It is important for children to have a well-rounded development." This was one of the many points stressed by Dr. Alice V. Keliher. She spoke on Monday Oct. 20, at the request of the Concert and Lecture Committee.

A recently retired professor of Wheelock College and formerly of New York University, Dr. Keliher, now a resident of Peterborough, is a specialist in childhood education. She received her Ph.D. from Columbia University Teachers College.

Dr. Keliher has published over 300 articles, series of books for children, and a book, "Talks With Teachers." She has worked with educators John Dewey and William H. Kilpatrick and co-authored a book with noted psychologist Dr. Arnold Gesell entitled "An Atlas of Infant Behavior."

A co-founder of the New York City Committee for Children, Dr. Keliher now serves on the Massachusetts Committee on Kindergarten Curriculum. She is currently an advisor to the Department of Health, Education and Welfare's Head Start program. Her topic Monday night was, "Learning That Lasts."

Speaking to an audience of interested faculty and students, Dr. Keliher said, "We are all different...in our work as teachers."

We have the tremendous responsibility for knowing individuals as individuals."

She remarked that our capacities for learning "differ from time to time in our lives." "We learn as whole human beings," she went on to say. "We don't learn ourselves outside the building and just bring in the brain."

"Through the depth of feeling is where learning lasts...Children do remember things that are involved with a depth of feeling. This is one of the most important things that we as teachers should be aware of."

"Readiness for learning is a very important part of this whole thing," she said. "We are more and more recognizing the importance of having a child progress from concrete learning to abstract learning," she told the 175 faculty and students present.

"Play" she emphasized, is a vital means of learning.

She concluded by saying that when a child is given an opportunity to get learning that has meaning, learning that has depth, then we have learning that lasts.

A question and answer period followed the lecture. Closing comments were made by Dr. Lloyd P. Young.

Wheelock Principal Speaks

George J. Bergeron, principal of Wheelock School, spoke recently at a seminar on school readiness in Concord.

Bergeron was a member of a panel of educators who discussed how principles of child development may be applied to improving the school curriculum.

The seminar was held for New Hampshire school superintendents, assistant superintendents, teacher consultants and elementary guidance counselors, to explain the work of the New Hampshire School Readiness Project.

Bergeron outlined the Wheelock Pre-primary program developed by the Wheelock primary grade staff. This was a part of a city-wide project to make effective use of the Gesell Developmental Testing Program which Keene has administered to all kindergarten children during the past four summers.

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UNH Catalog Cover Carries KSC Photo

The University of New Hampshire is paying Keene State College a high compliment.

The University chose for the cover of its 1969-70 undergraduate catalog, which is being distributed throughout New Hampshire and the nation, a photograph of one of Keene State's newest and most attractive facilities.

The photo, taken with a "fish eye" lens, captures the spanking newness and spaciousness of the Maynard C. Waltz Lecture Hall of Keene State College's \$2 million Science Center. Dr. Edmund A. Gianferrari, assistant professor of biology at KSC, is shown lecturing to a large class in biology. The photograph was taken last fall by a UNH photographer on a visit to the KSC campus.

The Science Center was dedicated last November along with the new Spaulding Gymnasium and the C. A. Adams Technology Building. Waltz is professor emeritus of language and education, retiring from the KSC faculty in 1965 after 35 years' service. The Science Center

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NH Special Ed Center Is Here

A center designed to serve the special needs of special education throughout New Hampshire has been established at Keene State College, it was announced Tuesday.

Russell F. Batchelor Jr., newly named director of the Special Education Materials and Instructional Center at Keene (SEMICK), said the center is the first ever established in the state to serve New Hampshire alone. Previously, the nearest special education referral point had been located at Boston University.

"Until now, the largest single problem within special education in New Hampshire has been the lack of a center in the state where all materials in the field will be available and which will serve as a single, referral point for the many, varied classroom problems which arise in special education," Batchelor said.

The center will offer workshops, demonstrations and seminars on the selection and use of special education materials, Batchelor said. Consultative services concerning curriculum development and implementation in the areas of mental retardation and learning disabilities also will be offered. SEMICK will serve as a resource center where special education personnel can examine materials in the areas of communication disorders, visual handicaps, learning disabilities, emotional disturbances, mental retardation and crippling conditions.

Such a center is vital to the state's need, Batchelor said, since there are some 1600 special education pupils throughout the state in 144 classes. These pupils have a growing need for specialized methods and materials of instruction.

Special education he defined as "education for any youngster who deviates from what is usual and who cannot profit from the regular classroom."

"It might be a physical problem such as hearing or eyesight or crippling, or it might be an emotional problem in self control," he said. The special education youngster also can be retarded or gifted. But in any case, he needs special methods taught by trained teachers.

The center has been established by the Department of Education at Keene State College with the cooperation and assistance of the New Hampshire State Department of Education. It is affiliated with the New England Materials Instruction Center (NEMIC) at Boston University.

Batchelor said the workshops, which begin this month, will make it possible for KSC personnel from the new center to sit down with teachers in a dozen or so areas around the state and explain exactly what the center is and how it will be able to assist them.

"For instance," he said, "a teacher in Concord, Laconia or Nashua might have an overly aggressive pupil in a class and call the center for assistance in making the pupil more adaptable to the particular classroom situation. Or a teacher in Berlin or Plymouth or Lebanon might wish to look at some specific teaching aid and call the center for a demonstration."

has a smaller lecture hall named for Miss Ella O. Keene, professor emerita of geography, who retired in 1967 following 24 years on the Keene State College faculty.

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Or a teacher might want information on a work-study program available to train an older special education pupil—14 to 16—in a particular labor skill."

"Basically, we want any teacher in any part of the state to feel that he or she can pick up the telephone, call the center and have an answer back within 24 hours," Batchelor said.

Batchelor, who taught special education in the Troy school system for four years before coming to KSC to head SEMICK last summer, stressed that the center will not be a "big brother" type of operation, telling teachers what to do and not to do.

"Rather, it will be a cooperative venture, a definite two-way street," he said. "We visualize every teacher of special education in the state as a consultant for every other teacher, with our center serving as a clearing house and central headquarters. We will be on call at all times, but we will assist and coordinate—not act as overseers."

Batchelor ticked off a few of the hopes and aims of the center thusly:

Keep teachers abreast of new developments and aids to special education such as texts, approaches and research.

Conduct workshops to inform teachers and give children in special education classes the benefit of new thinking through the teachers.

Provide an outlet for the teachers' particular ideas and methods, relaying them to other teachers in the state.

Provide teachers access to the thoughts and ideas of the Keene State College faculty when they have problems in a particular area.

Furnish materials that teachers can try out in their classroom before going to the expense of ordering it, insuring that the particular materials will be applicable to their situation or problem.

Provide up-to-date information on grants available in the field.

Publish complete lists of all instructional materials on hand at the center.

Develop a cohesiveness in the area of special education in the state.

Publish a news letter incorporating new materials, new ideas and events scheduled in the special education field.

Batchelor, a native of Keene, graduated from Keene State College in 1965 after 15 years in business and is now studying at Keene State for his master's degree in education. He has been active in Keene civic affairs for many years and has been chairman of the board of trustees of the New Hope Center in Keene; director of Camp Holiday in Surry, a day camp for exceptional children; member of the board of directors of the Keene Family Service Bureau; member of a special committee for special education of the Keene Board of Education; past commander of the Keene American Legion post; past president of the Keene Catholic Parents Association, and past president of the Cheshire County Association for Retarded Children.

Newman Student Association

HALLOWEEN PARTY

October 31, 1969

8:30 p.m.-12:00 mid.

at the Newman Hall

costumes preferred but masks

are required

refreshments will be served



Notes from the Green Room

Mr. Guidotti received his MA in Creative Writing Theatre from the University of the Americas, Mexico City, and his MFA in Playwriting-Dramatic Arts from the University of Iowa.

He has worked with the Artists Repertory Theatre in New York, the Theatre Company of Boston, the Actors Workshop in San Francisco and the Cafe La Mama in New York. He has worked in several summer stock companies and was part owner of an Ensemble Theatre, Julio Onze, in Mexico City. He has travelled with the Helen Hayes American Repertory Company on a twenty city tour of Latin and South America as Assistant Director.

The assembling of the Celebrant Actors Theatre Ensemble at Keene marks the formation of his third Theatre Ensemble.

What's happening to Drama? My aim in asking this leading question is not to "point with alarm." For that kind of *cri du coeur* is either too late or too soon, either the damage (if damage it is) has already been done, or it is not yet time to assess with any finality what is happening in or to the theatre. My query is really intended to induce you, as potential playgoers, to take note of what you are observing on the American stage these days—and perhaps start wondering where the drama and theatre will go, or can go, from here. Whether what you see this season proves alarming, or encouraging, will depend in part on the quality of the plays you see performed; in part, on your past experience, your temperament, your expectations, your capacity to enter into "theatre games."

This season's first play grew out of a *commedia dell'arte* block script developed by Meghan Terry for the Open Theatre's and the Cafe La Mama's production of VIET ROCK. Our play, COMING SOON—A GENTLE EXPERIENCE is not VIET ROCK nor is it strictly speaking an original. Suffice it to say that it is based

on VIET ROCK in the same way that FANTASTICKS is based on LES ROMANESQUES or YOUR OWN THING is based on TWELFTH NIGHT.

GENTLE EXPERIENCE grew out of sensitivity exercises and improvisations combined with the exploration of acting techniques. The Ensemble is deeply indebted to Phillip's Second City technique of transformation. It is an improvisation in which the established realities or 'given circumstances' (the Method phrase) of the scene change several times during the course of the action. What may change are character and/or situation and/or time and/or objectives. Whatever realities are established at the beginning are destroyed after a few minutes and replaced by others. Then these are in turn destroyed and replaced. These changes occur swiftly and almost without transition, until the audience's dependence upon any fixed reality is called into question.

In other words, a transformation is a realistic acting exercise infused with the tensions and strategies of a game. The actor is no longer "playing his reality" but rather "playing with a set of quick-changing realities." The inner rules of realistic acting are surrounded by an outer set of rules which determine the rate and kind of change. Each unit within a set of transformations is as real as any bit of naturalistic acting; but the quick change from one action to another gives the over-all effect cinematographic kaleidoscope, fluidity, and scenic explosion.

Like many important new techniques, the transformation is simple; it does not make unusual demands on the actor. It merely asks him to give up his conventional identification with a role. The actor no longer plays out a continuity but a set of interrelated actions, each of which is self-contained. He gets from one action to the next by acting out a sensitivity exercise or playing a theatre game. Transformations do not change acting only the rules governing the use of acting.

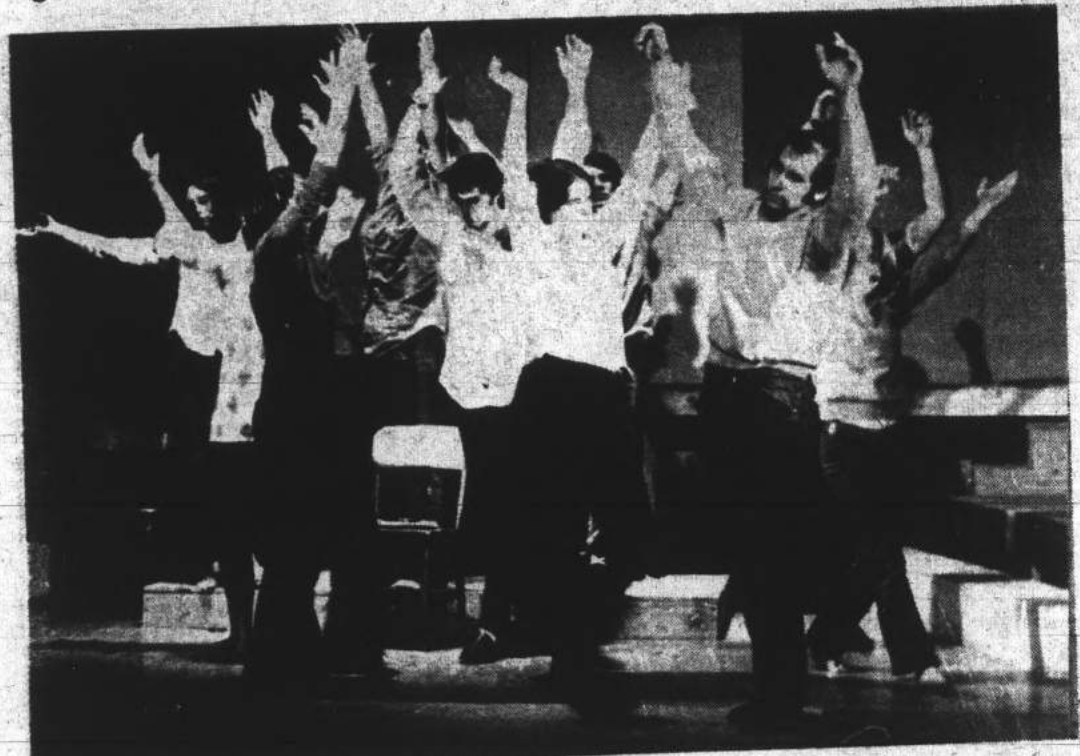


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Anderson Sets Record KSC Runners Place

Denny Anderson of Keene set a new course record in a cross-country meet held here Oct. 18. Anderson took first place with a time of 23:22. In overall competition, KSC placed third behind Worcester and Merrimack. Johnson State placed last. Out of 25 starters, Keene had three places in the top ten. Pete Hanrahan took eighth place with a time of 25:38 and ninth place went to Dave Aiken with 25:55.

Keene placed fifth in a cross-country invitational meet held at Plymouth State College on Oct. 11. Of the 12 participating schools, New England College took first place.

In individual standings Denny Anderson finished first for KSC and had the third best time of the 77 runners. His time of 25:53 was 29 seconds behind the winner, Davis, of NEC, set a new course and meet record of 25:24.

Mark Malkowski of Keene finished tenth with 26:15 and Peter Hanrahan placed 34th with 28:11. Finishing for KSC were Dave Aiken in 42nd place with 29:00 and Al Preston with 29:21 in 44th place.



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COMING SOON—A GENTLE EXPERIENCE might have excited Brecht in theme and scope but would have disappointed him politically. Despite the fact that the student left at Keene will welcome the play, the play is non-political. It is a war play and as such it is an anti-war play. But it is not propagandistic or dogmatic. At two points the production makes a political statement, both times directly to the audience. Toward the end two actors step into the audience saying, "This war is worms; this war is wounds invaded by worms."

At the end of the play the actors go into the audience, smiling and confronting the audience. This final gesture throws the problem of war, its cruelty, inanity, horror and political shortsightedness directly at the audience. But this final gesture is also elegant and gentle, a real, physical contact between the quick and the dead, the theatre world and the worldly world. Most of the play represents disparages, all points of view.... GENTLE EXPERIENCE is loaded with satire and parody, echoes of popular themes and classic texts. Hollywood movies, advertising catch phrases, political speeches and attitudes, slogans of the Left, Right, and Middle, the soap opera, TV documentaries—all of these and more, find voice in COMING SOON....

The acting style is neo-classic but the scope and tone is Elizabethan. We see a war unfold. We see both sides, more than two sides. There is irony, parody, seriousness; there are dramatic scenes and music, patter scenes, monologues, pantomime. A grab bag as impertinent as anything the Elizabethans concocted.

Time has not been wasted in relating scenes to a realistic organic structure. The Ensemble moves directly to the center of the action and switches suddenly from action to action. They have

Parents View Game

Parent's Day activities included a field hockey exhibition game between the upperclass and the freshman women.

After the singing of KSC's Alma Mater, by the freshmen, the game started quickly with Linda Maree scoring 2 goals for the freshmen. Linda now has a total of 9 goals, as she and Sue Bateman, who also scored 2 goals for the upperclassmen, continue to be the leading goal scorers.

The upperclassmen scored only once in the first half. That point was scored by Chris Richard, an alumna of KSC playing for the upperclassmen.

In the second half, the upperclassmen rebounded with 3 goals, one by Chris Richard and 2 by Sue Bateman, placing them in a 2 goal lead.

The freshmen in an attempt to retaliate were only able to score one more goal, by Nancy Balla. The game ended in a 4-3 victory for the "age-old" upperclassmen.

Ski News

On Monday, Oct. 20 two ski movies were shown in the Spaulding Gym. They were the "Vail Team Races" (1965) and "Nordic '66." These movies were part of a series which is open to anyone interested skiing.

A short speech was made by Paul Mellon, asking the large turnout if they would like to start a Keene State Outing Club. The club would give non-skiers a chance to learn with the promise of excursions to nearby ski areas and a cut rate of \$10.

A ski bulletin board is located in the gym across from the ski workshop. Notices will be posted at least twice a week.

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Production Ensemble—Peter Oths, Caren Foust, Jan Nadeau, Elizabeth Day, Barbara Black, Jay Tuthill, Diane Van Vliet, Valerie Anderson.

Music—Paul Smith, Lyrics: Anne Marie DuPuy, Donna Rader CAT, Production dates are November 5, 6, 7, 8, at 8:20 p.m. in Drenan Auditorium.

Drama is constantly changing, faster than ever before. Despite the momentary vogue of non-verbal living theatre dominated by the director. The theatre is primarily a medium of language, and audiences will demand plays that have poetry and form, that say something, that give them and not the actor a sense of excitement, of illumination, and of fulfillment. My advice to the reluctant playgoer is like that proverbially given the visitor to New Hampshire: "If you don't like it, stick around a bit. Things will change."

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ARTHUR SCHLESINGER TO SPEAK HERE TONIGHT



NEW APPROACH — Chester Szuga (left), a senior from Hudson, and Ronald R. Bresell, a junior from Claremont, work on an experiment involving gamma ray spectrometry in a physics class at Keene State College. KSC has introduced a new introductory physics curriculum designed to produce better backgrounded physics students.

New Physics Approach Tried

Keene State College hasn't entered the construction business, but it nevertheless is opening up a few "dead ends."

These figurative "dead ends" have existed in the structure of introductory physics courses throughout the nation's colleges. One result has been the inability of a student to continue into more advanced physics. And, since many physics majors enter private industry or continue on toward advanced degrees, there has been a definite shortage of well equipped teachers of physics in the nation's schools.

It's now hoped that an experimental project called FLIPS can open up these dead ends and enable colleges such as Keene State to turn out more and more graduates with extensive physics backgrounds.

The new teaching approach was originally developed at the University of Michigan's Flint College and takes its name from the college: the Flint Introductory Physics Sequence (or FLIPS). Keene State College, which has been associated with the project for more than a year, working closely with the design of the courses, is one of a dozen selected small colleges throughout the United States participating in the new approach. The only other institution in New England associated with the project is Regis College in Weston, Mass.

Keene State's new approach is being made possible through two National Science Foundation grants. Announcement of the two-year grants totaling \$16,000 was made by Dr. Edward F. Pierce, dean of administration and coordinator of federal programs at KSC. The FLIPS project enable an institution, generally a smaller college, to combine all of its introductory courses in physics into a single sequence of four, non-terminal courses. In this way, a student is able to begin the sequence at almost any level, depending on his background in physics. The sequential approach also permits a

student to continue his physics studies more easily.

Dr. James D. Quirk, assistant professor of physics who is director of the new project, explained that in the past many students would take an introductory course in physics and then find they were not prepared to continue into a more advanced level.

"This new project, which is termed a helical or spiral sequence, will help encourage more students to consider a major in physics or additional courses or a minor in physics," Dr. Quirk said. "And it will attract more non-science majors while making it economically possible for Keene State College to provide an appropriate level of instruction for all students."

Teachers Poorly Prepared

A study made last year by the national Commission on College Physics showed that an unusually high percentage of high school physics teachers are poorly prepared, Dr. Quirk said. The commission cited figures showing that 23 per cent of the teachers have no more than eight credit hours of college preparation in physics and another 43 per cent have only 9 to 17 credit hours.

"This means that about two-thirds of all high school physics classes are being taught by teachers who do not even qualify for a minor in physics in college," Dr. Quirk said. "It is hoped that one of the major contributions of this new FLIPS project will be to produce a larger number of graduates with at least a minor in physics and that future high school classes will have better equipped teachers."

Of the total grant, some \$6,000 is going for introductory equipment. The remainder of \$10,000 will go for advanced equipment, curriculum improvement and books. Among the equipment already purchased with the grant is a new

experimental and demonstration laser to be used in physical optics, a Gaertner-Jeong holography system, new oscilloscopes and many items in electronic, nuclear and atomic physics.

Dr. Quirk, a native of Pittsfield, Mass., graduated from Worcester Polytechnic Institute with a bachelor of science degree in physics in 1962 and received his Ph.D. from the University of New Hampshire this past spring. He taught mathematics and physics at Pittsfield High School before joining the General Electric Co. as a field engineer on the Polar guidance system for two years. In 1964, he entered graduate work at the University of New Hampshire, where he was a research assistant. He is married and the father of three sons, ages 5 and 4 years and 8 months.

AD SALES END FOR GET TOGETHER

Advertisement sales for the "Get Together" program closed last week, totaling \$1,170. The goal set for the scholarship fund raising drive is \$4,000, say Craig Turner, and Marilyn Zanes, program co-ordinators.

Ticket sales started last week, they reported. Some 300 tickets have been passed out to students who volunteered to sell them.

"We hope to sell all, or nearly all of the tickets before the shows" Turner said, and explained that advance ticket sales are essential to the success of the program since "you can't rely on selling many tickets at the door."

"We are ironing out all the technical kinks in rehearsals now" Turner said. He added, "we're fortunate enough to have"

Pulitzer Prize winner Arthur Schlesinger Jr., former adviser to President John F. Kennedy, will speak at Keene State College Wednesday night, Nov. 5.

The noted historian-author-teacher, presently Albert Schweitzer Professor of the Humanities at City University of New York, is appearing as part of the KSC Concert and Lecture Series. He will speak on "The World We Want—And How to Get It" at 8:00 p.m. in the multi-purpose room of the Lloyd P. Young Student Union.

The program is the second to be presented by the Concert and Lecture Committee this year. Critic Ralph Nader spoke at Keene State several weeks ago, drawing a community-wide audience of some 700 persons. All programs are open to the public, with adult admission \$1 and student admission 50-cents.

Schlesinger has twice won the Pulitzer Prize for his books on presidents and is termed by the New York Times as ranking "among the foremost in the new generation of vigorous social thinkers."

He served as special assistant to President Kennedy from 1969 to 1963 and stayed on in government to assist President Lyndon B. Johnson until March 1964 when he left the White House to write "A Thousand Days," a history of the Kennedy administration. The book won the Pulitzer award in 1966. He had won his first Pulitzer for his book on Andrew Jackson, "The Age of Jackson," in 1946 at the age of 28.

The son of the late Arthur M. Schlesinger, also a distinguished historian, he was born in Columbus, Ohio and graduated summa cum laude from Harvard University in 1938. The following year his honors essay was published under the title of "Orestes A. Brownson: A Pilgrim's Progress." It received high praise from the critics and was a selection of the Catholic Book Club.

During World War II, Schlesinger served in the Office of War Information in Washington, the Office of Strategic Services in London, Paris, and Germany, and the United States Army. In the meantime, he completed work on "The Age of Jackson," a book he had begun before the war as a member of the Society of Fellows at Harvard.

Schlesinger's third book, "The Vital Center," a discussion of contemporary political and social problems, was published in 1949. "The General and the President," an analysis of American foreign policy in terms of the issues raised by President Truman's dismissal of General MacArthur and written in Collaboration with Richard Rovere, was issued in 1951. It was re-published in 1965 under the title, "The MacArthur Controversy."

Schlesinger returned to Harvard as professor of History in 1947. He has contributed articles to Life, Fortune, Atlantic Monthly, Harper's, Saturday Evening Post, and other periodicals.



Folk Singer Barry Prentiss rehearses for "Get Together Show."