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Fraternity Notes

E TA LAM DBDA SIGMA.
On the evening of April 7th the asso­ciates present and instructors of the different departments were enter­tained in the fraternity room. A very enjoyable evening was spent playing pool, chess and cards. Among those present were: Messrs. Southwick, Manter, Edmonds, Warner, Hughes, Card, Torrey, Duffee and Campbell.

COLLEGE SHAKESPEAREAN CLUB.
R. I. Scoville, ’13, is to receive his M. A. from Cornell University;
M. K. Cadwell, ’15, intends to come north for a few weeks this summer.
He is growing sugar cane for the Francisco Sugar Co., of Francisco, Cuba.

SIGMA ALPHA PI.
E. B. Schofield, ’15, has joined the ranks of the married men.
S. B. Hollis, ’14s, is next in line with an announcement of his engagement.
C. W. Jewett, ex ’17, is on the Sunset Hill Farm, Hampton, Conn.
R. A. Smith, ’13, is testing on an advanced register in law. He has recently taken charge of the Abilda Poultry Farm, Crescent Beach, Niantic, Conn.
The following were with us on Alumni Day: L. K. Burwell, ex ’17; C. G. Crockser, ’12; A. F. Forbes, ’12; S. D. Hollis, ’14s; R. A. Smith, ’13; C. W. Jewett, ’17.

ALPHA PHI.
Harold Brundage, ’12s, was married to Miss Jean Griesold, ’13, on March 15, at the bride’s home in New Haven.
John Pease, ’13, was recently married.
Harold Ellis, ’15, is working in Bristol as the superintendent of the fruit farm of Dr. Desmarais.
Truman Spencer, ’14, is working for the Mutual Life Insurance Co. of Newark, N. J.
Willis Homer, ’12s, was recently in­vited to the fraternity.

PHI EPSILON PI.
M. Traurig, of Crosby High School, Waterbury, spent the week of April 18th to 14th with his brother at the College.
M. Horwitz, ’12s, has been pledged to the fraternity.

COMMUNS CLUB.
On the night of March 17th the Club held open night. President Beach and Professors Smith and Wheeler were there. A very enjoyable evening was spent by all. President Beach spoke on the school that is to be started at Georgetown, where city boys may obtain some farm experience before attending college.
On the night of April 8th, Professor Wheeler gave a very interesting il­lustration of the Cotton Plant. (Continued on page 2.)

Alumni Notes

1915.
The following 1915 men were at the College for Alumni Day: Leo Marks, W. T. Ackerman, H. B. Ellis, W. A. Horgan, G. R. Blake and E. F. Parnham.
F. W. Windsor is engaged to Miss Frances Ritchie Sherman of Cambridge.
John P. Kilmer is with his father in the piano business in Boston.

C. A. C. Rifle Club
MATCHES ENDED FOR THE SEASON.
On April 8th the rifle team shot the last match on their schedule against colleges in Class C of the N. R. A. The season as a whole has been successful, although the team will probably not be drawn from Class C to Class B, as had been hoped, their total score being somewhat low. This low total is the result of losing one match by default while the College was closed on account of three days of snow.
During the previous two years the team defeated every opponent and the schedule included several championship matches and other events of a very high rating. The team was not, however, then a member of the National Rifle Association and lacking a strong organization it seemed at the close of last year to be in danger of falling to pieces through lack of support, both financial and otherwise.
The team, however, determined to put the club on a permanent and more stable basis and started the year by securing about seventy new members, an increase of more than one hundred per cent. over the year before.
As soon as the members were en­rolled, negotiations were opened with the National Secretary of the N. R. A., and after some time and a great deal of "red tape," the charter of "The University Rifle Association," of which the C. A. C. is to be a member, was issued.
The club immediately entered a team in the intercollegiate matches, and new members were placed in Class C.
The new rifle range in the Hawley Armory was not completed in time for the elimination matches, to pick the team and consequently the lit­tle range in the Main Building had to be used. However, the new range was finished in time for the opening match of the regular schedule and the team christened the range by a victory over John Hopkins University.
The entire schedule as given below, consisted of thirteen matches in the N. R. A. tournament. Only one match outside of the regular schedule was shot this year, that one being against the crack Norwich (Citizen) Rifle Team of the N. R. A., and resulting in a victory for us by a score of 497 to 492. Of the eleven N. R. A. matches from which official returns have been re­ceived up to date, we have five victories to our credit against six defeats. We feel that this is to be regarded as a very successful season, considering that our team was greatly handicapped by having to develop new men, there being only one member of last year's team left.
The incoming classes finished con­siderable material and there is no (Continued on page 3.)
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THE COLLEGE

Our old friend Pro Bono Publico is with us again. He touches a subject that is close to our hearts, namely, our student life. The boy's ball has always been a favorite subject of attack from all sides but the Campus is like Switzerland, strictly neutral. There is a situation here, however, that means a good deal to us and F. P. B. treats it as follows: "There have been several attempts this year on the part of the students to have some method arranged whereby the meat-books might be placed on the monthly bill. This privilege, if such it is, seems to have been abused in the past in various ways, and because some limitation was seen to be needed it was decided that these books could be obtained only on a cash payment.

This, of course, causes some inconvenience, both at home and at the College. Many of the students have thought it rather unfair to take such a radical step and there were various methods suggested that would tend to protect the College, eliminate the abuses, and, in a measure, satisfy both the students and the people at home. The writer has recently noted a condition of affairs which suggested more forcibly to him the advisability of legislation to cover this subject. It seems that the students can procure jewelry, such as seal pins, watch chains, penknives, etc., at the bookstore and have the charges placed on the bill under the heading Stationery and Supplies. They have in some cases, many run up several dollars at a clip. This seems unjustifiable indeed. The practice is subject to the same abuse as that of chartering the meat-books. In fact, it is subject to more. How many young ladies are there at home who are wearing rings, hatspins and the like that were paid for by fond parents under the impression that they were laying out good money for a new German reader or English dictionary or other necessity for their boy at school.

Such conditions are allowable it would seem as if some agreement could be reached whereby the College could give out meat-books and assign periods on the presentation of certificates from home, and the boys could blow themselves to a real meal once in a while, rather than send their best girl a red brooch and get away with it."

Now that spring is at hand and the piping of the frogs is heard in the mudholes, we may expect to see the "Keep Off The Grass" signs evident before long. The practice of cutting the mudholes has not had its usual bad effects this year, because of the fact that the ground was covered with snow a good deal of the time, but now that the lawns are clear the tendency seems to hang on to us like beggar's ticks. It is hard to teach an old dog new tricks, but if all will bear in mind that the sidewalks are now in the best condition allowing their use, and also that the grass will make a fine place for lounging later on, perhaps the two will have a chance where there was but one—or none before.

The majority of the copy for this issue of the Campus was written by members of the Freshmen class or new men trying out for the editorial board. The second issue of this month is the last chance anyone will have to try out as the annual election of the Board will take place about the 15th of May. Those with suggestions for the next issues should see the Managing Editor at once.

In these days of political confusion and discussing it may not be out of place to link the mention of the State Highway Commissioner's name with a certain quotation of Burns, which runs somewhat to the effect that "sinners shall be damned unless they mend their ways."

Junior Prom.

EARLY PLANS FOR A BIG TIME.

Present indications for this year's Junior Prom are that it will be the best in the history of the College. The date decided on is May 12th, and the following committees have been chosen: Executive—Pres., Leslie E. Lawrence, and Hoffm., '17; Decorative—W. B. Smith, '17, Ryan, Morse, Collin, Sanford, Francis, '18, and Elr. The Tempo orchestra of Hartford has been engaged to furnish music, the quality of which is assured by the satisfaction which they have given here at some of the past dances. The refreshments will consist of a light buffet lunch. As the Prom will come in a complete blossom time, it is expected that these flowers, together with ground pine and cedar will furnish ample material for decorations.

The dance will be formal, as usual, and the complete subscription price will be $2.50. The committee expects that about eighty couple will attend. It hopes to continue the dance until 2:00 A.M., as is the custom at such affairs.

THE C. A. C. RIFLE CLUB
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doubt that in a year or two we can again be in a position to challenge any team in the N. C. A. I. inter-collegiate division and have no fear of a severe defeat.

Lieutenant Amory has acted as official judge and coach throughout the year and both the club and team feel very grateful for his active interest and assistance.

Although the official season is over, it is planned to shoot a members' match in the near future under N. C. A. regulations, and in which suitable prizes will be given to the winners.

The executive committee is also planning to hold a "smoker" at a later date to finish the year and lay plans for next season. Speeches will be heard from the outgoing officers, and plenty of "smokes" and light refreshments will be served, and so an interesting meeting and a general good time is assured. As only paid up members will be eligible so few delinquents should take early opportunity to settle their dues.

The officers of the C. A. C. Rifle Club are as follows:

President, - - - - C. E. Lee, '16
Secretary, - - - A. W. Miller, '16
Treasurer, - - - G. L. Frielde, '17
Team Captain, - - - R. Knight, '17
Off. Judge and Coach, 
Lect. Charles B. Amory, U. S. A.

SCHEDULE OF MATCHES.

C. A. C. Opp.
Jan. 15-John Hopkins Univ. 926 894
25-Williams College ... 924 983
Mar. 9-Columbia Univ. . . . . 929 944
Feb. 5-College of St. Thomas 925
11-Lehigh ............ default
18-Oregon Agr. College 971 925
19-Miss., Inst. of Tech. 926 927
Mar. 5-Harvard Univ. .... 950 969
11-Rensselaer Tech. 969 975
L 22-Penn. State College 976 959
April 5-Ohio State University
1-Ohio State College.

"What's the row next door?"
"Only a wooden wedding."
"Woolen wedding?"
"Yes, a couple of poles getting married."

The faculty ruling at Princeton that prohibits an athlete from engaging in more than two sports, is challenged for the reason that it is bound to interest in winter sports. Most of the men who play football are valuable material for other teams also, but on account of the two sport rule, prefer to wait to engage in the spring sports.

Lastrap Field at the University of Minnesota, has been converted into a skating rink. Special music is furnished during the evenings that skating parties are held.

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ALUMNI NOTES
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prominent in Masonic circles and is secretary of the Carmel Athletic Association.

Mr. Irving Nesmith is the proud father of a son, Robert Irving, born January 13th, last. New St., is a market gardener at Reading, Mass.

Matthew J. Lamb is a postman in the city of Boston.

Victor G. Aubry is a poultry specialist with the extension service of the New Jersey College of Agriculture at New Brunswick, New Jersey. Victor also has charge of the Boys’ and Girls’ Club work.

1906.

J. Harry Barker is running a farm in his home town of Branford, Conn. Mr. Barker is married and has two children.

Mark Bishop is assisting in the management of the Bishop farm in Cheshire, Conn.

Dr. W. L. Curtis is a successful veterinary surgeon in Los Angeles, California. His address is 1264 West 22nd St., Los Angeles, Calif.

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Swift married Miss Winifred Church, of Chaplin. They have one daughter.

SCATTERING.
G. M. Stock, '97, is a horticulturist with headquarters at Still River, Conn.
C. R. Green, '95, is librarian at the Massachusetts Agricultural College.
Wm. T. Schofield is in the grocery business in Naugatuck, Conn.

Abelard Pacheco, '95, is president of an Agricultural College in Ambato, Ecuador, South America.
A. E. Weston, '98, is busy filling contracts with the State Highway Commission for the building of fences along the roads in the western section.
S. T. Harvey, '92, is superintendent of a farm in Hingham, Mass.
C. R. Pomroy, '90, is still engaged in the grain business at Westminster, Conn.
E. M. Stoddard, '97, is an assistant botanist at the New Haven Experiment Station. Mr. Stoddard was one of the speakers at the Alumni dinner.
C. J. Woodruff, '98, is the proprietor of a garage in Washington, Conn.
J. A. Gamble, '90, is joint author of Bulletin No. 564 on Milk and Cream Contests, issued March 7th, by the Dairy Division of the Bureau of Animal Industry of the United States Department of Agriculture.
Earl Denmark, '97, has been traveling through the west for several years past, finding employment among the experiment stations in the various states. He visited among others the State Colleges of Arizona, Kansas, Wisconsin, Colorado, and New York. Wherever he has been, he has seen a prettier campus than we have here at Storrs.

The hearing of the committee of the directors of the Clinton National Bank, Mr. S. Burdette Reed was chosen as cashier. Mr. Reed entered the employ of the bank in 1915, and for the past year has acted as cashier. Previous to his appointment, he had been in the employ of the W. L. Andrews Estate, of Elmwood, as a salesman. Mr. Reed graduated from the Connecticut Agricultural College in 1907 as a great favorite among his classmates, and as evidence that his popularity has not decreased, is the fact that his advancement was requested by a petition from a large number of the patrons of his alma mater. While a student he was a member of the Eta Lambda Sigma fraternity and later identified himself with Jephtha Lodge, No. 65, A. F. & A. M., Hartford Lodge, No. 1, O. E. F., and Midian Encampment.

SENIOR SCHOOL BANQUET
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speaker of the evening, G. A. Wheeler, the class poet, was called upon for his interpretation of the muse. The pathos was convulsed with hilarity at his droll and satirical representations of members of the faculty and others. No better person could have been selected to conclude such an interesting program. Due credit must be given to Mr. Wheeler, who handled the affair in a most energetic and able manner. No opportunity was lost to make every moment one of life and movement. The committee in charge, S. A. Butler, and H. M. Crompton, was given a rousing cheer.

The party broke up in the wee small hours of the morning after singing the Alma Mater.

The following forenoon the dairymen of the class visited Pine Hill Farm in Newton. In the afternoon the same men made a tour of inspection of Bryant & Chapman's city milk plant.

FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE SMOKER
A LIVELY TIME AT THE '18-'19 GET-TOGETHER
The first Freshman-Sophomore smoker in recent years was held last Wednesday evening in the rooms of the Commons Club. The object of this gathering was to obliterate any ill feelings that existed between the two classes and to establish a custom to be followed each year in the future. The Sophomores were the guests of the lower class. Both classes contributed toward the entertainment in which were short speeches by Prof. E. O. Smith, honorary member of '19, Mr. J. L. Hughes, honorary member of '18, Barrett, '18, and Crampton, '19. The College quartet rendered several songs.

BEE KEEPING
AN INNOVATION SLATED.
The Trustees of the College have arranged for a course in Bee Keeping to be given by Mr. E. W. Yates, of Wyandotte, who is one of the state inspector of apiculture. The course is elective to students and open to the general public.

The classes will be held on six consecutive Saturdays, beginning with April 14th. Lectures in the chapel at eleven a.m. will be followed by a few hours of practical demonstration in the afternoon. The course has eight swarms of bees, which Mr. Yates will use in his demonstrations.

The list of topics to be taken up during the course follows:

April 15—Establishing the apiary.
22—Comb and wax.
29—Spring management.
May 6—Diseases of bees.
13—Increases by Queen rearing.
19—Wintering.

FRATERNITY NOTES
(Continued from page 1)Continue talk on his trip across the country.

Lieutenant C. B. Amory is to be heard on the Mexican situation, and Dr. Jenkins will also speak in the near future.

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There is a difference between fruit growing and forestry yet most of the directions for fruit growing are directions for producing rapid wood growth only. This means coming into bearing late and irregular bearing on account of lack of enough available mineral plant food to raise a crop of fruit and to set strong fruit buds in the same season.

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EXPERIMENT STATION.
Professor G. H. Lamsdell and G. A. Manzer are the authors of the Storrs Station’s latest bulletin on “Lace and Mites of Hen.” No. 8.

HORTICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.
The Senior class in Greenhouse Management spent the week-end of April 7th-14th in New York City. The National Flower Show at the Grand Central Palace and the greenhouses in the various parks around the city were visited and a few members of the party visited the wholesale florists and seedsmen in the downtown district.
The party under the guidance of G. W. Fraser, the florist at the College, consisted of Avery, Butterworth, Cash, James, Lyons and Benson.

MILITARY DEPARTMENT.
The plans for camp-week at Fishers Island are now well under way. Lieutenant Amory has made all arrangements with the agent of the Central Vermont Railroad to have a special train leave Eastville on Sunday morning, May 14th. The train will carry the battalion to New London where transportation to the Island will be furnished by the government launch. In this way it is expected that the battalion will arrive on the Island in time for dinner.

Lieutenant Amory has secured the loan of tents which will be supplied with cots. The arrangements for feeding the battalion have not yet been completed, so no statement in regard to them can be made. The maneuver will be carried on in camp-week much the same manner as those of last year. They will include parade, guard mounting, attacks, outpost and rear guard duty and general field problems.

As the annual military inspection is scheduled for May 15th, it is barely possible that it will be held during camp-week on Fishers Island. There is a possibility that Rhode Island State College will go to camp on Fishers Island during the same week. This is not definitely settled as yet but it is understood that if such is the case the two battalions will co-operate in field work.

Lieutenant Amory wishes the Camp to state that under no consideration will anybody be allowed to leave the island during the week. However, the battalion will break camp on Saturday, May 20, and anybody who wishes to remain in New London will not be obliged to return on the special train.

GYM NOTES.
Now that baseball season has opened Physical Director Gives Chase has his time to coaching the team. In the meantime the gymnasium classes are in charge of Newmark and Crampton. The team has begun practice and hopes to give another exhibition in the near future. The members of the team are: A. B. Mcellin, ’16; H. A. Schwenk, ’14; R. L. Newmark, ’17; R. Knight, ’17; E. W. Crampton, ’19, and R. A. Crawford, ’17.

In the total attendance, Columbia University leads all institutions of higher education throughout the country with 11,888 students. The University of California is a close second with 10,906. These are resident students, all branches and the summer school included.

Plans for a national industrial engineering research center at Columbia are fast taking shape. Two sites have already been offered for the proposed laboratories, which will cost $350,000, together with equipment to cost $110,000.

The Harvard Crimson is reported to have criticized editorially the lecture system used in American colleges. The system is described inefficient and "a fetish in education which should be superseded as quickly as possible by more intelligent methods."

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