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UPPER CLASSMEN ELECTED TO GAMMA CHI EPSILON

HONORARY FRATERNITY

PICKS NEW MEMBERS

Eight Juniors and Two Seniors Win Highest Honor Offered

On March 22 the Gamma Chi Epsilon Fraternity at the Agriculture Building elected members from the Junior and Senior classes. From the list of men in both classes who ranked higher in the third and the upper third of the junior class ten were chosen for membership. Two of the new members are Seniors and eight were picked from the Junior class.

Douglas A. Evans and Howard B. Goodrich were both unanimously chosen from the Senior class.

From the Junior class Newton Alexander, Carleton Austin, Compton, Everett D. Dow, Maurice Lockwood, William Maloney, Evington Osborne and John C. Taylor were unanimously chosen.

The college records of these men are enviable, especially because their many activities have not interfered with their scholastic standings.

Douglas A. Evans is president of the Senior Class and also of the Agricultural Club. He has represented the college on various judging teams and was delegate to the recent college convention at Des Moines. He is also First Vice-President of the Y. M. C. A. and a member of the Methodist Student Union.

Howard B. Goodrich holds the highest standing for his college course of all the men of the class of 1920. He is a prominent track man and has won places in many meets while running for Connecticut.

Newton W. Alexander holds the highest standing in the Junior class. He is a major of the cadet battalion, a member of the Student's Council and the Campus Board and as such has served on various dance committees. He has been prominent in class athletics and played on the varsity basketball team during his Freshman year.

Carleton Austin, who comes from Vermont is circulation manager of the Campus and has served on various dance committees.

Charles C. Compton is also from Vermont. He is a member of the Glee Club and of the Blackguards.

Everett D. Dow is Editor-in-Chief of the Nutmeg and Managing Editor of the Campus. He is a member of Theta Alpha Phi and holds the manage- ership of the 1920 Football team. He is also president of the Junior class and director of the Blackguards.

Maurice Lockwood is a prominent student of the Senior Class. He is also president of the Junior class and the Campus Board.

MAY HAVE A HIGH SCHOOL DAY IN MAY

STUDENTS WILL DECIDE WHETHER OR NO Invitations Must be Limited if Affirmative Decision is Made

The Connecticut Agricultural College will hold its annual High School Day at the college some time between May fifteenth and twelfth. The date could not be officially decided upon by the Publicity Committee before there was any varsity football game scheduled to take the place of the Colby game, which was to have been played here on May fifteenth.

Due to our lack of dormitory space only invitations for 500 High School Seniors will be sent out. Every High School in the State cannot be represented this year but the committee plans to have certain schools invited this year and the others next year. Both boys and girls will be able to come.

A further requirement is that...

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NEW INSTRUCTOR IN MECH. ENGINEERING

Assistant for Professor Fitts Has Been Engaged

Prof. J. N. Fitts has announced that Mr. A. Harry Dreesner of New Haven High and Boardman Training School, and comes to us highly recommended. He received an honor diploma from Boardman for excellence in several courses. After graduation he spent one year at Holy Cross taking special work. Since then, he has taught Manual Training and has had practical experience.

He will assume his duties April 1 and will assist in various Engineering courses especially the teaching of Forging in the School of Agricultural and Wood-turning in the Freshman Engineering Course.

He will be especially valuable during the coming summer in helping to move and arrange the Mechanical Equipment in the building originally designed for this purpose.

Owing to the increase in enrollment this year Prof. Fitts has for some time felt the need of an assistant. He has been doing all of the practical work in the Engineering Dept. and this required so much time that it seriously interfered with his other duties. He will continue studying the teaching especially the second year courses but will have general supervision of all the work.

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Election of Officers Delayed but Will Be Held at Early Date

At a meeting of the Varsity Club held March 18th the proposed constitution was read by Paul Manwaring, who had charge in some instances and a few changes made it was accepted.

ARTICLE I.
The name of this organization shall be the Varsity Club of the Connecticut Agricultural College.

ARTICLE II.
Object of such an organization shall be to promote college spirit among the students especially with regard to Athletics; to encourage men who are capable to engage in the various sports; to encourage them in the attempt to have athletic ability to come to this college; to create and maintain proper respect for the wearing of the “C.”

ARTICLE III.
Any man who has earned the “C” in any major sport in this college is eligible for membership.

ARTICLE IV.
Sec. 1. The officers of this club shall consist of the following: President, Vice-President and Secretary and Treasurer. They shall be elected at the last meeting in the second semester of each college year.

Sec. 2. The duties of the various officers shall be as follows: The President shall preside at all meetings and control the disbursement of funds. He shall have the power to call special meetings. The Vice-President shall act in the capacity of President in the absence of the latter; and he shall succeed to the office of President in the case of a vacancy. The Secretary and Treasurer shall attend to all correspondence, and have control of all funds. He shall be responsible to the President in the disbursement of funds.

ARTICLE V.
Meetings shall be held on the first Monday of each month.

ARTICLE VI.
This constitution may be amended by a two-thirds vote of all members of the club.

It was decided at this meeting to hold a short meeting immediately after the students org. meeting Monday night but as the meeting did not finish in time it was too late to get the fellows together. A meeting was called for 6:45 Wednesday night for the election of officers but as only a few men showed up it was called off.

That the number of scholastic failures this year breaks all records in the universities represented is reported from a conference of ten university Deans of Men held at the University of North Carolina, February 29–31. University standards in general were reported lower than usual, while interest in social affairs and student activities was greater. The war was blamed as one cause.

Baseball Diamond in Very Bad Condition Due to Poor Drainage

In an effort to make Gardner Dow Field ready for baseball practice as soon as possible Coach Swarts armed his team with implements in physical education with picks and shovels last Tuesday morning and sent them out to break up the ice and shovel the snow into large piles. It is hoped that by so doing the field will become hard and dry much sooner than if the thick bed of ice was left intact.

Wednesday afternoon and evening more freshmen reported to the field and shoveled some of the snow and ice away. At present there is a bit of ice and water there. The snow is gone and probably the ice will be melted away before the weekend.

As the field is lower than the surrounding ground water settles there and causes considerable trouble. Probably the field will be dry enough for practice after the one week vacation which begins next Wednesday noon.

COMMITTEE ON CHEER
LEADING APPOINTED
Organized Cheering to be Had At All Times

As the Athletic Association wishes to have our cheer leading organized and carried out on a sound basis, Francis Mahoney, President of the Association has appointed T. E. D. Dow, P. Manwaring, M. L. Osborn and P. H. Dean to draw up rules to govern the coaching and instructing of followers and wish to try out for Cheer Leader.

It is the wish of the Association to have someone capable of leading organized cheering at all times. Hereunto it has been the custom that any one who chose should jump up to lead a cheer, and many times the results have been very unsatisfactory, so now the Association intends to have organized cheering led by men who have been coached, instructed in and therefore capable of leading cheers.

A person will become Leader in his senior year and he will be allowed to wear a letter. He will probably have two Juniors and two Sophomores as his assistants. These fellows will wear a letter when they are leading cheers.

JUNIOR PROM.
The Junior Prom. Committee on receiving data and prices from various orchestras has decided in favor of the Peerless Dances Orchestra of William Stanc, which has always rendered good service to the college organization.

Apple trees and grape vines are in full bloom in the greenhouse. A large bunch of bananas are also well on their way to maturity.

The honor roll of Aggie baseball heroes, Lord's reputation that he won on the Loomis field seems well grounded and he should prove a big addition to the already strong band of student artists. The loss of Eaton at first base is a heavy one but if rumors are true we may still have a chance to win because he has left Dartmouth and may return to his old alma mater. If he does not come back Coach Swarts ought to be able to develop a good man out of the candidates trying for that job.

Ex-Captain Brigham will make all comers step lively if they desire to play at his corner and the chances are very favorable that Big will guard that sack himself He didn't give his best last season but if he can get back his form of the past years he ought to turn in a few clouts to fatten the Aggie batting average.

Hopwood who played on the team before he left for Europe is the leading candidate for shortstop and Alexander is also a clever infielder and may be used in this position when he is not on the mound. Stickler is showing up well and may be given a chance to show his wares among the dizzy corner and Lord is also a good third baseman and can be used there if necessary.

The loss of Ryan, especially in the batting column is a hard one but this pair ought to be able to fill his shoes in perfect style. Last year's pitcher was a dead loss but will have to show more ability than he did last year or they may find new men covering their positions. The outfield was the strongest part of last year's team and did practically no hitting whereas the outfielders should be the heavy hitters of the squad. The men who are most prominent are Jacquith, Putnam, Brow, Lilley, Rockette, Sneidman, Angerman and Resnick.

HELEN BOLAN LEAVES EXTENSION SERVICE

Miss Helen Bolan, formerly assistant Club Leader, recently resigned from the Extension Service to teach in the Waterbury High School. Miss Bolan has charge of the ‘equipping and opening of the home economics department of the Wilby High School which will be opened this spring.

William H. Darrow who was to have taken this work in the Economics Department in April will be unable to come because his house will not be completed by that time.

Professor Stevens has recently purchased a powder spraying machine that he intends using for spraying the vegetables. This machine has not been in use but a short time but it has proved very successful in many parts of the country. Mr. Stev's hope is that it will turn out to be a success with him.
LARGE ATTENDANCE EXPECTED AT LEAP YEAR DANCE

Program of Sixteen Dances Has Been Decided Upon

All plans for the Leap Year Forbearance are progressing and a large attendance is expected. The program has been selected and is as follows:

1. One Step—"In and Out."
2. Fox Trot—"Dardanella."
3. One Step—"What a Day are You?"
4. Fox Trot—"Karavan."
5. Waltz—"Mississippi Moonlight."
6. Fox Trot—"When the Sun Goes Down."
7. One Step—"You Know."
8. Waltz—"My Isle of Golden Dreams" (Moonlight).
9. One Step—"Wild and Woolly."
10. Fox Trot—"Slow and Easy."
11. One Step—"Orchid."
12. Fox Trot—"Mystery."
13. Waltz—"Yearning" (Moonlight).
14. One Step—"Happy Days."
15. Fox Trot—"Bohemia."
16. Waltz—"Home Again."

COLLEGE HAS VERY COMPLETE HERBARIUM

Collection of Over 200 has been Mounted this Winter

During the past winter the College Herbarium has been experiencing a surprising change under the superintendence of Mr. G. S. Torrey. Within the last six months 2200 different specimens have been mounted and filed away. Of this number Mr. Torrey has collected about 1800 and has donated them to the College Herbarium. The specimens which he gave to the College consist of about seventy species and constitute a fair representation of the flora of New England.

Besides the native flora, the College Herbarium now has a creditable collection of specimens from Canada, Newfoundland and various parts of the United States. It is also interesting to note that a few of the preserved plants, although over a hundred years old, look as if they were but recently collected.

In the process of mounting and classification Mr. Torrey, with the assistance of A. I. Weinsten, a student here, has eliminated all duplicates and sent some specimens to the Massachusetts Botanical Society at Amherst. At present approximately 1000 more plants remain to be mounted and added to our collection.

Perhaps few of us realize the necessity of having a good Herbarium here at College. It is of value not only to the students pursuing the study of Botany but also to the various other departments.

Mr. Torrey states that the Herbarium is always glad to identify plants provided that the necessary data, such as name, locality, date and locality is furnished. It seems that the Herbarium offers a splendid opportunity to the College departments as well as to the people of the state whenever data concerning a certain plant is being sought.

FRESHMEN MADE BIG TIME OF THEIR BREAKFAST

Not Satisfied with Eating Alone They Held Dance in Putnam

Leaving the Horticultural Building a few minutes after 1 P.M. on Thursday, March 18th, eighty-five members of the Freshman class made an unopposed get-away and started for their banquet which was held at Putnam Inn, in Putnam.

The cars, all high-powered machines driven by competent chauffeurs, came up around the Hort building, slowing down a little to allow the freshmen to get out. In a few minutes they moved down past the Valentine House and out onto the main road and on to Putnam. In a few minutes the Sophomores were several miles behind the fleeing Fresh. A short distance outside of Willimantic the list of cars bulled to allow the drivers to take the chains off and then the trip was uninterrupted, the first ten machines reaching Putnam Inn at 2:30, closely followed by the machines that were bringing the girls.

Reaching the Sophomores would soon be down upon them the Freshmen formed a strong guard at every door and window. The hotel proprietor heard that the Sophs were coming so he called in the police to protect his property and the other guests.

Wood and Beinseiel, who were hand-cuffed and held prisoners by the Freshmen were the first to arrive in Putnam. The entire Sophomore class soon assembled on the outside of Putnam Inn, in Putnam. Of the twelve members of the Sophomore police force that were stationed at various points about the building, only two were left to stand and guard through the windows at the victorious Freshies.

Block, Steere and Stock, who were captured by the Sophomores, escaped and arrived at the Inn in time for the banquet. Several others arrived late for the occasion.

The afternoon passed quietly on and at 8 P.M. the Sophomores, realizing their defeat, cheered the freshmen and went away leaving the visitors to enjoy their banquet.

About an hour later someone announced that all was ready and the Freshmen boarded the cars at the Hill room to partake of that long-looked-forward-to feast.

The menu was as follows:

- Oysters on the Half Shell
- Fresh Fried Potatoes
- Peas
- Ice Cream
- Demi-Tasse

The hungry freshmen who had stood guard over the various entrances for five long hours, did justice to the menu.

At the conclusion of the feast Chairman of the Banquet Committee, Sickers, addressed the class. President

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OLD PRINT SHOP TO BE BEE CULTURE LAB.

Mr. Crandall Busy Forming Beekeepers' Institutes

Mr. A. C. Miller of Providence will speak at the spring meeting of the Connecticut Beekeepers' Association which will be held in the State Building at Hartford on April 11. Mr. M. H. Smith of Berlin and J. W. Parker of Waterbury will be the other speakers.

Mr. Miller is known through the country as an interesting writer, a brilliant speaker and an exponent of the most modern ideas of Bee Culture. He has greatly aided the progress of the Bee Keeping industry in his county. One of his most note worthy achievements is the invention of the beehive, which he advises us to watch the bees at their work. Mr. Crandall displayed one of these hives in the Entomological Laboratory last fall and he has another one in his office at the present time.

The old print shop in the basement of the Fourth Section, State Hall, has been fitted with benches and equipped so that Mr. Crandall can use this room as a Bee Culture laboratory. The work will be organized in a factory like basis so that a student will learn about the construction and fitting together of the hives. By using this plan Mr. Crandall hopes to be able to accommodate larger classes and give each student more personal attention at the same time.

Outdoor feeding began last Wednesday and from now on the work should prove very interesting for those who are taking Bee Culture or Apiany Management.

Mr. Crandall, assisted by Mr. Gates and Mr. Coley, has formed three Beekeepers' Institutes this state during the past three weeks. One at Ellington, one in Stafmford, and one in New Milford. The meet­ings are well attended and much interest is being shown in the work.

Mr. Crandall spoke on "Bee Culture" in the Grange at Preston City one night last week. (Cont. from col. 2)
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Think—but Don't Yell

About the time of any athletic association election for a management there is always some talk about the co-ed vote, and the effect and intelligence of the same. Many are of the opinion that the greater number of the girls in most instances, know very little about the candidates for management and especially more that they are in ignorance of the managerial ability of the men running for office.

This is apparently quite true, for the girls have very little opportunity to see a candidate for manager in action and they are so liable to be influenced more by what they hear than what they see. Then again there have been many cases where girls have voted for athletic association officers, without knowing all of the candidates and in such an instance, it is quite natural that they should vote for the person whom they know, which does not mean that he may be the best man for the position. Some are of the opinion, too, that the girls are sometimes easily manipulated in their voting.

A few are of the opinion that the girls can be educated to vote intelligently, though these persons have never suggested any plausible plan for so doing. There are many girls who have over the years read up as much knowledge of the candidates and as familiarly as men students but the fair sex, who are men students, but the average fellow is in a position to cast a more intelligent ballot than any of the co-eds. Some of the girls have expressed the opinion that they did not think it right for the girls to have a vote for A. A. officers for they believed that the girls did not have enough information of the men in question to vote rightly. It would be unreasonable certainty, for the men to want the right to vote for an aggressor of the girls basketball team, and so many, it seems as if the rule worked itself.

In the near future the co-ed vote is certain to be a real live issue in the A. A. for the co-ed body is gaining in many ways leaps and bounds as the time is almost certain, too, that the time is not far distant when the matter will be again the subject of debate. It is not to hurt to do a little thinking now.

Some Improvement

There is no doubt that the Freshmen held a banquet which was a top-notch success from every standpoint, and a more fortunate get-away could not possibly be imagined. Both the Sophomores and Freshmen had the proper spirit, too. The former took the defeat smilingly, and as yet none of the latter have been censored for "trials."

The attitude of the upper classes was also much more sportsmanlike in regard to the banquet than has been the case in the past few years, and shows that the existing customs can be changed quite readily, if there is a real reason for so doing. Of course there were one or two upperclassmen, who apparently did not enough banquet when they were underclassmen, or maybe, and who have not forgotten their fingers in the pie this year so that there would be something about the best Freshman banquet ever held which could be looked back on as objectionable. But light kills bacteria and it doesn't have an enviraging influence on upperclassmen of the above type. In another year or two, however, if the improvement is as marked as it was this year, Juniors and Sophomores will be in a position to allowing the Freshmen to do the bequeath they toward getting to the banquet, and the Sophomores to do the best they toward preventing them without suggestion or aid from upper-class circles.

Class Smokers

There was a time, just before the war, when the various classes got together and held smokers not once a year but two or three times. The smokers were usually held in one of the fraternity rooms and the program consisted of various speakers, plenty of food and smoking. But the faculty advisor was always present and opportunity was given for everybody to have a good chat. Spirit was pretty much checked after smokers and many times real ideas were brought forth in the speeches.

Apparently the custom has been continued, for in the Gamma Chi Epsilon fraternity, the class of 1921 has been the only class to give a smoker. Class spirit is running high at the present time, and it would be a fine thing if the other classes would think seriously of giving smokers. Nobody ever regretted going to one and the cost is extremely small. Connecticut needs more real class spirit.

SAFETY VALVE

The Campus Board assumes no responsibility for ideas expressed in this column.

What's the Answer

Dear Editor:

Have you ever stopped to consider just how many forces there are to work against one?

I have spent fourteen years in broadening my mind through the studying of sciences so that I may be able to solve some of man's most vital subjects—those dealing with life and death; so that I may be able to alleviate the sufferings of mankind; so that I may offer some new discovery to the world that will live to posterity.

This is my ambition and I have eight years more to study making a total of twenty-two years during which time I shall not be a wage earner but an economic parasite. In obtaining the knowledge which I now possess I have confronted many obstacles but through the labor I was surrounded each time that they present to me. But this seems to be the higher the education the greater the obstacles.

Now what I want to know is this, is it possible economically worth to me the time, labor and money expended?

Will the world appreciate the sacrifices I shall have made for its betterment?

What will the world offer me in return for my labor?

Gammachi Episilon

At the last president's hour announcement was made of the elections of Gamma Chi Epsilon honorary fraternity, membership in which is the highest honor perhaps that a man can possibly gain while he is here at U. C. Many men can learn, and to wear the key of the order, for it is a mark of ability and endeavor carried to success through three years of college life.

Many present seniors have said that they were in ignorance of the fraternity when they were freshmen and that in spite of the fact that their marks were very high and their work in college activities commendable in their Sophomore and Junior years, low standing while they were freshmen eliminated them from eligibility. Members of the class of 1923 who are seriously being found among students should profit by the experience of these Seniors. Freshmen, start now, if you haven't already done so, use your time to advantage in both studies and activities in order that the time of you may be eligible to the fraternity and of such ability, no Gamma Chi Episilon on an even higher standard than it is today.

If "Curiosity" will watch the columns of this paper, she will in time learn of corrections, within the power of College humanities, applied to the student body. Editor

We Wonder, Too

Dear Editor:

When in the sessions of sweet silent thot, I summon up desires and wishes vain, for the sight of many a thing I seek; And wonder—

How soon the blissful day will dawn when the entrance of the Armoury will be free from cigarette stubs.

Whether the post office really is to be moved downstairs next year.

How soon the boys will clean up the unsightly remains of that ancient bonfire between the dorms.

How soon the co-eds will volunteer to do it for them.

Whether the dorm is going to run that soda fountain next year. (We hear that he is going to settle down at one)

When the girls' new dorm will be ready for occupancy.

Whether the complainers don't go to some other college since this one does not suit.

Whether we are to have "High School Day" this year.

Whether libraries are not so noisy as ours.

Which roachy will get to the new dining hall first. Does anyone know?

—"Curiosity."
KAMPUS KLIPS

Unsettled finances of the students have caused Teeter to abandon the detective business.

The Freshman Class is having an argument over how to eat oysters with your eyes open. Who recommends sprinkling salt on their tails?


Cof., or in: “Well, add up 54 and 41 which will give you 96.”

Student in Public Speaking gives a talk on “Haying.”

“As I have never had the experience of “getting in hay” it would be rather absurd to try to explain the sensations of that most common of rural proceedings. I do know, however, how delightful and romantic it is to “get into the hay,” particularly if it is on a lovely moonlight and you have with you a fair companion. It makes no difference where the hay is; it may be in piles in the field, in the hay loft, or in a large wagon or sleigh. Under the right circumstances the sensations are always the same. But it would not do for me to relate those sensations here in public. You all know them without doubt and that is sufficient.”

But, you’re wasting your time at this “Farm School”!

Modell has a new girl in the city. Wonder who she is?

Dutch Maier was really “at home” last week end.

Doc Griswold and a few more boys “stepped out among them” last Sunday night.

Freshman: “If Ohio had a flood would Water-bury Connecticut?”

No, but it might cover a Fairfield.

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each high school delegation bring its own chaperone. In other words, the high school is responsible for all students whom they send, thus leaving the college no responsibility for the individual.

The invitation will cover free transportation to and from Willimantic, and one night’s lodging. There will be a small charge however, for meals.

Before many more plans are to be made the faculty wish to bring it to a vote among the student body. They desire to know whether or not the students favor such a day to begin with. Are the students willing to give up their dormitories for a night?

To prevent any rough-housing on the part of the high school fellows, as it happened last year, the campus will be under an active patrol either by the military department of the college or by state police.

EXTERMINATION ON HIGH SCALE TAKES PLACE

No More Complaint Should Be Heard in Dining Hall

The roaches have been exterminated from the College Dining Hall by Mr. Martin Maillard of Springfield, Mass. The job was let out on contract by the College.

On Saturday, March 13, four men, armed with powder bells, proceeded to make the dining hall look as if a blizzard had struck it. Approximately three hundred pounds of powder made by Mr. Maillard himself, were used. This special insect powder retails at one dollar per pound.

At seven o’clock that evening there was very little space either in the basement or dining hall proper which did not show signs of the work. It was interesting to note the powder bells used. The old fashioned type of automobile horns had a wooden stopper fitted with a short piece of brass tubing about the size of a pencil. The powder was put into the bulb and blown out through the nozzle into every crevice and opening where the roaches might live.

The powder must be left on for two weeks. So confident is Mr. Maillard in his method of extermination that he guarantees the absolute extermination of every roach in the place.

QUARTET TO SING AT COLLEGE FUNCTION

Made up of Members of the College Glee Club

New organizations are starting on the hill all the time and this last month brings another into our midst. This new organization is a male quartet.

The members have been rehearsing their parts for the last month and will make an informal appearance soon. The organization was started by E. A. Osborne, ’21, for the purpose of filling a definite gap in college activities. Since it was first organized, it has become affiliated with the College Glee Club and will work in connection with it although it has several separate engagements. Manager Osborne stated that the members would be willing to sing for any of the college activities if their services were so desired.

HOT R NOTES

William Langdon, ’15, was present at the International Flower Show held at New York. He is employed by the Louis and Valentine Company of Roseland, L. L., and was at the Flower Show in charge of his employers’ display of flowers.

The National Dahlia Society has decided to hold its dahlia trial garden at Storrs again this coming season. Entries from Oklahoma, Pennsylvania, and several other places around the country have already been made. It is expected that more land will be required this year than last because of the extreme popularity of the garden. The dahlia gardens are open to visitors at all times. They were the cause of much attraction here at Storrs last summer.
Fine Portraits

The Connecticut Campus

AUTO ACCIDENT SPOILS HOLIDAY

Red Markham Entertains at His Summer Home

Cider in the radiator was said to be the cause of the front wheel coming off a car bringing eight fellows back to Storrs, Sunday evening. The party were returning from a week end vac-

cation, having been the guests of Chauncey Markham at his summer

home in Westchester.

The party left the college Saturday day and spent the afternoon hunting big game, including rabbits and can-
ares, every one trapping around in rubber boots and straw hats. They hunted Sunday also, being armed with

camera's and biscuits baked by Don MacIntyre.

As a sad ending to a very enjoyable week end, the wheel came off the machine bringing them back from Willi-

mantic and they were forced to walk the rest of the way.

Those who were in the party were C. Markham, J. B. Ricketts, H. Mag-
guire, D. MacIntyre, B. Brown, P. White, R. Sawin and R. Chamberlain.

Judge Markham of Hartford, Chauncey Markham's father was also at Westchester.

ETA LAMBDA SIGMA

Andrew Shenker ex-'21 attended the funeral of Alfred Aulick in Stam-

ford.

Webster Chapman was called home last Friday because of the death of

his grandfather.

Robert Hughes ex-'22 and Russell Manchester '23 spent the week end in Hartford. "Dick" is planning on en-
tering the University of Pennsylvania next fall where he will take up the study of dentistry.

The Annual Banquet of the Fraternity will be held in Hartford on June 7th.

Brothers Sickler, Frostholm and Metelli represented the Fraternity in the Inter-Fraternity bowling tournament

and won by 56 pins.

"Phi" Dean '22 and Evington Osborn '21 attended the Tobacco Grow-

ers Convention in Hartford, March 23.

"Dutch" Maier spent the week end in Boston with his folks. He attended the "Greenwich Follies" with

Brothers Alberti, Hood, Howard and Eaton.

SHAKESPEAREAN CLUB

"Owney" Norton '17 is in Dr. Mas-

son hospital recuperating from the effects of an operation. He expects to be there a week

more.

A. W. Mitchell ex-'22 is home now managing his father's dairy farm at

Washington.

Warren Brockett '21 expects to re-
turn to college after the Easter vaca-

tion. He hopes to go home from the hospital at the end of this week.

Harry Averill is home for a couple of days. He is studying at a voca-
tional school in Detroit.

PHI EPSILON PI TOPS PHI MU DELTA

First Game of Tournament Won By Seven Points

In the first game of the inter-fras-
ternity bowling tournament, played in the Armory on Saturday, March 20, the Phi Epsilon Pi team won from

the representatives of the Mu Delta Fraternity. About forty onlookers

watched the match.

M. Katz, L. Resnick and A. Feld-

man rolled for the Phi Epsilon Pi while C. Trost, H. French and C. Tay-

lor composed the Phi Mu Delta team. Each team won one string and the

outcome of the match depended upon

the third which the Phi Epsilon Pi

won by seven pins.

The following scores were made

in the Phi Epsilon Pi:

Katz 67 69 73

Resnick 95 78 70

Feldman 99 83 —

261 227 232

Phi Mu Delta

Trost 77 81 60

French 77 83 81

Taylor 68 75 75

218 239 225

High single: Feldman 99

High Total: Feldman 268

HOME EGG-LAYING CONTEST BEGINS

Rev. Marshall Dawson Holds Second Place at Present

The Poultry Extension Service has started an entirely new and original line of work, known as "The Home Egg-laying Contest." This contest is state wide and is designed to create a more decided interest in poultry raising with a particular reference to the bettering of the different strains or breeds. The contest has been in progress for only four months but already a great deal of enthusi-

asm and interest have been shown.

The principle feature of this contest is the record-calendar, which the ser-

vice has been supplying upon request. This contains space for a complete

record of the flock. A detachable card is attached to each of the twelve

monthly sheets and this is filled out by the contestant and returned to the

headquarters at Storrs at the end of

each month. The standing of each

contestant is obtained from these cards. 258 of the cards have been

received in one month.

A plan of follow-up work has been outlined by means of which each per-

son competing will be given notice of advice which seems to be of interest.

Field meetings will be held at some of the best farms, and flocks will be called to cut out slackers and to pick

out good breeders. At present, the

leading flock is owned by H. J. Cooke of West Brook, Conn. He has a monthly average of 0.3 eggs per bird,

from a flock of 20 White Leghorn pullets.

Mrs. Roy E. Jones of the Service is in charge of this contest and will be

glad to explain it or give advice to

anyone who is interested.

ALPHA PHI

Carroll D. Wills, '19, is spending a few weeks at Palm Beach, Fla., with his parents, having made the trip from

Detroit, Mich., in his father's private car.

Sandford R. Morse, '18, writes that his mother and sister who have been ill for some time, are now gaining

rapidly. "Sanny" is in the employ of the Roseburgh Chemical Corpora-

tion of Syracuse, N. Y.

"Tommy" Elootch, '19, and Special, writes he is living for the present at

The Woodstock Inn, Woodstock, Vt. His father recently purchased a large

farm in Woodstock and the family will take possession within a short time.

"Tommy" says that he and his father will probably go into the sheep

business, that being one of the main industries in that vicinity.

Robert S. Laubscher, '23, of Rock-

ville and Marshall F. Beebe, '23, 80

West Rock Ave., New Haven, were

pledged to the Fraternity on March

23rd.
ALUMNI DAY SHOULD ACCOMPLISH MUCH
Will Revive Interests of Graduates Throughout State

Why do we need an Alumni Day? What good does such a day bring about anyway? There are several reasons why we need an Alumni Day at the College.

First, it keeps up a closer feeling between the graduates and the college; it keeps them posted as to our conditions and how to better them. Most of the men who have left the college reside in Connecticut. They are consequently voters in this state, and have an influence on the government of this state. If then, we get them back and let them see the lack of dormitory room both for men and women; the poor facilities and our general need of expansion, surely they can bring pressure to bear upon the proper places.

We have not had an Alumni Day since March 15, 1916. Can we therefore wonder at the disinterest of the graduates?

The Alumni days of past years have been occasions which were looked forward to by both students and alumni. Notices are always sent out months ahead of the scheduled day in order that every alumnus may know of it.

The Junior Class has taken it upon themselves to hold the biggest Alumni Day in the history of the College. Plans have been formulated. As it now stands, Alumni Day will come on the last and biggest day of Junior Week.

Reasons for holding Alumni Day during Junior Week are many. The biggest reason is that whenever the Alumni have been on the campus in any number it usually was during Commencement, when students are leaving and the machinery of the college is inactive. The idea of getting them back during Junior Week is that they may see us at work and at play. Likewise, they will see conditions as they really are.

During Commencement Week, many meetings and reunions are held which take up the time of the alumni. This year they are to come as guests of the Junior Class.

In May the weather is cool enough to permit everyone to enjoy themselves. The campus looks its best in its new spring attire. This alone is enough to bring back any person who has ever lived here during the spring months, for it brings to us all the sweetest memories of our life.

Furthermore we play our old rivals in athletics, Rhode Island State, in baseball, and on Alumni Day. What more could be desired to arouse their college spirit than to sit with us in the bleachers and yell their heads off?

Besides, the Agricultural College, most of its graduates are busy in several agricultural enterprises. Therefore it is much easier to get them back in May than in June. Junior Week is the biggest event in a student's career at Connecticut. Getting the old boys back during a Junior Week will be another big drawing card, for they all remember how it used to be and

CHURCH NOTES

Mr. Kilburn of the Interchurch World Movement will occupy the pulpit in the church on the campus on Sunday morning, March 28. The church has not been filled to its capacity yet, let us see what it would look like if it were filled and thereby give Mr. Kilburn a large congregation to address.

VESPER Sunday afternoon, March 28, will be the last Vesper Service. Many do not know what these services are like and if they ever expect to know the must attend next Sunday. Turn out and give Miss Buckley, who is the speaker, a well filled church.

C. E. SERVICE
Leader: Mr. Charles Compton.
Time of Meeting: 6:45 in the church on the campus.

To those who attend the Christian Endeavor Service the above announcement is sufficient, but to those who do not attend, or at least not regularly, it does not mean quite so much. As an added attraction the Music Committee has prepared a special musical program. Come over and sample the meeting and the program.

COMMITTEE REPORTS TO THE STUDENT BODY

President Beach Suggested Returning to Old Policy of Flat Rates

A comparison of the quality and cost of board at the Connecticut Agricultural College and four other New England Colleges was given and discussed at great length at a meeting of the Students' Organization held in the Armory on Monday evening. President Beach and Mr. Longley attended the meeting and spoke on this subject.

During the past week Mr. Longley and Frank Wooding visited several college dining halls and obtained information concerning the food served and the costs.

Mr. Wooding, representing the committee appointed some time ago, gave a very complete report on these other colleges. The data was placed on a blackboard in front of the students.

It was shown that with one exception the other college dining halls give equal or better food at smaller cost. Mr. Longley presented figures relating to the dining hall here and then answered all the many questions asked him by various students.

President Beach offered the suggestion of adopting the Flat Board System of $5.00 per week with extras which might better satisfy the students.

After an hour and half of a rehearsed questions of conditions at the dining hall and discussion which led to nothing definite, it was voted to accept the report of the committee and await further developments in the board situation.
DAIRY FOOD COUNCIL IS FORMED IN STATE

Will Instreet People as to Milk Food Value

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