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NEW CAMPUS BOARD RECENTLY ELECTED

CONSTITUTION DRAFTED AND ACCEPTED.

L. L. Crosby to Succeed R. H. Barrett.
C. R. Brock is Managing Editor.

A meeting of the “Campus” Board was held Tuesday evening, January 1, at the home of G. H. Campbell, for the purpose of appointing a new editor-in-chief and electing new members to the Board of Editors, as well as to transact other business in connection with the “Campus.”

L. L. Crosby was appointed Editor-in-Chief to succeed R. H. Barrett. Four members of the staff were elected to positions on the Board, as follows: C. R. Brock, A. C. Bird, R. F. Belden and E. R. Sherman. Mr. Brock was appointed to the position of Managing Editor, while Mr. Bird and Mr. Belden were appointed to the Associate Board. Mr. Sherman was appointed Circulation Manager. A. T. Busby was appointed to the News Board, having served on the Associate Board for a year.

Plans for the adoption of a constitution and by-laws were also discussed and a committee for this purpose was appointed. In conjunction with this question, the Board also considered the plan of giving awards to the most deserving members of the Board. The details of this plan were left to the Constitution Committee.

The report of the Constitution Committee was presented at a meeting of the Board held on Saturday, January 5, and the proposed constitution was read, discussed and accepted.

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MAMMOTH INCUBATOR HERE.

Loaned College by Watson Company. Has a Capacity of 2,400 eggs.

On January 3, the first piping of the big new incubator was received at the poultry building. This is the Blue Hen Mammoth incubator made by the Watson Company of Lancaster, Pa., and is valued at $200, and has a capacity of 2,400 eggs. Last summer the Watson Company gave a demonstration of the machine at the Connecticut Agricultural College. The incubator was not bought by the College, but is being installed by the company, which also pays freight and sends a man to install it. The company has the right to take it back at any time, but it probably will remain here permanently. By this means the students will have an opportunity to study the Mammoth incubator and the methods of using it.

COLLEGE BUYS MORE PROPERTY

INCLUDES THREE HOUSES AND FORTY ACRES OF LAND.

Experiment Station to Use Part of New Land—Mr. Hauschild to Build.

The College has bought of John N. Flits the new house erected by him on the north corner of the Willimantic Road and Dog Lane, two houses of Julius Hauschild with ten acres of land fronting on the Willimantic Road, and of President Charles L. Beach, thirty acres of land on the north corner of the Willimantic and South Eastview Roads.

The houses that were owned by Mr. Hauschild include the one occupied by him at present and the new one he is erecting on Dog Lane. When selling this property to the College, Mr. Hauschild reserved some land on the back part of the lot, where he will erect a house for himself as soon as the weather permits. Until his new home is completed, he will remain in his present abode.

The thirty acres of land bought of President Beach were purchased by him a few years ago, and recently sold to the College for the price he paid for it. This land adjoins that occupied by the experiment station, and will be used by them to extend their field plots.

CONNECTICUT LOSES TO MASS. AGGIES

LOCAL TEAM IS BEATEN BY THE SCORE OF 25 TO 20.

Inaccuracy in Shooting Fouls Loses the Game.

The absence of ex-captain Dickin- son from the lineup, and the strange- ness of the floor at Amherst, last Sat- urday, caused the Connecticut team to go down before the Bay State quintet by a scant five points. The score when the timekeeper’s whistle sounded was 25 to 20.

Although nearly a score of opportuni- ties were offered, throughout the game, the men from C. A. C. were able to ring but four baskets from the foul line. Here above all, the team showed the effect of the loss of “Dick”.

The stellar work for Connecticut was shared by “Jim” Goodrich, who shot all but one of the goals from the foul line, and Captain Harry Lock- wood, who made a number of good shots, from the floor.

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FACULTY WORK WITH FOOD COMMITTEE

ATTEND MEETING IN HARTFORD.

Home Gardens Committee to Publish Manual.

A number of the faculty attended a meeting of the Committee of Food Supply on Thursday, January 3, also President Charles L. Bach, who is a member of the committee. All the county agents of the state were present and members of various sub-committees of the Food Commis- sion.

The meeting was held in the Council of Defense room, in the State Capitol Building, Hartford, and last- ed from 2 until 6 p.m. The mem- bers of the faculty and extension de- partment who are serving on the various committees and who attended the meeting are as follows:

Small Grains—Prof. W. L. Slate, Jr. Poultry—Prof. W. F. Kirkpatrick, R. E. Jones.

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J. G. WATSON TO SPEAK.

J. G. Watson, fieldman for the Ayrshire Breeders’ Associa- tion, with headquarters at Branford, Vt., will give a talk on the points of dairy cattle and the Ayrshires as a breed, Friday, January 11, 1918, at 7 p.m. Mr. Watson is a Scotchman of wide experience in the manage- ment and handling of dairy cattle, having been born in the county of Ayr, Scotland, hence he is particularly well equipped to speak on this subject. The talk will be of especial interest to all persons interested in agricul- ture, and a large attendance has been provided for.

WILL SUPPLY 10,000,000 GALLONS PER YEAR.

Plans are now under way for the construction of a series of water sys- tems which will supply the College with an abundant amount of water for all times. The new well is being driven near the central heat- ing plant and is to be sunk 100 feet farther, and if no more water is struck, a pump will be installed and the water used.

The old well which is at present supplying the College, is to be ream- ended out to a depth of 500 feet, thus making the diameter of the well to this depth eight inches instead of six. A new pump of double the capacity will then be installed. The output of this well will be greatly increased by such an improvement and will be of great value to the whole College with water. The water stands within thirty-five feet of the surface, so that by increasing the diameter of the well two inches, the capacity will be nearly doubled.

The newest and largest project un- der construction is the building of a dam in the lot east of the cemetery and above the target pits to hold back the water in the small stream that flows through the lot. This stream starts from a spring on the newly-purchased Rosebrook property and is estimated would supply ten million gallons of water a year, which in the city is claimed to be sufficient for 1,000 people for that time of year. This water will be piped to the dairy and horse barns and the dairy building, where it can be used, thus removing a considerable drain from the present supply.
MINSTREL SHOW IS
WELL RECEIVED

FORTY STUDENTS TAKE PART
IN PROGRAM.

Fifty Dollars Cleared—Money to be Given to "Campus" Fund.

On Saturday evening, December 29, the First Battalion, "Social Guards," of the Connecticut Agricul-
tural College, presented "The Soldier Boy Minstrel" in Hawley Armory, in order to raise money to defray the
expense of sending the "Campus" to former "Aggie" men who are now in the Service. The cast included forty
students. Joseph S. Miller filled the position of interlocutor as well as director of the production. The
youngsters of the Eastern Board of Editors are to be congratulated for the efforts of the Student Staff and the
locals. It is an effort which was well worth the while.

The question of awards of merit for the members of the Board was the one which caused the most dis-

traction. The by-laws dealing with this sub-
ject are as follows:

"Major and minor awards shall be made to members of the Board, for meritorious service. The major
award shall consist of a gold watch-fob which are to be given out in accordance with the Editor-in-Chief and the Business
Manager. Places on the Board of Editors are to be competed for by the members of the Staff and are to be filled only upon the vote of the
Board.

All of the "Backguards" gave a great deal of their time to presenting the show and in cooperating with the
director and the committee.

Fifty dollars were cleared, and this contribution to the "Campus" fund will send several issues of the "Campus"
to the boys in the Service.

"Not more than two major and three minor awards shall be given within each College year.

The Faculty Advisor shall submit, one month before the end of College year, a list of those members of the Board who, in his opinion, have quali-
fied for the major award of merit. He shall also submit a list of members of the Board who have qualified for the minor awards of merit, this latter list having been prepared in conjunction with the Editor-in-Chief and the Business
Manager.

"The Board of the "Connecticut Campus" shall select, by ballot from the lists so submitted, names of the persons to receive the awards of mer-
it.

The expense of the awards shall be borne by the treasury of the "Con-
necticut Campus".

Plans are now under way for the adopting of a suitable design for the major awards, and it is hoped that it will be possible to order soon the watch-fobs which are to be given out this year. The Phi awards are the same as the ones which were given to members of the Editorial Board of the "Connecticut Lookout," the predecessor of the "Connecticut Cam-
pus."

TO INCREASE POULTRY.

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tity of food and also the production of eggs.

R. H. Mattoon, N. D. Wheeler, J. F.
work successfully. Professors Lam-
son, F. J. Mahoney, E. D. Dow, C. R.
Prescott, Andrew Shenker, Israel
Sheapiro, E. R. Sherman, C. R. Sniffin,
Who participated: Director, J. R. M.
and A. J. Brund-

JUNIOR HOP NETS $113.55.

The amount of $113.55 was cleared at the Junior Hop, given on Thank-
giving time, which has been turned over to the treasurer of the Alumni
Association. This money is to be in-
vested in a Liberty Bond and thrift
stamps, until it will be needed for the erection of a memorial in honor of the C. A. C. men in the service.

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BOILER IN KOONS HALL BREAKS

Rooms too Cold for Occupancy.—Some Students Compelled to Move.

Because of the cracking of a section in one of the boilers in Koons Hall, the students occupying the upper two floors of the third and fourth sec-
tions were required to move to warmer quarters by order of President
Charles F. Beach. Some of the stu-
dents moved into the other sections of Koons, while others moved to Storrs Hall. The furnace has been broken over two weeks, but the new parts could not be obtained because of the freight congestion. A great deal of discomfort has been caused by the cold weather and inadequate heating facilities.

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Gymnasium Class Started.

In spite of the fact that there is no physical director this year, and no gymnastic work under the supervision of the College, thirty-six men appear on the floor of the gymnasium Friday afternoon, January 4, and formed a "gym" class. William J. H. Schimmel, '26, who is in charge of the course, will lay emphasis on gymnastic work under the supervision of the College, thirty-six men appear.

Attendance is non-compulsory and many who were unable to attend last Friday have stated their desire to do so, thus bringing the class up to fifty.

Two Flues Arrive.

Heating Plant to be Completed When Third Flue Arrives.

Two of the flues for the new central heating plant arrived on the campus the last of December. Professor C. A. Wheeler, who has charge of the heating plant, said recently that two of the flues had arrived, but owing to the large war orders the Bigelow Company has to put out, first, it is unable to give any definite date as to when the other flue will be completed. Professor Wheeler has the company's promise to rush it through and has planned for its transportaton. The completion of the central heating plant will be rushed as soon as the flue arrives.


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While becoming accustomed to the Massachusetts Floor, which is not only smaller than their own but also has a sticky, oiled surface, much different from the smoothly waxed floor in Hawley Armory, the team allowed the Bay Staters to gain a lead of five points in the first half, making the total for the Massachusetts Aggies 17, and for the Connecticut Aggies 12. Profiting by their experience in the first half, the Connecticut five "came back" and held the home team to a tie, each side making eight points.

At Amherst the only varisty man left on the team was Capt. McCarthy, who acted in the role of chief point-getter, while Harrington understudied him to the tune of eight points.

As Aggie band added "pep" to the enthusiastic gathering which had congregated to see the game.

The lineup follows:


Score: Massachusetts 25, Connecticut 20; goals from floor: Lockwood 4, Goodrich 3, McCarthy 1, McCarthy 6, Harrington 4, Parkhurst 1, Whittle 1; goals from fouls: Lockwood 1, Goodrich 3, McCarthy 1; referred: Smartfield of Brown University; scorer, Mallet; timekeeper, Dickinson.

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the examination, but if he hands in his paper it will be counted in computing his grade in the subject.

Special Examinations—Special examinations will be given only on the first and third Saturdays of each semester. A fee of 25 cents will be charged for special examinations or for making up conditions in laboratory or other work will be $1. Deficiencies in laboratory work must be made up before any examination is given. Special examinations will be given only if the student has been absent for the entire period for which he is to be excused. Special examinations may be given to students who are absent because of illness or other unavoidable circumstances.

Special Examinations for Seniors—A senior will be allowed in the second semester only two special examinations in the case of conditions acquired previous to that semester. For the removal of conditions acquired in the second semester two examinations only will be allowed. This rule applies also to second-year students in the school. He must make application to the Registrar's Office.

Eligibility for Paid Work, Athletics, etc.—Students who have deficiencies or are doing unsatisfactory work in their classes may be denied the right to paid work, from taking part in athletic, or from representing the College upon any organization or team. No student who matriculates at the College, after the beginning of the second semester will be permitted to play on the baseball team during their stay, only will be permitted to represent the College in games without the authorization of the athletic advisory committee.

“ONLY A LETTER.”

The following is an article taken from the “O. A. C. Review,” which we would all do well to remember. It contains something more than mere words.

You’re looking tired and weary, feel you’ve got the time to spare. Just give your heart a sigh to stir your heart, makes all care and pain depart—a letter from your letter in the trench.

Smiling in your throat a lump will rise, there’s the other side to tell, it doesn’t sound half so well. It seems to give your heart a sudden wrench; when the mail is given out, you find without a doubt, you’re the only one forgotten in the trench.

There’s no news from your son, the girl you care for, or the one you love so much. There’s no news from your son, the girl you care for, or the one you love so much. There’s no news from your son, the girl you care for, or the one you love so much. There’s no news from your son, the girl you care for, or the one you love so much.

Then you see your letter in the trench. In your throat a lump will rise, tears start in your eyes. You wonder how do they take, they don’t write. The worst of it is, how do they take, they don’t write. The worst of it is, how do they take, they don’t write. The worst of it is, how do they take, they don’t write.

Excuse from Examination—A student whose semester mark in any subject is 85 per cent. or more and whose absences do not exceed the allowance, may be excused from final examination at the option of the instructor. In case of a second semester mark the fee for the semester will be charged for the semester. A student who is excused may try
LETTERS FROM OUR SOLDIER BOYS

My duties and adventures are few and wholly unexciting. I am afraid they will appear quite uninteresting in comparison to those of many of the boys in the service. Still I hope they may interest some one and I know I shall be interested in the doings of the others.

To begin with, I enlisted in Bridgeport on July twenty-third. I went home for a few days and on the twenty-eighth was sent to Fort Slocum. I remained there five days and was taken with five hundred other recruits to this place. Here we drilled for three weeks as recruits and were turned into the company for duty. I was made lance corporal that day and have thus far avoided all fatigues work. Soon after that I was made second corporal and am still holding that position.

Our company (Company B, 17th Infantry) is now made up of five lieutenants, one first and four second lieutenants, three privates, one corporal and one hundred and twenty privates. These last are a hard bunch to handle. Many are foreigners who understand nothing but mess and pay call. They are slack about their drill, seem not to care a single inch to keep their equipment clean, only to sleep and eat. The officers are as good an assortment as any company in the outfit. In fact I believe there is no better company around.

For a few weeks, camp life had its charms and wonders but now it is getting to be a steady humdrum, the same thing over and over. There has been training in Chatanooga recently and this company was detailed for guard duty there for twelve days. That broke up the monotony for the time being and we all hated to come back here but the strike ended peaceably. While there, we were presented with a fine dinner by the ladies of the various churches. It was a good deal to see some of the foreigners dig in and devour the good things before them. One man is still in the hospital with acute indigestion.

We are being drilled very hard and new work is coming in all the time. The bayonet drill has changed and we now have trench construction and grenade throwing. A week like this will make a Twelve or fifteen miles with full pack is beginning to seem easy, for we have been doing it for a couple of months.

I certainly would like to see some of my friends who are officers and be in their company." Lieutenant Kilbridge writes me that he is coming to the Seventeenth Infantry soon. This outfit is stationed in the Park about a mile from the Seventeenth and I sincerely hope both regiments will stay here until Lieutenant Benny arrives.

Hoping this will serve you a bit in forming the news-letter, I am

Sincerely,

ARTHUR REEVE.

Dear Frank:

Just a line to let you know that I am still living and didn't get scared to death in my first trip up. I took my first flight today and now all I want to do is to fly. Some people tell us that we will be seasick. But it didn't affect me that way. I am afraid I shall be interested in the doings of the others.

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My instructor took me up twice today. The first time it was rather early in the morning and the clouds were kind of low, so we only went up about 250 feet. He let me control the controls for a little while and then we came down. We were up fifteen minutes. The next time it was clearer and he took me up about 2000 feet. He let me make several turns and try to keep her level on the straight-away. He sits in the front seat and tells me what he wants me to do by means of signals. He also tells me when he's starting and then he'll come down he told me that we came within 150 feet of hitting another ship, but that was the first time I knew about it. However, the only obligation there is, is when he shuts off the motor and noses her down for the ground to make a landing. Believe me the ground comes up to meet you pretty fast.

The machines they have here are pretty slow and safe. They make about 60 miles an hour. If a fellow can't fly one of these I guess he will never be able to fly any. The controls are very delicate on any ship, however, and it is only necessary to move the wheel about an inch either way to make a 30-degree bank. They have to be moved gently or there is liable to be trouble.

I was walking along the road yesterday, when somebody came by, driving an army automobile and hollered out, "Hello, Rubes!" He let me have a look at the car and hopped out, and I was never so surprised in my life as I was to see Parcells. He is driving a car here and has to take the officers' wives into town every day to do their shopping. This morning I ran across Wheaton. He was at College last year; perhaps you know him. He is driving a truck here, too. They are both going to try and get transferred to the aviation section.

We are about five miles from the city of San Antonio. I guess it is about the largest city in Texas. The country around here is pretty flat and about the only thing they seem to raise is cotton. We passed some pretty big cornfields up Kansas and Missouri on our way down. But going through Oklahoma, we saw some pretty desolate-looking farms. In town here we see quite a number of these Mexican farmers who have driven into town.* * *

Fraternally yours,

RUDE GLEASON.

Flying Cadet Squadron, Kelly Field, South San Antonio, Texas.
H. G. HANKS TO BE MARRIED

The marriage of Harry G. Hanks, '96, and Ethel Griffin is to take place at "Knoltop", Quaker Hill, New London, tomorrow afternoon at 6 o'clock. Mr. and Mrs. Hanks will reside in Hartford, where Mr. Hanks has been in the real estate business since graduating from College.

COLD WIVERS PRODUCTION.

The cold spell of the last week has had its effect on the owls at the poultry plant. Many have had their combs and wattles frozen, for even with the best of care, the cold could not be kept out of the houses. The egg production was cut down to some extent by the extraordinary conditions of temperature.

Moving pictures were resumed Saturday, January 5, 1918, at 7.30 p.m., in the Hawley Armory. The films run were: Victor Moore, in "Chimmie Fadden Out West", and Dustin Far num, in "The Gentleman from Indiana". The price of admission was advanced to fifteen cents to cover the extra expense of the war tax levied by the Government.

L. A. Clinton, former director of the Experiment Station, who preceded Professor Slate as head of the Ag­ronomy Department, visited the Col­lege recently. At present Dr. Clinton is in the employ of the States Relation Service of the United States Depart­ment of Agriculture, and is in charge of the extension work in the Northern and Eastern States.

A carload of feeder steers was un­loaded at Mansfield Depot, Saturday afternoon, January 5, by Judge W. B. Storrs, of Springfield. The consign­ment, consisting of forty head, was ordered December 22 by Professor H. L. Garrigus.

F. A. Roper of the United States Department of Agriculture, an in­pector of farm management work, recently visited the College.

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DR. SINNOTT ATTENDS PITTSBURG MEETING

BOTANICAL SOCIETY TO PUBLISH JOURNAL.

Various Scientific Societies Meet — Prof. Blakeslee Elected Vice-President of the Botanical Association.

Dr. E. W. Sinnott, who is Treasurer of the American Botanical Society, returned on January 2 from Pittsburgh, Pa., where he had been since December 27, attending the annual meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. In conjunction with this meeting, were the meetings of the several scientific societies which are more or less closely allied with the A. A. A. S. The programs at the several meetings were, for the most part, given over to discussions and study of scientific problems brought up by the war. It was essentially a war meeting.

The botanists appointed a committee, which is to cooperate with the Government in regard to various scientific problems, brought about by the war. Chief among these problems are those which have to do with plant diseases. This committee is also trying to secure a plan by which men with particular botanical training may be used by the Government in a more efficient way than would be possible in the military service.

The Botanical Society also has taken steps to start a Botanical Absorptions Section. This publication will contain references of abstracts pertaining to all botanical literature. Not only will this include the pure Botany, but also much closely related subjects as Forestry, Bacteriology, Horticulture, or any other phase of Applied Botany. This undertaking is, according to Dr. Sinnott, one of the most important undertakings ever begun by the botanists of the country, and will, no doubt, be of inestimable value to all scientific studies.

Professor Blakeslee, of the Carnegie Station for Experimental Evolution at Cold Spring Harbor, L. I., read a number of his recent papers before the American Society of Naturalists, which was in session in conjunction with the larger Association meeting. Dr. Blakeslee was also elected vice-president of Section G of the American Association for the Advancement of Science. Section G is the Botanical Section of the Association. The next annual meeting of the Association will be held in Boston.

EXTENSION SCHOOLS OPEN.

The third season of Extension Schools was opened at Goshen on January 1 for a period of five days. B. G. Southwick lectured on Field Crops, Miss Maude E. Hayes lectured and gave demonstrations on Food Conservation, and Mr. B. D. Musser lectured on Dairy Husbandry.

Professor Guy C. Smith, Field Agent in Marketing, has charge of the War Emergency Food Survey being conducted in this state by the United States Bureau of Markets.

BOILER BREAKS IN MACHINERY BUILDING.

Repairs Nearly Complete—Classes Resumed.

On Sunday night, December 30, the extreme cold weather caused the boiler in the Farm Machinery Building to be put out of commission, because of one section cracking. The exact cause of the cracking is not known, but it is supposed that a portion of the pipe which returns the water to the boiler froze, thus causing the amount of water in the boiler to become low. Several pipes in the building burst as a result.

The heating system was sufficiently repaired to allow the building to be heated for classwork the Friday following, and the remaining repairs will be completed in the very near future.

Several of the faculty cottages also had frozen water pipes during the recent cold spell.

POULTRY DEPARTMENT BUYS BEETS.

The Poultry Department has been buying mangel beets for green food for the hens. Fifteen tons of beets have been bought by the department from Mrs. H. Huntington Clark of Roxbury, Conn., who has kept a large flock of poultry and is now selling out. The railroad agreed to load them on a car and keep a fire in it until it was delivered at Eagleville. They came in January 2, and although they were on the road through three days of the severest weather, they came through in fairly good shape with only a small part frozen.

BIRTHDAY SUPPER GIVEN.

A birthday supper was given by Mrs. C. M. Findlay in honor of five members of the Senior class, in the Dining Hall on Sunday evening, January 6. It was a peculiar incident that the birthdays of these men came so close together—R. H. Barrett's being the sixth, P. L. Sanford's the seventh, R. D. H. Horton's the eighth, and S. B. Morse's the ninth. All were present with the exception of Mr. Thompson, who was in Boston over the week-end taking examinations for the Aviation Corps.

Three former C. A. C. men who are at Ayer have been selected to attend the Camp Devens Officers' Training School, which began last Saturday. The most likely men from each company are picked to attend this school, and be notified for line officers. The men selected were Sergt. Stanley I. Shafer, '20, Naugatuck; Harold B. Ellis, '15, Ansonia; and H. B. Goodrich, '19, of Rockfall, Conn.

I. G. Davis, Professor Guy C. Smith and Mr. B. A. McDonald recently attended the conference of the American Agricultural Economists, held in Philadelphia.

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MID-YEAR EXAMS. RECENTLY POSTED

FACULTY DESIGNATES DAYS FOR FINAL WORK.

Freshmen Interested in First Schedule Issued during their College Residence.

The schedule of the mid-year examinations was recently posted on the bulletin board by Professor T. H. Eaton. This schedule caused considerable interest to the freshmen the first few days after it was posted. The official schedule follows:

**Tuesday, Jan. 22, 110 to 4 p.m.**
- English 1 A—Aloft to Miss Lee (inc.), Main 7
- Lockwood to Woodford (inc.), top floor, Horticulture Building
- English 101—Poultry, upstairs Lecture Room
- English 3—Horticulture Building
- English 2—Main 7
- English 2—Main 7
- Home Nursing—Cottage
- History 3—Main 4
- Embroidery S. H. E.—Cottage
- German 3—Library
- Chemistry 3—Top floor Horticulture Building
- Sociology 4—Horticulture 3
- History 4—Main 4

**Wednesday, Jan. 23, 10 to 11.50 a.m.**
- Military Science 1 a—Aloft to Osborn (inc.), in Horticulture Lecture Room; Paul to Woodford (inc.), and First Year School, top floor, Horticulture Building
- English 2—Main 7
- Home Nursing—Cottage
- History 3—Main 4
- Embroidery S. H. E.—Cottage
- German 3—Library
- Chemistry 3—Top floor Horticulture Building
- Sociology 4—Horticulture 3
- History 4—Main 4

**Thursday, Jan. 24, 10 to 11.50 a.m.**
- Agronomy 1 01 a—Barrows to Recker (inc.), Dairy 10; Richards to Williams (inc.), and Second Year School, Crops Laboratory
- Agronomy 2 a—Mechanical Building
- Education 3 a—Horticulture 3
- Military Science 3 a—Army Lecture Room
- Dressmaking S. H. E.—Cottage
- Economics 4 a—Main 4
- Mathematics 3 a—Main 7
- Mechanic Arts 1 a—Whitney Hall

**Friday, Jan. 25, 9 to 11.50 a.m.**
- Poultry Husbandry 101 a—Poultry, upstairs Lecture Room
- Poultry Husbandry 1 a—Poultry, downstairs Lecture Room
- French 1—Main 7
- German 1—Main 4
- Animal Husbandry 3 a—Dairy 10
- Horticulture C—Horticulture Lecture Room
- Chemistry 2—Horticulture 3
- German S. H. E.—Main 4
- Economics 2 a—Army Lecture Room

**Friday, Jan. 26, 1 to 4 p.m.**
- Agronomy 101 a—Main 7, Lockwood to Woodford (inc.), top floor Horticulture Building
- Agronomy 2 a—Mechanical Building
- Education 3 a—Horticulture 3
- Military Science 3 a—Army Lecture Room
- Dressmaking S. H. E.—Cottage
- Economics 4 a—Main 4
- Mathematics 3 a—Main 7
- Mechanic Arts 1 a—Whitney Hall

**Saturday, Jan. 26, 9 to 11.50 a.m.**
- Animal Husbandry 101 a—Barrows to Recker (inc.), Dairy 10; Richards to Williams (inc.), and Second Year School, Crops Laboratory
- Agronomy 2 a—Mechanical Building
- Education 3 a—Horticulture 3
- Military Science 3 a—Army Lecture Room
- Dressmaking S. H. E.—Cottage
- Economics 4 a—Main 4
- Mathematics 3 a—Main 7
- Mechanic Arts 1 a—Whitney Hall

**Thursday, Jan. 24, 11 to 4 p.m.**
- Dairy Husbandry 1 a—Section 1, Dairy 10; Section 1, Crops Laboratory
- Agronomy 2 a—Soils Laboratory
- Dairy Husbandry 102 a—Mechanical Building
- Home Economics 1 a—Cottage
- Mathematics 1—Top floor Horticulture Building
- Military Science 4 a (R. O. T. C.), Army Lecture Room
- Home Economics 2 a—Cottage
- Economics 1—Top floor Horticulture Building
- Friday, Jan. 25, 9 to 11.50 a.m.
- Poultry Husbandry 101 a—Poultry, upstairs Lecture Room
- Poultry Husbandry 1 a—Poultry, downstairs Lecture Room
- Public Speaking 4

**Friday, Jan. 25, 1 to 4 p.m.**
- Agronomy 1 a—Horticulture Lecture Room
- Horticulture 101 a—Top floor Horticulture Building
- Dairy Husbandry 2 a—Dairy 10
- Mathematics 1—Main 7
- Home Economics 3 a—Cottage
- Household Management S. H. E.—Cottage
- Dairy Husbandry 3 a—Crops Laboratory
- Botany 2 a—Horticulture 1

**Saturday, Jan. 26, 9 to 11.50 a.m.**
- Animal Husbandry 101 a—Barrows to Recker (inc.), Dairy 10; Richards to Williams (inc.), and Second Year School, Crops Laboratory
- Agronomy 2 a—Mechanical Building
- Education 3 a—Horticulture 3
- Military Science 3 a—Army Lecture Room
- Dressmaking S. H. E.—Cottage
- Economics 4 a—Main 4
- Mathematics 3 a—Main 7
- Mechanic Arts 1 a—Whitney Hall

Hours by Appointment with Instructors.

**Mechanic Arts 3 c.**
- Bacteriology 4.
- Horticulture 4d.
- English 3.
- Mathematics 3 c.
- Mathematics 2 c.
- Mathematics 2 a.
- Mathematics 2 a.
- Mathematics 2 a.
- Botany 4.
- Public Speaking 4.

**Professor H. F. Junktis recently attended the New Hampshire State Annual Banquet, which was held in Boston.**

**Lieutenant L. F. Lawrence, Captain of B Company last year, is now a lieutenant in the regular army and is stationed at Charlotte, N. C.—7th Field Artillery, Army Reserve.**

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