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FAST GAME ENDS 42 TO 33 IN FAVOR OF HOME TEAM.

Both Sides Evenly Matched—Winners Hold Lead Throughout Contest.

The basketball team "came back" with a will and defeated their old-time rivals from Rhode Island State, 42 to 33, on Saturday evening, Feb. 2, in the fastest game seen on the Armory floor this season. The Aggies took the lead in the first few seconds of play, when Goodrich shot a pretty basket from the floor, which was immediately followed by another point when Captain Lockwood shot a goal from foul.

At the beginning of the second period, Goodrich, who had been playing a whirlwind game for Connecticut center, was taken out on fouls, and Elocok was substituted. This seemed to take a bit of the "pep" out of the Nutmeg boys and Rhode Island scored one more point during the period than did Connecticut. The final score, however, was 42 to 33, in favor of the home team. The feature of the game was the floorwork of "Forky" Hayes, who seemed to be everywhere at once. Captain Lockwood and Manchester scored the most points for Connecticut and Nichols made the most tallies for Rhode Island. The summary:

Connecticut: Rhode Island: 42

Lockwood RF Spence
Manchester RF Goodrich
Elocok TL
Nicholls LF Hayes
Walker LF
glading LF

Score: Connecticut 42, Rhode Island 33; goals from floor: Lockwood 5, Manchester 5, Hayes 3, Goodrich 3, Stalling 2, Reid 4, Spencer 3, Nichols 2; goals from fouls: Lockwood 10, Nichols 7; referee, Bulles; scorer, Barton; timer, Morse; time of halves, 30 minutes.

ORCHESTRA IS FORMED.

To Play at President's Hour—Mrs. Isabel Monteith Director.

In order to stimulate greater interest at the President's Hour and to satisfy a need that has been long felt in the College community, an orchestra was formed last Friday night, February 1, at the home of Mrs. H. D. Newton. Miss Isabel Monteith is director and is planning a number of interesting musicals that will be given each Wednesday afternoon. The following comprise the orchestra: Isabel Monteith, Mrs. H. D. Newton, Mrs. G. H. Lamson, Miss Anna M. Wallace, Miss Ruth Burghardt, and G. J. Toye. W. H. Duffee, J. Mander, W. H. Schimmel, M. Lockwood, W. H. Pool, S. I. Ward, and L. Moore.

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CONNECTICUT TRIMS RHODE ISLAND STATE

THREE PURE BREED PERCHERON MARES PURCHASED OF S. D. WICKS.

Two are Prize Winners—Farm to Buy Four Registered Hereford Heifers.

Professor H. L. Garrigus has purchased for the College, three purebred Percheron mares, from the stock of S. D. Wicks, of Pomfret, Conn. The lot consists of Cernetto (94316), a six-year-old mare, who in 1914, as a two-year-old, was awarded the first prize in her class and grand championship at the Iowa State Fair. This mare also was named the best Percheron mare in New England and was made the champion at the Tri-State Fair, at Trenton, New Jersey, in the fall of 1917. Wicks won first prize a yearling, at the Special Percheron Society PATALOG at Syracuse in 1917, and also first in the following: at the New England Fair, at Worcester, Mass., at the Eastern States Exposition, and at the Tri-State Fair at Trenton in an open class.

The third lot of the is a promising weanling, which Professor Garrigus has named Favorite. Besides the horses the College also secured a few Berkshires which will be sent to the farm at Georgetown.

The Farm Department has also been authorized to purchase four two-year-olds, bred, registered Hereford heifers from the J. W. Webb estate.

PLANS FOR JUNIOR SHORT COURSE MADE

FACULTY MEMBERS TO HAVE CHARGE ARE APPOINTED.

Six High Schools have Applied for Course, Composed of Five Lectures.

The faculty committees in charge of the Junior Short Course met Saturday afternoon in conjunction with other members of the faculty to outline plans for the courses to be offered in the high schools. Six high schools have already made application for the course. As now planned, the program will be divided into five sessions, with the pupils and one with the teachers, all of which will be one hour, except the second class when the pupils will take two hours. These five lectures, which make up the course, will be given by members of the faculty and will extend over a period of three days.

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WORK OF COLLEGE HIGHLY COMMENDED IN RESOLUTIONS BY COUNCIL OF DEFENSE

W. D. SHEA BUYS STOCK.

W. D. Shea, a graduate of this College in the class of 1916, is now managing a farm near Waterbury, Conn. He is improving his stock by buying pure bred animals around the state. Recently he purchased a Percheron stock from S. D. Wicks of Pomfret and three Holstein cows from the Diary Department. Two of these are descendants of De Kol Hubbard Pieterje, which at one time held the State record. Mr. Shea plans to buy the next calf of De Kol Hubbard Pieterje 2nd, who has a record of 1010 pounds of fat in year.

RULES GOVERNING COUNCIL ADOPTED

STUDENTS' ORGANIZATION ACCEPTS RULES AS PRESENTED.

At the meeting of the Students' Organization held January 28, 1918, the rules governing the new Student Council were presented and adopted. These rules leave entirely in the hands of the Council all matters that are referred to it. Election of the members of the Council is provided for as well as amendments to the rules. The duties of the body and its powers are clearly defined. Provision is made for the removal of any member of the Council.

Although the Council has been formed only a short time it has considered several serious and important problems, which have met the approval of both the faculty and student body. Until the rules were accepted by the Student Organization they had no power whatever and their decisions could be considered only as recommendations, while now they carry much more weight. The rules accepted are as follows:

1—The name of this organization shall be the Student Council.

2—Its membership shall consist of a representative from each class, elected annually by the respective classes, two weeks before the close of the College year.

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NEW COURSES OFFERED.

Two new courses, Domestic Dairying, by Professor H. F. Juddins, and Physiology and Hygiene, by Professor G. H. Lamson, are offered to the students of Home Economics this semester. These courses are open to the members of all classes. Domestic Dairying includes the manufacture of butter, cheese, ice cream as well as the care of milk in the home. Physiology and Hygiene will deal with the element of anatomy and physiology of the human body with special reference to the study of hygiene and sanitation. Mrs. Hills of Willimantic will give special work on dietetics and nutrition.
FOURTH ENTERTAINMENT HELD AT COTTAGE.

Cold Weather Makes it Impossible to Hold Concert in the Armory.

The fourth number of the entertainment course was given in Grove Cottage by the Fredericks Concert Company on Tuesday evening, February 5. Because of the extremely cold weather and the possibility of heating the Armory to a comfortable temperature, the committee in charge decided to hold the concert at the Cottage. The program, which consisted of several numbers, was very suitably selected and carefully rendered, and was well received by the audience.

COLLEGE COMMENDED.

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Department has ever received. It is the official recognition of the value of the work done by the College.

Three years ago there were but seven members of the Extension staff, exclusive of the resident office force at the College. The seven employees were the Director of Extension, Boys' and Girls' Club Leader, Farm Management Demonstrator, Dairy Specialist, Poultry Specialist, Home Demonstrator, and one county agent, who was located in New London. Now there are thirty-five expert agents in the Farm Bureaux devoting full time to work in production, in marketing and in conservation in the eight counties of the state. The Farm Bureaux have a permanent organization in each town consisting of a chairman and committee for conservation work in every town except those in Hartford County. In these towns these committees are the recognized local representatives of the United States Department of Agriculture and the Connecticut Agricultural College. They are of a permanent nature and existed before the present emergency organizations were brought into existence.

All the information of the College goes to the Extension Department and through the County Agent is brought to the public at large. All work from the United States Department of Agriculture is co-ordinated and publicized through the College and the Extension Department. Thus from the view of the public the Farm Bureau is part of the College. The effectiveness of all work available for Connecticut from the College and Federal Government depend upon the strength of the Farm Bureaux. The proof of their efficiency lies in the adopting of the resolutions by the State Council of Defense.

RUSSIAN OFFICERS STUDY POULTRY

HEAVY YEAR'S SERVICE IN THE TRENCHES.

Colonel and Captain Representatives of Russian Government Take Part in Debate.

Captain P. J. Tarassoff and Colonel A. M. Paykin, formerly of Petrograd, Russia, took the Winter Course in Poultry at the College. The officers belonged to the Russian army and have seen a year's fighting in the trenches at the beginning of the war. Two years ago they were sent to the United States as buyers and inspectors of ammunition for the Russian government, but at the outbreak of the revolution they had to give up their positions. They settled in Meriden, Conn., where they expect to remain until the end of the war. Knowing the great need for poultry flocks for the armies in Russia, they came to the College to take the short course in poultry which began January 22 and ended February 1, 1918. On January 26 a debate was held in Horticultural Hall by the Winter Course students on the subject "Resolved, That the Leghorn is the Most Profitable Breed." "A very interesting debate it was, too," said Professor W. F. Kirkpatrick, head of the Poultry Department. The judges decided in favor of the affirmative which was taken by R. F. Lee of Danbury, Conn., and Captain Tarasoff.

COUNCIL RULES ADOPTED.

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(1) Final representatives from the Freshman class and first year school shall not be elected until one week after the close of the Christmas recess.

(3) Any member may be relieved from service on this Council by either:

(1) The unanimous vote of the other five members;

(2) A two-thirds majority vote of the class which he represents.

(2) Under such conditions the class in question shall elect another representative for the balance of the College year, within one week after such recommendation.

4. Duties:

(1) All requests by the students shall be referred to the Council for their consideration and recommendation.

(2) The Council will receive and consider all rules, regulations, etc., pertaining to the student body, and make such recommendations as is considered advisable.

(3) Any student who considers himself wronged by any member of the faculty, student or group of students and whose case is of sufficient strength to warrant it, may appeal to the Council for aid. The Council will investigate such cases, determine the facts and make final decision.

(4) Any student acting either as a representative for an organization or as an individual may report to the Council the actions of any student or group of students which he or she considers to be a discredit or a detriment to the reputation of the College. The Council will investigate such cases and make final decision.

5. The decisions of the Council shall be considered as final authority on all matters pertaining to the Students and can be annulled only upon two-thirds majority vote of the student body.

6. The Council may call upon as many witnesses as it deems necessary to best ascertain the facts of the case in accordance with Rules 3, 4 and 5.

7. Additions or amendments to these Rules may only be made by a two-thirds vote of the student body.

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MISS MOSS GIVES REPORT.  
Speaks at Patriotic Meeting Held in Hartford.

Eleanor S. Moss, '21, gave a report of the community canning experiment at Farmington last season, at the patriotic meeting in Connecticut with the State Council of Defense, held in Foot Guard Hall, Tuesday evening, February 8, to other speakers at this meeting, which was a part of the program at the Connecticut Pomological Society and Yankee Growers' Club. Governor M. H. Holcomb, Hon. Geo. M. Landers, chairman of the State Committee of Food Supply, Hon. Robert Scoville, food administrator for Connecticut, and Dr. L. H. Bally, dean of New York State Agricultural College.

Miss Moss in her report, explained the organization of the Farmington Canning Club, and what decision had been reached as to an ideal organization for a club of this sort. A description of the apparatus used last summer was also given. In concluding her talk she gave what in her opinion were the essentials of a good community canning club.

From the reports so far received the Farmington Club, of which Miss Moss was in charge, had the largest output of any in the state. Her training for this work was received at a week's course at the canning school held here last summer.

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Charles A. Kapen, a trustee of the College from 1907 to 1915, died of pneumonia at his home in Willimantic on Saturday, February 2, 1918.

JUNIOR SHORT COURSE.  
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The first session will be given up to the discussion of the present situation and an explanation of the need for food and labor. This first hour will be in charge of H. J. Baker, L. G. Davis, H. P. Judkins, W. L. Slate, Jr., G. C. Smith, and G. H. Campbell. The second class will consist of a lecture on Garden Work, given by S. P. Hol­lister, A. T. Stevenson, or A. J. Brun­dage. The third session will be given over to the subject of Back Yard Poultry, and will be in charge of R. E. Jones, L. E. Card, or W. F. Kirkpatrick. The last hour with the students will be a talk on the Back Yard Pig, by H. L. Garrigus or A. G. Skinner.

The classes with the pupils will be held during the period. The teachers' conference in the evening, will be in charge of H. J. Baker, I. G. Davis, C. G. Smith, A. J. Brun­dage, G. H. Campbell, Miss M. E. Speague, and Miss M. E. Hayes. Each member of the different groups assigned to the sessions will be given certain high schools in which they will have charge of a portion of the program.
LET'S CHANGE THE ATTITUDE.

There has been brought to our attention, perhaps more this year than ever before, the attitude taken by the students toward the short course men. They are looked down upon, and considered as something inferior to the regular College student. We should not draw our conclusions too soon, for we might not take a beauty prize at the College. The men are apt to be judges and persons who could very well be our judges. As is often the case, those who come here to take the short courses in one or more of the subjects offered are people worthy of our utmost respect, and if we only stop to cultivate their acquaintance, we will find that they are persons of unusual ability, successful business men, who are interested in some form of agriculture and are here to learn to become more adept along these lines. A "Shorthorn" often turns out to be a retired business man who has been caught in the "back to the land" movement.

In all probability, the importance of the impression the College makes on these men is not realized. If they leave here with the idea that we are a poor bunch to associate with or the College spirit is below par, they certainly are not going to recommend the Connecticut Agricultural College to their friends as a good place to spend two or four years in the pursuit of knowledge. On the other hand, if they spend an enjoyable and profitable week or more here and leave with an excellent impression of the College, they are going to be generous with their good words for the College, which will not only benefit the present men, but also the College's publicity of the right sort. Right here is an opportunity to help boost your College by making a good impression on the "Shorthorns."

DON'T WAIT.

Start in studying now, before the semester advances any further, and the back work piles up so high you can't see over the top. We have all seen what has happened to the unlucky ones who died in the exam, and failed in their finals, and now is a good chance to profit by their mistakes. Never, in late years at least, has the proportion of students flunked out at mid-years been as large as this time. This year above all, is a period when we should make our best scholastic record, but from all appearances we are failing. By keeping up with the class and studying every day, finals will not seem such a crime.

HONOR ROLL STILL GROWING.

Our Honor Roll now has 162 names, which completely fills two columns, and next issue we will have to take over another column to accommodate our fast-growing list of names. We may all be justly proud of the excellent showing boys have made, for fully a quarter of those that appear on our list are either officers or are training to become officers, while a large majority of the rest are non-commissioned officers. Considering the size and age of the Connecticut Agricultural College, our Honor Roll would do credit to a larger institution. We now have more men in the service than there are students enrolled in the College.

EXEMPT FROM INCOME TAX.

The Commissioner of Internal Revenue has ruled that all persons employed by the State Agricultural College whose salaries are paid from State funds are exempt from the Federal Income tax; also those whose salaries are paid from the Morrill and Nelson funds, the Hatch and Adams, and the Smith-Lever funds.

Persons in the employ of the College receiving salaries in part direct from the Department of Agriculture, are exempt to the provisions of the income tax on that part of the salary received from the Federal Government. The tax is to be paid before March 3, 1918.

Moving pictures were given in the Hawley Armory on Saturday night, January 26, 1918. The reels shown were: "The Blacklist," featuring Lon Chaney, and "Four Little Puppins," with Mary Pickford in the leading role. Tomorrow night Government War Pictures will be shown. (For the College Good)

Dear Editor:

Several matters have come to my attention recently, which I believe should be given some consideration by all concerned. So here goes:

More and more I ask what has become of that organization known as the Agricultural Club which last year showed such promising signs of becoming our most prominent organization? In these times when "Agriculture is King" our attention should be centered on all movements which will increase our abilities in the science of agriculture. Let us be enlightened on this subject by any of the officers of last year's club. "Get together and get going" and revive this club.

The next idea suggested is that of our barber shop. Three reasons why it pertains to the vulgarity and profanity of our student body: Unlike Ivory Soap the student body is not 99.44% pure. Profanity on the campus and in the buildings is very evident to either a visitor or a resident. Profanity deserves serious attention from us all, not merely because of the irreverence which it indicates, although that is sufficient in itself, but because of the absence of imagination and sensitivity which it reveals. Strange to say, it does not always so much indicate the speaker's spiritual debasement, but reveals our religious incapacity, as it does the absence of personal refinement. Let the offenders consider this matter and discard their present obsession.

The Man with the Fountain Pen.

REFLECTIONS OF A FRESHMAN.

Now a Freshman's life at college, Ain't it all supposed to be, And they don't all come for knowledge, But to pass the time in glee.

Up here at Storrs, the Sophomores Are a mighty, powerful crowd, And every night they bang the doors And then they shout aloud—

"O hear, O hear, you Freshman dear, There's a grand old time in store, It's pajamas tonight and appear!" And then they are heard no more.

And soon you stand arrayed in line, And your heart beats high for fear, And they march you through the pines, And you sing the "gang's all here." And next you sing "how green we Saps!"

And your path is full of traps, And laughter greets you from a-far, And Sophs shout, "In step, you Saps!"

Before a gang of giddy girls, They do the funniest things, They make you act like silly squirrels, And bow before your kings.

W. I. S.
About time I wrote to you, isn't it? Think I had gone to France or somewhere else? Well, you see I have been pretty busy lately.

They told us that about 15 per cent. of the men in camp could go home for four-days over Christmas about a week ago and I was lucky enough to be one of the group. But this morning an order came out that only 15 per cent. of the men could go and this time I was lucky enough to be one to stay at camp, so it doesn't look as if I could get home Christmas.

Most of the men in camp are pretty "sore" because they can't go home Christmas after they were promised. Some of them have gone so far as to smash up the furniture a little. Are you going home for Christmas? I heard that they were going to shorten up the year and cut out all vacations.  

I had no snow down at C. A. C. lately? We have about fourteen inches up here now. I don't believe that I told you in my last letter that I was in the neighborhood in early December and went down as far as 15. It is still over a week. The thermometer lately? We have about fourteen  

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DRAmatic CLuB
TO PRESENT PLAY

"A FULL HOUSE" TO BE GIVEN
FEBRUARY 23.

Cast of Fourteen, including Nine New Players is Selected.

The Dramatic Club started working on a new play Monday, January 28, when try-outs for the cast of "A Full House" were held. The play is to be presented on February 23, the evening following the Military Ball, and is expected to surpass the "Full House" entirely up-to-the-minute play, which was given last year. "A Full House" is an entirely up-to-the-minute play, which is full of laughs and humor. Rehearsals were begun on Wednesday, January 30, and the club is working hard to make the production a success. The cast is as follows, with the characters arranged in the order of their appearance on the stage:

Parks, an English servant,
W. E. Brockett
Susie, from Sioux City, a maid,
Miss Flora Miller
Ottillie Howell, a bride, Miss Vera Lee
W. F. Maloney
Miss Winkeler, from Yorkers, the aunt,
Miss Loretta Guilfoille
Daphne Charters, Ottillie's sister,
Miss Gertrude Luddy
Nicholas King, a stranger, S. B. Morse
Jim Mooney, a policeman,
Ned Pembroke, Jr., an only son,
C. B. MacKay
George Howell, a bridgeguard,
F. L. Sanford
Dougherty, a police sergeant,
W. F. Maloney
Jim Mooney, a policeman,
W. T. Ferguson
Clancy, a policeman, A. Schenker
Mrs. Fleming, who owns the apartment,
Miss Gladys Daggett
Vera Vernon, a snow girl,
Miss Salome Smith
Mrs. Pembroke, from Boston,
Miss Alice Simonson

HORTON SUPERVISES CONTEST.

Takes Work Temporarily in Absence of H. D. Munroe who is ill.

Daniel Hart Horton, senior in poultry, assumed temporary supervision of the Seventh International Egg-Laying Contest in the absence of H. D. Munroe, who is confined to his home with the mumps. Mr. Horton has considerable experience in handling the work, having spent a summer on the plant.

SHAKESPEAREAN NOTES.

John Hill, '16, was at the College, Sunday, January 27.
L. L. Crosby, '19, and C. M. Hartwell, '21, returned to the College after a short period of illness.
H. G. Goodare, '20, is stationed at Camp Greene, North Carolina.
H. G. Hallock spent the last weekend at the College.

SOLDIERS' LETTERS.

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board until we struck the war zone. Although we wore life belts for three days and nights, we landed in France without seeing a submarine. Upon arriving in France we journeyed to camp in box cars like so many cattle. A very uncomfortable ride with little or no sleep. We made several good hikes with about 60 pounds of blankets, etc., on our backs.

There are many things here that seem strange to us but we will soon get used to them. The country is fairly pretty and a fine farming class of people live in the villages and go out to the fields to work. Their houses are of stone or cement. You never see a wooden building. It is strange to me to see everything—barn, house, chicken coop, etc.—under one roof. Everything in the farming line is about 100 years behind time. The people are very courteous and accommodating. Most of them wear wooden shoes. Everything in the line of luxuries is very expensive.

At present it is raining hard and there is lots of mud. This is a very wet and damp region. I have been on detail cutting wood and am quite pleased as we cook our own meals. So far as drilling is concerned I have not learned much new from what I learned at Connecticut except the bayonet exercises.

St. Germain and Al Dahinden are in the 102nd. Fraternally,
EARL NODINE.

ETA LAMBDA SIGMA.

William Shea, '17, was on the Hill January 28 and 29, on business.

Ernest Carpenter, '21, and Evington Osborn, '21, left College Wednesday, January 31, because of the fact that they were exposed to the mumps. The Fraternity will not hold its annual banquet this year.

Any Brothers changing their address please notify the Fraternity at once.

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EXTENSION CONFERENCE.

The following conferences, open to all members of the Extension Department, have been planned:

Jan. 28—Relation of Extension Specialists to the Junior Extension work.
Feb. 11—Relation of Extension Specialists to the County Agricultural Agent's Work.
Feb. 25—Relation of Extension Specialists to the Home Demonstrators.
Mar. 11—Relation of Extension Specialists to the Publicity Department.
Apr. 8—Relation of Extension Specialists to the College Departments.
Apr. 22—Relation of Extension Specialists to the Experiment Stations.

Debating and Current Events Club

Formed—Committees Appointed.

A debating and current events club was formed Wednesday night, January 30, in the Lecture room of the Horticulture Building by a number of students. E. R. Sherman, '21, was elected temporary chairman, and C. E. Brock, '19, temporary secretary. A committee consisting of H. P. Averill, C. D. Willis, and C. Heid was appointed to draft a constitution and by-laws. C. E. Brock, R. P. Belden, and C. D. Knott were elected to arrange weekly programs.

It is the plan of the promoters of this organization to hold meetings every Wednesday night and to secure speakers to address the members on the latest topics of the day. A general discussion of each subject will follow. It has been planned to have bi-monthly debates, and, if possible, to develop a College debating team.

CLASS BABY ARRIVES.

The 1916 Class Baby arrived on Sunday, January 6, 1918, when a son, George Edward Lyons, was born to Mr. and Mrs. Edward B. Lyons at 346 Main Street, New Rochelle, New York. "Doc" was married to Miss Doris Poole of Pelham Manor, New York, on February 14, 1917.

Connecticut Berkshire Breeders are Invited to Visit College.

Professor H. L. Garrigus has issued invitations to the members of the Connecticut Berkshire Breeders' Association to visit the College, during the Annual Husbndry Short Course, on February 6. That day was one set apart as a swine day. In connection with the same Short Course, there will be shown in Hawley Armory on February 11, at 8 p.m., a series of livestock films. Among them will be "The Percheron in Peace and War," also the famous Shorthorn film, "The Shorthorn in America."

STEVENS QUINTET WINS FROM HOME TEAM.

Takes the Big End of a 62-22 Score—
Connecticut Boys Outclassed.

Our quintet of basketball players proved no match for the fast Stevens team Thursday evening, January 31, in the Hawley Armory, and were defeated by a score of 62 to 22. The visitors started to pull up their score at the beginning of the game and had 39 points to their credit at the end of the first half. Superior teamwork and the number of personal fouls called on our men helped the Stevens aggregation to defeat us.

Captain Lockwood played excellent ball, scoring 18 points, while Carlson and Ridsdenberger lead for the winners. The summary of the game was as follows:

Connecticut Stevens
Lockwood (Capt) rf 14 Egger
Goodrich, Elecock 11 Carlson
Ryan, Hayes, 7 Haedden
Benham
Moore, Richards, lg 5 Brune, Gottled
Alexander

Score: Stevens 62, Connecticut 22; goals from the floor: Lockwood 7, Hayes 2, Ridsdenberger 9, Egger 4, Carlson 8, Haedden 3, LaPointe 1, Brune 1; goals from fouls: Lockwood 4, Ridsdenberger 4, Carlson 8, Haedden 3; referee, Cooper; timer, Morse; scorer, Thompson.

FACULTY MEMBERS SPEAK AT NEW HAVEN.

Three men from the College assisted in the educational program at the annual meeting of the Connecticut Poultry Association in New Haven January 25 and 26, 1918. Friday afternoon, January 25, Professor W. M. Esten told of "A Way Out of Some of Our Troubles." Professor W. F. Kirkpatrick spoke on "Facing the Music." Saturday afternoon, January 26, R. E. Jones gave a talk on "The Ten-Hen Clubs." At the New Haven Poultry Show, which was held in connection with the meeting of the Poultry Association, Mr. Jones had an exhibit of a model ten-hen poultry house.

CONNECTICUT MEN BUY PURE BRED LIVESTOCK.

An interesting feature of the disposal of the livestock, at the farm of S. D. Wicks, is, that outside of four sows that went to Lee, Mass., and four more that went to Littleton, Mass., all the animals were purchased by Connecticut farmers. Many of the buyers are alumni or undergraduates of the College, among whom are the following: Thomas Holt, Southington; E. D. Mitchell, Washington; W. D. Shea, Waterbury; R. S. Birdsell, Mansfield; Lucius Robinson, Columbia; Charles R. Brock, New Haven. Practically every horse sold has gone to a former student or to the College itself.

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JUNIOR FOOD ARMY TO BE ORGANIZED

Boys and Girls of State to Aid in Food Production.

Plans are being formulated by means of which at least 50,000 boys and girls in this state from 10 to 18 years of age will be enrolled in a Junior Food Army. By utilizing the aid of the boys and girls of Connecticut for food production, one of the first steps of Uncle Sam’s big spring drive to win the war will be launched. Stress will be laid upon the need of raising corn, potatoes, garden vegetables, poultry and pigs. The necessity of home gardens, canning, home economics and food saving will also be impressed upon the junior workers.

It is estimated by the Extension Department, who are sponsors for this movement, that about a million will receive some appreciation of the need of food production. The movement is being instructed and is another of Connecticut’s contributions to the defense crisis. According to A. J. Brundage, representative of the Home Economics Bureau, there are 12,000 Horticultural Experts in the state by the Hughes Act and the Junior Short Course. Both were described in our last “Campus.” E. W. Sinnott has brought to our attention the “Smileage Book,” and G. S. Torrey has asked for the names of any interesting speaker or speakers that might be induced to take part in the schedule of this hour for the present semester. The hour was brought to a close with the singing of several old familiar songs and national airs.

PRES. BEACH GIVES TALK AT PRESIDENT’S HOUIL

Dr. Sinnott Explains Smileage Book Plan to Students.

President Charles L. Beach gave a talk at President’s hour, Wednesday, January 31, 1918, at 1 o’clock in Hawley’s Armory, on the Hughes Act and the Junior Short Course. Both were described in our last “Campus.” E. W. Sinnott has brought to our attention the “Smileage Book,” and G. S. Torrey has asked for the names of any interesting speaker or speakers that might be induced to take part in the schedule of this hour for the present semester. The hour was brought to a close with the singing of several old familiar songs and national airs.

President Beach said that the fact that the College has been designated to train teachers is one of the greatest things that has come to this institution. This is going to necessitate the starting of the College on a new curriculum which must meet the requirements of students coming from schools that receive the fundamental instructions in agriculture from trained teachers.

Dr. Sinnott said citizens throughout America were receiving the “Smileage Book” plan with enthusiasm and were buying great numbers of them to send to their soldier friends in the camps. The book contains coupons that entitle the holder to enjoy the value of its cost in high-class military entertainments, which has been confused with the work being carried on by the Young Men’s Christian Association and the Knights of Columbus, who are working for the comforts and spiritual welfare of the soldiers. The entertainment has a circuit of forty-eight theaters and is under the management of experienced theatrical men. Marc Klaw, of Klaw & Erlanger, and H. P. Harrison, president of one of the foremost Chautauqua systems, have direct charge of the work. The purpose is to supply clean, high-class entertainments to the boys in camp. The plan is to have the home people buy the books and send them to their friends in camps.

Mauchlin Snowdrop 2nd, the State Champion Ayrshire, dropped a calf recently.