In connection with war conditions a blank was put out by the office to survey the Garden Work for Keene Normal to fill these out indicating how much ginia Johnson acted as student head of tion", has advantages reaching in many for eight weeks. Instead the various land she had available for gardening, if the day's program with Misses Jessie directions. she wished to plant on it, whether she would have use for free plants given out by the school, and whether she were interested in attending a canning school during the summer months. March 31, 1938

perclassmen and freshmen.

April 2, 1938 The Dining Room Gang had charge of the Saturday night social which was in the form of an old-fashioned Lorandeau, Dorothy Perkins and Nat- insured while the pupil is learning.

spelling bee. ern New England K. N. S. Club at the Kenmore Hotel in Boston.

April 4, 1938 sistant baseball coach for the 1938 sea- of class teams. During the hockey sea- Drive and the end of West Street near Merrimack; and Eileen Laurie and

April 5, 1938

Schools.

April 4, 1939

Two seniors, Edith Rich and Katherine Lynch, already had teaching positions for the coming year. April 2, 1939

The Spring Music Festival opened with the presentation of "Olivet to Cal-

April 3, 1939 scholarship cup with an average of 83.01 Thompson, Louise Whitten, Lois Moore, thur Giovannangeli and Mr. Bushnell. for the previous semester. J. Birnie Dorothy Perkins, and Margaret Wat-Saunders was the highest ranking son. This squad participated in the Alpha man.

man of the Scholarship Day Committee. against the alumnae. The final results The program of the second night of in the division, class and school teams sportsman-like drivers. the Spring Music Festival was a concert | were as follows: division, team, 1 H. S.given by the combined bands of the 1 H. E. class team, sophomores; and the Mass. and Keene High Red and White teams scored a tie num-Gardner,

The third night of the Spring Music Festival was in the form of a concert ciety featuring Ester-May Barrett, soprano, Charlotte Flanagan, pianist,

and the Festival Chorus under the direction of Harry W. Davis.

# **WOMEN ACTIVE** IN SPORTS

#### Tournaments Motivate Interest In Women's Sports

men has been an exceedingly busy one the campus spring sports. this year. With the dexterous management of Miss Bateman and Miss Car- one realized that campus is not only penter practically every woman on working toward higher mental accomcampus has found herself participating plishments, but finds time to keep in in some sport. Opportunities have been | trim physically. plentiful especially on class teams, varsity groups and tournaments.

The various heads of women's sports for the 1939-40 season are the Misses Dorothy Scarponi, hockey; Ruth Ho- programs and the first baseball game of bart, volley ball; Ruth Callender, ten- the year. nis; Charlotte Reed, swimming; Doro- The program will be arranged much Committee. Those on the Social Com- organized recently to provide competi-

colors red and white. These in turn Doucoumes and Harold Streeter.

took part in a non-competitive schedule of games. Throughout the day campus held a gala atmosphere with volley ball, tennis, bowling, swimming, hoop rolling, archery, and field hockey, as the outstanding features. A color parade headed by the school band was one of the day's highlights. The final score for the day's events was 35-25 in favor of the White Team. This day stands out as a very successful one on Dutrizac and Helen Wolcott captains of the red and white teams respectively.

Hockey season featured division and varsity teams. Again we find a series of fast moving games on the field. The seasons varsity team consisted of: Jes-The Forum initiated a group of up- sie Dutrizac, Elizabeth Janetos, Mary-Alyce McCushing, Barbara Ormsbee, Filomena Pietraszkiewicz, Charlotte Vera Wilson, Regis Bilodeau, Pauline alie Straw. These women proved to be division in hockey was 1 H. E. A tie idly as he wishes. between the freshmen and sophomore

tion among the women in another field. brakes. The college varsity squad consisted of Helen Wolcott, Elizabeth Bohanon, Virginia Johnson, Mary White, Patricia Lena Fournier, Vivian Fox, Carlene Noyes, Andrew Schricker, Mary-Alyce Snow, Rita Strombeck, Jessie Dutrizac, McCushing, and Miss Bruno. Instruct-Mary-Alyce McCushing, Gladys Page, ors include Neil Perkins, Arthur Schrick-Alpha Pi Tau fraternity won the Thelma White, Natalie Straw, Patricia sports day held in Fitchburg on March Phyllis Sherman was appointed chair- 7, and also played in numerous games

ber of points. In connection with basketball the National Basketball Referee Examinations were passed by Miss Fortula Adpresented by the Keene Orchestral So- ams, Miss Virginia Johnson, and Miss Helen Wolcott. Miss Pauline Lorandeau and Miss Thelma White passed the Local Referee's Examination. The tests have not been given on campus since 1935 and proved to acquire very satisfactory results.

The highlights of coming sports are a volleyball tournament, and swimming meet to be held in the near future. Volleyball will be under the management of Lena Fournier. Practices are to be held each Monday and Thursday night Tuesday and Wednesday afternoon. Bowling tournaments have also been in full swing during the past few weeks. Archery, tennis, badminton, and soft The world of sports for campus wo- ball will soon be holding their own in

After completing this survey of sports

#### K. T. C. PLANS (con.)

thy Young, bowling; Shirley Storm, as usual beginning with registration and mitee are Miss Augusta Pragst, chair- tive sports for men; it is similar to the archery; and Lena Fournier, volley ball. | continuing through a morning program, | man, Mrs. Josephine Rigg, Mrs. Bertha | W. A. A. which has done splendid work One of the outstanding features of the examinations, lunch, the afternoon Davis, Mr. Arthur Giovannangeli, and for many years. The Board comprise women's sports events this year was program and the baseball game. Those Mr. Spencer Eaton. The members of representatives of each class: sports Days held on campus with sevwho saw "One Rainy Evening" last the Professional Improvement Comings; sophomore, Alson Clark, and enty women students from the Teachers Saturday will be pleased to hear that it mittee are Mr. Leonard Morrison, chair-freshmen, Maurice Trudeau. Colleges in Lowell and Fitchburg. The teams from the three colleges were divided into two groups designated by the vided into two groups designated by the colleges were divided into two groups desig

### A. A. A. SAFETY

#### Students Learn To Drive

During this semester a new and very practical course has been introduced at K. T. C. This course, which is called "Traffic Safety and Automobile Opera-

Equipment for testing abilities has been made in the shop by the students of the Trades and Industries Curricu-They have constructed devices which test such things as one's grip, steadiness, and activity. Test for sight are divided into three types: distance, range of vision, and glare intensity.

The school car has been equipped Reed, Barbara Rowe, Elizabeth Travis, with dual controls, that is, a double clutch and brake so that safety may be

A book of units has been obtained Dean Carle was Master of Ceremon- a well-coordinated group on the hockey from the A. A. A. which sponsors this ion Dennis and Elizabeth Baird, Richies at the annual reunion of the South- grounds. The results of the hockey sea- course. Each lesson is one hour in mond; Dorothy Young and Rose Dempson were as follows: the outstanding length. The pupil may advance as rap- sey, North Charlestown; Evelyn French

Arthur Giovannangeli was named as- class completed the close competition practice will go on are: the Five Mile Bean, Plainfield; Dorothy Johnson, son, all girls were divided into two the Country Club. Through the per- Gertrude Clark, East Weare. teams, the Reds and Whites. The high mission of the Chief of Police the inscorer in points was the White Team. structors have marked off such things Basketball season brought competi- as parking spaces, and stops for testing

Enrolled as pupils in this program are er, Willard Holt, Franklin Annis, Ar-This course will qualify the instruct-

ors to teach the A. A. A. Course in the high schools of this state. The main object is to get more

# **FACULTY CLUB ORGANIZED**

#### Mrs. Deans Named President

Through the suggestion of Dr. Young a faculty club has been organized. He appointed a committee of three, Mr. Frank Blackington, and Mrs. Lulu Tyler, to draw up a constitution which was presented to the association at their February meeting, and was adopted. This same committee was requested to present a slate of officers to be voted May 18 Fitchburg at Keene upon at the next meeting. It was also May 22 Fitchburg away decided that the club under the name May 25 Gorham at Keene of Keene Teachers College Faculty Club June 5 Lowell Textile Institute at should meet bi-monthly.

At the March 11th meeting the folretary-Treasurer, Miss Harriet Leslie.

The constitution provided for two general committees, a Social Com- individuals. mittee, and a Professional Improvement Gover.

# **RURAL SCHOOLS BEING VISITED**

This quarter a new feature has been gram. This, their last week of practice teaching, will not be spent in the city training schools where they have been schools throughout the state.

The schools which were selected are typical examples of small rural schools where many elementary graduates are placed each year. Care was taken to choose schools in which the teachers were outstanding. The students will spend the week in both participation and observation.

The following is the list of assignments: Ruth Jenisch and Helen Wolcott, Mont Vernon; Harriet Davis and Ruth Nason, South Lyndeboro; Martha Bishop and Lillian Winn, Elkins; Mar-Sandown: Margaret Noves, Westmore-The two driving areas where the land; William Wolffer and Carroll

# MUSIC LOVERS **HEAR OPERA**

Saturday, March 30th, a group of students, under the direction of Mr. Harry Davis, musical director at K. T. C., attended the opera, "Die Walkuere" in Boston. Those attending were, Randolph Gregory, Olive Lawrence, Fortula Adams, Carlene Snow, Ruth Hanson, Jenny Jensen, Priscilla Noyes, Harriett Davis, Beth Whiting, Ruth Callender, Alta Gilmore and her mother, and Miss Dorothy Allen.

#### Country Fair for Sat. Social

The Academy of Science will present its annual Saturday night social this week. The program for the evening is under the direction Daniel Dayton as general chairman and several com-

The country fair instead of coming in the fall will blossom out amid the fast disappearing snow. Games of all sorts will be a part of the program. The win-Leonard Morrison, chairman; Mr. ners of the greatest number of points will be awarded prizes for their luck and skill.

#### MEN'S SPORTS (con.)

Coaches Caldwell and Bateman are lowing slate of officers was approved: starting a co-recreation activities pro-President, Mrs. Mary Donald Deans; gram this spring. This will involve Vice-President, Mr. Charles Cutts; Sec- bowling, badminton, tennis, and volley ball. It is expected that through this program both men and women will more adequately enter life as well-rounded

> A Mens' Intra-mural Board has been Arnold Parkinson; junior, Robert Still-

man in some sport.

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BACCALAUREATE PROCESSION LEAVING CAMPUS

President Young Summarizes His First Year at College

The school year of 1939-1940 is rapidly drawing to a close and in retro-

spect how short it has been. The last days of a school year always bring a

year of college work. To them it means many new friendships, many experi-

ences along a new road, and a look ahead of what their lives may hold for

the completion of a prescribed curriculum; the feeling of satisfaction of ac-

pleted by a given date and a feeling of sadness at the breaking up of some

friendships. We don't like to think that this group of people assembled at

Keene Teachers College this year will never all be together again in this

same particular way. When school opens next fall some of you will be teach-

ing others will be working in other vocations, others will be managing homes

of their own. But regardless of where you are next fall, or what you are

doing, this year at K. T. C. will have influenced your life in some ways.

If, in addition to learning such things as we commonly call English,

One's sadness at the close of a school year is one measure of how much col-

mathematics, history, and psychology, you have learned how to live happily

I will feel that Keene Teachers College has served its function. Some of the

best measures of an educated college person are the degree to which he can

get along with other people, the extent to which he continues to learn after teacher assignments are over, and the initiative and ambition by which he

I hope each one of you has received as much fun, stimulation and satisfaction from this year at K. T. C. as I have.

complishment; and the desire to get started in a new field next year.

To some others it means the completion of four years of college life-

To all it means a tenseness of trying to get a great many things com-

series of varied emotions. To some it marks the co

LAST CHAPEL AWARDS

**Extra-Curricular Activities** 

Rewarded

At the regular Monday chapel at

Keene Teachers 'College awards for all.

extra-curricula activities were made.

Men's varsity basketball: Chester

Brach, Captain, Milton Burton, Nich-

olas Hondrogen, Harold Streeter, Ar-

thur Shedd, Douglas Kimball, Joseph

Kucharski, Arthur Tenney, Manager,

John Freese, assistant varsity manager,

Howard Smith, assistant varsity man-

ager, Joseph Grilli, freshman assistant

manager, Cy Gregorius, assistant man-

ager, Hollis Furbush, assistant mana-

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the next three years.

lege life has meant to you.

attempts to reach a given port.

such awards:

DANCING ON THE GREEN

A FEATURE THIS YEAR

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# K. T. C. GYMNASIUM

#### Seniors Read Class Wills and Histories

Class day exercises were held in the gymnasium Thursday morning, June 13. At 10:15 the seniors and faculty in caps and gowns formed their lines for the processional into the hall which took place at 10:30 a. m.

Exercises were opened with a prayer by Miss Frances Snow, vice-president of the senior class.

Under the direction of Mr. Harry W Davis, head of the music department, the choir rendered a selection.

Pres. Young spoke a few encouraging words to the seniors.

Seniors who read the class wills and histories sat upon the stage. The wills and histories afforded much amusement to the audience of seniors, faculty, and underclassmen.

The class will, read by Thelma Shallow, was prepared by Thelma Shallow, Ruby Whittemore, Laurent Bosse, and Helen Wolcott.

#### Class Will

We, the last official four year English class of Keene Teachers College, do Under the direction of Miss Marjory hereby bequeath all our talents from Bateman, Women's Physical Education eating goldfish to studying philosophy director, the traditional practice of to next years seniors. To all the un-"Dancing on the Green" as a part of the derclassmen we leave our dignity of Commencement activities has returned. locomotion and sharpness of thought Following is a list of students receiving This year one of the prettiest and larg- knowing that you also will observe the est festivals was held. There were ap- former and increase the latter during proximately one hundred seventy-five your stay here.

students in the dances, and some took I. Buster Conway, leave my experipart in more than one. A large group ence at candling eggs and storing beef gathered to witness the spectacle, and at Swift and Co. to Jimmy Burrill for were well rewarded. The entrance of leisure time activity along with the the King and Queen, who as President florist business. I also leave my suit and Vice-President of the Senior class business and taxi service from Keene were William Wolffer of Milford, and to the North Country, along with the Frances Snow of Claremont, was an- Normandie itself, to my brother Frank

nounced by the dancing of twenty-four and "Cy" Gregorious. Junior-High girls. After the official I, Barbara Eaves, lear to the future Hancock cadets my skill at chess and winter sports activities. You people will have a fine instructor in these arts, but I suggest that you remember that there is a study hall to visit every night and that a mending kit is a valuable article to have along in case of minor accidents

while skiing. I, Ethel Galloway, leave to Alice James, the opportunity of carrying billets-doux, making dates, and smiling when the five dollar trays are dropped in the dining room.

I, Irving Heath, leave behind me all the ribbons I have won at the Manchester Masquerades, all my ideas for decorating the gym for dances, and my extra inch of height to Johnnie Blateos. Perhaps Johnnie will be able to paint an African back drop for you some-

time, if you will only tease him. I, Betty Pillsbury, leave to Betty Dearborn my interest in the Kappa Fraternity. I hope that you don't have the harrowing experience to discover while playing shuffle board on the night of a dance, that your escort is one week ahead of time.

I, Lillian Rock, leave one-half of my interests in town affairs to Dotty Alexander and the other half to Grace

I. Laura Russell, leave my exciting over night visits in Huntress to Mary Alice McCushing. The thing to remember about these visits, Mary Al, is not to peek around a corner when someone

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# KEENE TEACHERS COLLEGE, KEENE, N. H., JUNE 13, 1940 LAST CHAPEL HELD IN BACCALAUREATE SERVICE TEACHERS COLLEGE

#### Pastor Gives Stirring Talk "Life Can Be So Grand"

FILLS BAPTIST CHURCH

Keene Teachers college seniors were urged to take a stand against the grim pessimism which questions whether any good can come out of 1940, and to counteract the attitude, "It is no use, all is dark," and to show to the world that this is not the philosophy of American youth, by Rev. Daniel H. Miller, pastor of the First Baptist church, in his baccalureate sermon, Sunday afternoon, in the church auditorium. His sub-

ject was "Life Can Be So Grand." Mr. Miller proceeded to give the class some of the rules which might help in fighting battles and in playing the game of life, things which he said were desperately important in making a success of life, and which would help the young people to enjoy and appreciate life.

#### Processional

Headed by Dr. Lloyd P. Young, president, and members of the faculty, the seniors marched from the college to the church. There they were joined by Former Pres. Wallace E. Mason.

Officers of the graduating class had a part in the devotional exercises, William Wolffer of Milford, president, leading the responsive reading on the theme of "The Rewards of Wislom," and Miss Frances Snow of Claremont, vice president, reading "A Psalm of New Hampshire," written by the late Ernest W. Butterfield, former state commissioner of education.

#### Glee Club Sings

The Keene Teachers college glee club, directed by Harry W. Davis, sang two selections, "Beautiful Saviour," Arr. by Christiansen, and "Thanks Be to God." Dickson. The congregation joined in two hymns.

Charles W. Stowell, church organist, a graduate of K. T. C., 1935, played an organ prelude "Prize Song, Die Meistersinger," Wagner; processional, "Grand March" from "Tannhauser," Wagner, and recessional, "March Joyeux," Valentine.

Undergraduate men students of the college, headed by Francis Le Mieux, served as ushers. These included Alson Clark, Leon Doyer, Robert Gilman, Randall Mardin Robert Rausch, Wallace Smith, William Whalin, and Wilfred Wolffer.

Rev. Mr. Miller opened and closed his address with a poem by the famous Japanese Christian, Kagawa, as follows:

"I want to be ever a child; I want to feel an eternal friendship, for the raindrops, the flowers, the snowflakes.

I want to be keenly interested in everything, with mind and muscle ever alert, forgetting my troubles in the next moment The stars and the sea, the ponds

and the trees, the birds and the nimals, are my comrades.

Though my muscles may stiffen, hough my skin may wrinkle, may I ever find myself yawning at life."

Mr. Miller's sermon was as fol-

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# ONE YEAR A COLLEGE

One year a college! It was on May 31, 1939, that the name of our institution was officially changed from Keene Normal School to Keene Teachers College, and in the year many other changes have taken place, both in administrative policies and in the attitude of the students toward the school. A closer cooperation and a more friendly feeling students and faculty has been an outstanding feature of the past year. Both groups seem to realize the fact that the new name has brought with it new responsibilities and problems, which ty's first house party was put on, which, are now serving as teacher-coaches can only be met and solved by friendly united action; and, too, that is the only way to gain further honors for the institution of which both faculty and students are integral parts. The alert, Dance was sponsored. progressive program instituted by President Lloyd Young during his first year here has been responsible for the increased respect with which outsiders the turnout of alumni at this function speak of the college and its activities, was remarkably gratifying. and is the cause of a new spirit among the student body, which seems to take a much keener interest in all campus activities, scholastically, socially, and Andrew Schricker; Vice-President, Robrecreationally. But maybe this new ert Desmarais; Secretary, Howard spirit is due to the fact that "Keene Teachers College" seems to denote an Master of Ceremonies, Nicholas Honinstitution of the greater distinction drogen; Chaplain, Agisilios Gregorious; than does "Keene Normal School", and that the students have a desire to live up to, and thereby add to, this distinc-

And so it stands; Keene Teachers
College is an institution of higher education, with its aims, ideals, and traditions to be fulfilled by a student body
that is fully awake to its privileges and

The Gamma chapter of Kappa Delta
prior to Keene Teachers College started
the present college year with the following officers: President, Irving S.
Heath; President Pro-tem, G. Burrill.

The Gamma chapter of Kappa Delta
ming has always been a popular recretational activity at the College and next year should see even greater opportunity year should be a standard year. that is fully awake to its privileges and opportunities. We, as students, do realize, and do strive to maintain, these aims and ideals. We further realize that the future of Keene Teachers College depends upon our acceptance of the standards set up for the operation and maintenance of the institution.

We have but one doubt in our minds concerning this. Will the years to come bring a new student body that will real- alumni members was sponsored by the in a sound body" is an aim which will dance have earnestly carried it on, so ize and maintain these ideals as we are chapter at the time of the State Teach- motivate efforts and attention that in did the group this time. Miss Ruth striving to do? Yet again, there is little ers' Convention. On this same week turn should guarantee a life that is full Jenisch was the featured dancer, and doubt of it. Youth is the same, no mat- end the annual Kappa dance was held and rich and happy. ter what the year; all have a sense of on Friday night, and the annual Mincollege education provides. Lest we be the direction of Leslie, Clark. labelled sentimentalists we refrain from saving that we need not fear for the of Amherst College gave a most interfuture of our Alma Mater: It is as esting talk on Nature and Education at party for active and honorary members, lins, and Louise Whitten and Natalie strong as the Rock of Gibraltar in the the Kappa Assembly. hands of the students yet to come.

depends upon you. Do not fail it! January 25 the chapter entertained its ton; and Chaplain, Elmer Gould.

# FRATERNITIES COMPLETE SUCCESSFUL YEAR

The officers of the Alpha Pi Tau Fraternity for the past year were as follows: President, J. B. Saunders; Vice-Chaplain, Chester Brach; Advisory Willard Holt alternate.

and furnished with donations from recreation. members of the faculty, alumni, and A newly formed Men's Intra-Mural of fraternal gatherings.

faculty has had to look over the new year.

The major social event of the year was the annual Alpha dance. The fra- board, Archery, Winter Sports, were ternity were significantly rewarded for very popular. These activities provided its efforts by the splendid attendance of alumni members.

At the culmination of a successful rushing season the following freshmen were taken in as members: Agisilios Gregorious, Joseph Grilli, Douglas Kimball, Arthur Shedd, Ira Stickney, Maurice Trudeau and two sophomores Frederick Clayton and Costas Contogogou.

more along the social line the fraterniaccording to participants, reached the pinnacle of success.

In conjunction with the Nu-Beta sorority the annual and successful Tea

The Alpha Pi Tau banquet was not only a success in the epicurean sense of the word but also in the fraternal, for

The year's activity ended with the election of officers for the coming year. The results were as follows: President, Smith; Treasurer, Costas Contogogou; Clerk, Douglas Kimball; Advisory board, Joseph Grilli, Lindsey Hall, and Frederick Clayton.

Wolffer; Secretary, James C. Burrill; Treasurer, Leslie S. Clark; Chaplain, note of the Physical Education and tative on the national executive board pled with a realization of the profes- tion of KTC. The first was the waltz. was Paul E. Bridges.

The social year for the chapter began for the faculty, a tradition of many

years' standing. lity to such opportunities as a strel Show on Saturday evening under

On December 4 Dr. William G. Vinal the fraternity house.

But a last challenge to them: Preserve and carry forward the heritage and traditions that we leave with you, for through this will you strengthen your school. Keene Teachers College to the President's ternity added 11 new members to its ranks; at the National Meeting in Boston, the chapter won the President's President, Frank Le Mieux; Vice-president, Frank Le Mieux; Vice-preside

#### The Faculty Chair

The College Year of 1939-1940 proved to be a very interesting one with regard to games sports and recreational activities. The Women's Athletic Association again took the lead in its program of sponsorship of recreational games and sports and reports that this year the President, Herman Donegan; Secretary, students participation was greater than Robert Desmarais; Treasurer, Victor ever. More women students are learn-Lundgren; Master-of-Ceremonies, Neal ing a greater variety of skills, and in-Perkins; Clerk, Nicholas Hondrogen; terest in competitive games and sports assured the successful completion of board, Howard Smith, Alson Clark, and inter-division and inter-class activities. 'Play Days" again were the highlights, The fraternity was fortunate in ac- and Keene Teachers College mainquiring a long sought for social room. tained its position as a leader in this The social room, done in curley maple expression of competitive and socialized

active members, has become the center Athletic Committee added considerable impetus to the recreational program for The faculty of the college were given the men students. It organized and a tea in the fraternity house and this conducted tournament play in Speedwas in the nature of a house warming ball and Basketball and laid plans for a for this was the first occasion which the greater variety of activities for next

"Co-Recreational" activities such as Tennis, Badminton, Bowling, Shuffleopportunities for wholesome social enjoyment in splendid recreational activities. These games and sports rate very high in carry-over values and are receiving more attention each year.

program satisfies individual and group needs but also functions in a professional role to fill the ever-increasing In keeping with the new policy to do demand for teachers and coaches. Over fifty men and thirty women graduates throughout the state. More and more of these positions are available each have been fitting to close the year with-

> The Men's Varsity teams in basketmen lost by graduation the prospects

> A large number of men and women ors of Life Saving and Water Safety.

Playing for "Fun" has been the key-Leon D. Doyer. The chapter represen- Recreational program. This spirit cousional needs has provided the impetus made up of twelve couple the girls in a for a wide and interesting program of variety of colored full-skirted gowns. on September 20, when a Tea was held activities. With the thought always in The accompanying music was "The mind of continued progress and development the year 1940-1941 should have

### **ALUMNI NEWS**

Mr. and Mrs. Ned Noyes, Plaistow, announce the engagements of their daughters, Helen, class of '37 to Vernon Amazeen, Plaistow, and Barbara '39 to Regenald Peck, Reading, Mass. Both weddings will be summer events.

Walter Palmer '38, a teacher in the public schools of Pittsfield, has accepted a teaching position in Vermont.

Lawrence Perkins '37, a teacher in the public schools of Center Barnstead, has accepted a teaching position in the grammar school at Woodstock.

Barbara Carlsen '38, a teacher in Lyme, has accepted a position in Han-

The engagement of Florence Allen 38, to Howard Saturely, of Pembroke, has been announced by her parents. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Colcord, Plais-

tow, announce the engagement of their daughter Barbara '38 to Stowe Seward. Stoneham, Mass. The wedding will take place this month.

The engagement of Natalie Scott '33. of Haverhill, Mass. to Frank Tisdale '35, has been announced by Miss Scott's mother.

DANCING ON THE GREEN (con.)

procession the Junior High girls did the real old-fashioned Maypole dance, weaving their ribbons into intricate The Physical Education and Athletic patterns and dancing prettily around the Maypole. Next came the real entertainment features with the Freshmen girls of the Teachers College acting in true Freshman style, and doing Peasant dances. Mr. Giovannangeli's group of Junior High boys formed triangles, and tumble stunts. It would not out a return of our old-fashioned dances. Eight couple joined in KTC and everybody's favorites, Pop goes the ball and baseball composed mainly of Weasel and Darling Nellie Gray. Greetfreshmen and sophomores were unable ed with applause were the freshmen to compile any impressive record as far girls again. This time with nursery as winning games was concerned but dances of a novel nature. Each dance the work done this year forms a sound was made up to tell a story. The first background for next year. With no twenty-four blackbirds drew laughter from the audience, for in it Natalie for the coming seasons are very encour- Straw started to make a pie, and to her amazement, out came 24 blackbirds, who were really Freshmen friends with students participated in the American black wings, attached to yellow cos-Red Cross Training course for Instruct- tumes. Simple Simon and Three Blind Mice were also well-liked by the audi-Senior Life Saving Courses given ence. Junior and Sophomore girls took throughout the year had large enroll- their part nicely in the traditional Maurice Trudeau; Sergeant-at-Arms, ments and the American Red Cross Magyar Dance. Twenty-four girls ap-Life Saving Corps at the College has pearing in this was one of the high-The Gamma chapter of Kappa Delta grown to nearly fifty members. Swim- lights of the program. The spirit which

The program closed with two of the nicest dances which are in the tradi-Blue Danube" by Johann Strauss.

As in former years girls who have Open house and a luncheon for increased significance. "A sound mind been invited to participate in the scarf worked nicely with the group. There were sixteen girls in this dance, each girl dressed in a short flowing gown, honorary members with a banquet at and swirling a scarf in each hand, as she danced. The center scarf was car-March 15 was the date of a house ried by Virginia Johnson, Virginia Roland the fraternity closed its social acti- Straw. Other dancers were: Hope Lin-To top off the rushing season the fra- vities for the year with an All-Chapter coln, Barbara Rowe, Betty Pillsbury, Mary White, Ann Lincoln, Barbara The officers elected for 1940-41 are: Ormsbee, Helen Hubbard, Thelma Shallow, Barbara Richardson, Jessie Du-

and enjoyment ended with the exit of

#### LAST CHAPEL (con.)

comes into a room. I also leave my basket" to Lois Foote. quiet chuckle to Dotty Perkins to perfect and cultivate with the greatest

sleeping on campus to Bob Johnson. May you be more fortunate in the exleave my knowledge of current affairs Kay. Need I say more? to Eugene Littlefield as a different topic for his soap box orations.

the Baptist Church and my right to get | College our best regards for luck and change in Tilden's to Barbara Adams. success in the future. I know that these activities with any other connections you may happen to have will be carried on in the same quiet manner as I have.

I, Ruby Whittemore, leave my unique hair-do to Charlotte French, and guarantee that there won't be another like it on campus. I also leave my job as desk tender at Huntress to Alta Saunders, knowing that she will be glad to lose as many pounds as I have climbing the three flights of stairs at least twenty times daily.

To Mr. Drenan our class leaves our exceptional ability for writing one-act plays and short stories, hoping that he will find inspiration and comfort from them on "One Rainy Evening".

We, the eleven home economics seniors, teachers to be, will to the junior home economists the honor of living in the Home Management House. May you never have live vitamins in your salads, thieves in the back hall, or gentlemen friends after nine in the evening. To the freshmen and sophomore home eccers we say: "Make hay while

I. Dorothy Ackerman, leave to Carlene Watson my ability to never be form of nature and geography field without a partner—a different one in trips and occasionally a class outing at

I, Harriet Bagley, will to Eileen Gardner my interest in the war and elementary division to receive a degree. world affairs at present. We all hope In the last year we have been a fami- of the junior class, responded to Mr. our boys won't have to go over there liar sight walking between Wheelock to settle affairs.

I, Aldythe Currier, bequeath my flying angel act to Eloise Beaudry or any Ec'ally inclined youngsters get together, other dignified senior of next year.

I, Elizabeth Doe, will to all the other K. T. C. the ability to live down the month. We boasted one native Keenite, accepting the ivy. reference to the family reputation. May Gladys Hill. At mid-years she left the you be an individual!

I, Ruth Frohock, will to future Han- work. cock cadets my ability to adjust myself to a new community. There are several chances to make new friends. We, Barbaras Fowler and Watkins,

son the Romantic Room of the Home Management House. I. Ruth Archibald, wish onto Bob and

-if they stay in Keene long enough to experience them.

Calmness and serenity is the secret of

I, Edith Wirling, leave to Thelma Watts my knack of dozing, unnoticed

I, Thelma Shallow, will to Alice Gates my influence in convincing some people that the home ec seniors should have an occasional week end off.

We, the Trades and Industries Class of 1940, will and bequeath to all the Little T and I's, the liking of a large class. It is much easier to cut classes then because one will never be missed. to the Sigma Pi Upsilon at a gala dance, I. Laurent Bosse, will to Brud Wolffer and we like to take our share of the

my love for Room 22 in T and I building. To Milton Burton I leave my art

the King and Queen and their court, when the dancing group departed from may say that this history is to be con-

I, Arthur Cram, will my jitterbug craze to Steve Valla, and "my little ion were read together so that a unity

I, Woodward Griswold, the Connecticut Yankee, leave my strong silent ion has had separate wills and histories. ways to Johnnie Blateos. I have decid-I. Birnie Saunders, will my ability for ed to adopt new methods.

I, William Arnold Parkinson, bequeath my will power to travel the perience than I was, Bob. In addition I straight and narrow path to George

Lastly, we the class of 1940, do wish and bestow upon the President; other I. Phyl Sherman, leave my interest in officials, and faculty of Keene Teachers

The class history, read by Elizabeth Pillsbury, was prepared by Elizabeth Pillsbury, Irving Heath, Elizabeth Doe, and Leslie Clark.

#### Class History

Because we have been a very much divided class, and we might as well admit it, classmates, there will be division histories given, instead of the usual of life to renew old acquaintances." one for the group. Now you will also be able to notice who among us have done the class, William Wolffer, the seniors van; Ruth Jenisch, Keene, South Lee; the most work, by the length of our his- and faculty marched to the ivy plant-

The elementary division launched their stay in K. T. C. with one threeyear division and two four-year divisons. The class through the years has suffered from the usual casualty, marriage, and has decreased through the years. Our first year was spent largely is part of the plan of the classes which in learning to write and to use the library. One of our most colorful characters, Scoop Miller left at the end of the first year to go on to greater things. Through the years we have put on the usual class teas and file exhibits. A little color and gaity has been evenly spaced through our college life in the the school camp.

We have the honor of being the first and the Teachers College.

Anything can happen when 19 Home Yes, we said 19. Two were lost the first teaching field for office and secretarial

At the beginning of the sophomore year we found ourselves minus three valuable members: Ruth Hall, whose artistic talent we admire so much, Shirley leave to Lillian Putnam and Ellen Jack- Tasker, who has selected nursing as her profession; and Muriel Barber. Muriel returned to Leslie School which she had Jessie many happy Sunday afternoons

if they stay in Keene long enough to

I Edith Sanborn, will to Jannice We were proud of our Sophomore Brown my efficient managerial ability. class, for that year several school honors befell our members in Life Saving,

poetry and hockey. - The Junior year found us minus our in classes—beware of living room History shark, Esther Blombach. Her experiences and travels were a neverending source of interest

> It was this year that might have been fittingly entitled the "work year". Efforts and inspiration shifted from teas, dinners and luncheons to suits and coats. Nu Beta Upsilon acted as hostess credit for the success of that.

Now our tale of college days is done, out the story of each member will become a credit to our college, and so we

The wills and histories of each divisin the class would be more apparent than in previous years when each divis-This unity has been a constant goal of Pres. Wolffer throughout his presidency.

William Wolffer, president of the senior class, in his message said, "As accepted teaching positions for the year Freshmen, we were the anticipators of 1940 and 1941 are as follows: Laura a journey filled with many hardships, too short; there is much more that we High School; Elizabeth Doe, Northhas given us the opportunity to further field High School; Arnold Parkinson, the best interests of the teaching pro- Manchester, Wolfeboro; Elizabeth the mountain of education before you. roll Beane, Orford, Center Barnstead; Take every advantage of new situations Martha Bishop, Bethlehem, Landaff; which arise. We, the seniors, are leaving friendships and memories highly cherished by us. We sincerely hope that we may meet again along the trail

ing exercises.

Seniors Plant Ivy Near Hale Building ustom at Keene Teachers College. It graduate to keep the campus growing more beautiful and to give the school mouth; Beryle Thompson, Winchester, something by which to remember the Center Barnstead; Marion Wagner, alumni. This year the ivy was planted Rochester, Francestown; Lillian Winn, by the Hale Building instead of by the gymnasium where it has been put for

Seniors, faculty, and underclassmen stood out on the campus while Pres. William Wolffer led the ivy-planting exercises. With a few fitting remarks Mr. Wolffer presented the ivy to the school. Malcolm Keddy, the president Wolffer's presentation and accepted the gift of the ivy.

#### BACCALAUREATE (con.)

"The first rule for playing the game of life successfully is one which has to do with the person who will cause you more trouble than anyone else you'll ever come in contact with. I refer to yourself. And in order that our thought may be simple and stay on the peg of memory, I want to state it in the words of common slang: 'Be yourself.' I think you will agree with me that there is nothing more refreshing than a person who has the courage to be his own unadulterated self, without affectation or artificiality. The particular thing that made Will Rogers such a favorite of the American people was that he was never afraid to be his own unaffected self. Neither presidents nor kings ever cramped his style one bit. He accomplished the rare feat of eliciting a smile from the stoical Calvin Coolidge the first time he was ever introduced to him, by asking quizzically, 'What was the name, please?' Mark Twain is considered by some to have been the most typical American who ever lived, and Mark Twain's whole genius lay in the fact that he was just himself. Young people, life can be grand if you will just be yourself.

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## SENIORS ACCEPT JOBS

#### 60 Percent of Class Sign Contracts

Members of the senior class who have Russell, Keene, Walpole High School; but now as we look back it seems all Dorothy Ackerman, Derry, Franconia could have done. Seniors: Graduation wood, Gorham High School; Thelma does not mean that we no longer have Shallow, Colebrook, Newmarket High duties to our Alma Mater. This college School; Arthur Cram, Jr., Dover, Pittsfession. Underclassmen: You, too, have Baird, Richmond, Westmoreland; Car-Eleanor Campbell, Lebanon, Grantham; Gertrude Clark, East Alstead, Milan; Leslie Clark, Manchester, Orford; Harriet Davis, Keene, Enfield; Rose Dempsey, South Acworth, Westmoreland: Marion Dennis, Manchester, Westmore-After an address by the president of land; Evelyn French, Hudson, Sulli-Jennie Jensen, Keene, Milan; Mary Nano, Keene, Newberry: Ruth Nason, Marlboro, Greenfield; Margaret Noyes, Hampton, Kensington; Priscilla Noves, Colebrook, Milan: Hazel Nutting, Sun-The planting of the ivy is an annual apee, Madison; Bertha Owen, Manchester, Lyme; Esther Perry, Bennington, Milan; Sally Pike, Manchester, Troy; Dorothy Scarponi, Portsmouth, Ports-Hudson, South Kingston; Helen Wolcott, Bethlehem, Lyman; William Wolffer, Milford, Piermont; Dorothy Young, Contoocook, Bradford; Virginia Beardsley, Special, Thornton.

#### LAST CHAPEL AWARDS (con.)

Managers for 1940-1941: Varsity Manager, John Freese; assistant varsity nanagers, Joseph Grilli, Hollis Furbush. Varsity Baseball: Robert Webster, As usual the ivy song, especially pre- Robert Stillings, Herman Donegan, pared for the occasion, was sung by the Thomas Dillant, Harold Streeter, Leon and most everything has to our crew. seniors in presenting the ivy, and ans- Doyer, Maurice Trudeau, Clayton Marwered in song by the underclassmen in den, Victor Lundgren, Douglas Kimball, Frederick Clayton, Joseph Kucharski. Assistant varsity manager, Alson Clark, Daniel Dayton. Freshman zaristant managers, Bartlett Lund, Arthur March, Andrew Moynihan, Steve Valla, These awards were made by Coach

William Caldwell. Women's hockey: Jessie Dutrizac, Elizabeth Janetos, Charlotte Reed, Elizabeth Travis, Dorothy Scarponi, Mary-Alyce McCushing, Barbara Ormsbee, Filomenia Pitraszkiewiz, Barbara Rowe, Vera Wilson, Roberta Bilodeau. Pauline Lorandeau, Dorothy Perkins, Natalie Straw.

Women's Tennis: Jessie Dutrizac. Women's Badminton: Lena Fournier,

Vivian Fox. Women's Bowling: Alta Abramson

Women's Swimming: Jessie Dutrizac. Women's Basketball: Elizabeth Bohanon, Jessie Dutrizac, Lena Fournier, Vivien Fox, Gladys Page, Thelma White, Helen Wolcott, Mary-Alyce Mc-Cushing, Rita Strombeck, Lois Moore, Dorothy Perkins, Carlene Snow, Natalie Straw, Patricia Thompson, Pauline Watson, Louise Whitten.

Women's Volleyball: Elizabeth Bohanon, Gloria Corriveau, Verna Crane, Lena Fournier, Vivien Fox, Rose Hobart, Sally Megeska, Filomenia Pitraskiewicz, Rita Strombeck, Agnes Wasy-

Debating: Anna Arnell, Arlene Peltonen, James Burrill, George 'Hall, Charlotte French, Margarite Sweeney.

Band: Althea Boutwell, Audrey Dearborn, Helen Hubbard, Lucy Ellis, Har-old Weiner, Mary Spencer, Margaret Smith, Forest Parker, Randall Marden.

The Commencement exercises of Keene Teachers College will be held on Saturday, June 15, at 10:00 a. m. The Senior Class will be led by the Junior Marshals, Malcolm Keddy and Alice Gates with the President and Vice-President of the class following.

Many parents, friends, and students are expected to attend the event and witness the granting of the diplomas and degrees to the graduating class. Professor Harold R. Bruce of Dartmouth College will deliver the Commencement address, "An American Challenge". Commissioner James N. committee for the banquet were Eliza-Pringle of the State Board of Educa- beth Baird, Ruth Nason, and Rose tion will authorize the class and Dr. Dempsey. Lloyd P. Young will confer the degrees and diplomas. Dr. Wallace E. Mason and Rev. Mr. Robbins E. Ralph will offer the prayer and benediction, respectively. Miss Olive Davis will be at the organ and play the Processional Lillian Winn and Recessional. The program will consist of vocal solos by Mr. Henry W. Southwell and piano solos by Mrs. Earle W. Lane, as the music.

#### Commencement Ball Promises To Be Gala Affair

The annual Commencement Ball for the senior class of Keene Teachers College will be held on Friday evening, June 14. The motif for the decorations will be a garden at night with a backdrop of fantastic figures to carry out the theme. With yellow, green, and white streamers, there will be lattice work across the top of the gymnasium. Cut flowers, birch trees, arbors, and an umbrella table for refreshments will also add to the atmosphere. With the soft lights and colorful evening gowns a very pleasing spectable will be seen.

Patrons and patronesses will be: Dr. and Mrs. Lloyd P. Young, Dean and Mrs. H. Dwight Carle, Miss Isabel U. Esten, Mrs. Ethel J. Ramsden, Mr. Hawley S. Young, Miss Louise Whitten, and Mr. William Wolffer.

Francis LeMieux, head usher . Ruth Wilson, Wilfred Wolffer, Leon Doyer, Alson Clark, Randall Mardin, William Whalin, Robert Rausch, Robert Gilman, Wallace Smith, Mary White, Helen Carrier, Hope Lincoln, Lillian Grossman, Eloise Beaudry, Carlene Watson, Hazel Campbell, Caroline

The music will be furnished by Vic Roy and his orchestra from Nashua, who also played at the De La Salle Dance.

Committees for the affair will be as follows:

General Committee: Eileen Laurie, Chairman, Bertha Owen, Thelma Shallow, Ruth Jenisch, Roland Nault.

Decoration Committee:-Harriet Davis, Chairman, Martha Bishop, Margaret Noyes, Dorothy Scarponi, Laurent Bosse, Birnie Saunders, Marion

Refreshment Committee: — Barbara Fowler, Chairman, Thelma Shallow,

Ticket Committee:-Carrol Beans an, Andrew Janosz, Dorothy

### Senior Banquet Thursday Night

The annual feast of the Senior class took place Thursday evening at Turner Inn. The dining room was decorated in the class colors, and the flowers as centerpieces served to accentuate the blue and the gold. William Wolffer, President of the Senior class, served as toastmaster for the celebration, and after the reading of the Prophecy, by Laura Russell, school songs, and old favorites were sung by the classmates. The menu for the dinner was in southern fashion, fried chicken, banana fritters, fresh garden peas, mashed potato, candle stick salad, and the ice cream and Marion Wagner cake were decorated in the class colors again. Mrs. Young, Mrs. Ramsden, Mr. Adams, Mr. and Mrs. Davis, Miss Rockwood were faculty guests. Finally at the suggestion of Mrs. Ramsden everyone rose and crossed over joined hands to sing "Auld Lang Syne". The

#### Elementary Senior Prophecy

Dainty and neat in kitchen attire, Cooking meals for husband to admire. Clizabeth Baird The teaching profession will take her

Into China where the coolies are!

Helen Wolcott Up to the heights in athletic fame,

An Olympic star of famous name. Martha Bishop Before too many oats are sown She'll have a knitting shop of her

own. Gertrude Clark George White's Scandals will be the

As Blue's Singer she'll take the toll. Ruth Jenisch From door to door with satchel in

hand. Seeing how many sales she can land! Eileen Laurie

If you feel like climbing stories Come up and see "Penthouse Laurie" Esther Perry

Not in teaching long, I fear, But the wife of an electrical engineer.

Dorothy Dix will have had her say, Ask Ruthie's advice on love any day. Dorothy Johnson She shall see the sights of the con-

tinent For her husband will be a travel agent!

Roland Nault With plenty of pep he swings the

Soon to be at the Aragon-Trianon. eslie Clark Into the ranks of wielder of pen,

Author of "Inferiority of Women". C. Louise Hidden All day long she'll knit mittens,

To place upon her baby kittens. Harriet Davis

Davis for the first woman president! Evelyn French As toe-dancer in Ted Faun's ballet,

Frenchie's up front to stay. Andrew Janosz Off to the stables of Mr. Janosz, If you desire to gallop a "hoss".

Rose Dempsey "Stop at the roadside for a bite to eat, Dempsey's Station can't be beat!"

A busline she will own To traverse from Keene to home.

A city life if you wish But a turkey farm is Sally's dish.

In the back yard hanging up "squares" Washed for the "three little bares".

Margaret Noves Out in the limelight to stay, With her column "MY DAY".

Dorothy Young She'll larn 'em, 'cause she's plucky!

Beryle Thompson Packages to weigh and stamps cancel

Will be the fate of this fair damsel. Bertha Owen

In years hence, she will be The women's dean of K. T. C.

South of the border, down Mexico "Wag" will be landscaping all of the

day. Hazel Nutting Touring mountains with Hazel as

Up on the top you'll be doing the jive.

Eleanor Campell "Campie" stands for law and order As sheriff she'll follow them to the border.

Sophia Nano. A lawyer of great renown Appealing to the sense of sound.

Frances Snow Ah! 'tis Franny, forsooth, Who shall find the fountain of youth!

Jenny Jensen

knows? William Wollfer Decked with wreath of heather, Drums along our 'little feather'.

Carroll Beane A president of some great college, A result of extensive knowledge

#### **Student Body Enjoys Outing**

The final outing of the year of Keene Teachers College was held at the School Camp on Saturday, June 8. This all Miss Isabel Blake and Miss Inez Vaughn day affair has been a regular feature in served as hostesses at the gathering. the Commencement activities at the College for many years, and is the in-Members of the faculty with their wives | well. and children attend the annual picnic This event attracts not only parents and seem to enjoy it a great deal.

seemed rather inclement for any outof-door activity, but as the day progressed the skies cleared and everyone

Swimming, canoeing, and boating were enjoyed by the water sports enthusiasts, while the "land lubbers" had a never-ending game of baseball, which seemed to be enjoyed by the participants as well as the on-lookers.

Under the efficient management of Miss Isabelle U. Esten, Dean of Women, the noon meal was served out-of-doors To Congress, then to the Cabinet by the Dining Room Gang, excepting the Senior members, who were excused The meal consisted of hot frankfurters, salad rolls, peanut butter cookies, ice cream, and hot coffee.

> Attending the gathering were former President and Mrs. Wallace E. Mason, who enjoyed renewing acquaintances with faculty and students. Dr. Young, Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Carle, Mrs. Hudson Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Adams, Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Cutts, Mr. and Mrs. Spencer Eaton Miss Marie Thyng, Mr. Merton Goodrich, and Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Bushnell were also present.

After dinner, sports were resun Priscilla Noyes

Artistic talent will have its way,
Her canvas creations are never passe.

until group by group headed back for the Campus, depleted the ranks, and the activities came to an end.

#### Rose Night Presents Gay Spectacle on Campus

Probably the most outstanding event of Commencement Week at Keene Down to the mountains of Kaintucky, Teachers College, Rose Night, was held on Wednesday evening, June 12. As usual, the campus was decorated with to two rose arbors and greenery covering the backstop of the tennis courts.

The underclassmen marched out in formation on the campus, after which the seniors marched out in single file to the tune of Alma Mater led by Andrew Janosz, marshal. The seniors were dressed in white clothes and formed the customary "K" in the middle of the campus. In this formation the Rose Night songs were sung alternately by Underclassmen and Seniors led by Elizabeth Travis and Beryle Thompson, respectively.

These songs are traditionally composed by members of the student body to the tune of popular songs. This year's song writers were Dorothy Young, Nina Stevens, Christine Sweeney, Dorothy Johnson, Jenny Jensen, Anna Arnell, Marguerite Smith, Olive Fraser, Douglas Kimball, Charlotte French, Caroline Nichols, Alta Saunders, and Virginia Coburn.

After the singing of these songs, the seniors marched through the arbors and received roses from Elizabeth Mulligan and Adriatic Uloth, while the under-For a Chesterfield ad. Well, who classmen sang "Take This Rose". The seniors marched from the "K" formation into a "Y" formation and the class president, William Wolffer, escorted Dr. and Mrs. Young to the middle of campus and presented them with a bouquet of roses. Frances Snow, vice-president of the class, presented roses to Miss Isabel U. Esten, Dean of women, with a few appropriate words. In this formation taps were sounded by a brass quarter consisting of Thomas Dillant, Harold Weiner, Alson Clark, and Robert Rausch, after which the seniors and guests were entertained by the faculty at a reception on campus.

Miss Esten and Miss Mabel Brown,

Committees in charge of this affair were Dorothy Johnson and Harry Conformal ending to the years activities. way, ably assisted by Mr. William Cald-

and friends, but townspeople as well, On Saturday morning, the weather who always look forward to the occasion with great expectancy.

#### BACCALAUREATE (con.)

"Have faith in the world and in the ultimate triumph of righteousness. The world may have its times of slipping back. Progress is not always progressively upward. But ultimately the world will come out right. The final answer is not the regime of some tyrannical dictator. The final answer is the Kingdom of God which will one day be established upon the earth as surely as the sun rises. Have faith in the world.

"These are dark days. The world has seen dark days before. Someone pessimistically wrote to Benjamin Franklin: "The sun of liberty has set." 'Then light up the candles,' Franklin wrote back

"And so I say to you today, Light up your candles.' Light them from the great light of Him who is the light of the world. Once more I say, join the illustrious company of those radiant spirits who have shone like lights in a dark world, and I promise you that from this day forward, life for you will be so grand."

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# K. T. C. FAME SPREADING NICE WORK BY GRADS

Many High in Educational Fields Files of Classes Being Made

A committee for an alumni directory of K. T. C. has been formed and files are already being made. We are largely indebted to Mr. Simmons for what material we now have on the early graduates of Keene ex-Normal School and Teachers College of today.

Of the earliest classes, that of 1913 seems to have done remarkably well in the matter of getting degrees and doing constructive work educationally. Of the thirty-six who graduated that year. seven are now teaching, twenty-two are housewives, and fourteen are to our knowledge, actively engaged in civic and state organizations. Those who are doing graduate work are:

Mary Follansbee (deceased)-degree from Boston University. Agnes Garland-M. A. from Boston University.

Dorothy Jones-what degree or where from, we don't know. Bernice Pickard-B. S. of Ed. from

Boston University, 1931. Carrie A. Tarbell—B. of Theol. from Gordon College. (Now librarian and college instructor at Gordon.)

The class of 1914 will find immortality by virtue of the fact that they started the College Yearbook and called it the "Kronicle," and that name has survived for nigh on to thirty years.

Columbia and is now a member of the white school colors which made it es-Committee on Teacher Training in the Professor of Education in Connecticut their annual Christmas card sale. College for Women in New London.

We aim to serve in the educational field, and how can we better do so than send to the Keene section of Uncle the course is pursued with enthusiasm, to supply some superintendents? Mr. Sam's army. Letters of thanks from one can't turn a corner on campus Cecil Heath, a graduate of 1929, is now the boys show their gratitude and ap- without running into a detailed gessuperintendent of a union at Ashway, preciation of the fact that the students tured account of "my three-point, mo-R. I. and Mr. L. L. Maine, '28, is superintendent of schools at Portsmouth,

cock; Edmond J. Houle, '29, Austin- standards of the college courses and to more familiarly called ground-school that in 1939 the Alumni really did a Cate Academy; Arthur N. Gray, '30, Rye promote scholarship. Thus far the main instructor, is getting wonderful results good old-fashioned job on their younger Junior High; Laurence C. Cornwell, '31, difficulty has the financial deficiency of from his long hours of teaching. He brothers to the tune of 60-48. If we want McGaw Institute; John H. Frye, '31, the fifty dollar fee which is necessary says his fourth group is making rapid to go back to the golden days just after Ossipee; Horace E. Shuff, '31, Green- to join the society. The Council at progress. We say he deserves a lot of Wall Street was down for the count, land Junior High; Robert D. Bailey, present has the good news that the credit. '32. Hillsborough: Guy H. Clark, '32 Durham Junior High; Louis L. Ramsay '32, Enfield; Wilfred A. Poirier, '33, Epping; William J. Properzio, '33, Fitzwilliam Junior High; Norman R. Hartfiel, '34, Madison; George P. Sullivan, '34, Twin Mountain; Robert H. Morrison, special '35, Franklin Junior High, Keene: Waldo R. Streeter, '36, Charlestown Junior High; Theodore Lylis, '38, Errol Junior High; and Leon Tinel, special '38, Warner Junior High.

The national president of Kappa Delta Phi, Paul Bridges, is a recent grad-

uate, and are we proud! We are losing some of our grads from the educational set-up, but we gladly do so, when we see the worthy work hey are going into. Mr. Rodney Grif-in, who has been acting as submaster

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PARKER HALL: A MEMORY TO ALL ALUMNI

# STUDENT COUNCIL **LAUNCH PROJECTS**

College May Gain Membership For Educational Honor

The Student Council members started their year's program September 15 offered at K. T. C. proves itself to be with more than the usual vim and vig- one of the most popular and worth-We are particularly proud of Miss or. Their first project was the selec-Vera Butler, class of 1917, who has re- tion of some official college stationery course taking long hours of study and ceived her B. S., M. A., and Ed. D. from having the college seal and the red and practice—which means the girl friend pecially attractive to the student body. Tuesday or Thursday evening from 7 State of Connecticut and Assistant- The Council has also made plans for to 10-unless she's a traitor to the bud-

A most worthwhile piece of work has ulty member assigns his extra credit been the publishing of a news-letter to report to someone else. In spite of this think of their interests and their de- tor-stalled, forced-landing in a harvest

sire to keep in contact with the college. cornfield." That it is well liked and has A long-time project in the Student produced three graduate groups shows Seventeen of our graduates are prin- Council has been the attempt to have that the instructors are doing a won- Owls always pull the Frank Merriwell cipals or headmasters in approved secondary schools throughout New Hampshire: Bertha C. Manchester, '17, Han-

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# 'EM FLYING" **NEW MOTTO OVER KTC**

**CPT Class Making Rapid** Progress **All Solos Flights Completed** 

The Civil Pilot Training course while activities on campus. It's a stiff doesn't get downtown for a coke any ding civil pilot, and that favorite fac-

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BASKETBALL SCHEDULE FOR KEENE TEACHERS COLLEGE

1941-1942		
l	Nov. 22	Alumni vs. K. T. C
ı	Dec. 5	New Britain T. C. vs. K. T. C
	Dec. 6	Willimantic T C vs. K. T. C
ı	Dec. 12	Farmington Normal vs. K. T. C
ı	Dec. 13	Gorham Normal vs. K. T. CGornam
l	Dec. 16	Arnold College vs. K. T. C
ı	Dec. 18	R. I. C. E. vs. K. T. C
l	Jan. 7	Salem T C vs K T C
ı	Jan. 10	Fitchburg T. C. vs. K. T. C
ı	Jan. 13	R. I. C. E. vs. K. T. C
ı	Jan. 16	Hyannis T. C. vs. K. T. C
ı	Jan. 21	New Britain T. C. vs. K. T. C
ı	Jan. 23	Willimantic T. C. vs. K. T. C Keene
ı	Feb. 6	Salem T. C. vs. K. T. CSalem
ı	Feb. 7	Hyannis T. C. vs. K. T. C
	Feb. 11	Fitchburg T. C. vs. K. T. CFitchburg
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# **ALUMNI MEET VARSITY OWLS FACE FAST FIVE**

Alumni Hope To Avenge '40 Defeat Owls Start Heavy

With the basketball season opening Saturday night, Nov. 22 at Keene Teachers College the varsity Owls start on a long and rocky road that may lead to almost anything. From the moment that the whistle blows to open the Alumni game until the last basket is nade February 11 in the Fitchburg game, the Owls will be working on what is undoubtedly one of the toughest schedules that any Keene Teachers College team has ever had to face. The schedule this year is unique in that it is the first time in the history of the College that an Owl team has faced sixteen games all within the conference (with the exception of the Alumni game). Keene Teachers has felt the results of national defense this year as evidenced by the fact that three of Coach Caldwell's first string stalwarts (Kucharski, Whitmore and Botopolus) are now peeling spuds for Uncle Sam

with Kimball due for call in January. These games are always real battles, so much in fact that a local scribe said of last years game-"Judging by the spirit of the battle, you'd think that the game was between two rival schools. "This year's game will be no different because a great many of our male graduates feel that the Owls should be given areally tough baptism before they tangle with

the difficult conference schedule. It is not to be supposed that the Alumni team is composed of five elderly gentlemen with no knowledge of the game, for their squad contains at least seven up and coming young high school coaches. Although this first game of the season ordinarily gives Coach Caldwell a chance to tentatively review his available material, he was almost caught flat-footed last year when the Alumni mauled two of his three teams and came so close to tying the game that the final tally gave the Owls the

nod by only two points.

The score of last year's game is not to be taken as an indication that the squeezed out a meager 27-26 victory and in 1931 Keene Normal defeated their brothers 42-35. Of course the undergraduate body always likes to see its varsity team win but in this annual game everyone is satisfied no matter who is victorious because it is, after all, a family affair.

An innovation which should prove to be very interesting has been planned for game nights this year. Preliminary games to all of the varsity home games will be played by the West Keene Community Club. This team is one of the best in this section of New Engl and bids fair to provide good athletic entertainment in that spot before varsity games which always seems to be so empty. We heartily welcome this team in its new home and hope that its success will continue to be as great as it has been in the past.