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# WINI KENNEDY IS QUEEN

## SCM Conclave for Foreign Students Opens Tomorrow

Rev. Edgar Chandler and Prof. Thorsten Kalijarvi Outstanding Speakers

By Paul Nolan

If you have ever had an inclination to become exotic—like sitting on the floor and eating, or trying to eat with chopsticks—you can indulge in the fancy at 6:30 tomorrow evening, when a Chow Mein supper will be served to the delegates of the Seventh International Conference in New Hampshire Hall. Guests from all parts of the world who are attending colleges in New England and the Middle Atlantic States will be present at this meeting. The proceeds of this supper will be devoted to the World Student Service Fund.

### Chandler to Speak

After the supper there will be a talk by Reverend Edgar Chandler of the Congregational Church of Jamaica Plain, Massachusetts. Reverend Chandler has recently been abroad to make a survey on the situation in England. The varied backgrounds of the guests of the Conference will probably add greatly to the discussion which will be led by Professor Thorsten Kalijarvi.

On Sunday morning another discussion will be held at 9:00. At 10:40 a service will be held at Community Church where Reverend Emerson Hangen will deliver a sermon on the widely-read book, "Out of The Night" by Jan Valtin. At 3:00 in the afternoon a tea at Congreve Hall will conclude the session.

In short, the program is as follows:

### Saturday

3:00-5:00—Open House and Reception to Guests Alumni Room  
6:30—Banquet Gym  
8:30—Dancing and Games  
Gym and Game Room

### Sunday

9:00 A. M.—Discussion Cabinet Room  
10:40 A. M.—Services  
Community Church  
3:00 P. M.—Tea Congreve Hall

## Date of Speech Contest Postponed to Next Week

The date of the first speech contest ever to be held on campus has been postponed until the latter part of next week. This contest, sponsored by Tau Kappa Alpha, honorary speech society, has met with a very good response from the students, several of whom have already signified their intention to participate.

General subjects on which orators may speak include: The American Labor Movement, U. S. Foreign Policy, the Defence Program, or Development in the War Since January 1, 1941.

The committee is comprised of Professor Edmund Cortez, Ray Keesey, John Hall, Jack Sheinuk, and Marjorie Callahan.

## Sackett Requests Draft Information

Student Draftees Should Fill Out Affidavit and Report to Registrar

Dr. Everett B. Sackett, chairman of the university defense committee, announced that students who have received their draft questionnaires and who desire deferment must fill out an affidavit supporting such action at the registrar's office as soon as possible. A memorandum concerning valuable information for all students already registered under the Selective Service Act may be obtained from one of the deans' offices or the registrar's office.

A recent regulation provides that a student who is called by the draft after the start of a semester may be deferred until the end of the semester. Students should consult their local draft board, however, before registering for a semester and find out when they may be expected to be called.

Students desiring further information should consult one of the following members of the university defense committee: Dr. Arwood S. Northby, H. B. Stevens, Eugene K. Auerbach, Dean Edward Y. Blewett, Dean M. Gale Eastman, Acting-dean Leon W. Hitchcock, and Dr. Everett B. Sackett, chairman.

## N. H. Debaters Win Last Competition

Beat Harvard in Second Contest; Debating Becomes Established Course Here

The debate last Tuesday night with Harvard resulted in another victory for New Hampshire, ending a season of competition during which the team lost not one decision. Brooks Quimby, perhaps the most noted debating au-



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thority in New England, decided in favor of New Hampshire on the timely question of whether "the nations of" (Continued on page 4)

## Committees Named for Huge Pageant

Miss Hoban Writes Script for Mother's Day Feature; 600 Students Are in Cast

One of the outstanding events on the 75th Anniversary calendar for next month will be the huge pageant which is scheduled for 2 P. M. on the afternoon of university Mother's Day, May 17. Written by Miss Margaret R. Hoban, head of the Women's Physical Education department, the pageant will show in many colorful scenes varied highlights in the university's history.

Arrangements have been moving along for over a month and the biggest job, that of casting more than six hundred students in principal and group roles, is nearly completed. The following prominent members of the faculty and student body constitute the foundation upon which the tremendous project is being built:

### Pageant Committee

Pageant Director: Miss Margaret R. Hoban, assisted by: Miss Marion C. Beckwith, Miss Nell W. Evans, Miss Barbara Shields, and Miss Adelaide R. St. Jacques; Interlude Director: Miss Anna King; Business Manager: Miss Ruth J. Woodruff; Publicity Chairman: Mr. John P. Neville; Publicity Assistants: Teresa Foley and Phyllis Deveneau; Program Chairman: Edith Rudd; Casting Chairman: Herbert Blais; Casting Assistants: Ray Doyle, Kenneth Kehoe, Carl Carlson, Eleanor Mauricette, Penelope Richards, Jane Austin, and Louise Griffin; Grounds Chairman: Mr. H. W. Loveren; Sound Reproduction: Mr. F. D. Jackson.

Under Kay Sullivan's direction will (Continued on page 4)

## Chapman Shows Pictures of January Solar Halo

Kodachrome pictures of the Solar Halo which occurred last January will be shown for the first time by Dr. Donald Chapman, assistant professor of geology, at a free illustrated lecture for all members of the Outing Club Monday, April 28, at 7:30 P. M. in James Hall.

The subject of Dr. Chapman's lecture will be "The Sky and How to Read It." Since Durham was near the center of the occurrence, which was one of the most brilliant ever to be experienced, the lecture will be of unusual interest.

Admission will be on presentation of Outing Club tickets at the door. All Blue Circle members are asked to attend a short meeting which will begin at seven that evening.

## Jim Britt Speaks at May Sportsfest

Newman Club Dedicates Program to Wearers of Varsity Letters

Something new in the way of "fests" will be held on campus on May 9, when the Newman Club will sponsor a "sportsfest" at 7:30 in New Hampshire Hall, in honor of the letter men and women of the university. The entire program will be dedicated to the part the letter students play in the development of the university. All men and women who have earned a varsity letter this year, players, coaches, and coaches from all over the state will be guests of the evening.

### Britt to Speak

The main feature of the evening will be Jim Britt, Yankee Network ace sportscaster, who will speak on topics of his own choosing, pertinent to the fest. Britt is well-known in the sports world, having announced all kinds of sports events for many years in all sections of the country.

Britt got his start as an ace mikesman as an undergraduate at the University of Detroit where, although he was not particularly active in sports (Continued on page 4)

## Dramatic Society Will Hold Exhibit

According to an announcement made recently by Prof. W. G. Hennessey, the previously scheduled performance of "The Old Homestead" on May 16 has been cancelled. This has been done in order not to overcrowd the Mother's Day program which has been arranged.

Professor Hennessey also stated that an exhibition of Mask and Dagger work will be held during the weekend previous to the performances on May 21, 22, and 23. This exhibition will include photos, and bound programs of all plays produced since 1923. Also to be shown in a miniature theatre, with the stage set for the first act of "The Old Homestead." This model has been constructed by Jack Wentzell, and the setting is the work of John Gaw and Richard Winn.

Recent changes in the cast of the spring play include the replacement of James Keenan as the Irish butler by Albert Greenwood, and the part of Doyle, the policeman taken over by Gaylord Davis.

## Popular Junior is Honored by Class

Elinor Doyle and Midge Moore Will Act as Aides at Prom Next Friday

Winifred Kennedy, popular and attractive member of the Junior class, was elected queen to reign over the annual Junior Prom to be held in New Hampshire Hall, May 2, in yesterday's election. Elinor Doyle and Marjorie Moore, runners-up in the balloting, will serve as aides to Miss Kennedy at this social highlight of the spring semester.

Raymond Doyle, junior class president, will present the queen to those in attendance at the formal dance during the intermission. President Engelhardt will then give to Miss Kennedy the queen's cup, emblematic of her selection as being the most attractive and outstanding member of the class.

Wini has been active in many campus activities since the beginning of her freshman year. She played leads in this and last year's "Granite Varieties" productions, and has also appeared on the Mask and Dagger stage. She is on the editorial staff of The New Hampshire and served as feature editor of the 1942 Granite. Among her other activities Wini includes membership on the class executive committee and former membership on the WAA board.

Elinor Doyle is a member of Chi Omega sorority and has served the class as secretary during her three years at the University. She held the position of fraternity and sorority editor on 1942 Granite staff and is also a member of the Secretarial Club.

Marjorie Moore also one of the best-liked junior co-eds is a member of Alpha Xi Delta sorority and is an officer in Pan-Hellenic, intersorority governing council.

Despite the inclement weather and the comparatively brief time the polls were open, over half of the members of the Class of 1942 showed interest in their prom by turning out to vote.

## Deans and Advisors Meet In Regional Conference

Over one hundred deans and advisors of girls representing colleges and secondary schools in New England will meet here for their regional conference tomorrow. Following registration, which will take place at Commons, 10 to 11 a. m., President Engelhardt will speak on education and the national defense program.

The principal speaker of the afternoon session will be Elizabeth Drew, lecturer at Cambridge University in England. Miss Drew is a contributor to the Atlantic Monthly, and has written several books, including Directions in Modern Poetry. Her subject will be "The Art of Reading."

All of the meetings will be held in the Commons Trophy room. Tea will be served to the conference delegates in Congreve North in the afternoon.

Arrangements for the conference are under the direction of Dean Ruth J. Woodruff. Other committee members are Mrs. Ruth A. Burge, dean of residence at Wheelock School; Dean Hazel M. Clark of Bates College; Dean Edith L. Bush of Jackson College; Associate Dean Marjorie A. Landon of Chandler School; and Catherine P. Robinson, dean of residence at Mount Holyoke College.

## "Red" Nichols' Orchestra Praised by High Ranking Universities

"Red" Nichols and his orchestra who will play for the Junior Prom of the Class of 1942 in New Hampshire hall on Friday evening, May 2, is rapidly gaining widespread favor among college and university from coast to coast. Ranked by many as the nation's number one Dixieland trum-

pet, Nichols is completing a five month's tour of colleges and schools all over the country.



Highly favored by students and faculty members alike, "Red" has presented his band at twenty-two institutes of learning during his present

tour. Among those schools who have acclaimed Nichols are the Universities of Indiana, Michigan, Iowa, Wisconsin, Alabama, Tennessee, Louisiana, Georgia, Purdue, and others. Only recently he played a highly successful engagement for the Boston College junior prom.

### Kentucky Appearance

A student leader at the University of Kentucky, Lexington, Kentucky wrote to George Tasker, business manager of the Orchestra, stating that with the appearance of "Red" Nichols on their campus, five weeks after the dance at which Nichols played the students were still buying his recordings and asking for a return engagement. Featured with Nichols' lovely vocalist, Linda Keene, are the world famous Five Pennies, the small band within the large band and aggregation with which Nichols established his enviable reputation. Instrumental spotlight in the band focuses on Homer Bennett, bass; Rae DeGeer, tenor sax; (Continued on page 4)

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## High School Students Vie in Prize Speaking

The University of New Hampshire tomorrow will hold its twenty-ninth Interscholastic Prize Speaking Contest. There will be thirty-eight contestants representing twenty-two high schools of the state.

Competition will be of three types—serious declamation, humorous declamation, and original oratory. First prize will be \$15 and second prize \$5. Two of the judges will be Mrs. Harold Ham and Mr. Ray Keesey with a third judge yet to be chosen. Quarter-finals will be held at 11:00 A. M.; semi-finals at 2:30 P. M.; and finals in Murkland Auditorium at 8:00 P. M.

Schools represented in the contest are as follows: Austin-Cate Academy, Belmont High School, Bristol High School, Coe-Brown Northwood Academy, Farmington High School, Goffstown High School, Hanover High School, Laconia High School, Lincoln High School, Madison High School, Meredith High School, Milford High School, New London High School, Newmarket High School, Nute High School, Pembroke Academy, Penacook High School, Portsmouth Senior High School, Spaulding High School, Tamworth High School, and Towle High School.

## Red Cross Workers Fill Dressing Quota Monday

The flag waving over the door at Ballard Hall on Monday denotes the assembling of the Durham Red Cross members, who are at work making surgical dressings for the Army and Navy. Finishing between 150 and 200 a day, they are helping the Dover chapter fill a large quota.

The first meeting was held last Monday, and the work is to be continued every week until the quota is filled. A newly refinished room on the second floor of Ballard hall has been given over to the unit, whose members work from nine in the morning 'til nine at night, folding and packing the dressings.

Any students interested in doing this work will be heartily welcomed at any time. The only requirements are that the girls wear white or cotton dresses and something on their heads, as is done in all this type of work.

## PiKappa Alpha Spreads News of 75th Anniversary

The Pi Kappa Alpha chapter here on campus is using the special University of New Hampshire seventy-fifth anniversary supplement published by the **Manchester Union-Leader** last Monday to acquaint other chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha with the university and its seventy-fifth anniversary. Copies of the supplement have been mailed to the other 80 active chapters of Pi Kappa Alpha located at leading colleges and universities throughout the country, and to the national officers of the fraternity. Included with the supplement was a letter explaining the circumstances surrounding the publishing of the supplement and brief history of the Gamma-Mu (New Hampshire) chapter of Pi Kappa Alpha.

## Super Service Now Given by Commons

A timely addition to the serving facilities in Commons dining hall was added while the students were on their spring vacations. The addition consisted of brand new serving equipment in the shape of new chromium steam table, new coffee urns, (three of them) more serving tables for other than hot foods and several accessory tables. All these new adjuncts to the serving room are of the finest stainless steel and will eliminate a lot of work in keeping them clean that had to be done hitherto. The floor of the serving room was not left out in the refurbishing operations for it was scraped and new attractive floor covering was laid; again saving labor and making it much easier to care for. Unnecessary counters were eliminated and the whole room is now bounded by a rail to accommodate trays much like that in the cafeteria so the waiters will not become involved in a traffic jam while feeding the ravenous freshmen.

The advent of the horde of delegates to the choral festival, numbering over 500 found a complete cafeteria system ready for them in this new arrangement and undoubtedly it facilitated the ready care which the music lovers were given by the dining hall staff in putting over another large job in their usual competent manner.

## Campus Notes

### OUTING CLUB

A hiking trip to Mt. Pawtuckaway will take place Sunday under the direction of Elly Mauricette and Bob Lord. Transportation will leave Ballard Hall at 7:45 a. m. and return at 7:00.

All members of the Outing Club who are interested in going on a joint trip to Mt. Liberty with the members of the Tufts Outing Club on May 10 and 11 are asked to contact Lois Richardson, Trips Director, as soon as possible. The number is Durham 214.

### MEDICAL APTITUDE TESTS

Medical aptitude tests will be given on May 1 at 3 p. m. in Room 219, Nesmith Hall. These should be taken by all students who expect to apply for entrance to medical schools by the fall of 1942.

### FRENCH LECTURES

Mr. Albert J. French, Assistant General Manager of the Leavitt Stove Corporation of Manchester, N. H., addressed a group of economics and business students in the class in Marketing on Friday, April 18. Mr. French spoke on the subject of "The Art of Prospective in Retailing."

### HAMPTON BEACH CASINO

Of special interest to many students is the fact that the Hampton Beach Casino has begun its regular Saturday evening dances.

Tomorrow evening the orchestra will be Allan Curtis', always popular at the Casino, and next week the band will be a new one to Hampton, Sam Donahue's Orchestra, direct from the Greystone Ballroom in Detroit.

### ALPHA ZETA

The following men were initiated into Granite Chapter of Alpha Zeta: Chester Gordon, William Mitchell, Everett Johnson, Ray Haskell, Gordon Placey, Charles Chapman, Roger Marshall, Robert Clock, John French, Martin Mitchell, and David White.

Election of officers will take place on Monday, April 28, at 7:30 in room 301 Morrill Hall.

### 4-H CLUB

There will be a 4-H club dance in the Commons Trophy room, tomorrow night, at 8 p. m. Dr. and Mrs. Lawrence W. Slanetz will be the chaperones.

### FORESTRY CLUB

The Forestry Club is planning an outing for members and guests tomorrow. The foresters and their escorts will start the afternoon with a mixed doubles tennis tournament at Lewis Field at 2 p. m. After the contest they will repair to Mendum's Pond to cool off with canoeing, swimming, or just plain loafing. After a picnic supper a vic party will be held in the cabin to complete a busy day.

The Club held its annual banquet last night. Professor Jackson gave a very interesting lecture on his travels.

### BOULANGER LECTURES

The Phillips Exeter Academy announces a three-day seminar of music by Nadia Boulanger, conductor, lecturer and teacher of many of the outstanding composers of today, among them, Igor Stravinsky, Randall Thompson and Robert Delaney.

Two of her performances will be open to the public: the Joint Concert of the Beaver Country Day School Glee Club and the Academy Musical Clubs tomorrow evening, which Mlle. Boulanger will conduct; and a Lecture-Recital on Sunday evening, in which Mlle. Boulanger will be assisted by Paul Makanowitzky, violinist. Both performances will be at 6:45 p. m. in the Academy Chapel and are open to the public.

### Varieties Picnic

Buses for the gigantic "Ladies in Hades" outing to Hampton Beach will leave at 10:30 Sunday morning from in front of the Hamilton Smith Library. Everyone must sign up by noon tomorrow if they wish to go on the trip. The lists are posted in both Ballard and Murkland Halls. In case of rain the outing will be postponed.

## With the Fraternities and Sororities

**PI LAMDA SIGMA** — The following girls were pledged recently: Esther Doyle, Louise Flynn, Dorothy Harkins, Dorothy McCready, Mary Pluff, and Helen Rzeznikiewicz. . . Elizabeth Williams ex-43, now a sophomore at Seton Hill College in Pennsylvania paid us a pleasant surprise visit that same evening. . . Last Sunday, Anne Beggs, Eloise Burque, and Mildred Hallisey were guests at our annual communion breakfast. Eloise and Mildred came from Nashua where Eloise is now teaching Junior High School English. . . Beryl Marcotte has returned from the Practice House and is again living in Scott.

**ALPHA CHI OMEGA** — Alma Elliott and Harriet Goodwin '40 were recent visitors. . . Penny Richards is the new vice-president of the Psychology Club and Marge Chalmers is its new secretary-treasurer. . . Five Alpha Chi's from the University of Vermont stayed at the house during the music festival. . . The owner of Jean Morrison's frat pin was around for the last few days to say good-bye before leaving for Alabama to join the Army Air Corps. . . Eleanor Gay and Mary Kearney were exchange guests from Chi Omega Monday evening.

**THETA KAPPA PHI** — Brothers David Sullivan and John Lyster attended a joint Province meeting of Theta Kappa Phi in New York City over the past week-end. They also assisted in the induction of a new Chapter of the fraternity at New York University. . . Brother "Red" Davis spent the week-end with his parents in Stamford, Conn. . . President William Cone attended a wedding at Chelmsford, Mass., at that time. . . Brother Fred Gilgun was a recent visitor at the house.

**PI KAPPA ALPHA** — The house has been holding Hell Week this week. A required pledge vic party is being held at the house tonight, missions will be carried out over the week-end, and zero degree will take place sometime during the early part of next week. . . Ivan Arno, Lawrence Blais, Arthur Chadwick, and Pete Wells have passed the physical examinations for the U. S. Army Air Corps. . . The house kitchen has a new linoleum. . . The house beat the two-year aggies in a baseball game by score of 8-2 last Monday, but lost to a Salisbury team Sunday afternoon.

**THETA UPSILON** — Dr. and Mrs. Engelhardt were recent dinner guests. . . Mrs. Henry Edson, Mrs. Alfred Wright of West Lebanon, Libby Edson of Concord, and Dorothy Ferry of Nashua were house guests over last weekend. . . Nagella Richards made a brief visit at the house Monday afternoon. . . Bob Ayer, pledge at Phi Delta Upsilon, lent us his strong right arm in serving dinner last week.

**SIGMA ALPHA EPSILON** — Brother Frank Mullan was elected Eminent Archon, and Brother Francis O'Sullivan was elected Steward, both to fill out the term of Brother John Finnegan who has left school for the rest of this year. . . Plans are being made for the Spring Formal under the direction of Brother O'Sullivan. . . Several brothers from Vermont stayed at the house during the College Choral Festival. . . Brother John Gaw is designing the scenery for "The Old Homestead." . . A Faculty-Advisory meeting was held recently. . . Brother Bill Call was recently elected to membership in the Sphinx. . . George Houle has recently become a pledge. . . Elaborate plans are being made for a large Alumni get-together on May 10. . . Brother Andy Turner is chairman of the house Alumni committee.

**SIGMA BETA** — Bill Robin, class of 1937 was a guest here Monday. . . He is at present on the faculty of Woodstock Academy, Woodstock, Conn. . . Plans are being made for the alumni banquet to be held May 10. . . J. M. S. Callahan and J. R. Hayes as yet are unbeaten in tennis doubles and claim house championship, but there are more matches to come and their position is not at all certain. . . Smith and Mihalski challenge Callahan and Hayes. . . The pledges had their weekly supper and meeting Wednesday evening. . . Five members of the Maine tennis team were overnight guests Tuesday. . . Brad McIntire, class of 1926, was guest for supper Wednesday evening. . . Sigma Beta was host to eleven men from Rhode Island and Connecticut during the music festival. . . An interfraternity dance will be held here next Saturday night from 8 to 11. . . Mr. and Mrs. Harry Leeds of West Lebanon announce the engagement of their daughter Ann Elizabeth to F. Donald Pickering, son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Pickering of Maion, Indiana. . . Russ Hayes has been appointed to secure a new dog for the house. He is being assisted by Jack Hassett.

**THETA CHI** — Brothers Jack Wentzell, Nelson Tewksbury, Gar Frey, Bob Austin, Bob Piper, and pledge Bob Wheeler returned from their Florida vacation trip happy and brown as berries. . . It took them only 38 hours to drive back from St. Pete. . . President Don Crafts was elected to represent our chapter at the National Convention of Theta Chi in California next summer. . . Dave Crockett is his first alternate. . . Tom Burkhard will lead the baseball team this year.

## STRAND

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Fri. - Sat. April 25 - 26  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
George Murphy - Lucille Ball  
"A GIRL, A GUY AND A GOB"  
PLUS  
"IN OLD COLORADO"

Sun.-Mon.-Tues. April 27-29  
Bette Davis in  
"THE GREAT LIE"

Wed.-Thurs. April 30-May 1  
DOUBLE FEATURE  
Frank Morgan-Ann Rutherford  
in  
"WASHINGTON MELODRAMA"  
PLUS  
"HERE COMES HAPPINESS"

## STAR THEATRE

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FRI. - SAT. APRIL 25 - 26

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in

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SUN. - MON. APRIL 27 - 28

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**University Dining Hall**



by Gozunsky

Just a passing thought—How many of you know the coaches of each of the spring sports? Well, here they are.

Henry Swasey heads varsity baseball while Harold Rood takes care of the freshmen diamond stars.

Paul Sweet does double duty as coach of both varsity and spring track squads.

Tony Dougal is varsity lacrosse mentor and Johnny Durie is the man upon whose shoulders rests the responsibility of drilling the game into the heads of green freshmen.

George Fielding is tennis coach.

Another thought—Who are the captains of the sports? Herb Glines—lacrosse, Steve Lampson—track, and Charlie Piffard—tennis. No captains of freshmen teams have been elected yet.

It is hoped that large crowds will attend all the lacrosse games as well as the other spring sports. Lacrosse is relatively little known around here; but there is a lot of excitement in any lacrosse encounter and it is a certainty that the teams will play their best when a large number of people are watching everything.

Three members of the frosh basketball team also seem to be first string baseball players. Jervis in the box, Rhuland behind the bat, and Burby as shortstop, shape up as likely starters.

The most cheerful aspect of the freshman spring track squad lies in the fact that in Morcom and Styra, we have two of the outstanding freshman track men in New England. With a little help from the men in the running events, wherein lies the squad's greatest weakness, the freshmen should do all right. Unlike the freshmen, the varsity have a much better balanced squad with outstanding men in both track and field events. More men are always welcome to come out and try for places on either squad.



**Good Luck**

Congratulations are in order for Tony Dougal's lacrosse squad for its splendid victory over M. I. T. Lots of luck are in order for Hank Swasey's baseball team, George Fielding's tennis club, and Paul Sweet's trackmen.

**Trackmen to Start Season Tomorrow**

Time trials for the cinder plodders were held last Saturday and Coach Sweet was well pleased by the performance of his charges. Although there is much improvement to be made, Sweet feels that the boys will give a good account of themselves this coming season.

The University of Maine tracksters will journey to Durham tomorrow to engage the Wildcat varsity squad in what will probably prove to be a bitterly contested meet. The high jump will be the first event on the card and will open the meet at 2 p. m.

Following is the result of trials in the various events: Javelin—Foster; Broadjump—Stiles; Hammer Throw—Flaherty; Discus—Flaherty; Shot put—Prescott; 120-yard hurdle—Grant; 100-yard dash—Haas; Mile run—Sleeper; Half Mile—Lowry; Two Mile—Kirk.

With Matt Flaherty and Jack Kirk back in harness, the team has been given a great boost. Jones and Lowry are also showing up well in their running events.

The varsity is captained this year by the steady Steve Lampson.

In the first ten months of 1940, gifts to the University of California for endowments totalled \$454,356.

It's a long time since Coach Swasey has had a pitcher who measured up to the standards set by Billy Weir, who later became a member of the Boston Bees; but in "Sheik" Karelis, he has a man who may, one day, become a great hurler. Karelis, incidentally, struck out ten of the twelve men to whom he pitched in the practice game with Exeter last Saturday.

**Maine Successful Over Local Tennis Team by 5-4 Score**

**New Hampshire Players Take Singles Matches But Fail to Click in Doubles**

Competing in intercollegiate action for the first time this year, Coach Fielding's University of New Hampshire tennis formations dropped a tightly-contested match to the University of Maine, 4-5, after capturing four out of six of the singles affairs but failing to contribute to the final score in the doubles competition. The Wildcat singles defenders, Conway, Churas, Feeney and Joslin, gave New Hampshire a 4-2 lead in the first half of the match but Maine's representatives snatched the three doubles matches to nose out the Durham lads.

With the score knotted at four-all, Morse and Feeney of New Hampshire battled Peckham and Mertens of Maine in the last doubles encounter of the afternoon. The Wildcat duo couped the first set by a 7-5 margin but the next set proved to be the longest of the match, as Maine won 12-10. Then the opponents seized a 6-3 decision to conclude the affair in their favor.

**Conway Wins**

Paul Conway started the tussle with a win over his foe, 6-4, 6-3. After Conway's brilliant performance Frank Churas initiated his role as varsity player by coming back strong to overpower Peckham, 7-9, 6-2, 6-3. Churas' last game lasted about fifteen minutes as he and his adversary were temporarily stalled at duce but Frank's attack finally came out on top. Bill Feeney also made a good comeback to defeat Mertens of Maine 2-6, 6-4, 6-4. Joslin beat De Shon of Maine in grand fashion, 6-4, 6-3. In the other singles matches Pennell and Peirce of Maine defeated Ordway and Morse of New Hampshire respectively.

**Maine Wins Doubles**

The Durhamites didn't fare as well in the doubles tilts. This part of the match marked their downfall as not one of the three contests went to New Hampshire. Pratt and Peirce of Maine won over Conway and Allard, 6-2, 6-3, and Francis and Whitman of Maine followed suit by beating Joslin and Jewell of New Hampshire, 7-5, 0-6, 6-3.

Joe Strock was unable to compete in this clash because he was away and his absence was not a welcome note to New Hampshire.

On May 2 New Hampshire's tennis team will travel to Lewiston, Maine to play Bates for their second match of the season. From now on every match will be played away from home.

**Wildcats Trample MIT Stickmen Easily, 13-1**

**Swaseymen Launch Baseball Campaign With Colby Mules**

**Clark Lost to Wildcats; Karelis to Hurl Against Watervillemen in Opener**

The 1941 baseball season gets underway tomorrow afternoon when New Hampshire tackles Colby at Brackett Field at 2:30. The Wildcats will take the field without the services of its stellar captain Sam Clark. Sam's loss leaves a huge hole in the outfield and also leaves Swasey in a fog as to whom will be the regular replacement. Bob Austin is slated to patrol that spot in tomorrow's opener.

Coach Swasey has been confined to Hood House with an infection on the side of his head. It is very painful but he is expected to be in the van at the ump's call to play ball.

Sheik Karelis is Swasey's nomination to toe the slab against the Mules tomorrow afternoon while Bud Hegan is slated to throw them against the Swaseymen. Lefty Tighe and Red Davis are to be held in reserve in case of an emergency.

**Offense Weak**

Colby is coming in with a team that is not enjoying a too enjoyable record to date. They were walloped by Maine last Saturday but that is no indication that they will fall before the locals. New Hampshire is fielding an extraordinarily weak hitting team. Louie Cryans and Spark Adams can be depended upon to punch out hits and George Alimi is expected to come through with the willow. Outside of this trio the hitting power is decidedly a question mark. Defensively, the Durhamites are somewhat better but there is also plenty of room for improvement. Phil Richards has been shifted to shortstop with a marked degree of improvement. Tom Callagy is shaping up as a smooth first sacker.

After the Colby battle the boys will mark time until the southern invasion. The probable starting lineup: New Hampshire: Cryans, cf; Callagy, 2b; Austin, lf; Adams, 1b; Richards, ss; Boucher or Smith, rf; Sughrue, 3b; Alimi, c; Karelis, p.

Colby: LaFleur, 2b; Daggett, cf; Peters, 1b; LaLiberty, ss; Downie, c; Stilwell, lf; Loring, rf; Lee, 3b; Hegan, p.

**Score Nine Times in Last Half for First Victory; Martin Scores Four Goals**

Unleashing a sparkling offensive attack which netted their thirteen goals against a hapless MIT team, the University of New Hampshire varsity lacrosse team overwhelmed the boys from Massachusetts 13-1 on Wednesday afternoon at Lewis Fields.

Coach Tony Dougal substituted freely throughout the game as the score piled up. After a four-goal first period, the Wildcats were held to only one score in the second. After the half however, the boys went to town, scoring five goals in the third and four in the fourth. Tech's lone goal came late in the last period.

**Martin Paces Attack**

Phil Martin paced the Cats' attack with four goals, all of them coming in the last half. Judkins, Monica, Glines, and Lanyo neach added two goals.

The MIT team appeared very poorly drilled in the fundamentals of the game, making several fouls in every period except the last. They were also poorly equipped with old-type masks and sneakers instead of football shoes.

An unusually large crowd of about 300 attended the game in spite of the cold wind and threatening weather. An attempt was made to inform the spectators of the rules of the game and what was happening in the field.

**Meet Tufts Tomorrow**

Dougal was quite well satisfied with the performance of his players since their next opponent, Tufts, barely nosed out the Techmen 5-4. Tomorrow afternoon, the Wildcats will try to annex their second victory at the expense of the Jumboes at Medford.

The summary: New Hampshire starting line-up—Judkins, in home; Rudd, 1st attack; P. Martin, 2nd attack; Monica, center; Begin, 2nd defense; Brunel, 1st defense; Martin, cover point; Cattabriga, point; Improta, goal. UNH Substitutes—Mackel, Glines, Kalled, Hayes, Cochran, McCrone, Call, Kischitz, Duprey, Cram, Katsiaficas, and Plump-ton.

Score by periods: First period—Judkins, Monica, Glines. Second period—Judkins. Third period—P. Martin, Lanyon, P. Martin, Monica, P. Martin. Fourth period—Glines, P. Martin, Kalled, Leader (MIT), and Lanyon. Time—Four 15's.

**Home Economics Club Plays Host**

Tomorrow the university Home Economics Club will be hostess to the Home Economics Clubs of high schools and colleges throughout the state, who will meet here for an all day convention. One hundred girls are expected to attend, including the Keene Teachers' College Home Economics Club. In the morning there will be group meetings, and a tour of the campus will be conducted during the afternoon. Tea will be served at the Elizabeth DeMeritt House followed by movies at Murkland Auditorium.

The day will be climaxed by an informal dinner held at Commons at which time there will be a speaker. Helen Pomeroy will conduct a quiz program, and Louise Edson will lead the group in songs.

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## DEBATERS WIN

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the Western Hemisphere should unite into a permanent union."

As any worthy proposition should, this one roused the spirit of both teams, producing not only thought provoking opinions from all the competitors, but an entertaining argument as well. "All the world loves a lover"—and an argument.

However, a debate is not merely an argument; it is an organized controversy through which those on each side of the question can present their opinions and the factual basis for them. Thus, a debate guarantees to each speaker the right to expound his theories for a certain length of time and in his rebuttal the right to sum up his arguments and criticize his opponents'. Debating inhibits wild talk but inspires careful thinking.

The Harvard-New Hampshire debate, in accordance with these principles, was marked by its enthusiasm and well thought out arguments. New Hampshire at no time fell behind in the contest although the Cambridge team functioned smoothly at all times. New Hampshire's arguments were merely superior in the opinion of the judge.

The two debates between New Hampshire and Harvard (the first one conducted over a Boston radio station) resulted in wins both times for Keesey's pupils. Each team took the opposite side in the second debate, and since New Hampshire won in each case the results are rather complementary for Mr. Keesey and his proteges, showing clearly their versatility.

The reference made to the New Hampshire team as "Ray Keesey's pupils" is a correct one, for at the beginning of this semester debating was established as a definite academic course. Every member of the squad deserves laurels for his hard work; if the squad continues next fall as it did this, New Hampshire can look forward to another great year.

## NICHOLS PRAISED

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and Billy Maxted, boogie-woogie pianist par excellence whose interpretations of Overnight Hop and Meet Me Miss Eight Beat are but two of the pieces he and leader "Red" have written and recorded.

In addition to his boogie-woogie music "Red" Nichols and his orchestra are noted for their waltzes, rhumbas, tangos, and the modern conga. Featured besides Linda Keene, beautiful girl vocalist, are the trumpet playing of "Red" himself and the vocal work of Penny Parker.

Dancing at this year's prom will be from nine until two and in spite of the exceptionally fine band offered the price of tickets has been reduced fifty cents under last year's.

## S. C. M. Plans Program for International Weekend

In conjunction with the International Weekend, being held here, April 26 and 27, the World Student Christian Community Commission of the S. C. M. will sponsor an international evening at the Durham Community House on Sunday, April 27, at 6:30 p. m.

The program will begin with introductory talks by Lilo Froehlich, Chairman of the Commission, and Alida Baker, Assistant Chairman. Among other speakers will be Esther Tipping, who will discuss the values of corresponding with students in foreign countries; Katherine Batzis, who will talk on Greece; and Barbara Smith, a transfer student from Johannesburg, South Africa.

Students, faculty and townspeople are all welcome.

## One-Act Plays May Not Be Produced; 500 Sign Petition

### Administration Receives Late Request for Date On University Calendar

Tuesday afternoon of this week, the freshman class received the severest jolt of its ambitious year. The university one-act play contest sponsored by them was over, with all manuscripts in the hands of the judges, and in accordance with a special guarantee implied in the contest rules, they had already launched into plans for production of the prize-winning vehicles.

The New Hampshire had previously carried notices of the sponsors' plans, and a large majority of students and faculty awaited with interest this first genuine attempt to establish creative dramatics as an integral part of the university set-up. The some dozen authors who had submitted plays anticipated even more eagerly production of their brain-children.

Tuesday afternoon word was received by freshman class officers that the administration considered the university calendar too full during the month of May to allow pursuance of the project planned. In fact, said authorities, no formal petition had been registered with them by the class for official permission to produce the contest plays.

As spontaneous as had been the movement behind the entire project at its inception, so did a fountain of action spring from the Class of '44. A petition blank was secured along with several sheets of note paper, and freshman play directors and production heads toured the campus. Within the amazing time of a few hours over five hundred names were acquired, names of persons who advocated that the initial contract of contest-production be allowed its natural fulfillment.

And on Wednesday the impressive petition, signed by playwrights, class officers, and one-fourth the student body, was handed to a representative of the Committee on Student Activities. Action may not be taken on the formal request for a few days.

Meanwhile, judges Hennessy, Towle, and Webster are carefully perusing the twelve manuscripts entered in the contest. First prize winner will receive twenty-five dollars from the Freshman class, second prize winner, fifteen dollars. Both winners will be submitted to other, national contests, representing, in some, the University of New Hampshire; one of the winners will be printed in the Student Writer. Perhaps neither will be produced—at least on this campus.

## Stevens to Act as Head of Extension

Henry B. Stevens was this week named acting head of the University of New Hampshire General Extension Service to succeed the late John C. Kendall according to an announcement made Wednesday by President Engelhardt.

Mr. Stevens began his service with New Hampshire's extension program in 1918 when he assumed the duties of Executive Secretary to the agricultural and home economics service. In 1938 he was appointed Assistant Director of the General Extension Service and Executive Secretary to the Agricultural Experiment Station. Mr. Stevens is being promoted to his present position from that of Assistant Director and Editor of the Agricultural Experiment Station.

Graduated from Dartmouth in 1912, Mr. Stevens studied in Europe and from 1913 to 1918 served first as Assistant and then as Associate Editor of the Women's Journal and Suffrage News. In 1918 he became associated with the University of New Hampshire.

Two other promotions were announced. Samuel W. Hoitt, since 1935 Assistant State 4-H Club Leader was appointed assistant to the Director and John P. Neville was made assistant in charge of radio.

Notre Dame built its first heating plant in 1881, replaced it in 1899, and installed a third in 1931.

## W. A. A.

Women's softball is in full swing. Pearl Lippman has been appointed sports leader, and the managers are: Senior, Sally Barnwell, Junior: Claire Richard, Sophomore: Frances Robinson, and Freshman: Ellen Sanborn.

The practice schedule is as follows: Wednesday, April 23, Freshmen and Juniors; Thursday, April 24, Sophomores and Seniors; Monday, April 28, Freshmen and Juniors; Tuesday, April 29, Sophomores and Seniors; Wednesday, April 30, Freshmen and Juniors; Thursday, May 1, Sophomores and Seniors; Monday, May 5, Freshmen and Juniors; Tuesday, May 6, Sophomores and Seniors.

Practices will be from 4 to 5 o'clock. In case of rain, practice will be held on Friday. Everybody is invited to come out and swing a bat.

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be the following ushers: Phyllis Deveneau, Margery Moore, Shirley Clark, Margaret Preble, Alice Whipple, Barbara Pride, Priscilla Alden, Barbara Drowns, Margery Johnson, Jean Dempsey, Carolyn Gove, Ellen Stoddard, Marion Ingebretsen, Marcia Weatherill, Helen Rzeknikiewicz, Albertine Phaneuf, Claire Langley, Esther Jewell, Eunice Durfee, and Alice Peckham.

Costume Director will be Miss Verna Moulton with the assistance of Miss Irma G. Bowen. Property Director will be Mrs. F. E. Seavey and she will be assisted by Mrs. Edward G. Cowen, Mrs. Edna A. McLellan, and Mrs. Elizabeth B. Knowlton. Make-up Director will be Mrs. Mildred White and Music Director is Mr. Bjornar W. Bergethon.

## Alpha Chi Sigmas Convene in Durham

Tomorrow the New Hampshire chapter of Alpha Chi Sigma plays host to delegates and pledges from four other New England Tech colleges in joint initiation ceremonies. Tech students from Harvard, Yale, M. I. T., and Maine will participate in ceremonies in which ten representative pledges will become new full-pledged members of the national chemistry honorary society.

The day will come to a climax Saturday evening with the holding of a banquet and dance at Exeter Inn at which over one hundred members are expected to attend.

New Hampshire men to be initiated are Paul Burns, Norman Rogers, Robert Dudley, and Theodore Stebbins. The following men were initiated by the New Hampshire chapter last week: Bruce Carr, George LeLoup, George Paulsen, Irving Flanders, Dexter Holton, Gorgo Bruni, Parker Mitton, Harold Haley, Chester Kulesza, Wendell Webster, John Gowen, and Charles Vaughan.

## Alumni Fund Committee Gives Special Broadcast

The Alumni Fund Committee gave a special Benjamin Thompson birthday broadcast over WFEA last Monday evening from the music room on the top floor of Thompson hall. Short talks were given by President Fred Engelhardt; William Call chairman of the Alumni Committee, who spoke from Manchester; and Eugene K. Auerbach, alumni secretary. The university band played several selections during the broadcast.



## BRITT SPEAKS

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while there, he made up his mind to become a radio sportscaster. In 1935-1936 he broadcast Notre Dame football and basketball games from South Bend, Ind.; now the versatile sportscaster brings to New England fans the latest in sports news.

Last November, after his description of the Laconia, N. H., Eastern Ski Jumps, Britt dashed to the South and the training camps where he spent some time in San Antonio with Bob Quinn's boys of the Boston Bees; from there he flew to Sarasota, Fla., and the camp of Joe Cronin's Red Sox.

Other sport celebrities who have been connected with the school will also be present on the program, such as "Smoky" Kelleher, popular basketball referee, and other successful high school coaches who have made a name here on campus.

The affair is in the hands of a student committee made up of the following: Ray Doyle, chairman; Bill Call, Bill Cone, Warren Dale, Kay Flaherty, Wini Kennedy, Ed Kelleher, Bob Lennon, Maurice McQuillan, and Bob O'Neil.

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