Connecticut Agricultural College.  

Barred Plymouth Rocks,  
White Plymouth Rocks,  
Buff Plymouth Rocks,  
Buff Wyandottes,  
White Pekin Ducks,  
White Wyandottes,  
S. C. White Leghorns,  
Black Langshans,  
Buff Orpingtons,  
Colored Muscovy Ducks.

A limited amount of breeding stock and eggs for hatching in season. For information concerning the above and the Special Poultry Courses, address

POULTRY DEPARTMENT, STORRS, CONN.

BRADLEY'S FERTILIZERS  
THE WORLD'S BEST BY EVERY TEST.  
Bradley Fertilizer Works, BOSTON, MASS.

ERNEST P. CHESBRO,  
Auto Station.  
Agent for the BUICK and OVERLAND.  
RENTING and SUPPLIES.  
1029 MAIN ST., WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

The NORWICH BULLETIN

IS THE FIRST DAILY TO REACH WILLIMANTIC IN THE MORNING.

In this way all the rural delivery routes through the surrounding towns are thoroughly covered.

THE BULLETIN HAS THE FULL ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT which is taken by our own telegraph operator in our office. The news is then set up on typesetting machines, enabling us to print the very latest dispatches each morning.

SUBSCRIPTION PRICE BY MAIL: 50C. A MONTH, $6.00 A YEAR. SEND IN A TRIAL SUBSCRIPTION.

Remember our facilities for doing... JOB PRINTING Are of the BEST. QUICK WORK AT LOW PRICES.

THE BULLETIN CO., NORWICH, CONN.

Please mention The Lookout when writing to advertisers.
The Lookout

BOARD OF EDITORS

CARL M. SHARPE, '12, Editor-in-Chief
M. ALLYN WADHAMS, '12, Business Manager

Associate Editors

WESLEY O. HOLLISTER, '09, - - - Alumni Notes
CHARLES T. SENA, '12, - - - Department Notes
SHAILEO L. CLARKE, '12, - - - Athletic Notes
JOHN B. HEALEY, '12, } College Notes
ARLENE 0. DUNHAM, '12, } Exchanges
JOSEPH NATHANSON, '12, - - -

PUBLISHED MONTHLY DURING THE COLLEGE YEAR
BY THE STUDENTS OF

THE CONNECTICUT AGRICULTURAL COLLEGE

Contents

EDITORIALS - - - - - - - - - - 50
YE OLD ENGLISH CHRISTMAS - - - - - - 51
AN OLD INDIAN RESERVATION - - - - - - 52
POET'S CORNER - - - - - - - - 54
ALUMNI NOTES - - - - - - - - 54
DEPARTMENT NOTES - - - - - - - - 56
ATHLETICS - - - - - - - - - - 59
COLLEGE NOTES - - - - - - - - - - 61
EXCHANGES - - - - - - - - - - 62
INTERCOLLEGIATE NOTES - - - - - - 63
THE MODERN AGRICULTURIST - - - - - - 63
COUNTRY LIFE VERSUS CITY LIFE - - - - 64
SONG - - - - - - - - - - 65

Advertising rates on application
Address all letters to Business Manager
Entered at the post-office at Eagleville, Conn., as second-class mail matter
TERMS: One Dollar per Annum
As this number goes to press, the close of the first term of the college year is at hand. We separate for the holidays, and before the time set for our return the New Century will have completed its first decade. We need no longer regard it as merely completing movements begun before; it has required an identity of its own. The twilight of the Nineteenth Century has begun to fade into the full morning of the Twentieth. It already boasts achievements of its own. Impatient of the physical and political restraints that held in check its predecessor, and harking back for inspiration to Daedalus and Thersites, it has, in the one field achieved Aviation; in the other, Insurgency—each a notable accomplishment, wrought not without travail and strife, and both a challenge to the succeeding decades.

An excellent custom devotes each year one number of THE LOOKOUT to the Alumni. And we have set apart the January issue for this purpose. We have already one or two contributions from alumni, or former students. We are sure that with general support such a number would be increasingly valuable to all the friends of the college. It is true that the institution is still young, but the record of honorable achievement is by no means brief. We hope to receive some word from every class. Is it too much, then, to ask that the alumni get busy with their pens for this their own number? A general response to our invitation would assure a number of THE LOOKOUT of interest to the faculty, the students, and above all, to the alumni.

It was with considerable pleasure that the student body learned that there was to be an independent basketball team on the Hill this winter. Yet a situation has developed which forces us to consider whether the existence of such a team would be beneficial or detrimental to the sports maintained by our Athletic Association. It
will be remembered that at the last meeting of our Association, the manager of this independent team asked for authority to arrange a schedule and play games under the name of the Connecticut Agricultural College Basketball Team. His request was granted but, perhaps, without sufficient consideration on the part of the students. It would have been well to consider that this team will not, being independent, be so selected as to secure the best material we have in this institution; and that it is not backed by any organization, being wholly supported by the promoters of this enterprise. If this team is not a paying proposition, games will have to be canceled and those colleges who are the victims, not knowing, as we do, the conditions under which the games have been arranged, will be all probability give the managers of our other athletic teams no end of trouble in the arrangement of games in the future. If this proves to be the case, then it will be a detriment. On the other hand, if this should not happen and we should turn out a winning team, it would be a benefit to us. But in the prevailing conditions, with a small hall and without the assistance of a coach, the prospects of having such a team are remote.

To its readers, THE LOOKOUT gives with hearty good-will the customary greetings—A Merry Christmas, and A Happy New Year! Nor need we, in this season of general benevolence, deny the secret hope that the forgetful subscriber may remember the perplexities of the business manager; and, further, that none will forget to gladden the heart of the editor with an apt and prompt contribution.

Ye Old English Christmas

The celebration of Christmas in merry England, during the fifteenth century, was the most festive and picturesque of the many holidays.

On Christmas eve, the Lord of the castle invited the knights and ladies, together with his squires and attendants, to a feast, while his family encouraged every art that was conducive to the hilarity of the guests. Even the servants were permitted to make merry in their own quarters.

The cold, gloomy castle was transformed into a place of comfort and cheer, by the illumination of many candles and the warmth from huge log fires. The great hall was festooned with garlands of holly, ivy and laurel, while a large wreath of mistletoe, to which a tradi-
tional sacredness had attached itself since the days of the Druids, was hung upon the portrait of the last succeeding Lord of the Manor. The gorgeous dresses of the ladies, mingled with the gay suits of the gentry, lent a dash of color to the scene.

A feast was spread upon the mass of tables, a feast that could only grace the board of a noble and good Lord. There was an abundance of the choicest that the land and the chase could produce, which was shared amid music, laughter, repartee and toasts. The boar's head, with an apple in its mouth, set off with rosemary, was borne upon a silver platter to the principal table with great solemnity, while all the guests stood with lifted goblets in salutation and then drank to the health of the host. Huge bowls of punch were at the head of every table, while home-brewed ale and beer flowed freely. An enormous plum pudding, all ablaze with burning brandy, was generously portioned off to every guest, while above the tumultuous joy could be heard the carols of the minstrels.

After the banquet came the dance and the various games. The Yule-log, the largest that the forest could produce, was dragged into the hall and cast upon the roaring fire amid hearty cheers. Mirth was everywhere present. Portly squires and dignified knights were rollicking boyishly in the old-time game of blind-man's buff, sometimes coming in contact with obstacles and assuming ridiculous postures, which always caused an outburst of hilarity that made the oaken rafters ring. Good humor and merriment ran riot. Professional conjurors and jesters added much to the ever-increasing jollity, with their sleight-of-hand tricks and ready wit, while the musicians and minstrels put forth their best efforts. The great hall was filled with dancing couples, ladies of state and young men of rank, whirling and gliding in and out among the throng. Thus the merry-making lasted far into the wee small hours of the morning, until the candles burned low in their sockets and the light of the dawning Christmas-day stole faintly in at the windows.


XXX

An Old Indian Reservation

One of the largest of the tribes of Indians, formed by the band of wanderers who retreated before the advancing of the colonists of Connecticut, was the tribe of the Scatacooks.

The founder of this community was a Pequot, called Gideon Mauwahu, who possessed something of the energy and commanding
character for which his nation was once distinguished. He was first known as having been the leader of a small band which lived about the lower portions of the Housatonic.

While Mauwahu was living in Dover, New York, he went out on a hunting excursion, and also to look for the river which was in the next valley. He was with some of his party and they traveled as far as the summit of a mountain, and saw below, the gentle river, winding through a narrow but fertile valley shut in by mountains. As the story is told, one of the Indians, thinking that the river would be a good place for fishing, said, "Let's all go." Since then the river has been known as Mt. Algo.

The valley was not then inhabited by the whites, and as the fish and game were plentiful, they settled in the lower part of the town, which is now known as Kent. To designate them from the rest of the race they were called Scatacooks, a name originating from the following circumstance: The rattlesnakes were very numerous among the rocks back of their settlement. One day a squaw was cooking in the wigwam and a rattler appeared before her, and the sight of it scared her. Since then the place has been known by the name of Scatacook.

The Scatacooks had not enjoyed the valley many years before the whites disturbed them; although there was not much serious fighting, the Indians did not feel as free as before. At the same time, some missionaries began to preach to them, and many of the tribe were converted. A reservation was made for them on a plain on the west side of the Housatonic, and also a part of the forest was assigned to them for their hunting grounds.

The number of the descendants of these Indians remaining is small and these are all half-breeds. A few are sober and industrious, while the majority are lazy and intemperate. They live in their little houses along the foot of the mountain. They dress like the whites and attend school with them.

On one of the strips of bark on the back of a shanty is painted the word, "Amallok." Passers-by think that it is an Indian word, but after a little puzzling one finds it to mean, "Am all O. K."

They are skillful in catching rattlesnakes, and one of their number is the president of a rattlesnake club, started a few years ago by Bridgeport and New York reporters.

The last full-blooded Indian died with diphtheria just about two weeks before the diphtheria scare broke out at C. A. C. in 1909.

Poet's Corner

There was once was a swell Football Hop
With music, refreshments,—
But—Stop!
As I gazed at the crowd
I said nothing aloud.
But why was it called
"Football Hop?"

—A Lover of Truth.

There was once a swell Football Hop
With music, refreshments,—
But—Stop!
As the football men gazed at the class (?)
They said nothing aloud but—Alas!
That's why they didn't go to the hop.

XXX

Alumni Notes


'93. W. D. Dayton is manager of the Hermitage stock farm, Ganett Park, Md.

'98. C. B. Smith, forest supervisor of the Department of Agriculture, is now located at Logan, Utah.

H. L. Garrigus and A. J. Pierpont recently made a trip through Pennsylvania, Ohio and to Chicago, looking for a pair of Percheron mares. While at Chicago they attended the National stock show.

At the annual meeting of the Connecticut Sheep Breeders' Association, held at Hartford, Conn., December 1st, H. L. Garrigus was elected a director of the association for two years.
'99. W. W. James, of Plainfield, N. J., spent Thanksgiving at the home of his parents in Mansfield.

E. C. Welden, deputy road commissioner of Tolland County, attended the seventh annual meeting of the National Road Makers' Association, held at Indianapolis, Ind., December 6th to 9th. J. H. McDonald, road commissioner of this state, has been the president of this association for the last five years.

'01. Born—to Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Dimmock, of Ames, Iowa, a daughter, Phoebe.

'02. S. M. Crowell successfully underwent an operation for appendicitis at his home in Middletown the first of November.

'05. C. W. Dewey is a member of the graduating class at the university of Valparaiso, Ind.

G. M. Chapman, Jr., is engaged in the fruit and nursery business at West McKinley, Isle of Pines, Cuba.

'06. Once more the wedding bells ring out to announce the marriage of Connecticut alumni. On November 6th, Harry Brainard Risley and Emma Elizabeth Smith, ex. '06, were united in marriage at the home of the bride at Bethlehem. "Buck" is a veterinary surgeon in Brooklyn, N. Y. The Lookout extends congratulations.

Mark Bishop visited his brother at the College, December 2d to 4th.

C. J. Grant was one of the officials having charge of setting up the corn at the New England Corn Exposition.

'07. M. N. Falk has been promoted to superintendent of C. D. Curtiss' large estate at Bantan.

C. F. English is now a Junior in the medical department of the university of St. Louis.

F. S. Morris visited the College, November 29th.

'08. C. T. Woodruff has a position with the Bethlehem Steel Company. His address is 536 Broadway, South Bethlehem, Pa.

R. E. Wadsworth, better known as "Cupid," is employed as assistant in the greenhouses at Cornell.

Our old friend, Garret Stack, exhibited corn at the New England corn show and won prizes as follows: Sweepstakes; third, for the best ten ears flint corn other than white or yellow; first, best ten ears popcorn open to New England; first, best single ear eight-row yellow flint; third, best ten ears flint, other than white or yellow. The last two open to Connecticut only. This speaks well for the instruction received in corn raising and judging.

Exi '08. "Doc" Griswold is a member of the class of 1913, medical, at the University of Vermont. His address is 32 North Comerse Hall, Burlington, Vt.
'09. Rudolph Sussman writes that he is sub-master at the Fryeburg Academy, Fryeburg, Maine.

V. G. Aubry, C. E. Hood, and F. L. McDonough judged corn at the corn show in the student judging contest and received second place. Hood received a gold medal for having one of the three highest scores.

'10. E. H. Forbush spent Sunday, November 5th, at the College.

A. J. Brundage was operated upon for appendicitis in the Danbury hospital, December 2d.

Ex. 10. E. A. Hall, herdsman at the College, has severed his connection with the institution and is now at his home at New Britain.

Rollin Birdsall attended the Football Hop, December 2d, and remained over Sunday. "Birdie" is the same old boy.

"Josh" Cohen is attending the Chicago Veterinary College and graduates next year.

Ex. '11. Roy Hawley is a student at the Yale Sheffield School. His address is 333 York Street, New Haven.

"Pete" Lawler won his "T" in football at Trinity this fall.

Dana Jewett is at the Massachusetts Agricultural College.

W. S. Dilts is studying at the Michigan Agricultural College.


THE EXPERIMENT STATION.

At the recent convention of Agricultural Colleges and Experiment Stations held in Washington, D. C., the Storrs Experiment Station was represented by Director L. A. Clinton. President Beach represented the College.

Professor P. G. Holden, the corn expert of Iowa, recently visited the College. He delivered two addresses at the New England Corn Exposition at Worcester, Mass.

Dr. A. W. Dox, who, for the past four years, has been chemist
in charge of the cheese-room of the Experiment Station, has resigned to accept a position as chemist at the Iowa Experiment Station, Ames, Iowa.

The Snow farm, which has recently come under College control, has been turned over to the Experiment Station, and will hereafter be used for experimental purposes; the large field, next to the road, is being cleaned of rocks and portions of it will be under-drained in preparation for a series of plat experiments.

No line of experiment work in recent years has attracted wider attention than the investigation of white diarrhoea, which is being conducted by the poultry department. Professor Stoneburn and Dr. L. F. Rettger of Yale University have proved an excellent team in conducting these investigations. A difficulty that the experiment station is now experiencing is to satisfy all the promoters of conventions and exhibitions who wish to have a demonstration of the results already reached. The Experiment Station fund cannot be used for this purpose.

A large, modern camera has been purchased by the Experiment Station, to be used in taking pictures for advertising and lecturing purposes.

FARM DEPARTMENT.

A carload of twenty heifers, to be used in demonstration in Animal Husbandry, has arrived from the Clay Robinson Company, of Chicago, Ill. The herd is made up of three grade Aberdeen-Angus, three grade Herefords, several grade Red Polls, the remainder being Short Horns. Owing to the lateness of their arrival, most of them will probably be carried over to the next season.

The College now has a splendid opportunity to get a good start in the breeding of draft horses. Two pairs of registered Percheron mares have been purchased by the farm department; one to be used here and the other to be used at the Georgetown farm.

The moving of the horsebarn has been a troublesome job, but the structure has been successfully lifted from its foundation and is well on its way toward its new resting place. The recent heavy snow-storms, combined with unusually cold weather for this season of the year, are making the task of grading and building a retaining wall for the horsebarn in its new location very difficult. However, the foundation is nearly completed and there will be no delay in setting the building upon it.

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

Professor Gulley delivered the first of a series of six lectures at the Hillyer Institute in Hartford on Thursday evening, December
8th. During the past month fruit exhibits were made at the Worces­
ter corn show and the Manchester, N. H., fruit show.

A novel and beautiful object at the greenhouse is a Bird of Para­
dise plant in blossom. At present the banana tree has two bunches
of fruit and both of the pawpaws are in fruit, as well as several fig
plants. A successful cucumber cross has been made by cross-poli­
nization of a Duke of Edinburgh upon a White Spine. The hybrid is a
cucumber with the shape of the Duke of Edinburgh but is covered
with spines. The department hopes to obtain seeds from this
variety.

MATHEMATICAL DEPARTMENT.

All the surveying for the various kinds of work now in hand
about the College campus has been conducted by this department
and chiefly by H. D. Hatfield. Just now an accurate map of the
farm is under construction.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT.

Nearly all the stock is now in winter quarters and preparations
are being made to mate up breeding pens as incubation will soon be
began.

A number of applications have already been made for the en­
rolment in the poultry short course, which commences about the
middle of February. The course will be greatly strengthened this
year by the presence of Judge Card, of South Manchester, an old­
timer in the poultry business and a popular poultry judge. He will
be here throughout the course and will lecture on the various sub­
jects relating to the poultry industry, such as judging, scoring, mat­
ing and breeding.

DAIRY DEPARTMENT.

Advanced registry tests have been supervised by the Dairy De­
partment for the past month at the following farms:

Ayrshires—Dudley Wells & Son, Wethersfield; Henry Dor­
rance, Plainfield.

Jerseys—T. Holt, Southington; E. R. Dunn, Southington; L. W.
Walkley, Plantsville; Fernwood Farm, Litchfield; C. I. Hudson,

Guernseys—Howard Tuttle, Naugatuck; R. & H. Scoville,
Chapinville; Dr. J. D. Clark, Abington; Frank Hotchkiss, Millert­
ton, N. Y.

Holsteins—Riverside Dairy Farm, R. E. Buell, manager, Wall­
ingford; R. L. Ladd, Wapping; M. C. Knapp, Danbury.
On Friday, November 4th, the football team left for Northfield, Vermont, to play Norwich University of that place on Saturday. Fifteen men, including the manager and coach, made the trip. Although C. A. C. was defeated, 22 to 0, the trip proved to be the most enjoyable one of the season. The Norwich boys gave a dance on Saturday night for the team and treated them to a venison dinner on Sunday. During their stay at Norwich, everything possible was done to give our boys a good time and, according to report, the Norwich men succeeded in this. This seems to be the sort of College that we would do well to keep up strong relations with, and it is up to us to give the Norwich baseball team, when they come here next spring, an equally good time. We cannot give them venison for dinner but we can have a dance and entertain them otherwise. So let us all get together and plan to give the Norwich team the time of their lives when they come to Storrs.

Norwich started in the game strong and it was not long before they had scored the first touchdown. End runs and trick plays were relied on by them for the gains made and by the end of the second period all their points had been scored.

In the last two periods, C. A. C. took a brace and kept their opponents from further scoring. In the third period, Howard made a good run of 45 yards on a line shift play. If the umpire had not been in the way on a forward pass, and blocked the ball, Chipman might have made a good run, as he had a clear field. These two times were the only ones that our team had a chance to score. Quite a little punting was done by our boys, Howard doing very effective work. Those who went on the trip were Captain McDonough, McQuivey, Sharpe, Geehan, Renehan, Howard, Aubrey, Chipman, Selden, Storrs, Kendall, Curtis, Ketcham, Manager McArthur, and Coach Claffy.
The football team closed its season on November 19th, by playing Boston College on the home field. The game was full of life from the start to the finish and was the most interesting game to watch that has been seen at Storrs this year. The home team came very near scoring two or three times, but fate seemed to be against them; while Boston College, after the first four or five minutes of play, was never within scoring distance, and just as things began to look dangerous for Connecticut, Boston College fumbled and the ball was recovered by our team. Howard punted and the visitors ran the ball back to our 35-yard line. Here they were held for downs.

During the second quarter, several good gains were made by Connecticut and the ball was carried to the visitors' 15-yard line. Here we were held for downs. The visitors received the ball and punted. Howard received the ball in midfield and ran it back about 10 yards. Connecticut tried a drop kick but it fell short by about a foot. Boston College then fumbled and Kendall recovered the ball, when time was called.

During the third quarter the ball constantly changed hands in midfield, both sides playing a kicking game.

In the fourth quarter, Howard tried another drop kick but it went to the right of the goal posts. It was during this quarter that Aubry made a sensational run of 30 yards. The game ended with the ball in Connecticut's possession on the visitors' five-yard line.

For Connecticut, Captain McDonough played a star game. Others who played well were Howard, Sharpe and Ketcham.

The following football men were awarded their C: Captain McDonough, Howard, Curtis, Chipman, Renehan, Sharpe, Kendall, Ketcham, Storrs, Enholme, Geehan, Selden and Aubry.

The full-back told the half-back
To go back and sit down.
The half-back got his back up
And knocked the full-back down.

When the ladies go to see a show
They now remove their hats;
But bye-and-bye we'll hear the cry—
"Please remove your rats."

A Freshman Yell—"Rah, Rah, Ma, Ma, Pa, Pa, Help."
The young ladies of Grove Cottage, gave a shirt waist dance, in College Hall, Friday evening, November eighteenth, from eight to eleven o’clock. The dance was a success.

Preacher—“You cannot go to heaven on a Pullman.”

Mac. (in gallery)—“No; but you can go to ‘God’s Country’ on the C. V.”

For the benefit of Captain Howard and his running-mate, Reaveley, we would like to say that we read, in the matrimonial gazette, that telephone girls make good wives, and that we also believe in giving the working girl a chance.

Danny Williams has returned from a short honeymoon spent in Bridgeport and vicinity.

Miss Mary Berry, of Boston, was the guest of her sister, Miss Lillian C. Berry, during the Thanksgiving recess.

When leaving home the morning he came back to Storrs, on kissing his mother good-bye, Whitie said, “Good night, dear.” Force of habit, Nelson?

Ray Newton, of Boston, gave a very interesting and entertaining exhibition of sleight-of-hand tricks in the College Hall recently. The entertainment was given under the auspices of the Ladies’ Aid Society and was attended by a large number.

Professor—“If you have a house painted white and another painted green, how are you going to have them painted the same color?”

Chippie—“Mix the paints.”
A party was given by Miss Berry at the Cottage on Thanksgiving evening. Dancing and singing were enjoyed and light refreshments were served.

Miss Florence N. Jackson was the guest of her sister, Miss Edna Jackson, during the Thanksgiving recess.

McQuivey's rag was out a mile recently when some one told him that Miss Rice had detailed him to wait on the fair co-eds.

Two years ago, the young ladies of Grove Cottage formed a club, known as the Iustidia. Last year, the name of this club was changed to Beta Gamma Kappa. The officers of this flourishing society of thirty-five members are: President, Miss Kathrine C. Lynch; vice-president, Miss Grace W. Sanford; secretary and treasurer, Miss Margaret L. Wilson. The weekly Saturday night meetings are held in the club parlors. They are of a social and literary character. Six new members were initiated Saturday evening, November 19th.

Keating was recently unanimously elected president of the Beefers' Club. The club has added many new names to its list of members this year. Kendall was a candidate for vice-president, but was beaten out for this office by Duffy Barnard. Kendall, however, was elected secretary and treasurer.

The dance in College Hall on December 2d was greatly enjoyed by all present.

***

Exchanges

THE LOOKOUT wishes to acknowledge with thanks the following exchanges for November:
The O. A. C. Review—Ontario Agricultural College.
The Cornell Countryman—Cornell University.
The Penn State Farmer—Pennsylvania State College.
The Beacon—Rhode Island Agricultural College.
The Springfield Student—Springfield Training School.
The Weekly Spectrum—North Dakota Agricultural College.
The Observer—Ansonia High School.
Our Tatler—Walton High School.
Intercollegiate Notes.

A new dramatic club has been formed in the University of Wisconsin. The purpose of the club is to further play-writing and play-production, and the encouragement of dramatics of better order.

Just as soon as the class of 1914 of Mt. Holyoke College graduates, secret societies will become a thing of the past at that college. The faculty by an almost unanimous vote has decided that such student organizations shall be abolished. The conclusion has been reached after a thorough investigation in which all parties involved have had an opportunity to freely express their views.

During an examination given recently at the University of Missouri, the professor passed around the cigars. (?)

Over fifty students of Denver University will receive low grades for the first semester, as a result of taking a holiday to celebrate a football victory.

Some idea of how a college would be run if the administrative power were given to the Seniors is contained in a news item from the University of Chicago:

"According to a proclamation by class leaders, Seniors who shave will not be graduated and diplomas will be given only to men who wear moustaches. According to the new requirement the sixty seniors of the university must refrain from shaving their upper lips for the rest of the college year. All students who disobey this order will be ducked in the swimming pool in full costume. The student who raises the finest moustache by December 16th will receive a valuable prize at the class dance.

The Seniors in retaliation have forbidden the members of other classes to appear with moustaches. Those who offend in this particular will have their lips trimmed by the Seniors."

Christmas vacation will begin at Washington and Lee Universities at once, because of the development of several cases of typhoid fever during the past week. Most of the fall term has been completed and the winter term will begin as announced January 3d, next.

The Modern Agriculturist

The scientific farmer is no longer thought of as a mere nature fakir, says the progressive agriculturist of to-day. He is an authority, on agricultural information, although in years past he was considered the laughing stock of the town.

Thousands of young men to-day are attending the many agri-
cultural colleges of the country. They are going out, with methods which are directly affecting rural progress and welfare. Crops are doubled by the use of their modern methods. Practical money value in the use of scientific methods is being demonstrated by them. Success is the result of their pursuits and demonstration in nearly every section of this country.

Greater profits are being made by the man who uses proper methods, than his neighbor with his reverence for by-gone policies. The spirit of freedom and independence now thrills the soul of every energetic co-laborer of nature. The enthusiasm for agricultural betterment is contagious, and for this reason the business is attracting people from all classes of society.

Farming is not merely the raising of crops, the breeding of stock for one's home consumption, as it was in former years. Now every thing is figured out in percentage, the dollar and cents, for the yield of farm crops. Everything is systematized and accounted for in money values. The feeding of balanced rations, the fertilizer percentages needed in the various soils, the spraying of the trees and plants for the eradication of diseases, have become a part of everyday farm life.

If a young man, after taking a course at an agricultural college, can put into operation the methods, and so apply the principles thus acquired as to double the yields in his various crops, and if at the same time he can build up a fine dairy herd, there can be no doubt of the education given by the college, nor any uncertainty as to the worth to the individual and the community of modern methods of farming.

Country Life Versus City Life

Forty years ago the country youth set forth to the city to make his fortune. The farm held out no opportunities to him. It was an isolated life of hard work with small returns, while the city was full of prizes to entice him to put forth his energies to attain them.

But now it is the reverse—"Back to the Country" is the cry. Never before has the farm offered such opportunities, for with the experiment stations, agricultural colleges, and the scientific knowledge discovered, farming is becoming one of the foremost occupations of the age. The drudgery has been largely removed by the modern inventions of labor-saving devices, and the isolation has been lessened by the telephone, the automobile, and the rural free delivery of mail.

Old "Mother Earth" is yielding gold mines to the men who have
brains and who are not afraid of work. The pure air, wholesome food, and exercise of the life on the farm has brought health to many a sick and discouraged city man. Thus, men and women becoming tired of the noisy city, with its hurry and worry, are migrating to the country and buying up farms that were abandoned long ago.

H. S., '13.

XXX

Song

I.
Fair College, set on hilltop high,
To us you have been true.
We'll pledge our memories, grave and gay,
In loyalty to you.
Sometimes, perchance, we've held you light
But deep beneath the jest
We've felt your message in its might
A spur to do our best.

II.
We bring to you what you have sown
Of truth, for us to reap.
We've tried to take it for our own
And faithful to it keep.
Connecticut! Oh, ever may
Your true sons loyal be.
To you, through golden days or gray,
We swear fidelity.

III.
What can we do to prove that we
Are loyal, heart and soul?
How can we show you, C. A. C.,
Your honor is our goal?
Oh! Alma Mater, crowned through worth
And set upon a height,
Our hopes, our fears, our griefs, our mirth,
We pledge to you to-night!

—M. E. H.
"Why is flirtation a common noun?"
"Don’t know."
"Because it is not proper."

Young man (in a jewelry store)—“Um-er-er-er-I want-er-ah-ah-ah-ah-ah-er-er-ah.
Keeper—“Certainly, sir. Samuel, bring me that tray of engagement rings.”

Freshies’ faults are many.
Sophs have only two;
Every thing they say
And every thing they do.

6 YEARS' use has proven that SAN JOSE SCALE
and all FUNGOUS diseases, controllable during the dormant season, are absolutely controlled
by the use of PRATT'S

“SCALECIDE”

There is but one—“PRATT’S” Trade Mark, Reg. U. S. Pat. Off.
Prices: In barrels and half-barrels, 50c per gallon; 10 gal. cans, $6.00; 5 gal. cans, $3.25;
1 gal. cans, $1.00. If you want cheap oils, our “CARBOLEINE” at 90c per gallon is the equal of
ANYTHING ELSE. Send today for free Booklets, “Orchard Dividends” and “Modern
Methods of Harvesting, Grading, and Packing Apples.”

B. G. PRATT COMPANY, Mfg. Chemists, 50 CHURCH ST., NEW YORK CITY

DIEGES & CLUST

“'If we made it, it's right’
CLASS PINS MEALS
FRATERNITY PINS CUPS

47 Winter Street
BOSTON MASS.
THE LOOKOUT

C. A. C. Directory

Board of Trustees.
Governor Frank B. Weeks, President, ex-officio.
H. G. Manchester.
G. A. Hopson.
E. H. Jenkins, Ph.D.
Chas. M. Jarvis.
Hon. E. S. Henry.
D. W. Patten, Treasurer.
C. A. Capen, Secretary.
A. J. Pierpont.
L. J. Storrs.
J. W. Alsop.

H. D. Newton, Ph.D., Instructor in Chemistry.
W. J. Lane, B. A., Assistant Chemistry Instructor.
P. C. Ginther, Chief Clerk.
Susy D. Rice, Steward.

Students' Organization.
President, S. L. Clarke.
First Vice-President, J. A. Geehan.
Second Vice-President, R. House.
Secretary, H. L. Truman.

Alumni Association.
President, O. F. King, '06.
Secretary, A. W. Manchester, '03.

Athletic Association.
President, C. M. Sharpe.
Vice-President, B. L. Scoville.
Secretary, F. A. Mills.
Treasurer, Prof. E. O. Smith.
Assistant Treasurer, G. A. Root.

College Shakespearean Club.
President, S. L. Clarke.
Vice-President, D. A. Beebe.
Recording Secretary, C. E. Eddy.
Treasurer, R. L. Mason.
Corresponding Secretary, L. B. Reed.

Eclectic Literary Society.
President, A. N. McQuivey.
Vice-President, N. H. White.
Treasurer, C. T. Senay.
Corresponding Secretary, E. H. Katham.
Recording Secretary, G. A. Geehan.

Scroll and Pen.
President, H. L. Truman.
Vice-President, A. B. Sturges.
Treasurer, R. M. Smith.

Track, '10-'11.
Captain, Manager, C. T. Senay.

Baseball Team, '11.
Captain, T. F. Keating.
Manager, M. A. Wadhams.
Assistant Manager, D. E. Williams.

Football Team, 1911.
Captain, A. L. Howard.
Manager, E. H. Katham.
Assistant Manager, F. S. Mills.

Class Presidents.
1912, Senior—M. A. Wadhams.
1913, Junior—D. A. Beebe.
1914, Sophomore—R. H. Barnard.
1915, Freshman—E. W. West.
WHY HAVE POOR MILK?

You do not expect poor, impoverished land to yield big crops and abundant harvests. Is it then any more reasonable to expect poor milk impoverished by uncleanliness to produce good butter and cheese. Quality once taken away cannot be restored. Poor milk has a value but not one equal to good clean milk.

You doubtless use

WYANDOTTE
DAIRYMAN'S CLEANER AND CLEANSER

Why not then, tell the patron what it has done for you? Show him its cleaning and sweetening properties, and how freely it rinses leaving no flavor or residue. Tell him of its purity and why it makes no suds. Tell him also of its excellence as a household cleaner. Help him so that he can help you.

Order from your supply house.

The J. B. Ford Company, Sole Mfrs., Wyandotte, Mich., U. S. A.
This Cleanser has been awarded the highest prize wherever exhibited.

---

Cleanliness  Promptness

B & G LUNCH
Arm Chair and Buffet Lunch
No. 717 Main Street
WILLIMANTIC, CONNECTICUT
W. H. BUTEAU, Manager

Turner's Stable

Established 1887.
LIVERY AND BOARDING.
Large sheds and yard for hitching and feeding horses. Pleasant waiting room for ladies.
A. W. TURNER, (Near Opera House),
767 Main Street, - Willimantic, Conn.

The Lincoln & Boss Lumber and Coal Co.
Lumber, Coal, Insurance,
and Fidelity Bonds.

Telephone Connection. 50 North St.

Patronize...

Murphy Bros.,
Livery and Feed Stable,
Double and Single Teams at your service.
Telephone 176-A. WILLIMANTIC, CONN.
Successors to WILLIAMS.

---

H. E. Remington
& Co.,
CLOTHIERS
and
OUTFITTERS,
Willimantic,
Conn.

Established 1892.
Stephén Lane Folger,
180 Broadway, New York.

Watches, Diamonds, Jewelry.
Club and College Pins and Rings,
Gold and Silver Medals.

Please mention The Lookout when writing to advertisers.
YOU want the simplest, most economical, most reliable and most durable engine made. You want the one that saves the most work, time and money. In short, you want the engine that pays the biggest dividends. That is why your engine is in the I H C line.

After carefully investigating other engines, thousands have chosen from the I H C line. They now know what perfect power-service means, for I H C engines are unequalled for running the many machines on the farm—such as cream separator, wood saw, feed cutter, churn, grindstone, fanning mill, corn sheller, thresher, shredder, pump, etc.

Wherever you go—I H C engines are giving satisfactory service. Judge by what they are doing for thousands. Judge by comparison—point by point—with other engines. To be absolutely sure of getting the engine that will mean most to you—choose out of the line of

I H C Gasoline Engines

A Size and Style To Suit Every Need

You will get the engine that is best adapted to your work. You will get the engine that will work simplest, cheapest and best. You will get a simple engine that you can depend on. I H C engines are made in many sizes and styles. Whichever one you choose—is best in its class.

I H C Vertical engines are made in 2, 3 and 25-horsepower; I H C Horizontal engines (portable and stationary) are made in 4, 6, 8, 10, 12, 15, 20 and 25-horsepower; Famous air-cooled engines are made in 1, 2 and 3-horsepower; Hopper cooled engines are made in 2, 2½, 3, 4, 6 and 8-horsepower; and there are also I H C sawing, spraying and pumping outfits—besides the International tractors—successful in every contest, winning the highest honors at home and abroad—made in 12, 15 and 20-horsepower sizes.

See the local International dealer at once. Let him tell you all about the I H C engine that meets your needs exactly. You will be well repaid for your visit. If you prefer, write direct to us about the engines you are most interested in and we will promptly send you catalogues and any special information you request.

INTERNATIONAL HARVESTER COMPANY OF AMERICA
(Incorporated)
CHICAGO U S A
A Farmer's Lumber Yard.
2,000,000 Shingles Constantly on Hand.
Also 2,000,000 Barn Boards
At the Lowest Possible Prices.
Office and Yard:
88 Church St., Willimantic, Conn.

Willimantic Lumber & Coal Co.
P. J. TWOMEY, Yard Manager.

SANDERSON'S SPECIAL FORMULA FERTILIZERS
For all Crops.
SANDERSON Fertilizer & Chemical Co.,
Office and Works, West Haven, Conn.
Post Office Address,
Box 172, New Haven, Conn.
Send for Circular.

WESTFALL SPECIAL.
A Tennis Racket That is Worth While.

Designed by an Expert.
Embodying the Latest Ideas.
Endorsed by Premier Tennis Players.
Fully Guaranteed. Oval Shape. Large Handle.
CLOSE CENTRE STRINGING.

SCHOVERLING, DALY & GALES, 302-304 BROADWAY, NEW YORK CITY.

D. P. Comtois
814 MAIN STREET, WILLIMANTIC, CONN
Dealer in HOUSEFURNISHINGS
KITCHEN UTENSILS
Crockery and Glassware

MODERN
Steam Carpet Cleaning and Rough Dry Family Washing, as well as Our Famous Shirt and Collar Work, is Sure to Please. Prices Right.

Maverick Laundry and Carpet Cleaning Works,
828 MAIN ST., WILLIMANTIC, CONN.
Opp. Hooker House.

J. F. CARR & CO.
Combination Clothiers,
Hatters and Furnishers.
744 Main Street, Willimantic, Conn.

THE WILSON DRUG CO.,
Established 1829. Incorporated 1904.
Wholesale and Retail Druggists.
723 Main St. WILLIMANTIC, CONN. Opposite Depot
Eastern Connecticut's Leading Drug Store.

D. C. BARROWS,
DIAMONDS, WATCHES AND JEWELRY.
Optical Goods, Eastman Kodaks and Supplies, Butterick Patterns.
Willimantic, Conn.

Please mention The Lookout when writing to advertisers.
Buffalo Brand Fertilizers

The Plant Foods that are Making Good
Otherwise how would you account for our marvelous continuous growth, as follows:
1904 Shipments, 24,676 Tons.
1906 Shipments, 47,246 Tons.
1905 Shipments, 36,250 Tons.
1907 Shipments, 55,260 Tons.
1908 Shipments, 58,364 Tons.

Our prices are always reasonable. Write for our Catalogue and Handy Vest Pocket Memorandum.

THE BUFFALO FERTILIZER CO., Station A Buffalo, N. Y.

The Leonard Prescription Pharmacy.
Prescription Specialist,
780 Main St., WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

Gasoline Engines, Spraying Outfits, Ensilage Cutters, Silos and Woodsaws.
Complete Water Supply Outfits contracted for with either Pneumatic underground or elevated tanks.
Write for catalogue.

BOSTON STORE
66 High Street.
Stephen B. Church, Seymour, Ct.
Telephone Connection.

Pianos, Talking Machines, &c.,
At 789 and 793 Main St.
Also a Fine Moving Picture Entertainment for 5c. A good place to spend a spare hour.

J. F. CLUNE.

THE NEW YORK QUICK LUNCH ROOM,
STEARNS & ROSEBROOKS, Proprietors.
7 Railroad St., Willimantic, Conn.

LATHAM & CRANE,
Contractors and Builders.
Dealers in
Paints, Oils, Paper Hangings, Room Mouldings, Glass, Kalsomine, Varnish and Brushes.
Outside and Inside Finish, Mouldings, Brackets and Stair Work,
Steam Power Shops, 159 Valley Street, Willimantic, Conn.

J. O. BLANCHETTE, BAKERY and FANCY CAKES.
Wholesale and Retail.
Orders for Parties, Weddings, Etc., promptly attended to.
44 Church Street, Willimantic, Conn.

THE A. C. ANDREW MUSIC CO.,
804 and 806 Main St., WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

THE PLIMPTON MFG. CO.,
Envelope and Blank Book Manufacturers, Printers and Engravers,
HARTFORD, CONN.
GREENHOUSES

Our business is manufacturing and building greenhouses—and their equipment—nothing else.

Greenhouses for every conceivable growing purpose.

We erected those at the Storrs Agricultural College.

If interested, send for Private Greenhouse Book, or our literature on commercial houses.

LORD & BURNHAM COMPANY,
1133 BROADWAY, NEW YORK.

John C. North,
Insurance Specialist,
NEW HAVEN, CONN.

We are equipped to care for insurance of all kinds. After many years of experience (Established 1843) can guarantee to cover you right. Our "Full Armor" proposition is worth your consideration. It leaves no loopholes. Advice Free.

Write or telephone.

The compass always directs you NORTH.

The Baker & Taylor Co.
33-37 East 17th Street, New York City.

Orders and inquiries from buyers of books in quantities, schools, libraries and booksellers solicited. The most prompt and complete shipment of orders at lowest prices for all parts of the country—the best service in the United States. Portrait catalog of our own publications will be sent on request.

STAMPS.

250 different United States, Cuba, Equador, Etc. 10c.
300, all different, scarce stamps, $1.00.

AGENTS WANTED—50 PER CENT. COMMISSION.

We buy old collections. Price list free.

RELIANCE STAMP CO.,
246 Central Street, Auburndale, Mass.

Please mention The Lookout when writing to advertisers.
Your Wants in the
JEWELRY
LINE WILL RECEIVE PROMPT ATTENTION AT
J. C. TRACY'S
No. 688 Main Street, WILLIMANTIC.

Dr. HERBERT E. F. TIESING,
Surgeon Dentist,
Shea Block, Willimantic.

GASOLENE ENGINES.
Don't buy one until you have seen the line of engines I have to offer.
Herbert T. Clark, 104 Main St., Willimantic.

Clothing of Merit
Stein Bloch are Leaders.
Suits, Overcoats, Rain Coats,
Lamson & Hubbard Hats. Eagle Shirts.
Wright & Ditson Sweaters.
Full line of Neckwear.
H. L. HUNT & CO.

W. L. DOUGLAS
and the
RALSTON SHOES
Sold in Willimantic by
W. N. POTTER, No. 2 Union Street.

Martin's Studio,
23 CHURCH ST.,
Willimantic, Conn.
Ground Floor. Sittings Day or Evening.

Artistic Photography
in UP-TO-DATE STYLES.
Framing Department Connected.
ALSO COMPLETE LINE OF
PHOTOGRAPHIC SUPPLIES.

HENRY FRYER, Merchant Tailor.
Full line of Foreign and Domestic Woolens.
Latest Styles and most Fashionable Designs.
672 Main Street, Willimantic, Conn.

FASHIONABLE
FOOTWEAR
The Union Shoe Co.,
CHAS. F. RISEDORF, Treasurer,
WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

OUR SPECIALTIES:
"WALK OVER" and "QUEEN QUALITY"
BRICK & SULLIVAN,
BOOTS & SHOES...
782 Main Street, Willimantic, Conn.

JORDAN HARDWARE CO.
Builders and General Hardware
Mechanical and Agricultural Tools and Cutlery of every description.
Call and Inspect our line.
664 Main Street, Willimantic.

SAMUEL CHESBRO
Apothecary.
Huyler's Candies, Perfumes, Cigars,
and everything in the Drug line.
S. CHESBRO. WILLIMANTIC, Conn.

J. C. Lincoln,
Furniture, Carpets, Stoves,
Crockery, Wall Paper,
Curtains, Bedding, Etc.
Junction Main and Union Sts.,
WILLIMANTIC, CONN.

DRY GOODS and GROCERIES

OUR MOTTO:
To give our customers the very choicest goods and to make the prices as low as consistent with good quality.

H. V. BEEBE,
STORRS, CONN.
The Connecticut Agricultural College
Storrs, Connecticut

Two-year academic course. Open to those who have had a common school education.

Three-year courses in agriculture, mechanic arts, and home economics. Open to those who have taken the two academic years, or who have completed two or more years of high school work.

One year of post-graduate work in agriculture for those who have completed the three-year course in agriculture. B. S. degree.

Short winter courses in dairying, poultry husbandry, and pomology.

Summer School of agriculture, nature study, and home economics.

CHARLES LEWIS BEACH,
President.