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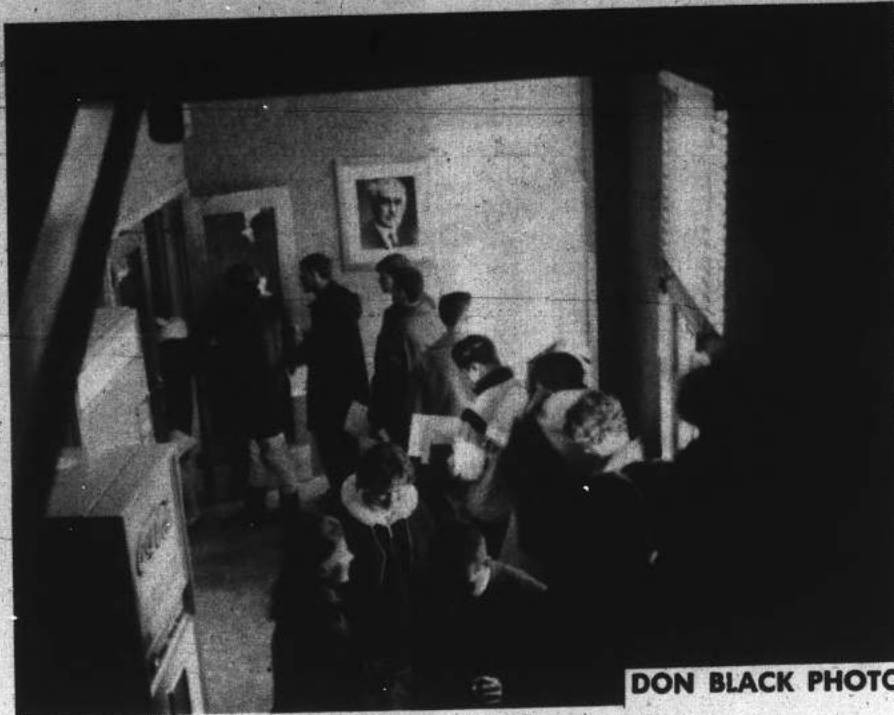
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Music Notes

By PETER HAYN

Music is coming alive on the campus. With the enlargement of the music department at the beginning of the current school year, the range of activities offered for our benefit has greatly increased. Music is not a 'gut' course any longer, neither are the music groups there only to give credit. The level of music both in the classroom and on the stage is being constantly improved. However, there is one factor sadly needed to bring all these factors to a fruitful conclusion: STUDENTS. The music groups are open to every student on campus, whether or not they have any musical background.

During the past semester, and improved chorus and band made these efforts felt. The addition of a Brass Ensemble, Stage Band, and Pep Band helped to widen the possibilities. A Thanksgiving Concert was added and gave the chorus the incentive to really get down to work. With the Christmas Concert right on the heels of the Thanksgiving one, the work became increasingly demanding. However, the satisfaction which members of the groups received compensated more than enough for the work involved. In an effort to involve more students in the groups the music students have started a drive, both for new groups and more performance. Band now meets in the afternoons (Monday and Wednesday at 4:00 p.m.) and choir meets two periods instead of one (Tuesday and Thursday at 4:00 p.m.). The Madrigal Singers have again become active meeting at 7:00 p.m. on Thursday evenings. The MENC (Music Educators National Conference) is again sponsoring its Coffee Hour Series and has added to this an afternoon work-

Peace Corps Seeks Help

Peace Corps Director Jack Vaughn appealed this week to spring college graduates to meet an urgent need for '88 Volunteers in 15 specialized programs facing serious shortfalls in personnel. Vaughn said applicants for the program—which enter training between February and May—will be processed immediately. Interested persons should apply or write to Chuck Butler, Director of Recruiting, Peace Corps, Washington, D.C., 20525, or call Area Code 202, 382-2700. Applications are available at most post offices and from Peace Corps campus liaison officers.

The programs, with background requirements and starting dates for training, are: Liberal arts graduates Afghanistan health (females only, beginning March); Morocco health (females only, May); and Bolivia community development in mining areas (males, April). Physical education majors/minors: Nigeria secondary education (February) and Bolivia mines (community development, April). Agriculture majors or background: Malaysia rural community development (March); Honduras plant and animal science advisors (March); and Iran agricultural extension (April).

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Bunny of the Month

Voting on Constitution Postponed Three Weeks

Consideration of the Keene State College Student Senate Constitution has been postponed for at least three weeks. This move was initiated by Michael Carbone, Student Council President, at a regular meeting held Monday, February 6.

The action was taken after objections were raised to the system of representation in the constitution, by John Cheney, president of the Sophomore class.

He suggested that fairer representation might be obtained by adding voting representatives from all organizations recognized by the Student Council.

Carbone stepped down from the Chair to speak against the change saying that he thought that it would make the council too large and unwieldy. He also stated that everybody was welcome to attend the Student Council meetings anyway, and there was nothing to prevent each student organization from sending non-voting representatives.

Carbone decided that the change should not be made without checking with the organizations involved to get their reaction to the proposal. Letters will be sent during the week to all organizations on campus about the subject. The Council will take action on their response at the next meeting.

College Ambassador Richard Messer spoke to the Council about the group of exchange students, from the School of International Training in Brattleboro, Vt., who will be visiting KSC for the Winter Carnival Weeyend. He told the Council that he needed money to pay for their food and transportation. The Council voted to give him \$45 for this purpose.

Carbone said that the Faculty Association would like to meet with members of the Student Council to discuss mutual problems, such as the cut system. He will arrange the meeting as soon as possible he said.

Burst Pipe at Commons

By DAN PELLETIER

A hot water pipe located in the ceiling of a stockroom of the Keene State College Dining Commons caused a brief disturbance and some damage for about an hour and a half on Saturday, February 4.

According to Director of Food Service John E. Hellriegel the pipe apparently froze and burst, and the hot water set off the building fire alarm.

Three trucks from the Keene Fire Department under the direction of Deputy Fire Chief Harry E. Hampd responded to the alarm at 4:59 p.m.

Once it was determined that there was no fire, two of the trucks returned to the station while the third stayed to help clean up the water, and was on the scene for about an hour and ten minutes.

The staff was about to begin serving the evening meal when the alarm sounded, and about

thirty students were lined up for that meal at the time. After a bit of hesitation and confusion the meal was served.

Other members of the staff and Assistant Director of Food Service D. Craig Canedy, who was on duty when the alarm went off, managed to remove most of the perishables from the stockroom. The bulk of the goods in the room were non-perishables stored in cans.

Sanedly said that he called his superior, Hellriegel, who arrived at the Dining Commons at 5:15.

Robert L. Mallat, Jr., director of placement, and Earl C. Vanderwalker, director of housing were notified by Hellriegel and came shortly afterwards. John J. Cunningham, director of admissions also came.

The water was turned off at about 5:40 p.m. by isolating the water line and closing it down. The rest of the Commons water

Single Sudden-Death Chance To Preregister Is Offered to All 1967-8 Student Teachers

66 Students Are Chosen To Dean's Honors List

Lohman Sets Feb. 11, 9 a.m.

Sixty-six students have been chosen for the Dean's list for the first semester of this school year. Students must carry a load of at least five subjects in order to be eligible for the dean's list.

Seniors—Arlene H. Beining, 3.333; John M. Carton, 3.600; Linda L. Frost, 3.529; Elizabeth B. Hall, 3.600; Bruce W. Ives, 3.400; Peter D. Koson, 3.400; Robert Miller, 3.400; Peter W. O'Connor, 3.560; Lynda L. Papenfuss, 3.6; Dorothy M. Proctor, 3.6; Janet E. Roberts, 3.313; Elizabeth Tolman, 3.61; Gay Whitney, 3.4.

Juniors—Marylu J. Covell, 3.316; Nancy E. Cram, 3.667; Susan E. Chaloux, 3.5; Clark O. Dexter, 3.438; Betty-Jeanne Dodge, 3.666; Richard A. Gault, 3.6; Linda C. Geddis, 3.556; James R. Hicks, 3.4; Melinda J. Holden, 3.333; Richard D. Holmes, 3.333; Owen R. Koppang, 3.438; Jacob H. Koson, 3.6; Marcia McFarland, 3.632; Ann E. O'Rourke, 3.333; Donna Primrose, 3.625; Marolyn L. Renillard, 3.6.

Sophomores—Lois D. Boone, 3.625; John C. Brouse, 3.4; Freda T. Chabot, 3.4; Lorraine Gworek, 3.438; Polly Jordan, 3.6; Janet Manning, 3.625; James Manser, 3.438; Bruce Martin, 3.313; Karen Midgley, 3.625.

Joan Mileski, 3.438; Pamela Moore, 3.625; Kenneth Moulton, 3.353; Nancy B. Parssinen, 3.6; Judith A. Purdy, 3.412; Francis H. Roberts, 3.60; Virginia Sand, 3.4706; Vernon Young, 3.40.

Freshman—Carlson D. Barrett, 3.438; Jane M. Berry, 3.40; Susan E. Crosby, 3.60; Joseph A. Citro, 3.40; Bonnie L. Fortune, 3.60; Lane Goodhue, 3.471; John R. Harper, 3.40; Constance Laferriere, 3.60; Patricia Laramie, 3.60; Joyce Lein, 3.40; Francis L. L'Hammedieu, 3.60; Phoebe Martin, 3.60; David Mexcur, 3.60; John Mizera, 3.40; James Moul, 3.40; Elly Mullen, 3.40; Van Panagoulas, 3.40; Stephen Skib, 3.4118; Dana Sullivan, 3.313; Tinker Trow, 3.538.

The above list does not include graduate students or student teachers.

**SATURDAY
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8-12 p.m.**

Damages Food Supplies



system remained functional, according to Hellriegel. The alarm was shut off about 5:25 p.m. Hellriegel stated that the food stored in the stockroom was

worth about \$6,500 but only about 16 cases of dry goods were destroyed, along with a couple of bags of dried green peas.

A don't-miss-it preregistration session for students who intend to student teach during either the fall or spring semester of the 1967-68 academic year is scheduled for Feb. 11 in Spaulding Gym from 9 to 10 a.m.

Dr. Ernest E. Lohman, director of student teaching, who announced the meeting, said that this is the only preregistration scheduled for next year's student teaching.

The hour will be devoted to presenting preregistration information and distributing application forms and personal data forms, Dr. Lohman said. He reemphasized that all who intend to student teach must be present to obtain the forms.

Next week, each prospective student teacher will be interviewed for 15 minutes by a student-teaching staff member, Dr. Lohman said, adding that interview sign-up sheets will be posted in the Morrison Hall student-teaching bulletin board Friday, Feb. 10.

Anyone who intends to student teach next year is to select a 15-minute period on Monday, Tuesday or Wednesday for his or her interview but not—repeat, not—Dr. Lohman said, during a time when he or she has a regularly scheduled class.

The student-teaching seminar program is being expanded for the current semester, Dr. Ernest E. Lohman, director of student teaching, said this week.

Besides the usual all-day seminar for student teachers scheduled this year for April 14, he said there will be two other series of small-group seminars in which college student-teaching supervisors will meet informally with their student teachers from March 5 to 18 and again the first week in May.

Each supervisor will schedule a place, date and time for each of these seminars for small groups within a given area as geography permits, Dr. Lohman said.

There are topics of major concern planned for each series of seminars, Dr. Lohman said, but in addition, student teachers are urged to bring their concerns and questions with them.

Topics for the first series, he said, are lesson planning and classroom discipline. Second-series topics are evaluation and professional responsibilities.

The Monadnock CHANCE FOR REBUTTAL

The power of a student press is determined by the liberality of the institution. If censorship is required, then censorship it must have. If independence is granted, then this must be utilized.

David Riesman, in "Constraint and Variety in American Education," states: "A vigorous press—even a good student newspaper—can act as a counter-cyclical force in its own right, and alter the patterns of public rhetoric in favor of the more complex as against the mindless. I have been repeatedly struck with the influence of the local papers on the climate of freedom or miasma at particular universities. A few colleges are so secure as not to be hurt or helped by the press; and many are so benighted as not to learn from any source that freedom is as necessary to a college as a library or stadium."

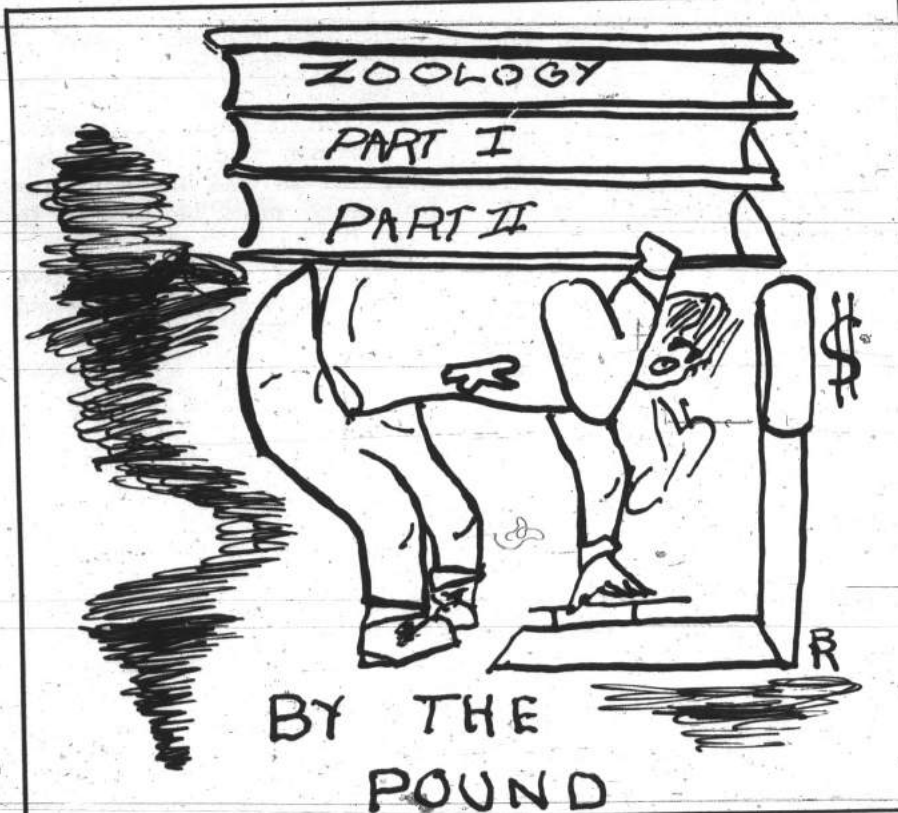
A student press is such an influential force that it should not be taken lightly. Very often, a newspaper deals with controversial information and has to take a side which is in agreement with some, but not everyone. Disagreements should be dealt with openly. Backbiting is such a cowardly tactic. If you question whether the student press is a legitimate newspaper, question the proper persons. The newspaper is freely distributed to the public for open rebuttal. Your criticisms, if they're worth the paper you write them on, should likewise be presented for public scrutiny.

Maybe if the faculty all "pass" him, he'll leave.

It would be a shame if that break in the water main at the Commons damaged any of the baloney we have stored on campus.

Marbles will be distributed to those few professors who are still audible.

With Winter Carnival Weekend coming up, let's try something brand new: leave your suitcases in your closets.



GUEST EDITORIAL FROM THE STUDENT COUNCIL

Due to the lack of maturity of a few students, it has been brought to the attention of the Student Council of Keene State College that misuse and needless destruction of library materials has been occurring throughout first semester and into second semester.

This action is disgusting and should be seriously considered and corrected by those who are presently degrading the reputation of our more responsible students.

These "children" are not only destroying books and other library material, but are also mutilating study materials that serve as important educational necessities to other students. The library is a place to gain knowledge and not one in which to take out your destructive inhibitions.

If such a degrading situation is to be stopped it will be done so only with the cooperation of the entire student body. Let's start acting with the maturity and foresight of college students and perhaps then we'll be recognized as such!!

Michael P. Carbone, Jr.
Pres.—Student Council

Of Kings and Cabbages

By JACK BROUSE

I've been thinking of possibilities for a new series of "people" dolls, and thought that they might be worth relating. Besides making fine playthings for people under twenty-one, they might also be judged on the basis of their educational value. (Besides a good 5c cigar, this country needs some educational toys.)

Anyway, here are some of the possibilities.

A Bobby Kennedy doll. Wind him up and he taps your phone.

A Lyndon Johnson doll. Wind him up and he taps your country.

A William Manchester doll. Wind him up and he starts to walk to court.

A Bob Higgins doll. Wind him up and he starts to walk to Canada.

An American Pacifist doll. Wind him up and he burns his draft card.

A Bhuddist Monk doll. Wind him up and he burns himself.

A Jeff Parsons doll. Wind him up and he steals your cigarettes.

A Leon doll. Wind him up and he steals your heart.

An American Communist doll. Wind him up and he puts germs in coke machines.

A Willie Loebe doll. Wind him up and he shoots the American communist doll.

A Hubert Humphrey doll. Wind him up and he doesn't know what to do.

A Keene State College doll. Wind it up and it plays whist.

A madam Nhu doll. Wind her up and she never cries.

A Danny Kaye doll. Wind him up and he wets his pants and giggles. Well, those are a few of the possibilities. The only thing now is to find a manufacturer.

Out of my head— by Sebastian

well, wecum to second semester, that is, if your thru registering, speaking of registrashun kredit must be given to the Baby-Sitters in the White House for devising such an ingenious maze; i've seen more organizahun in a Chinezzie fire-drill!

whatever happened to that "nu breed of student" that the Red Baron wuz supposed to bring to Keene? the Sophomore class wuz supposed to be the Academic Prize of the school, iz this why it took an Act of Legislature to lower the standard in order to allow haf the class to remain in school? the Baron really knowz a winner when he seaz one—

i wonder what Barney Fife iz going to do, now that the likker law iz passed? he'll hav to return to whost hunting at Fiske, in sted of looking for beer bottles!

has the Social Council gone into hibernashun? even the bandz were Lawrence Welk relax, there wuz something to do on weekendz first semester. Now how cum no more dances. Tagg, year! you find any terrible bandz? the Salvation Army iz always available



Hartt Woodwind Quintet

By PETER HAYN

The Music Educator's National Conference at KSC is sponsoring the first of this year's Coffee Hour Concerts on February 23rd, at 8:30 p.m. in Spaulding Gymnasium. The featured group will be the Hartt Woodwind Quintet from the Hartt College of Music, Hartford, Connecticut. This group of musicians is in residence at the

Hartt College of Music and contributes a great deal to music in the Connecticut area.

Following the evening concert there will be a Coffee Hour sponsored and hosted by the MENC. In addition the Hartt Quintet will conduct a woodwind workshop in the afternoon for high school students of the area.

Coat & Tie

Food Service Director John E. Hellreigel announced to the Keene State College Dining Commons Committee that starting this semester the rules and regulations concerning dress and identity cards would be strictly enforced.

Any one who comes to Sunday dinner without a coat and tie, or a dress or skirt will be allowed to eat, but their name will be taken for further action. The same thing will be done if any girl is found wearing slacks at an evening meal.

No one will be allowed to eat without an identity card. This is particularly important because food costs for the year are determined by the rate of absenteeism, Hellreigel said. Cost goes up as absenteeism declines, and unauthorized diners cause the absenteeism to decline.



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Keene Junior High School

Thursday, February 16, 1967

8:00 P.M.

PROGRAM OF EVENTS

Introduction Mr. Norman Tardif — Pres. KSC Social Council
Introduction of Mistress of Ceremonies Miss Sharon Edwards

EVENING GOWN COMPETITION

Introduction of Judges Tom Belski — 1967 Miss KSC Pageant Director
Presentation Chris Horan — Co-Director
Jan Livingston — KSC Princess 1966

TALENT COMPETITION

Miss Talent 1966 Elaine McNamara
Miss Congeniality 1966 Sharyn Edwards

INTELLECT COMPETITION

Miss KSC 1966 Farewell Address Miss Kathy Herold
Announcement of Six Semifinalists Award
Presentation of Swim Suit Award
Miss Congeniality 1967
Miss Talent 1967
Closing Mistress of Ceremonies

It should be noted that the Swim Suit Competition was held for the private viewing of the judges at 3 p.m. These points will be added to the total score of the evening's activities.

1967 Miss Keene State College Pageant Director
Mr. Tom Belski

Candidates

1. Sue Crosby
2. Joan Kelley
3. Joyce Calogero
4. Mary Melvin
5. Jane Toolin
6. Diane Gormly
7. Lorelei Myers
8. Lois Boone
9. Mary Jean Kathan
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Miss Meg Geraghty
Miss Cheryl Buffum
Mr. Robert Cohen
Dr. Harold Goder
Mrs. Meriam Goder

The Miss Keene State College Pageant is sponsored by the Keene State College Social Council Mr. Norman Tardif, President

FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 17

7:00 p.m. Willimantic vs. KSC
Spaulding Gym
9:00 p.m. Dance featuring "The Spectres"

Basketball Game

Spaulding Gym

SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

10:00 a.m. Snow Sculpture Judging
8:00 p.m. Carnival Ball
10:00 p.m. Coronation of Miss KSC

Spaulding Gym

SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 19

8:00 p.m. Dave Brubeck Quintet, Concert

Spaulding Gym



Jane Toolin



Diane Gormly



Joyce Calogero



Pat Murdock



Pam Vandenberg



Sue Crosby



Mary Jean Kathan



Mary Melvin



Lorelei Myers



Joan Kelley



Sheila Moylan



Jocelyn McDowell



Lois Boone



Lorene Learnard



Kathy Marshala

Keene State Loses To Plymouth State

By JIM FARGEN

Keene State went down to their tenth straight defeat against the Plymouth State Panthers Wednesday, 125-115, but they went down fighting.

Keene played their hearts out as they harried the Panthers from one end of the court to the other. The lead exchanged hands in the first quarter, but by half time the Plymouth State quintet held a nine point lead.

In the second half, PSC extended their lead to twelve points, mainly on the shooting of forward Jim Durkee, who scored 40 points in the night. The Owls were not to be denied, however, as they battled back with Wally Markham pumping in 44 points, and Alec Maurogeorge riddling the Panthers defense to the extent that they threw the ball away 19 times, finally moving to within four points.

Despite the Owls loss, they fought a worthy battle and thus deserve credit. Never in the three years that I have been here or at the six Plymouth-Keene games that I have attended have I seen such school spirit. While it may have been a loss for the team, perhaps it was a victory for the school; maybe the students at KSC have finally awakened to the fact that while they may not have the best team, it is their team who needs their support; support like that shown Wednesday.

Snow Owls Seek Big Prey in '67

KEENE—Keene State College Ski Coach Keith King's snowbirds—Owls on skis, that is—have been out at Owl head, formerly called Pinnacle Mountain, practicing for their first big meet of the season Feb. 11-12.

"They'll compete against teams from schools like Yale, MIT, Bowdoin, Colby, Clarkson and St. Michael's for the Eastern Intercollegiate Ski Association's Intermediate Division title."

"If we do a good job like we did last year when it was at Colby," said King, "we'll send the team or some individual skiers to the Williams Carnival the following weekend."

Leading the team in Nordic events (jumping and cross country) will be Co-Capt. Bob Stone of Hanover, who as a sophomore last year was the Intermediate Division jumping champion.

Leading the Owls in Alpine events (downhill, slalom and giant slalom) will be senior Jack Higgins of Manchester, who King thinks is perhaps his best all-around skier, and senior Bob Ross of Berlin, whose best event is the slalom.

18 Credits Required For English Minor

By SUZY FREEMAN

Ed note—There has been much question around campus as to the number of credits for an English minor. The Monadnock chased down the rumor and came up with the following story.

Malcolm A. Keddy, chairman of the English department at KSC, said that there have been no changes in the college catalogue. Minimum credit for a minor is 18, a major, 32.

Any changes must be approved by the College Senate, Keddy added.

Owls Plucked

Keene State's Owls continued their losing ways as they were scalped by Johnson State's Indians 112-92.

For a while it looked as though the Owls would upset the league standings, as KSC's quintet played a very slow and deliberate game and came out on top in the first quarter 29-26. As the pace sped up Keene's shooting died, and the Indians, aided by some uncanny outside shooting by Doug George and Jim McWilliams surged into the lead, a lead which they were never to relinquish again.

Despite the seemingly lopsided score, Keene's offensive unit sparked by newcomers Alec Maurogeorge and Dan Ring, and veterans Doug Howe, Paul Stagner, and Wally Markham, made an exceptionally good showing, perhaps their best of the year.

Interestingly enough, Doug Howe, KSC's sophomore star, while having difficulty in putting the ball through the hoop, seemingly little difficulty in putting it through their as on two consecutive plays, he deflected Indian passes right into their basket.

High scorers for the Owls were Wally Markham and Dan Ring.

Keene then journeyed into the mountains of Massachusetts where they were massacred by the Mohawks of North Adams, 135-62. The first place contenders for the Southern division completely overran the Owls, who have failed to win one game in the last eight outings.

Rosenthal Elected To Replace Brouse

Jack Brouse, president of Sigma Pi Epsilon, has resigned from his position for personal reasons. His resignation was announced at the Sigma meeting Tuesday night, February 7. Marion Rosenthal was unanimously elected president by the members; and after a brief discussion of organizational policies and goals the meeting was adjourned.

The editorial board, consisting of Marion Rosenthal, Vincent Liscomb, Bruce Ives, and Jack Brouse, met following the organization's general business meeting.

Queries Need Casting Next Week To Chaperone

By KEN LEAFE

At a special meeting of KSC Social Council, held Tuesday, Feb. 7, the members of the council voiced their apprehension regarding the necessity of chaperones at school dances.

President Norman Tardif said that "it is becoming increasingly more difficult to obtain chaperones for such events, and at the same time I wonder if it is valid to require the attainment of two chaperones one week in advance of the dance or forfeit the right to have one." Tardif went on to say that this would be one of the topics under review at a meeting of the College Senate to be held soon.

Under new business it was moved that each student be allowed one guest pass and that the guest must accompany his or her student host. It was also moved that the doors to Spaulding Gym be opened at 7:15 the night of the Dave Brubeck Concert, Sunday, Feb. 19, and closed at the beginning of the concert. The concert is slated to begin at 8:00.

Director of Student Activities Robert Campbell said that to obtain more floor space for the Brubeck concert, chairs would be set up on the gym floor. He also said that a special memo would be sent to all faculty members and staff inviting them to attend the Winter Carnival activities.

Tardif said that due to a city law banning dancing on Sunday, the Brothers concert scheduled for Sunday afternoon, Feb. 19, would have to be cancelled.

By PETER HAYN

William Shakespeare's "A Midsummer's Night Dream" is to be cast this coming Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday, said Mr. Bill Beard, director of the KSC Theatre. The auditions are to be held in Drenan Auditorium at the following times: Monday from 7-10 p.m. Tuesday from 4-6 p.m. and Wednesday from 7-10 p.m.

This play calls for a varied cast including twelve male parts, twelve female parts (with several dancers), and numerous walk-on parts. The characters range from slapstick comedians to elegant, smooth-spoken personages, to melancholy lovers.

In addition there is a great deal of technical work involved in the production, particularly on costumes and staging.

In talking about this production, Mr. Beard stated that, for several reasons, he has decided to present only one play this semester.

Firstly, two productions crowd the schedule and thus puts a great deal of pressure on production. Secondly, the quality of "Dream" as a play demands an extravagant and complex production.

Beard went on to say that this is probably the most extravagant production ever to be attempted at KSC.

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VANDENBERG IS KSC QUEEN

\$7,200 Will Aid Teaching Of Mentally Retarded

A \$7,200 grant was awarded to Keene State College by the U. S. Department of Health, Education and Welfare, KSC President Roman J. Zorn said recently. It will provide 1967-68 senior-year traineeships for undergraduates preparing to teach the mentally retarded, he said.

Juniors, now enrolled in the Bachelor of Education curriculum

N.H. Students Pay More

University and college students in New Hampshire pay more for their education than students in all but two other states in the nation. John W. McConnell, president of the state university system, said Monday.

Though New Hampshire ranks 27th in the nation economically, it ranks 47th in aid to the higher education, McConnell said. Parents and students will have to pay more if the bright future in higher education is to continue, he said. McConnell added that his \$27 million budget for the coming year (1967-1968) was cut back by the state \$3.5 million. "Our job is to educate New Hampshire students. If we cannot get the money, then the quality of the finished product will be less," he said.

During the past ten years the University System's operating expenses have increased by about 220 per cent. In comparison, the national average is 300 per cent, McConnell said. All the states increased their appropriations an average 132 per cent in the same period New Hampshire's appropriations were up only 75 per cent, the lowest in New England, he said.

McConnell then said that to meet all of its financial burdens, the university system must secure a substantially greater income. Our funds come from many sources, he said, but the students pay as much as the state.

On the question of a line budget, i.e. funds designated to a specific item may not deviate to other items, McConnell said that he was against it. "A budget should be flexible and easily accessible to meet the growing needs of a growing university system," he said.

"More and more students are seeking admission to the University of New Hampshire system. The state and its businesses need more college-trained people. Our society demands improved and expanded research and service. People, in order to cope with an increasingly complex world, must be educated," he said.

"Education is becoming increasingly important in the lives of all of us. Our university system will have bigger responsibilities; it will need greater resources to meet these obligations," McConnell said.

who have emphasized course work related to teaching the retarded, are eligible for the grant, Zorn said. The grant will give each senior trainee \$1,600 to support full-time undergraduate study for an academic year. The college will also waive tuition charges for these students, he added.

The grant application to HEW was made by Dr. Paul G. Blacketer, chairman of the Department of Education, Zorn said. Applications may be filed at the departmental office after April 15.

Dr. Zorn called attention to other grants in the field of mental retardation that are pending or have been applied for. These include a grant for a summer institute for teachers and administrators who already are involved in programs for the mentally retarded, and a grant for a research study by Professors Sherman A. Lovering and Muttanvil E. Idiculla related to a study of public school teachers involved in teaching the mentally retarded, Zorn said.

For Education

Would Offer Tax Relief

Senator Abraham Ribicoff (D-Conn.) has introduced a bill to give tax relief to parents and students who pay the cost of a college education.

The proposal provides an income tax credit of up to \$325 on the first \$1,500 of tuition, fees, books and supplies. This credit would go to anyone who would pay these expenses for a student at an institution of higher education.

The bill is designed to provide help to those in the lower and middle class income groups of the United States. Over two-thirds of the benefits would go to families earning less than \$10,000 a year.

The proposal aids the student at the public university as much, if not more, than one at a private college. While the dollar amount of relief would be higher at most private colleges, the percentage of relief would be higher at state and land-grant institutions. For instance, the credit on a \$200 expense is \$150—75 percent. The credit on a \$1,000 expense is \$275—only 27 percent. Even where a college charges no tuition, the expense of fees, books, and supplies invariably totals \$200 or more. Thus, the fact is the bill favors the low tuition colleges, most of which are public colleges.

Further, in terms of the total benefits provided to the nation as a whole, an increasing amount would go into state universities and land-grant colleges both as they make inevitable tuition increases, and as an increasing percentage of America's college population attends these colleges.

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"The tuition tax credit would further aid American education by allowing students to choose their colleges on the basis of their individual academic requirements, rather than economic necessity. It is a disturbing trend, disturbing to all of us who are interested in education—public and private—that more and more of our students are compelled to go to public institutions and a smaller and smaller percentage can afford private colleges. In 1950, the ratio between public universities and those attending private colleges was 50-50. In the fall of 1955, 44 percent enrolled in private institutions. At the present time the figure has fallen to 34 percent. This trend is disturbing because it indicates the increasing danger of destroying the diversity which has made American education great."

"This trend represents a growing expense for the taxpayers of this country. They must continue to build public facilities at a rapid rate, and to support a disproportional enrollment rate at public institutions. Besides the costs of buildings, the taxpayer must pay an increasingly heavy local tax to subsidize each additional student at a public university."

"Many parents feel there is a great value in sending their children away from home to college. Those who seek a middle ground economically by sending their child to an out-of-state public university will reach a rude awakening as the years progress. With few exceptions, tuition costs at public universities have been in-

creased in the last two years—for out-of-state students, in particular. The tuition fees charged out-of-state students exceed \$1,000 in a number of universities already."

"So I shall continue to fight for it. It is a bill that the people of America want and, with their help, it is a fight that will be won."

UNH Offers State Govt. Internship

The University of New Hampshire's Political Science Dept. has announced that there are several summer job openings in the New Hampshire State Government Internship program.

This program offers a chance to work for a state agency and to gain insights into the operation of state government. It is a learning and working situation which incorporates seminars and a supervised work program.

The summer interns are paid \$750 for ten weeks of work. Upon successful completion of the program the individual receives three units of UNH college credit. This credit is transferable if prior arrangements are made.

To qualify as an intern you must be a resident of New Hampshire or attending college here, and you must be a college junior recommended by your faculty.

The 1967 program begins on June 12 and ends August 18. For more information contact Dr. Lloyd F. Hayn.

Pamela A. Vandenberg, a sophomore English major, was crowned KSC Winter Carnival Queen on Saturday night. She will now go on to the Miss Hampshire pageant where she will represent Keene State College.

Lois D. Boone, a sophomore English major, was chosen princess of the KSC Winter Carnival.

Patricia Ann Murdock, a freshman physical education major, was chosen the first runner-up.

Mary-Jean Kathan, a junior English major, was chosen as second runner-up.

Editor—The Monadnock wishes to congratulate all the candidates. We are certain that the girls judged to be the winners will represent Keene State College in their fullest capabilities.

Special Area To Boast Candlelight

By DAN PELLETIER

On Friday, February 24th, the special dining area in the east wing of the Commons will be converted into a Student Reserve Dining Room. Waitress service, table linen and candlelight dining will be some of the special features of this room. The regular student menu will be supplemented with fruit cup and special dessert. Occasionally, the meal may be served buffet style.

The room will accommodate up to twenty-eight people on a reservation basis. All dining hall cards will be transferable to this room at no additional charge. A sign-up list will be posted in the Food Service Directors Office at the Commons a week in advance and sign-up will be possible until noon Thursday, February 25th, unless the list is filled earlier.

This service is provided for couples only. Jackets and ties for men and the appropriate dress for women will be required. Hours will be from five to six with the room closing at six forty-five. It is anticipated that the candlelight dining achieves wide acceptance. In the future a regular schedule of Friday and Saturday nights is expected.

The Dining Hall Committee has worked with Mr. Hellriegel on this idea. They are interested in student response as a guide to permanent establishment of this service and its possible expansion in the future.

Yearbook Pictures Taken Wednesday

Pictures of student organizations will be taken for the yearbook on Wednesday, February 22, in the Social Room of the Student Union. Faculty members have been asked to release students for this.

Information as to the time allotted to each organization may be obtained from its president and will be posted on the bulletin board in Morrison.

Students are asked to be prompt, as the amount of time for each sitting is limited.

