

KEENE COMMENCES
26th YEAR

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department of elementary education with Miss Roberta N. Smith of Groveton as the head. This is in line with the strengthening of the elementary work and the addition of a third year to the elementary curriculum. The last two year class was graduated last June. Miss Smith is a graduate of Plymouth Normal and has a Master's degree from Columbia. She has taught previously here and also at Oshkosh Teachers college, and Illinois Normal college.

New Faculty Members

Other new faculty members include Miss Ruth C. Stewart, Roslindale, Mass., student assistant in art, who has a degree from the Massachusetts School of Art; Miss Miriam Clark, Winthrop, Mass., student assistant in physical education. She is a graduate of the Sargent school, Cambridge.

Two new members join the staff of critic teachers at Wheelock: Miss Callie Hyatt, comes from Wadesboro, N.C., having received a Master's degree from Teacher's college. She will teach the second grade. Miss Vera Allen of Melrose, Mass., succeeds Miss Margaret M. Little as kindergarten teacher. She was educated at Miss Wheelock's school and has studied at Boston university, Simmons, and holds a degree from Columbia.

Central Junior High

Two new teachers also are employed at Central Junior High. Lawrence B. Merrill will be instructor in science. He is a graduate of Bowdoin, with an M.A. from Teachers college, Columbia, and has had over 10 years of teaching experience. Miss Bernice F. White, of Mountain Lakes, N.J., will teach home economics. She is a graduate of Meredith college, N.C., and has an advanced degree from Columbia.

Students Welcomed

Present at the opening assem-

SHAKESPEARE

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evening of Oct. 27. A very low admission fee will be charged members of the Normal school and also High school students of Keene or surrounding communities.

This company features James Hendrickson and Miss Claire Bruce in leading parts. It is planned to give a comedy at the matinee and a tragedy at the evening performance. Tentative selections, subject to final change, are: "The Merchant of Venice" and "Hamlet."

The Shakespeare players have appeared at many educational institutions, including teachers' colleges in New England, and come to Keene with the highest recommendations. It is hoped that students and the people of the city will show their appreciation of this attempt to bring a production of the highest class to Keene.

bly were representatives of various organizations from the city of Keene. Those extending greetings were: Mayor George F. Trask; Maj. Robert T. Kingsbury, representing the State Board of Education; Mrs. Paul D. Minnick, president of the Keene Woman's club; Rev. C. Raymond Chappell, representing the Protestant churches, and the Very Rev. Patrick J. Scott, from St. Bernard's R.C. church. Several other clergymen had seats on the platform. After the usual announcements the students were given the study schedules under the direction of H. Dwight Carle, dean of men. Following lunch the work of the year was in full swing.

School Picnic

The annual school picnic planned for Saturday, Sept. 8, was postponed on account of weather conditions. One week later it was held at the school camp at Wilson's pond, and although showers occurred soon after lunch, the event was enjoyed by a large group of students and faculty.

CLUBS

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International Relations Club

The International Relations club is for those interested in the study of national and international problems.

The officers elected last spring, president, Henry Hastings, Newport; vice-president, Robert Zieff, Keene; treasurer, Paul K. Stimson, Milford; secretary, Miss Winona Richardson, Pittsfield; assistant secretary, Miss Laura Eaves, Peterboro, took charge at the first meeting held Sept. 26. Plans were discussed to secure Miss Genevieve Jaastad, who is affiliated with the N.H. branch of the League of Nations to speak at one of the early meetings. Considerations for joining the Inter-collegiate Council were also proposed. Miss Blake reported on the Wellesley conference which she attended last June.

The Club has chosen Nov. 10 to give its Saturday night program.

Y. W. C. A.

The first meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held Sunday evening, Oct. 2, in Huntress club room. It was a regular business meeting. Further plans will be announced.

The officers for the ensuing school year were elected last year. They are: president, Miss Mae Youngquist, Manchester; vice-president, Barbara Alexander, Canobie Lake; secretary, Hazel Webster, East Kingston; treasurer, Avis Haskins, Manchester.

The purpose of this organization is to cater especially to the life of the protestant girls here on campus. It corresponds somewhat to the DeLaSalle, which is for all catholic students. Our Y. W. C. A. is affiliated with the national association and clings to the same ideals.

The Forum

The first meeting of the Forum was held Thursday, Sept. 30, with the new officers in charge. The officers: president, Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro; vice-president, Miss Mary Powers, Manchester; secretary, Robert Zieff, Keene; treasurer, Neil Sullivan, Manchester; and Miss Virginia Bulkeley, New York city, chairman of program committee during the absence of Miss Lois Morrison.

CHAPEL CHOIR MAKES
TRIP NORTH

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Granite State by the choir and audience.

Between stops the choir enjoyed the "New Hampshire Granite Hills" in autumn dress. The "Old Man," silhouetted against the clear sky, guarded the trip from Crawford Notch to Littleton where the choir was most wonderfully entertained in private homes. The concert at Littleton on Monday evening included numbers of the previous concert plus a piano duet by Laurence Bucher, and Charles Stowell; a violin and harmonica novelty by Clarence Richardson; "Because," a baritone solo by Jesse Davis; "Winter Song" and "John Peel" by the men's voices; "Old Uncle Moon" and "The Snow" (with violin obligato by Miss Hammond) by the women's voices; and "Recessional" and "Night-fall in Granada" by the entire choir.

On Tuesday the singers were most graciously received at the Plymouth Normal school and gave a musical program as a part of the assembly program. Dr. Silver suggested that it would knit "our family" together and would be a fine thing for Keene and Plymouth to exchange such programs along with basket ball games and debates.

Those who composed the party were: Mr. and Mrs. Harry W. Davis, the Misses Evelyn Brinton, Keene; Velma Lawler, Barre, Vt.; Ruth Mary Doe, Northwood; Miriam Roby, Sanbornton; Elizabeth Goodale, Pittsfield; Winnifred Hammond, Manchester; Elizabeth Sargent, Hillsboro; Helen Schellenberg, Manchester; and Virginia Hough, Lebanon; Donald Piper, Meredith; Clarence Richardson, Hancock; Walter Moore, Plaistow; Ira Stopford, Portsmouth; Frank Kirby, Amherst; Charles Stowell, Walpole; Jesse Davis, Hampstead; Francis Pace, Portsmouth; and Dean Carle.

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PRES. MASON COMMENDS
STUDENTS ON SCHOLARSHIPDean's List Is Announced at School
Assembly — Kappas Retain
Silver Cup

In announcing the winners of the silver cup awarded to the men's group receiving the highest semester average, and the dean's list of all students above 85 per cent. for a semester, Pres. Wallace E. Mason took occasion at a recent Monday assembly, to congratulate the school on the growing interest in high scholarship.

The Kappa fraternity, donors of the cup, retain it, having an average mark of 84.70, with the Alpha Pi Tau group a close second with 84.30. The non-fraternity men were third with an average of 83.70.

Amicare Scarponi, Portsmouth, student in the Trades and Industries course, class of 1937, has high individual scholastic record with an average of 92. He is a member of the Alpha fraternity. Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro, four-year English course, class of '35, was high Kappa man with 91; and Byron Berry, Dover, Trades and Industries course, class of '35, was high non-fraternity man with 89.86.

Dean's List
1934

One-Year College curriculum: Rodney Griffin, Franklin; Mrs. Hilda B. Parfitt, Wolfeboro.

Four-Year English curriculum: Misses Dorothy Cunningham, Wilton; Letizia M. Duca, Woodsville; T. Ernest Peltonen, Newport; Edward L. Presby, Lisbon.

Four-Year Trades and Industries: Richard B. Hebert, Everett; E. Snow, Keene; Stanley Ada-

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SHAKESPEARIAN PLAYS ARE
WELL PRESENTED BEFORE
LARGE STUDENT GROUPS

The two Shakespearian plays presented in Spaulding gymnasium on Wed. Oct. 24 drew a large crowd of Normal school students, pupils from Keene High school, and the schools of surrounding towns. On the afternoon "The Merchant of Venice" was given and in the evening the tragedy of "Hamlet". The Hendrickson-Bruce company of professional players from New York gave the dramas.

It is rarely that a group of professional actors, trained in the Shakespearian tradition, come to a city the size of Keene, and Pres. Wallace E. Mason, and the student and community groups are to be congratulated on bringing this attraction to the city. The admission prices were low, and two large audiences filled the auditorium of the gymnasium.

Hamlet Enjoyed

Members of the classes in literature particularly enjoyed the offerings. It was the general opinion that while both per-

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STUDENTS ATTEND CONCERT
BY SYMPHONIC ENSEMBLE
IN THE SPAULDING GYM

Friday evening, Nov. 9, was an evening dedicated to the enjoyment of an unusual musical program presented by the Boston Symphonic Ensemble and sponsored by four leading women's organizations of the city of Keene in cooperation with the Normal school. The gymnasium was filled nearly to capacity, and the concert was well received.

The ensemble which was under the leadership of Josef Zimble, violin - cellist, included Alside Krims, violinist; G. Madsen, flute; Elford Caughey, harpist; with Arthur Fiedler at the piano.

Program Pleases

The program opened with the ensemble playing Dedussy's "Pitite Suito", composed of the "Enbateau", and "Ballet". Next Mr. Krims rendered a group of violin solos: "Midnight Bells" by Heuberger and "Sicilienne and Rigaudon" by Francœur, both in arrangements by Kreisler. His excellent performance demanded an encore. This was an-

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MANCHESTER CLUB PLANS
FOR ANNUAL FALL PARTIESThanksgiving Reunion at Calumet
Club Dec. 1—School Masquerade in Gym, Dec. 8

The Manchester club of Keene Normal school, which has for many years sponsored a successful masquerade following the Thanksgiving recess, will this year carry out its usual schedule and hold this annual affair in Spaulding gym on Saturday, Dec. 8. In addition the club will add to its list of activities by holding a reunion and dance party for alumni and students residing in the Queen City and vicinity, on Saturday eve., Dec. 1, at the Calumet club, in Manchester.

Manchester Reunion

It is planned to have the latter event open the city's collegiate social events for the 1934-35 season. Playing in the ballroom of the Calumet club will be a popular Manchester dance band. Representatives of all the college clubs in the city have been invited to be present. It is hoped that the success of this venture will warrant making the Keene reunion an annual affair.

The following prominent people of the city have been asked to act as patrons and patronesses: Headmaster and Mrs. Carl James of Central High; Headmaster and Mrs. John C. Makey, West High; Mr. and Mrs. Chris J. Agraftotis; and Miss Fitzpatrick.

Committee Named

The general committee is headed by Thomas McCullough, as chairman, with these assistants: music, Miss Mae Youngquist; tickets, Neil Sullivan; chaperons, Miss Katherine Gage;

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TIME TABLE OF ORGANIZATION MEETINGS

Chapel Choir - Every Sunday night
Girls' Glee Club - Every Wednesday afternoon
School Orchestra - Every Thursday night
Orpheus Club - 2nd Monday in the month
Dramatic Club - 2nd Wednesday in the month
Alpha Pi Tau - 2nd and 4th Monday
Kappa Delta Phi - 2nd and 4th Monday
Sigma Pi Epsilon - 2nd and 4th Monday
Academy of Science - 2nd and 11th Tuesday
DeLaSalle - 1st and 3rd Tuesday
Forum - 1st and 3rd Wednesday
Home Economics - 1st and 3rd Wednesday
International Relations Club - 2nd and 4th Wednesday
The Rostra - 2nd and 4th Thursday
Rural - 2nd and 4th Tuesday
Y. W. C. A. - 1st and 3rd Tuesday
Nature Club - 1st and 3rd Thursday
French Club - 1st Monday of month

EXTRA CURRICULAR ACTIVITIES AT K.N.S.

KAPPA DELTA PHI PRESENT MINSTRELS

An outstanding program was presented by the Kappa Delta Phi fraternity at the social on Saturday evening, Nov. 3 in the gymnasium. It has been an annual custom for this group to feature a minstrel show called the "Kappa Koons". The president commented very favorably on the quality of the production at the Monday assembly following.

Daniel Sullivan, Portsmouth, president of the frat, acted as interlocutor. End men entered the gym on bicycles during the opening musical number. Those who served as end men were Fred L. Barry, Charlestown; Everett Drake, Dover; Richard Trufant, Peterboro and Thomas McCullough, Manchester.

The program featured Donald Piper, Meredith; Frank Pace, Portsmouth; Valmore Blais, Laconia and Andrew Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro as soloists with Lawrence Bucher, Alton as accompanist.

Songs by the entire company, a monologue by Thomas McCullough, a novelty violin and guitar duet by Clarence Richardson, Harrisville and Frank Pace were features of the program.

The Kappas introduced as a specialty, Mary Lashua, Keene schoolgirl, who climaxed the program with an acrobatic dance.

Following the minstrel show there was a period of dancing with music by the dance orchestra.

Keene Club

The Keene club held its annual party for the freshmen members at the school camp the night of Oct. 10.

Refreshments were enjoyed by all, the ice cream having been furnished by the faculty adviser, Mrs. Hudson. After the business meeting, the members enjoyed a social hour of dancing and cards.

There were 36 members present and guests, including Mr. and Mrs. Hudson, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, and Miss Frost.

VARIOUS CLUB ACTIVITIES

Orpheus Club

The first meeting of the year was opened with a few words of welcome by the president, Miss Winifred Hammond, Manchester; after which there was a business meeting in which it was decided to hold the meetings on the second Monday of every month. The meeting was then put in charge of the chairman of the program committee, Miss Ruth Mary Doe, Northwood, who outlined briefly the procedure for the year. The program for each month will include the works of famous musicians born in that month.

The program consisted of contributions from the new members of the music supervisory group and others. They were: a trio, Miss Elizabeth Girardet, Pittsfield, violin, Miss Esther Hussey, Portsmouth, cello, and Miss Elizabeth Goodale, Pittsfield, piano; piano selections by Miss Ruth Hoey, Gonic; xylophone numbers by Miss Virginia Symonds, Contoocook; vocal solos by Miss Arlene Jenkins, Hanover; piano duets by the Misses Arlene Richards, Franklin, and Lorraine Rocheleau, Franklin; guitar duets by Frank Kirby, Amherst, and Francis Pace, Portsmouth; piano selections by Rene Matthews, Penacook; and a contribution in verse by Jesse F. Davis, Hampstead. Refreshments and games were enjoyed.

The Forum

Two teams from the Forum presented the question of federal aid to education at freshman assembly on Friday, Nov. 2. Louis Montrone, '35, Keene, was chairman and the speakers for the affirmative side included Robert M. Zieff, Keene; Carl Johnson, Hillsboro; Neil Sullivan, Manchester; and Raymond Robinson, Hinsdale. On the negative side were Thomas McCullough, Manchester; Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro; Valmore Blais, Laconia; and Roy Newton, Farmington.

It is expected that this question will be used later in the season in several inter-scholastic debates.

Social Committee

The school social committee has been organized for the year, to take charge of the Saturday evening entertainments. Miss Elizabeth E. Gregory is chairman, and the other faculty members include Spencer E. Eaton, Frederick J. Simmons, Miss Martha E. Randall, Miss Marion M. Macdonald, Miss Mabel R. Brown, Mrs. Ethel J. Ramsden, and Mrs. Maynard C. Waltz. The student representatives include the following: Misses Barbara Severance, Hillsboro; Misses Mary L. Dearborn, Woodsville; Jeanette Bowlby, Meriden; Lawrence Perkins, Center Ossipee; Paul K. Stimson, Milford; and Donald Chamberlin, East Jaffrey.

The plan followed so successfully for several years will be continued, that of having some student organization responsible for each week's entertainment.

Stringed Trio

The trio consisting of Miss Winifred Hammond, Manchester, violin; Miss Dorothy Barnes, Haverhill, Mass., cello; and Laurence Bucher, Alton, piano, have provided dinner music recently for two Masonic banquets and the Chiropractor's convention banquet. With Miss Miriam Phippard, Nashua, as pianist, they presented a musical program to the Past Officers of the Rebecca's of Keene and their guests.

Dramatic Club

"Captain Applejack" is the play selected for fall presentation by the Dramatic club of the school. A cast of eleven has been selected from the 81 candidates who tried out for the parts. They are for the most part experienced players of other years with a few from the freshman class. A technical staff of 19 has also been chosen. Rehearsals are going forward under the direction of the coach, Sprague W. Drenan of the English department, with Paul K. Stimson, '36, Milford, as assistant director.

It is planned to give the play in Parker hall on the evening of Friday, Dec. 14.

DE LA SALLE HOLD HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The first formal dancing party of the school year was sponsored by the DeLaSalle Club at Armstrong hall, Friday evening, Oct. 26. It took the form of a Halloween party, with decorations in keeping with the season. Officers of the club were the committee in charge, with Pres. Daniel Sullivan, '35, Portsmouth, as chairman.

The patrons and patronesses were Pres. and Mrs. Wallace E. Mason, Dean H. D. Carle, Lawrence Merrill, Dean Isabelle U. Esten and Miss Ida M. Fernald, Miss Mabel R. Brown, Miss Elizabeth E. Gregory and Miss M. Edna McGlynn, faculty adviser.

At intermission refreshments of punch and cookies were served by a committee consisting of Miss Theresa M. Burke, Fairhaven, Vt., and Miss Irene Szalajeska, '35, Laconia, both home economics students.

It is planned to make this an annual affair.

Nu Beta Upsilon

At a recent meeting Miss Lillian C. W. Baker gave a very interesting talk about the American Home Economics convention. Miss Bernice F. White, home economics teacher at Junior High, was present and briefly told us of her plans for the Home Economics club there.

The officers of Nu Beta Upsilon are: Miss Eleanor Tarbox, Brattleboro, Vt., president; Miss Beatrice Judkins, Laconia, vice-president; Miss Marcella Finley, Colebrook, secretary; and Miss Mary Foster, Beverly, Mass., treasurer.

The executive board consists of Miss Jennie Simonds, North Bennington, Vt.; Miss Helen Corbett, Colebrook; and Miss Frances Halliday, Bellows Falls, Vt.

Committee chairmen for the year are: Miss Edythe Johnston, Barre, Vt., social committee; Miss Lois Melendy, Manchester, program committee; Miss Charlotte Redden, Portsmouth, publicity; and Miss Katharine Snyder, Woodstock, Vt., refreshment committee.

DON'TS FOR TEACHERS

The interesting assembly talk given recently by Miss Florence Dane, 4H, on the subject of "Don'ts", suggests that we supplement the message with a quotation from Dr. Ernest W. Butterfield, commissioner of education for Connecticut, and formerly of New Hampshire.

Speaking recently at Boston University's School of Education Dr. Butterfield issued some very specific advice to the teacher who would be successful and to the young graduate of a college of education who aims for success in the teaching field. His "don'ts" for teachers are seven:

"Don't set a penalty for misbehavior.

"Don't threaten your pupils except when necessary.

"Don't raise your voice when you do threaten.

"Don't be unduly severe.

"Don't try to be the Lord God's first assistant.

"Don't appeal continually to the children for sympathy.

"Don't set traps to catch the children."

Citing a group of accomplishments in which he would like to have all teachers proficient as well as high in scholarship, Dr. Butterfield included the following: "The ability to play well at least one musical instrument, to drive a car safely, to play tennis or golf, to understand and speak fairly fluently at least one foreign language, to take charge of a social affair, tea, luncheon, etc., to make the most of her face and figure, and to have poise and self-assurance under normal conditions."

Dean Arthur H. Wilde of the school of education of Boston University was the honored guest at the first annual "Dean's Day" at the University on Oct. 13. Several hundred alumni returned to honor the head of the department for the past 18 years. A portrait of the dean was unveiled and presented to the school.

A book bound in leather in the University colors of scarlet and white was presented to Dean and Mrs. Wilde. The book contains appreciations from educators throughout the country, and leaders in other professions who have watched the life-time services which Dean Wilde has rendered to his own profession.

KAPPA NEWS

CONGRATULATIONS

To Clarence DeMar, honorary member, on winning the Columbus Day marathon at Manchester, Oct. 12, and on second place in the race at Wilmington, Del., Nov. 3.

To Robert M. Piper, who is making rapid strides toward recovery from his recent severe illness, at his home in Northwood. "Bob" hopes to resume his studies after the Thanksgiving recess.

To brothers Donald Piper, Fred Barry, and "Tom" McCullough, on making leading parts in the fall play, "Captain Applejack," from a field of 81 candidates.

To brothers McCullough, Crooker, and Blais on making the Forum debating team.

To Gamma chapter on winning the scholarship cup again, and on the success of the Kappa Koons.

ART DEPT.

Designs for the school calendar are nearing completion by the second-year art students. The calendars will be on sale in time for Christmas.

The Ardencraft club recently admitted to membership, in addition to the three first year art students, the following people who are especially interested in art: Misses Rachael Cox, Lisbon; Elizabeth Fahey, Concord; Helen Schellenberg, Manchester; Winifred Hammond, Manchester; Virginia Hough, Lebanon; and Laurence J. Bucher, Alton; and Clarence O. Richardson, Harrisville. We are glad to welcome them.

The club is progressing in their preparation for Tony Sarg's favorite interpretation of "The Three Witches", a puppet show to be presented in the Spaulding gymnasium, on a Saturday evening late in November.

Francis Pace will be the member of the art department practicing teaching during the second nine week period.

ALPHA PI TAU

The Alpha fraternity enjoyed a supper and meeting at the school camp, Monday, Nov. 12. The menu consisted of Italian spaghetti, mashed potatoes, pork chops and coffee. "Mickey" Scarponi deserves a lot of credit for being head chef.

We welcome Paul Brooks, Victor Boccia, Charles Beard and Henry Hastings back from practice teaching and wish "Bob" Domina the best of luck at Hancock next nine.

Congratulations brother Scarponi for having the highest individual average.

The annual Alpha dance was held Friday, Nov. 16 in the Spaulding gymnasium. We were glad to welcome back several of our alumni. The gym was attractively decorated, "Wes" Brett being in charge of this. Music was furnished by Costello's orchestra.

HOME ECONOMICS

A very successful reception and tea was held at the Practice house, Sunday, September 30 for the Home Economics Freshmen.

The Seniors in the Practice house have been called upon several times this fall to judge canned goods. It is very interesting as well as helpful work.

The Juniors visited an exhibit of canned goods at the Junior High school recently. It was very interesting to see what children of that age can do. Incidentally, three of the Senior girls judged at that exhibit.

The annual party for the Home Economics freshmen was held at the School camp, Tuesday, Oct. 30. A fine time was enjoyed by all. Much credit should be given to Miss Viola Frost of Hollis, who was in charge of the party.

We regret that Misses Dorothy Pulsifer, Wenham, Mass., and Marion Goodwin, Hollis, did not return this year.

TRADES and INDUSTRIES

All the Trades and Industries men, accompanied by Mr. Adams, Mr. Pierce, Mr. Keech, and Mr. Eaton, recently visited the machine industries in Springfield, Vt. The plant of the Fellows Gear Shaper Co. was visited in the morning. Here machine operations are carried on with a precision that is almost beyond belief. Machines for shaping gears are made here, and are in some cases accurate to the millionth of an inch.

After lunch, the party visited the Jones and Lamson Co. shops, where turret lathes are made. Here were observed new innovations in speed and precision metal turning.

Both the Fellows Gear Shaper Co. and the Jones and Lamson Co. have a cooperative plan in which the Springfield high school boys who elect the mechanical course spend half their time in one of these shops, getting experience in actual shop conditions. The boys alternate in two-week periods between the shops and the school.

MUSIC NOTES

Jesse F. Davis, Hampstead, baritone soloist and freshman music student recently sang for the Woman's Club of East Swanzy, the Chiropractor's convention, an illustrated lecture at the Unitarian church, the Keene High school faculty reception at the School camp, and broadcasted from the Springfield, Vt. station. Laurence Bucher was his accompanist. Also, Mr. Davis is conducting a "singing school" in Westmoreland. Each Monday night sees twice as many present as the preceding week. Miss Elizabeth Sargent, Hillsboro, is the pianist. Keep up the good work, Jeff!

The Freshman class has a trio! Miss Elizabeth Girardet, Pittsfield, violin; Miss Esther Hussey, Portsmouth, cello; and Miss Elizabeth Goodale, Pittsfield, pianist. They provided music for the Men's club of the Congregational church, the Shakespearean plays, and the Roosevelt school P.T.A.

The chapel choir gave a musical concert at Walpole on Nov. 8.

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TO SNOBS

It seems that after persons graduate from high school they are supposed to be independent — so after the secondary diploma is presented to them people proceed to become self-sufficient.

Now to be independent and to be self-sufficient are two entirely different things, in that independence does not stop one from recognizing the abilities of one's fellow man, and self-sufficiency does.

Did you ever see a student walk up to another student after a recitation and say, "That was a good recitation, Jack"? Why not?

Did you ever see a student meet a debater after a debate and say, "Nice debate, Ray"? Why not?

Did you ever see a student say, "Nice race, Jim" after a cross country race? Why not?

Because these students in post-secondary schools have the mistaken idea that they are independent — when they are really snobs!

This disease of false independence even spreads to the faculties as evidenced by the fact that many teachers are loath to acknowledge good reports, recitations, tests, etc. with a word of praise.

Why not give the other fellow credit for what he has done? Why not go out of our way just a bit to express a compliment? It doesn't hurt one — and it does encourage the other fellow, and he will recognize you when you do something worthy of commendation.

We do not want to decline into a herd of back-slappers, and this does not advocate flattery — but it does advocate recognition.

There is no reason why we can't recognize good things well done!

— V.W.B. '35.

EDUCATION NOTES

Rev. Cyrus Richardson of Brookline, Mass., former pastor of the First Congregational church, Keene, of the class of '64, at Dartmouth, is now the oldest living alumnus of the college.

The Rev. Mr. Richardson, who is blind, celebrated his 94th birthday last March. He succeeds George R. Williams, '65, in being Dartmouth's oldest graduate. Williams held the honor only one day, his death following 24 hours after that of George J. Cummings, '69, who died on Sept. 7, at the age of 96.

Mr. Richardson is pastor emeritus of the First Congregational church of Nashua.

The federal emergency relief administration will help 100,000 needy young men and women earn their way through college this year by paying them for part-time jobs.

They will be paid approximately \$13,500,000 during the school year of 1934-35, or about \$1,500,000 a month for nine months.

The student-aid program, under which about 75,000 students were helped to stay in college last year, was so successful that Administrator Hopkins authorized expansion of the work.

The 100,000 students will be divided between boys and girls in each institution in proportion to the number of each registered.

The assisted students will be allowed to earn up to \$20 a month each, and the total allotments to the colleges will be based on an average of \$15 a month for each student helped.

The first prize of \$100 in the THE FORUM's annual short-story contest for college students, was won this year by Miss Theodore L. Libbey, a student at New Hampshire university. It was entitled "Petals Falling", and was published in the September issue of the magazine. The second prize went to a member of the student body at the University of Alabama, and third to a student at Mount Holyoke college.

TREASON!

Our present government administration, regardless of right or wrong, is a glorious inspiration to the youth of today. It sets an example of courageous experimentation with formerly sacred institutions and thus announces to the world that the time has come to question sanctity, whether in business, politics, or life in general, for it is only through constant investigation, experimentation, and retention or rejection that civilization can progress.

Yet the youth in the more staid post-secondary schools have not yet drawn enough courage from this noble experiment to foster progress in their conservative school. This in itself is deplorable, but it is more to be pitied that these same students lacking the backbone to do independent thinking use the powerful machine of student censorship and derision to discourage the independent thinkers and derisively label them "radicals".

Thus "radical" and "progressive" are confused and the feared term "radical" is applied hit-or-miss to ALL independent thinkers by unthinking students who seek for the favor of the faculties — if they only realized how many of these same faculties belonged to their so called "radical" group they would not cry out so loudly.

It is sad indeed to see the young and strong lose heart and relapse into the philosophy of mentally sterile old people. Be young, while you are young; be strong, while you can be strong; and think while the faculties for thinking are yours.

Melancholy historians tell us that, disregarding the physical betterments, civilization is still where it was in the days of Rome. After contemplation of this idea many people will evolve the abstract principle that we have thus reached the limit of our advance because any further development depends on human nature. They will promptly add that human nature cannot be harnessed or depended upon. This alone should be enough of a challenge to person of action, mentally as well as physically. The war cries of a certain liberal thinker were, "Nothing is impossible. If this be treason, make the most of it." — R. C. '36.

HERE AND THERE AMONG THE ALUMNI

KEENE NORMAL ALUMNI HAVE USUAL DINNER RE-UNION AT CONVENTION

Pres. Mason and Others Address Graduates on Present Work of The School

One of the most successful reunions and dinners of Keene Normal alumni was held in connection with the 81st annual convention of the New Hampshire State Teacher's association, at Hotel Carpenter, Manchester, Oct. 11. About 100 former students and friends of K.N.S. were present to enjoy the event.

After a fine meal provided by the management of the hotel, Pres. Wallace E. Mason spoke briefly of the life at Keene, and extended the best wishes of the school and its faculty to the guests. Lawrence Hart of Dublin was present and gave a reading, Washington's "Day on the Farm", which was much appreciated. Pres. Mason spoke of the work for adult education undertaken in the state by the Federal government and introduced Albert E. Gauthier, '29, of Franklin who is assisting with this work for the State Department of Education. Other alumni responded to Pres. Mason's introduction.

Many members of the faculty took advantage of the convention dates to visit Manchester, and classes at Keene were carried on as in past years, by student teachers. All classes were omitted on Oct. 12, a legal holiday.

1933

Miss Mary Elizabeth Willard, Keene, is teaching this year in the fifth and sixth grades at Salmon Falls, and also taking further study toward a degree at the University of New Hampshire. Last year she spent as an assistant at the Wheelock school, Keene.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

1930

Miss Edith F. McLeod of Peterboro, is teaching in the primary grades at Franconstown.

Three members of the class of 1930 were married during the summer. Miss Flora I. Ide of West Swanzey, became the bride of Robert E. Perkins, of Loudon on June 17. Mrs. Perkins was a member of the elementary group in 1930, and has taught in Barnstead. The couple will make their home in Loudon.

Miss Dorothy R. Moberg of Concord, a member of the four-year course in 1930, was married at the summer home of her parents, at Lake Winnisquam, on June 17, to Merritt L. Hewett of Granville, N.Y. The bride has taught in Laconia and Claremont. The groom, is a graduate of Massachusetts Institute of Technology, and is engaged in business in Granville, in which place the couple will make their home.

Miss Hazel Wadleigh of Brattleboro, Vt., was married on July 26 to Earl A. Riddle of Grafton. Miss Wadleigh graduated from the elementary curriculum in 1930 and has since taught in Grafton.

1931

Miss Margaret Whitcomb of Lancaster was married during the summer at her home to Linwood Hawes of Lebanon. Miss Whitcomb was class marshall in 1930, and since graduation the following year, has taught in Whitefield.

Miss Mary P. Bain of Walpole, was married on Aug. 26 to John K. Aiken, son of Prof. and Mrs. W. E. Aiken of the English department of the University of Vermont, Burlington. Mrs. Aiken taught for two years in her home town. The couple will reside in Springfield, Vt., where the groom is a draughtsman with the Bryant Co.

1932

Elwin W. Avery, East Kingston, a graduate of the Trades and Industries curriculum, and for two years a teacher at Penacook High school, has been promoted to the position of submaster. Everett Snow, a graduate of the same department in 1934, is also teaching at Penacook High.

After two years at Rumney, Stewart Thompson is this year in charge of the upper grades of the village school, Warren.

Miss Frances R. Bickford of Manchester is taking a business course for college graduates at the Bryant and Stratton school in Boston.

Miss Flora J. Dinsmore of Laconia, a graduate of the two-year curriculum, was married on July 28, at her home to Brewster L. Koehler of Manchester. Among the guests were many of Mrs. Koehler's K.N.S. friends and classmates. The new home of the couple will be in Concord.

1933

Miss Beulah L. Perkins of Alton, a member of the three year elementary class in 1933, was married at the village church, Bedford on June 14 to James E. Thayer of Farmington. The bride had taught in Bedford during the school year 1933-34. Mr. Thayer is a graduate of Yale with the class of 1928, and is cashier of the Farmington National Bank. The couple are making their home in Farmington after their honeymoon spent in a trip to the Hawaiian Islands.

Clayton Craig of Bradford is teaching for his second year in the upper grades of Hancock.

The engagement is announced of Miss Loretta M. Bliss of Amherst, to Gustav B. Westlung of Gilman, Vt.

GRACE A. KATHAN, '33, GRAD, INSPIRES PUPILS WITH MUSEUM COLLECTION IDEA

Rural Project at Deering School Wins Commendation of State Department

Miss Grace A. Kathan of Walpole is the author of an article printed in a recently issued report of rural school activities in New Hampshire, compiled for the state board of education by Miss Phila M. Griffin, elementary school agent. Miss Kathan's article has gained wide approval as a description of literary excellence concerning a successful bit of project work.

Miss Kathan is a graduate of the two-year elementary course at Keene Normal school, class of 1933, and of Keene High school, class of 1931. She teaches in the Pond school in Deering.

The report made by Miss Kathan in the published record from the state board is one of many teacher talks given at various rural institutions in 1933, at which teachers discussed problems and new projects.

Project Described

By the use of the "collection instinct" of the children of the rural school, Miss Kathan has built up what the children are pleased to call the "Pond School Museum". Whatever the pupils could bring in was added to the collection and became the subject of study and discussion.

The author concludes: "Slowly, but surely, I have seen a change. Minds are ready to question, and eyes to study the things they are really seeing for the first time. Our museum has provided motivation not only for nature and science, but for language and penmanship as well. It has helped to clarify ideas in geography and history. What history involving Indians is not more vivid if some actual Indian weapons may be seen?"

"Thus our museum has been a success. Now that winter prevents our adding much to our collection, we may take time to study more fully the collection we already have and, with the coming of spring, we may enlarge it with living things as well as with rocks and other inanimate objects."

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

GIRLS' SPORT NOTES

W. A. A. Party

The W. A. A. party for the freshmen was held at the camp, Oct. 16. The committees were: Marcella Finley, Colebrook, food; Thelma Paige, Hampton, clean-up; and Virginia Bulkeley, Meriden, program. Miss Marjory Bateman and Miss Miriam Clark acted as chaperons.

We are sure that everyone who attended had a very enjoyable time. Remember Freshmen, this was only a beginning. Gain your 100 points and join the W. A. A. now! Don't be the ones to miss out on the fun!

Swimming

Now that life saving has finished, swimming classes are in full swing. Classes for beginners are held every Tuesday and Thursday afternoon, from 4 to 5 o'clock. Classes for advanced swimmers are held on Wednesday afternoons.

Not only will the girls learn the correct strokes and technique, but they will also learn new and exciting water games.

Life Saving

The Senior Life Saving course for women has been completed for this fall. The following passed the examination which was given during the week of Oct. 22: Misses Dorothy Lewis, Lisbon; Jane Langer, Manchester; Jean Taylor, Pittsfield; Velma D. Peirce, Winchester; Ruth Chadwick, Methuen, Mass.; Janice Smith, Bennington, Vt.; Eileen McKenna, Twin Mt., and Katherine Stafford, Hillsboro.

Captains

The "Red" and "White" captains for women's athletics have been chosen. The "White" captain is Miss Mae Youngquist, Manchester; and the "Red" captain is Miss June Clark, Frances-town.

CROSS COUNTRY

On Oct. 27 the non-fraternity men outran the Alpha Pi Tau men in a three mile cross country run. Clarence DeMar gave one of his many cups to the winners who in turn gave it over to school. The presentation was made at the school assembly, Oct. 29.

Gorham Wins

A cross country team representing the State Normal School of Gorham, Me., defeated the runners for Keene Normal in a three mile cross country race run here on Saturday, Oct. 20. The score was 26 to 29.

Although Robert Edmunds, Loudon, finished first, Gorham men finished second and third, thereby getting a good start toward winning the meet.

Other runners finished as follows: Twitchell of Gorham (2); Morton, Gorham (3); Johnson, Keene; Gardner, Gorham; Zygmunt, Keene; Bean, Gorham; Jordan, Keene; Hamlin, Gorham; and Fortier, Keene.

Score Reversed

After loosing to Gorham, Me., Normal school runners a week before, 26 to 29, the K.N.S. harriers reversed the honors and won at Gorham, Nov. 3, 27 to 28. Three-quarters of a mile from the finish Gorham was leading 25 to 30 but Keene moved up two places to win by one point in a thrilling finish.

Two Gorham runners took first and second; but three Keene runners, Johnson, Edmunds and Zygmunt took the next three places, followed by one Gorham man for sixth place. Then, Jordan, C. Fortier, Robinson and Montrone, all of K.N.S. came in for the following places. Gorham took the last three places.

The marvels of electricity have set me thinking.

Yes, isn't it wonderful what electricity can do.

—THE RECORDER.

DeMAR WINS A FIRST

Clarence H. DeMar, veteran runner, added another victory to his list on Columbus Day, when he won the New England marathon championship. The race was run from Boscawen to Manchester. Being hard pushed by Tarzan Brown, an Indian from Westerly, R.I., Mr. DeMar broke the all time record on that course by covering the twenty-six miles in 2:36:15.

And A Second

Clarence H. DeMar still holds his own in his 26 mile marathons, following his recent victory at Manchester with a second at Wilmington, Del., on Nov. 3, losing first place by some 20 seconds, or less than the length of a football field.

While DeMar did not win, we take great pride in the close finish and the manner in which he has cut down his time, since Porter, the winner, beat him by nearly a mile in a similar race at Cleveland, Ohio, but a few months ago.

Recreational Address

Miss Mary Hall, Keene, a graduate of K.N.S. in 1929, and now Cheshire county recreational director, gave an address at a recent meeting of the Nu Beta Upsilon. She was introduced by Miss Eleanor Tarbox, Brattleboro, Vt. A discussion followed the address and a committee of members provided refreshments.

Miss Hall emphasized the benefits derived from supervised play and said New Hampshire is the only state which has publicly supported recreational advisers. She said recreation decreases mental strain, nervous tension and crime.

AT THE PHYSICAL EXAMINATIONS

Doctor: "And, my man do you sleep with your window open?"
Frosh: "No, just my mouth."

—TEACHERS' COLLEGE HERALD.

BOYS' SPORT NOTES

Speedball

The speedball tournament between the men has ended in a triple tie. The Seniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen each won one and lost one. It has been decided to leave the standings as they are because of the uncertain weather conditions and the lack of daylight after 4 o'clock. Basketball will have to decide which class are really the champs.

Bowling Tournament

Under the able direction of Paul Brooks, Greenfield, the bowling teams are having regular skirmishes in the alleys. Watch for the standing of the teams on the bulletin in the men's social room.

Senior Life Saving

After three weeks of intensive drill and practice, seven men have successfully passed the senior life saving tests. These men added to the corps are: James A. Whittemore, West Andover; Stanley Johnson, Keene; John Harris, Jr., West Swanzey; Neil Sullivan, Manchester; Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro; Arthur Ide, West Swanzey; and Paul Nordman, Keene.

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The Rostra

The officers of the Rostra for the year are as follows: president, Miss Ellen Hartshorn, Manchester; vice-president, Miss Laura McQuide, Hanover; secretary, Miss Barbara Purmort, Newport. At a recent meeting held at the School camp, four new members were initiated. Regular meetings are held on the second and fourth Thursdays of each month.

Academy of Science

At the meeting of the Academy of Science held on Tuesday evening, Oct. 27, the members experimented in making carbon prints of leaves. By a very inexpensive and simple method very fine prints were produced. A sample of the work has been placed on the bulletin board in Parker Hall.

EXCHANGES

VITALIZED SCHOOL JOURNALISM

This paper, of which the first two issues have been received, is sponsored by the division of publications of the National Education Association. It has for its purpose "to help make school publications more effective mediums of school interpretation and to help editors and advisers keep in touch with events, plans and movements related to school life and journalism." It is the official organ of the National Association of Student Editors.

THE PELICAN

N.J. State Teachers College, Montclair

This paper is excellent in make-up and articles are very well written. A feature well worth noting is a column dedicated to the outstanding students of the school.

THE NORMAL LEADER

State Normal School, Fredonia, N.Y.

The number at hand of "THE NORMAL STUDENT" contains a very good write-up of the County Rural Conference, with reports of interesting and valuable speeches. Photographs are used to advantage.

THE STROUD CURIER

Normal School, East Stroudsburg, Pa.

A very newsy paper is "THE COURIER". Especial mention should be made of the column "Who's Who on the Campus" which is amusing as well as interesting.

THE FORTNIGHTLY KRONICLE

State Teachers College, Duluth, Minn.

Sports occupy the leading place in this paper, and the department is well carried out. The literary department is a close second, with interesting and stimulating book reviews.

EXCHANGE HUMOR

Freshman: "Er-ah, I don't know."

Sophomore: "I'm not prepared."

Junior: "I cannot remember right off-hand."

Senior: "I feel that I cannot add anything to the previous discussion." — THE FLOR-ALA.

BOOK NOTES

Keene, you know, has a speciality for rainy (or I should say snowy as winter is here) weather. On such days one might find it inviting to curl oneself up in a comfortable position and read. But what to read, that is the question! For fiction, I suggest Sinclair Lewis' latest novel *WORK OF ART*. Every profession has an art if one wishes to make it so. Myron Weagle, a non-collegian, learned with eagerness and bitterness what the public wanted in a hotel. That was his work of art. Ora, his brother, however, studying at Yale for one day considered writing poetry and drama the only real work of art.

But if the reader must be really stylish in his choice I hint that he read a biography. A biography which everyone finds fascinating is *NIJINSKY*, a story of the great Russian imperial dancer, written by his wife, Romola Nijinski.

Read how a young girl left everything to follow a man who could jump up in the air and come down slower than he ascended. This sounds impossible as it is against the law of gravitation. This book not only reveals the life of Nijinsky, but also the life of Russia before the Soviet government took charge.

For people who enjoy drama I recommend Eugene O'Neill's recent play *DAYS WITHOUT END*. John Loving has many days without end because he is an atheist. John writes a book and suddenly discovers through his own life that he chose the wrong ending to his book. Here's to rainy days! — V.B.

Ernest Poole has written another novel with New Hampshire setting and about New Hampshire people. It is entitled "ONE OF US", and deals with the life of a couple tucked away in the hills of the North country. It is a good story swiftly moving with natural dialogue, and vivid characterization. The publisher is Macmillan Company of New York. — P.

PERSONAL AND OTHERWISE

By H. B. P.

The chapel choir under the direction of Harry W. Davis, has received many compliments on the quality of the work which they did on their recent tour of Northern New Hampshire. Headmaster Donald P. Matton, of Littleton High school, where one of the major concerts was given has written Pres. Mason in a most enthusiastic manner. Many of those present at the October Conference of Educators complimented Mr. Davis and Pres. Mason personally. The following letter from Supt. Karl A. Reiche of Bristol, Ct. is typical of the appreciative letters.

"This is just a short note to tell you and Mr. Davis how much Mrs. Reiche and I appreciated that very splendid concert by the students of school at the Crawford House, Sunday evening.

"It was, we thought, a particularly well-selected group and we enjoyed very much the manner in which it was presented by the students."

Many of student body and faculty of K.N.S. have been enjoying a series of lectures given at the Unitarian parish house, by the Rev. George L. Parker on the tragedies of Shakespeare. On successive Thursday evenings, Mr. Parker discusses "Hamlet", "Othello", "Macbeth", and "King Lear".

Harry B. Preston of the English department spent the week of Oct. 22 speaking at a series of rural institutes conducted by the State Department of Education. The towns visited were Chichester, Chocorua, Jefferson, Landaff and Rumney.

Miss Margaret Musgrove Little, teacher of kindergarten theory and in charge of the Wheelock kindergarten since 1926, was married at her Hanover home on Aug. 17 to Frederick C. Pomeroy. Mr. and Mrs. Pomeroy are making their home in Montpelier, Vt., where several members of the K.N.S. faculty visited them on a recent weekend.

AROUND THE CAMPUS

The following item appeared in the Oct. 9 issue of the "BOSTON UNIVERSITY NEWS":

"What would you think if you were attending a little New Hampshire chapel for the first time and found yourself listed on the program to sing 'The Lord is My Light'?"

"And what would you think if you were a tenor and saw a statement in black and white that you were a bass soloist?"

"Probably the same thing that Prof. Jesse B. Davis, professor of education at the School of Education, thought as he sat in the Keene Normal School Chapel and heard a person of the same name sing the number that he was scheduled to sing.

"Professor Davis, the musical professor affectionately known as 'Uncle J. B. and his flute,' was attending the annual October Conference on Education at Crawford Notch and received quite a thrill to find that there were actually two Jesse Davis' in the world.

"To top the whole affair, after the concert he went up to the gentleman and introduced himself as Jesse Davis, and what happened? You guessed it, he was emphatically not believed." (To B. U. "heeler," a reprimand. Let him note that the October conference of educators was held at Crawford's House, some 160 miles from Keene Normal school. Ed.)

A PRAYER

Oh God!
In the hour of dire strife,
Along this long, hard road of life
Help us we pray,
All the way, all the way.

— Ada Collins.

Leonard C. Morrison, head of the department of education acted as toastmaster at a meeting of Congregational men of Cheshire county, on Oct. 15. The meeting had as its guest speaker, Donald Adams of New Haven, Conn., former president of Rotary International.

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mandares, Portsmouth; Raymond A. Crosby, Milford; George C. Knox, Concord.

Home Economics: Misses Jane A. Monroe, South Shaftesbury, Vt.; Thelma G. Ricker, Alton; Pauline A. Trow, Sunapee.

Junior High curriculum: Misses Alice Sterry, Portsmouth; Dorothy Aiken, Putney, Vt.; Vera A. Bradbury, Bradford; Rita Clough, Grafton; Helen M. Couture, Groveton; Dorothy Hugron, Hancock; Hazel Sleeper, Lebanon; Norman Mason, Kingston; Lawrence Perkins, Center Ossipee.

Art and Music Supervisory: Miss Esther Rickard, Guild.

Two-Year Elementary curriculum: Mrs. Naomi Guibord, Keene; Misses Katherine Egan, Newport; Stella L. Shaw, Hampton; Mildred E. Shunaman, Hudson.

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Four-Year English curriculum: Misses Marjorie Carver, Troy; Barbara Alexander, Canobie Lake; Winona Richardson, Pittsfield; Louise Tewksbury, Littleton; Alice Upton, Hancock; Newell Paire, Keene; Valmore Blais, Laconia.

Four-Year Trades and Industries: Victor Boccia, Robert H. Domina, Keene; Byron Berry, Dover; Paul Bridges, South Elliot, Me.; Emerson A. McCourt, Portsmouth; Frank Tisdale, Salem Depot.

Home Economics: Misses Viola Frost, Hollis; Margaret Gibbons, Berlin; Alta E. Perkins, Franklin; Helen Corbett, Colebrook.

Junior High curriculum: Misses Ann T. Carroll, Dorothy M. Erwin, Keene; Alberta Cushing, Hartford, Vt.; Laura E. McQuide, Hanover; Edna Noyes, Laconia; Dorothy Powers, Danbury; Elizabeth Smith, Milford; Paul F. Brooks, Greenfield; Roger C. Clouette, Penacook.

Art and Music Supervisory: Misses Dorothy L. Britton, Keene; Ruth Mary Doe, Northwood; Winifred T. Hammond, Manchester; Barbara Hayward,

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formances were of high order, "Hamlet" was given with more finish. In the title part Mr. Hendrickson made the Dane a man of commanding figure but of weak will. The other parts were in keeping and both costumes and music added to the effect.

Members of the K.N.S. dramatic club had charge of publicity and of all details of arrangements, properties, etc. They also furnished men and women for the court scenes and acted as ushers. Fred L. Barry, Charlestown, president of the club acted as chairman of the committee.

So great was the success of this theatrical venture, that it is hoped that the professional production of one or more Shakespearean plays may be an annual event here.

The Cast

In both plays James Hendrickson and Claire Bruce took the leading roles and they were assisted by John Burke, Bertram Miller, Anne Lubowe, Allen Nagle, MacGregor Gibb, Edward C. Gruber, Louis Howard and Martin Wells.

Randolph, Vt.; Elizabeth B. Sargent, Hillsboro; Charles Stowell, Walpole.

Elementary: Misses Meda Richardson, Keene; Jeannette C. Bowlby, Meriden; Gertrude Currier, Pelham; Madeline Dearborn, Concord; Cecelia Flaherty, Gorham; Mildred Hill, Goffstown; Ethel Renton, Feeding Hills, Mass.; Jeanette Saigh, Manchester; Mildred Waters, Waltham, Mass.

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Four-Year English curriculum: Misses Helen M. Pratt, Keene; Mary L. Dearborn, Woodsville; Jeanette E. Diotte, Newport; Miriam Roby, Sanbornton; Barbara Severance, Hillsboro; Clarence O. Richardson, Harrisville; L. Fred Barry, Charlestown; J. Laurence Bucher, Alton; Andrew J. Crooker, Jr., Hillsboro.

Trades and Industries: Daniel Sullivan, Portsmouth.

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other Kreisler arrangement from the works of Beethoven. Then followed a harp solo by Mr. Caughey, "Forest Spring" by Tourneir. He too was obliged to respond to an encore, which was an old French folk tune, "The Little King" composed by Brahms. This is a very delightful number and was especially effective on the harp.

Ensemble Numbers

Following a trio by Messrs. Krips, Zimble, and Fiedler. Hadyn's "Trio No 1", the ensemble presented "Nocturne" for four instruments by Doppler. As his contribution to the program, Mr. Zimble played the second movement of a concerto by Boccherini. This number was most beautifully rendered. Messrs. Madsen and Coughy continued the program with a flute and harp selection, "Minuet" by Bizet. The program concluded with an ensemble number, Schubert's "Ballet Suite" from "Rosamond", a sprightly and fitting ending to an evening of unusual pleasure. —R.C.

Home Economics: Misses Edythe Johnson, Barre, Vt.; Eleanor Tarbox, Brattleboro, Vt.

Junior High curriculum: Lewis Montrone, Keene; Richard Trufant, Peterboro; Misses Thelma Dickinson, Evelyn L. Johnson, Velma D. Peirce, Winchester; Katherine Gage, Manchester; Shirley McIntyre, Whitefield; Kathryn J. McLain, Manchester; Dorothy E. Plaisted, Dover; Barbara Purmont, Newport; Iona Sheeche, Lebanon; Nina B. Usko, Newport; Sarah M. Wyman, Athens, Vt.; Mae R. Youngquist, Manchester.

Art and Music Supervisory: Misses Elizabeth Morrison, Keene; Mabelle E. Felch, Seabrook; Virginia Hough, Lebanon; Frances M. Libbey, Portsmouth; Florina Potvin, Claremont; Ruth E. Clement, Derry Village.

Elementary curriculum: Misses Claudia Croteau, Marlboro; Alice Fiske, Dublin; June Clark, Fran-

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printing, George G. Cross; refreshments, Miss Georgia F. Day, all of Manchester.

Masquerade

For the annual masquerade on Dec. 8, the school orchestra will play, and the list of patrons and patronesses and the judges of the costumes will be announced at a later date. The gym will be decorated as a winter scene under the direction of Miss Jean F. Baird and Miss Ruth Stewart, of school art department.

There will be prizes offered in three different classes; a loving cup as first prize, and ribbons for second place and honorable mention. The cups have been donated by Manchester business houses: for the "most beautiful costume", by Pariseau Co.; the "most original", by The John B. Varriek Co.; and for the "most comical" by the Leavitt Co.

Masquerade Committee

The chairmen of sub-committees for the masquerade are as follows: general chairman, Mr. McCullough; entertainment, Miss Youngquist; costumes, Miss Katherine M. Walsh; printing, Mr. Cross; refreshments, Miss Day; and chaperons, Miss Gage.

Club Officers

The Manchester club officers for the year include the following: Mr. McCullough, president; Miss Youngquist, vice-president; Miss Gage, secretary; and Mr. Sullivan, treasurer.

cestown: Ethel M. Croteau, Sunapee; Laura Eaves, Peterboro; Janet Fletcher, Claremont; Josephine Karwacki, Manchester; Flora Longa, Reeds Ferry; Bertha G. Raines, Hillsboro; Salva Ziady, Manchester.

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Trades and Industries: Robert F. Edmunds, Loudon; Amicare Scarponi, Portsmouth; Ira Stopford, Portsmouth.

Home Economics: Misses Charlotte M. Redden, Portsmouth; Maud P. Whitcomb, Wilton.

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IMPRESSIVE CHRISTMAS PROGRAMS in MUSIC and PAGEANT ARE PRESENTED

Townpeople Are Invited to Elaborate Sunday Afternoon Student Musicales

The days just prior to the Christmas recess were full of activity, the events taking on a special significance in keeping with the holiday season.

On Saturday evening, Dec. 15, the annual Y.W.C.A. party was held in the gym. Here the traditional scenes of the nativity were pictured in pageant form with music. The opening scene was "The Annunciation," then came "The Road to Bethlehem," "The Three Kings of the Orient," and "The Nativity and Adoration." The pageant closed with a tableau in which the whole cast appeared.

The Cast

Those who took part included the following: the Misses Grace MacDonald, Mae Youngquist, Katherine Gage, Beatrice Judkins, Mabelle Felch, Rita Leonard, Eleanor Tarbox, Betsy Crowell, Velma Peirce, Ellen Hartshorn, Katherine Walsh, Barbara Severance, Dorothy Plaisted and Harriet Crosby. Miss Isabel M. Blake was faculty adviser.

The stage manager was Miss Mae Youngquist, assisted by the Misses Betsey Crowell, and Katherine Gage. Costumes were in charge of Miss Evelyn Pederson; music, Miss Katherine Walsh, assisted by the 1HM and 2HM divisions.

Sunday Musicales

The fifth annual concert was held in the gym on Sunday afternoon, Dec. 16. A large group

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K.N.S. LENDS CO-OPERATION IN KEENE NURSERY SCHOOL UNDER FEDERAL RELIEF

A nursery school of approximately 20 pre-school pupils and financed with federal relief funds was opened at K.N.S. after the holidays. The class room space has been donated by the Normal school in Blake house, at the corner of Main and Winchester streets. Cooperating are the city school authorities, and Miss Ellenor Prouty, of the New Hampshire relief bureau. Children, both boys and girls, of two, three and four years will be admitted.

The rooms have been put into condition and the members of the manual training classes have been assisting in the preparation of tables and cots. There will be three teachers, a principal, who is a trained kindergartner, an assistant, and a nurse who will have charge of health program and meals. Sessions will be from 9 a.m. till 3 p.m., and the children will be given lunches, a noon dinner and an afternoon nap.

Members of the children's care classes in the home economics curriculum, will be allowed to observe in the nursery school and to assist in the work.

One of the aims of the project is to have the underprivileged children cared for while their parents have the opportunity to work. Similar schools have been successfully organized in other communities of the state.

PRESIDENT OF CASTLETON, Vt., NORMAL SCHOOL MAY BE ELECTED PRES. of N.E.A.

Students and alumni of Keene Normal school will be interested to know that the head of a neigh-

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REINALD WERRENRATH TO GIVE CONCERT PROGRAM AT SCHOOL ON JAN. 21

Adhering to the policy of bringing the best in music to Keene, the management of the student activities course has announced a recital by the world famous soloist, Reinald Werrenrath, in the Spaulding gymnasium on the evening of Monday, Jan. 21. Mr. Werrenrath appeared here about ten years ago with the Keene Chorus club and was heard with a great deal of pleasure. Local music lovers are joining with the school community in sponsoring this extraordinary attraction.

Mr. Werrenrath was born in Brooklyn, N. Y., and received his degree of A. B. from N. Y. university in 1905. He studied singing under his father and also under such well-known teachers as Dr. Carl Dufft, Frank King Clark, Dr. Arthur Mees, and Victor Maurel. He made his debut in grand opera at the Metropolitan in the part of Sylvio, in "Pagliacci" in 1919. Since 1907 he has with very marked success appeared in recitals and oratorios throughout the United States.

He has made many records and of late has been heard with great delight in radio broadcasts. His dramatic power, fine voice and unusual enunciation have made him a general favorite of a large public. His recital will include both classical and semi-popular numbers.

The activity tickets will admit students and faculty and a fee of one dollar will be charged the general public. SAVE THE DATE: JAN. 21. PLACE: SPAULDING GYMNASIUM, AT K.N.S.

MANCHESTER CLUB HAS 20th ANNIVERSARY. MASKED PARTY in SPAULDING GYM

Queen City Merchants Donated Prizes Which Stimulated Costume Competition

With a wide range of costumes, practically all of student preparation, showing much originality and work, the 20th annual masquerade ball of the Manchester club of Keene Normal school was held in Spaulding gymnasium, Saturday night, Dec. 8. The efforts of the officers and committee, headed by Thomas McCullough, president, to make the anniversary party distinctive, proved successful with a large number of costumed participants and a greater variety of dress than for many years.

While only those in costume were permitted on the dance floor the general student interest was manifested by the large balcony attendance.

Miss Grindstaff, Queen

Miss Frances Grindstaff, Keene, won the chief honors of the evening for the most beautiful costume and was crowned the "Queen". She was escorted to the royal chair by Pres. McCullough who announced the judges' awards. She was dressed as an old-fashioned grandmother in attractive black costume including a rare black bonnet. Silver cups, donated by Manchester merchants, were awarded the winners of the most beautiful, most original and most comical costumes and ribbons were given for second prizes and honorable mention.

Second Honor

Second prize for the most beautiful costume went to Miss

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