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UNVEILING OF PORTRAIT COMMENCEMENT FEATURE

TO HANG IN DINING HALL

Committee Plans Ceremony as Part of Class Day Exercises. Artist May Exhibit in New York.

The Montefelt Portrait will be unveiled at Commencement on the afternoon of Class Day, Friday, June 19, according to the present plans of the Montefelt Portrait Committee and the senior committee in charge of the Class Day exercises.

In the opinion of the committees the portrait unveiling will be one of the features of the Commencement exercises. The Dining Hall has been chosen for the honor of containing the memorial of Connecticut's "Grand Old Man," but the exact position which the portrait is to occupy in the main hall has not yet been selected.

The unveiling ceremonies will take the form of presentation and acceptance speeches. The President of the Student Council will make a short presentation speech to the college. President C. L. Beach's acceptance speech will be followed by the unveiling and a short talk by a prominent alumnus.

The unveiling of the portrait on Class Day provides an opportunity for the numerous visitors of the week end to see the painting.

The portrait is now entirely complete, being finished about a week before Professor Montefelt's death. The artist, Harold A. Green, has been commissioned by the students to purchase a suitable frame for the painting in New York City.

The students have approached faculty and alumni authorities in connection with the portrait fund and have been assured of the support of both bodies.

A dance will be given in Hawley Armory on the evening of April 22 by the Varsity Club for the purpose of liquidating the debt incurred from the football banquet. While this date has not yet been ratified by the Social Committee it is expected that it will be closed before the end of the week.

The reorganized College Pep Orchestra will play for the occasion. William Baxter, chairman of the dance committee, is making extensive arrangements for the affair and if the plans materialize there is no doubt that it will be one of the best ever held on the Hill. Assisting Baxter in arranging for the event are Frederick Stull and Robert Laubscher.

COUNCIL PRESENTS PIG ROAST AS A SUBSTITUTE FOR BANQUET TRADITION

FRESHMEN GIVEN OPPORTUNITY TO ROAST PIG AND EAT IT WITHIN FIVE MILE RADUS OF COLLEGE IN PERIOD OF FIFTEEN DAYS,—THAT IS IF SOPHOMORES DO NOT OBJECT.

No longer will the honk of an automobile klaxon in the darkness of the Storrs streets be the signal for the get-a-way of the Freshmen horde that sweps down from the hills into some innocent town for the purpose of running up a large hotel bill. No, Hiram, the Banquet days are over, the only remaining vestiges being two empty class treasuries and various memento trophies, consisting of spoons, menus, pieces of rope and what not. The Banquet is no more, but we cannot stand by and witness its demise without attempting to put in its place some kind of contest that will at least be a "moral equivalent for war" if not actually in the warfare class.

Such a contest has been devised by the Student Council. It is called the Pig Roast since the whole affair is built up around the culinary arrangements made by the Freshmen class on a member of the porcine species, preparatory to gnawing morsels of same. The Sophomores are given every opportunity to wrest the animal from the infantile grasp of the Frosh. Opportunity is given for the exercise of "brains, science and strategy" and anyone who reads the rules will agree that the use of brains is not limited either.

These rules will be presented to the Student Organization at a future meeting:

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SHORT COURSES FOR SUMMER ANNOUNCED WILL COME IN JULY

Will Include Courses for Poultrymen, Religious Leaders, Housewives, Community Workers and Beekeepers.

The College has arranged for the month of July a series of courses for Experienced Poultrymen, for Rural Religious Leaders, for Housewives and Community Workers, and for Beekeepers.

The course for Poultrymen will be three weeks in length but so arranged that any week's work may be taken as a unit. The first week will be devoted to Incubation and Brooding and Rearing, the second to Culling and Selection and the last week to Feeding, Judging, Housing and Marketing.

The whole department will cooperate in the work, and will be assisted by specialists from the field.

The course will be intensive and will occupy the full time of those attending.

Who is CHAMPION?

It is going to be a difficult proposition to name the New England basketball champion, according to reliable information which The Campus recently received from an authentic source.

From the same source we learn that Connecticut Aggie, Springfield College and Holy Cross may be bracketed at the head of the list without attempting to select the best of these three.
OVER THIRTY-FIVE CANDIDATES FOR BLUE AND WHITE
NINE TRANSFER ACTIVITIES TO GARDNER DOW FIELD

COMPETITION FOR BERTHS STIFFENING AS DATE FOR
BROWN GAME AT PROVIDENCE APPROACHES.

Manager Beisiegel Schedules Three Exhibition Games for Easter Week. Will Meet Waterbury Eastern League Club April 15, Hartford Eastern League Club April 17, and the New London Naval Base, April 18.

Developments in the 1922 baseball season took another big jump Wednesday afternoon when Coach Tasker led his charges onto Gardner Dow field for the first outdoor workout of the season.

Prospects for a good season take on a more concrete form daily as the freshman candidates for the squad have in several instances shown that they have plenty of stuff and that it will be a hard job to shake them in the final reckoning.

Only two members of last years varsity are lost to the squad, J. Peter "Kuk" Johnson, moundman extraordinaire, having graduated last year, while Fred "Bill" Johnson, in attendance at a business college in Hartford. It is not certain however that "Babe" Jacquier, "Benny" Brown and "Sam" Putnam all baseball letters will report for the squad this season.

"Socco" Behind Plate.

Captain "Socco" Metelli is the leading candidate for catching honors although "Jimmy" Mullane, "Tommy" Donahue and Red" Potter are also strong contenders for the position. "Jimmy" worked behind the bat for several games last season when "Socco" was unable to play and performed very creditably, in addition to making history for himself with the big stick.

The pitching staff at the present time looks like a sure thing. Robert "Deoe" Swinn and Robert "Mammy" Laubacher appear to be the leading men while "Phil" Lord, Dickens, Nelson and Minnum are also to be classed with the desirables. Both Swinn and Laubacher "C" on the mound for the Blue and White aggregation, Sawin acting as the pitching mainstay during the 1920 season while Laubacher alternated with "Kuk" Johnson on the mound last season.

Coach Tasker Pleased.

Coach Tasker is well pleased with the stuff these two boys are showing and according to present indications they will bear watching this season. The other candidates have been showing plenty of stuff but the Coach prefers to wait until the real workouts are under way on the field before passing judgment on them.

At the present time Ray Wetetine appears to be the only candidate for the vacant ball, Ray Exum constituted quite a reputation in Hartford baseball circles before he packed his trunk for C. A. C. and his work thus far seems to prove that it was deserved. It may be desirable to work "Jimmy" Mullane part time at the initial tack because of his ability with the willow.

Battle for Second.

"Red" Cohen, and "Bob" Berry are running a strong race for the honors at second base. Cohen has been on the squad for two seasons and fields in big league style. His weakness with the willow however has worked to his disadvantage. Coach Tasker has been giving "Red" special instructions in the art of placing 'em where they ain't" and the Hartford boy has been making fast progress. "Bill" Makoski is at present the only man eligible for short. It is expected that "Benny" Gordon will soon be in the running however and a spirited contest is expected since "Benny" won his second game in the infield birth last season while "Bill" has brought a barrel of recommendations along from New York state with him.

"Billy" O'Brien, "Louie" Ganem and "Al" Feldman constitute the sum total of the candidates for the dizzy corner. O'Brien worked on the Crosby High aggregation of Wesleyan last season and in the armory he has shown a neat brand of fielding. Ganem also has shown up well, picking them out of the air in great style. Feldman has been a member of the squad for the past two seasons working better this season, according to bleacher comment than in either of the other two.

Looks for Strong Hitting.

A host of budding major leaguers have presented themselves for the outfield, many of these boys have barrels of stuff according to campus comment and it is only cloud now hanging on the horizon is the selection of strong hitters. Among the outfield possibilities are "Nick" Emigh, "Kid" Brunette, both members of last year's varsity, Purple, Ryan, Krasow, McDonald, Johnson, Brigham, Jilson, Boyd, Titus, Nemser, Swen, W. W. Hill, Harry Potter, "Red" Potter and Grady.

To Play Easter Vacation.

Manager Beisiegel has arranged for three exhibition contests during the Easter vacation, one with the Hartford Club of the Eastern League to be played at Hartford, and one to be played with New London naval base at New London, and one with the Waterbury club of the Eastern League. It is possible that contracts with a few more nearby teams will be closed during the week. Coach Tasker in talking with a Campus reporter emphasized the fact that the Easter week games are part of an exhibition nature and that they were arranged only for the purpose of whipping the team into shape.

Mathewson—"How many cigars do you smoke a day?"

Gardner—"Oh! Any given number.

SPRING FOOTBALL WORK GETS UNDER WAY

Coach Tasker Issues Call for Practice.

Expects It to Help in Fall.

Over thirty candidates answered the call for spring football practice which was sounded by Coach Tasker in the early part of the week. Because of the poor condition of Gardner Dow field, due to recent rains, the activities of the squad were confined to form practice in Hasley Armory.

Art Mitchell, captain of the 1921 eleven and "Moo" Daley husky pilot of this year's machine were on hand to assist Coach Tasker.

SCHEDULES RATIFIED BY COUNCIL

FOUR NEWCOMERS ON AGGIE FOOTBALL SLATE

1922 Team Will Play Only New England Colleges.

Manager Paul J. Revely has announced the completed football schedule for the season of 1922, totaling nine games, four to be played on Gardner Dow field and five to be played away from home.

Four of the colleges are newcomers on an Aggie football slate, University of Maine, Springfield College, Tufts College and Providence College. Penn, Military College, Lawrence University, and Lowell Textile are the colleges on last year's slate that will not meet the Blue and White on the gridiron next season. This is due in part to conflicting dates and in part to the desire of the players to the Athletic Council to play all New England Colleges. Offers were received from Lehigh University, University of Delaware, and several other colleges outside of the territory recommended by the council but for this reason they could not be accepted.

It is probable that the call for fall practice will be issued for September 10 in order that Coach Tasker may be able to work the men into form and line up his choice of men for the squad that will make the trip to Maine.

SPECMULATION RIFE AS TO INTERCLASS CHAMPION

BASEBALL SEASON BIG FACTOR.

Winner Will Have Big Advantage in Claim on Interclass Cup. Good Season Expected.

With the advent of Spring and the baseball season, class managers are scouting around for available material among their respective cohorts and shaping their plans for the coming games.

Advance dope seems to indicate that the sophomore team, winner of last year's race, will be unable to repeat this season due to heavy losses caused by the failure of some of their best men to return to college last fall. However a number of the '24 men are candidates for the varsity and if eligible to participate in the interclass contests can be expected to give their opponents a hard race for the flag.

The juniors captured second place in the season of '21 and will have practically all of last year's team in action for the opening game. Their success will depend to a large extent on how many of their men are on the varsity, for the class of '23 has several veterans and many of its best men on the present squad.

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TRACKSTERS PRACTICE ON CINDER PATH NOW

Good Material on Hand for Coming Meets.

Now that the weather permits work on the outdoor track the candidates for the track team are hard at work practicing for the meets which will come later in the year.

The candidates are number of men out for the team this year and Coach Daly has high expectations for the outcome of the season. Most of the men of last year's team are out again this season and some fine material is to be found in the freshman class.

Meets with Trinity, Rhode Island State, Massachusetts Agricultural College have been arranged by Manager Charles Ferriss but the exact dates for these meets have not been made known as yet. Coach Daly has not been able to make any defined alignment of men and it is not likely that he will be able to do so until shortly before the first meet.

Football Schedule For 1922

SEPTEMBER 23 UNIVERSITY OF MAINE AT ORONO
SEPTEMBER 30 TUFTS COLLEGE AT MEDFORD
OCTOBER 7 MASS. AGGIE AT GARDNER DOW FIELD
OCTOBER 14 SPRINGFIELD COLLEGE AT SPRINGFIELD
OCTOBER 21 TRINITY COLLEGE AT HARTFORD
OCTOBER 28 WORCESTER TECH AT WORCESTER
NOVEMBER 4 PROVIDENCE COLLEGE AT GARDNER DOW FIELD
NOVEMBER 11 ST. STEPHENS COLLEGE AT GARDNER DOW FIELD
NOVEMBER 18 RHODE ISLAND STATE AT GARDNER DOW FIELD
GEM THEATRE
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SPEAKS AT ASSEMBLY

"Tuberculosis" the Subject of Enlightening Topic. Prevention Important, He Says.

Dr. D. R. Lyman, of the Gaylord Farm Sanitarium at Wallingford, Conn., and one of the leading authorities in the state on tuberculosis, spoke as his subject, "Tuberculosis."

"Each year," said Dr. Lyman, "people spend large sums of money for various things, but neglect their most important resource,—their health. Tuberculosis is the oldest disease known, evidences of its presence having been found in Egyptian mummies. It is the most prevalent of all diseases, and one of the leading factors in preventing and curing tuberculosis. Summing it all up, its nothing more than common sense living. The average person believes in many fallacies. That drafts are dangerous, that night air is poisonous, etc., all of which are not true. "Tuberculosis is curable in the early stages, but the disease must be caught at that time. There is hardly a living animal that is not subject to tuberculosis. Probably 90 per cent of all living people have had tuberculosis at some time in their life, but their natural health and body resistance has prevented it from developing.

"Today, prevention is the method used in overcoming tuberculosis, and our efforts are centered chiefly on children, and in teaching them right living. The milk supply is an important factor to consider because we know that the dairy cow can transmit the disease. The death rate from tuberculosis has been cut over 30 per cent during the last ten years by a general campaign against the disease."

REGULATIONS GOVERNING THE FRESHMAN PIG ROAST, AN EVENT WHICH SHALL BE A SUBSTITUTE FOR THE FRESHMAN BANQUET.

1. The pig roast shall be held at any time during a period of fifteen (15) days, the dates of which shall be fixed each year by the upperclass members of the Student Council and posted upon the bulletin board, together with a copy of these rules, at least 30 days before the beginning of the period.

2. A pig weighing at least 50 lbs. (dressed weight)—subject to change by Student Council if entering class is small—shall be provided by the Freshmen. Should throst be judged a success for the Freshmen, the Sophomore Class Treasurer shall forfeit to the Freshman Class Treasurer within thirty days an amount equal to the initial cost of the pig.

3. The affair shall be limited to the male members of the two underclasses. There shall be no interference on the part of upperclassmen or other persons connected with the college.

4. The pig roast shall be roasted in the open air, within a radius of five miles of the Main Building.

5. To be judged a success the pig must be roasted and eaten at the same place, with 50 per cent of the members of the Freshman Class present, plus the Class President, or, in the absence of the Class President, a total of 70 per cent of the members of the class.

6. The President of the Student Council will act as judge, his decision being subject to ratification by the other upperclass members of the Council. He shall be notified in advance where and when the roast is to take place, and as to the identity of the Freshman President.

7. No member of either class shall be held in confinement by the other class for more than 24 consecutive hours, nor shall any man be held by the other class more than once. If any Sophomore is held in violation of these rules the roast shall be judged a failure, and any Freshman held in violation shall be counted present at the affair, whether he succeeded in attending or not. No students may be held outside of the five-mile radius.

8. The Freshmen must secure the consent of the owner of the land upon which the roast is to be held.

9. All damage to property will be paid for by the class whose members are responsible therefor.

10. The use of automobiles by either class is prohibited.

11. The use of weapons of any sort is prohibited.

12. All questions which may arise regarding any interpretation of these rules will be decided by the upperclass members of the Student Council.
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HOW SHALL WE HANDLE SOCIAL AFFAIRS?

Preparations for Junior Week, the second week of the year, have made conspicuous certain weaknesses in our method of handling social affairs; weaknesses which have been apparent for some time, but which have not received corrective attention.

The present general scrutiny into the dark corners of our system has developed an entirely new aspect of the social life of a college. It has revealed a new method of handling social affairs which would not only be more satisfactory to the students, but would relieve the burden from the harassed shoulders of some faculty member who gets stuck with a social committee job.

In starting out to discover a more efficient method of administrating social affairs includes: Movies, dances, entertainments, plays, minstrel shows, barbecues, teas, debates, etc. It is possible also to agree that a committee of some kind is needed as a central authority on these things, for the purpose of arranging dates, securing moving pictures, etc.

Of whom shall that committee be composed? There must be at least one faculty member on it, since college funds are used to defray the expenses of numerous social affairs throughout the year. Furthermore, the faculty member usually takes care of the movie proposition, thankfully handed over to him by student members of the committee, which he can handle to greater advantage.

The student members of the committee should be selected from the student body and should be responsible to that body, being indirectly under the supervision of the Student Council which must necessarily have a general oversight over all social affairs. The Council need not interfere in any way with the activities of the Committee, but if any of the sub-committees come up with problems that cannot be solved by sub-committees, then the Council must agree that changes should be made. The Student Council and the Mediator are now receiving their constitutions. Perhaps the Social Committee will join in the general house cleaning.

ALUMNI NEWS BI-WEEKLY

Every two weeks the Campus will contain an alumni page under the heading "Connecticut Alumni News." The news for this section will be provided by the Field Secretary hot off the fire. The Campus Board is cooperating with the Alumni Secretary in making this page a feature of the paper for the rest of the college year. The latest doings of the Association and the activities of locals and individual members will receive the publicity which heretofore has been forthcoming. With the red hot Alumni news, those Alumni who subscribe regularly will receive the up-to-date college news of the undergraduates including the spacy Aggie sport sheet. Watch that baseball team!

ALASKA IS COLLEGE ASSEMBLY TOPIC

Dr. Brooks of Geological Survey Explains Development.

Dr. Alfred H. Brooks of the United States Geological Survey spoke at President's Hour yesterday on the subject, "Alaska."

It was part of something of the political situation that preceded its purchase, Dr. Brooks said, "Alaska was purchased from Russia and transferred to the United States two years after the Civil War. It was discovered in 1741 and the first settlement made in that territory was at the close of the Revolution War. In the early days of the history of California, that state received many of its supplies from Alaska, as that territory had been settled for a longer period of time.

"There is a popular misconception that Alaska is covered with snow and ice. Therefore it will be a surprise to many people to learn that only 15 per cent of the area is covered with snow, and that in the southeast section, conditions are almost semitropical. Alaska is a much larger territory than most people imagine. In some places the temperature goes up to 80 or 90 degrees. These resources of the country are as varied as its climate. Gold mining has been the industry most closely followed. Another important industry of the section is fisheries. The salmon trade and trade in fur and hides is one of the oldest, and still is one of the important Alaskan occupations. The agricultural products are increasing as the territory becomes developed."

THE CAMPUS PHILOSOPHER

And now that the space between the Main Building and Holcomb Hall is rivaling Atlantic City, we shall expect to see rolling chairs become popular in the near future.

And still they keep bobbing up.

Now that the mid-semester marks have gone in, we can begin studying without being accused of any ulterior motives.

Yes, "Fifty Foot" is becoming a popular place.

Spring is a good time for poetical inspiration, and it would be a most opportune time for some of our budding poets to write a few new college songs.

Let's hope April doesn't decide to say it with showers.

Even Prof. Slate's class celebrated March 17 by spending the whole period on green manners.

The Philosopher will pass his opinion on the Co-ed weekly as soon as he is sent a sample copy.

SAFETY VALVE

To the Editor of the Campus:

Through the Boston papers comes the news of the passing of Professor Henry R. Monteith of the Connecticut Agricultural College.

We alumni members of the Connecticut Agricultural College Alumni Association of Massachusetts wish to express our sympathy to "the old brother" who when with us was encouragement itself, a guide in our past, and a man among men.

We know that through him his family, the faculty, the undergraduate, the alumni and all who have known him through the many years that he was with us as father, as counselor, as our teacher and as an illustration of ever encouraging personification will, now that he has gone to be with Him, will be an ever increasing illustration for good through all who knew him.

Yours sincerely,
Edwin Choate Eaton
Class of 1912.

(Cont. from page 1, col. 1) and semester this year, and therefore is not managing the team this spring. He stands high in scholarship, and is an honor roll man.

Arthur Isaac Weinstein, '23, Allston, Mass. (Phi Epsilon Pi) "Art" stands at the top of the heap in scholarship; he is a man among men.

Elmore Gilbert Ashman, '23, of Cambridge, Mass. (Alpha Phi Alpha) "Al" has been a varsity football man for three years, is a member of the gym team, the glee club, and was president of his class. He has completed four years of college work in three years, and graduate this June.

Maurice Francis Daly, '23, of Hartford. (Alpha Phi) "Moe" is captain-elect of the 1922 eleven, and for two years has been the best back position. He was also on the varsity basketball squad during the past two years.

Carl Oscar Dossin, '23, of Meriden. (Sigma Alpha Pi) Although Carl is on the Student Council; the gym team, and has served on many decorating committees at big Aggie dances, he is best known as an Alpha Phi Ashman. His winning vault in the last event on the card gave us a one point victory over Trinity at Hartford last June.

George Victor Kelly, '23, New Rochelle, New York. (College Shakespearean Club.) Hilldring is editor-in-chief of the Connecticut Handbook, member of several boards, a member of the Dramatic Club and the Blackguards, and was chairman of the floor committee of this year's "Alumni in the Mirror." He has been a varsity basball player in the past two years.

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ON TO "WILLIE!"

When, listening, I hear the call
Of "Going to "WILLIE?" echoing down
the hall,
But then consider how my cash is
spent,
Remember that the only shirt is lent—
Life sure seems dark.
But then with joyful outburst loud
I spring to join the waiting crowd
Of "WILLIE-hounds." For waving high
A ten-spot, my room-mate cometh
nigh.
I got the bill and left the Hill..... to
him.

SHORE, HIRAM!

School of Ag (in bookstore):
"What's this Prissy Beach they're all
talking about?"
Mahoney: "That's a shore resort
down on Long Island!"
Nemo (entering bookstore)—"Do
you sell batteries here?"
Finn—"Sure thing."
Nemo—"That's good; now we can
have things charged."

GIVE HIM 10, PROFESSOR.

Prof. Seckerson: "What
Age-woman?
Voice from the rear: "Try and get a
woman to give her right age."

ON THE CABARET SIDE.

Miss Clark: "What have we for sup­per tonight?"
Ryan: "College Hamburger Steak."
Miss Clark: "What kind is that?"
Ryan: (hastily retreating toward
kitchen) "Raw! Bah! Raw!"

NO OFFENSE

Wouldn't the Dining Hall be a won­
derful place for a tin shower?

Vogue—"Why is the Prince of
Wales like seven shillings?"
Brogue—"That's simple; give him a
crown and he'll be a sovereign."

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Only a few new faces were apparent
but it is possible that interest in spring
workouts will be enlivened when the
squad transfers it's activities to Gard­
er Dow field. Coach Tasker plans to
hold frequent workouts for candidates
for the squad during the spring period
as he believes it to be a valuable asset
to the men when they report for fall
work.

Man-Made Lightning

FRANKLIN removed some of the mystery. But
only recently has science really explained the
electrical phenomena of the thunderstorm.

Dr. C. P. Steinmetz expounds this theory. Rain­
drops retain on their surfaces electrical charges,
given off by the sun and other incandescent bodies.
In falling, raindrops combine, but their surfaces do
not increase in proportion. Hence, the electrical
pressure grows rapidly, Finally it reaches the limit
the air can stand and the lightning flash results.

And now we have artificial lightning. One million
volts of electricity—approximately one fiftieth of the
voltage in a lightning flash—have been sent success­ful­ly
over a transmission line in the General Engineer­
ing Laboratory of the General Electric Company.
This is nearly five times the voltage ever before
placed on a transmission line.

Much valuable knowledge of high voltage phenom­
ena—essential for extending long distance trans­
mission—was acquired from these tests. Engineers
now see the potential power in remote mountain
streams serving in industries hundreds of miles away.

Man-made lightning was the result of ungrudging
and patient experimentation by the same engineers
who first sent 15,000 volts over a long distance
thirty years ago.

"Keeping everlastingly at it brings success."
It is difficult to forecast what the results of the next
thirty years may be.
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CHAPLAIN PAYS FINE TRIBUTE TO LATE PROF. MONTEITH.

The following is an excerpt from a

wonderful tribute to the late Professor

Monteith by Rev. Marshall Dawson,

the college chaplain, which recen-

tly appeared in The Hartford Cour-

ant.

"Let us now praise famous men,

By whom the Lord hath wrought great joy.

Such as did bear rule in their king-

doms,

And were men renowned for their power,

Giving counsel by their understand-

ing."

There is a western college which

annexed a mountain, and added it, by

student tradition, to the faculty, de-

creeing that no student should gradu-

ate from the institution until he had

climbed to the top and seen the hori-

zon from that vantagepoint.

It was the good fortune of the stu-

dents of the Connecticut Agricultural

College to have had the friendly com-

pulsion to climb, brought to them, not

indeed by a mountain of granite, but

by the presence, on the faculty of that

institution of Henry Ruthven Mon-

teith.

He was a man above the average in

stature and in mental attainments.

His presence among the student body

was that of one "giving counsel by

(his) understanding."

A classical scholar thrust by Fate or

 Providence, into the classrooms of a

vocational school, his presence was a

living reminder of attainments which

provoke wonder, if not emulation,

in our minds. It is the presence of

such men, in the lecture room, that

constitutes a university. There were

things in Professor Monteith which

his students could not comprehend;

but to the magnitude of which their

hearts were responsive. His attain-

ments and personality made them con-

scious of the presence of a mountain,

candidly reminded them of reach of

scholarship that challenge us to

climb, seeking the wider horizon.

We are told that the power of the

law of gravitation over an object, is

in proportion to the mass of the at-

tracting body and also upon the ratio

of its nearness. In these two things we

find the secret of Professor Mon-

teith's power as a teacher, which

operated more as influence than as the
direct and measurable imparting of

facts. Indeed, as Mr. Monteith would

say with playful seriousness, "Nature

has wisely provided that the mind of

youth is absolutely immune to ideas."

Meaning, of course, to classroom ideas.

A ware of that competition which the

present day teacher faces, in an effort

to impart ideas, Professor Monteith

relied, first, for success in educating

young men upon the power of his

scholarship itself, plus his nearness to

his students. He made his role that of

a scholar showing familiarly among

growing minds. The sun of his scholarship

shone amongst us.

Hence, those who could learn from

him, grew in scholarship; and those

who cared little to learn, grew never-
theless, to some measure, in respect

for scholarship because they could not

but love the Scholar. The realization of

Professor Monteith's importance to

his students grew upon them with the

passing years. In the heyday of their

thoughtlessness, he was simply a great

old man, a noble lion of which the

campus was proud. But, in the days

after graduation, when the once

rollicking student came back, year

after year, to revisit his alma mater,

it was Professor Monteith that he

thought of more and more. With that

growth in apprehension which life

brings, the day would inevitably come

when the graduate would say "Profes-

sor Monteith meant more to me than

anything else in my college experi-

ence."

In his teaching method, Professor

Monteith broadcasted his ideas; he did

not cramp them to the narrow and

exact lines of drills or squares. His

faith was that of the sower of old

time; that some seed would fall among

thorns, some on stony ground, and

some in shallow soil, but that other

seed would fall upon fertile soil, and

bring forth a hundred-fold.

Hence the prodigality with which this

scholar cast, to right and left, the

treasurers of his mind, "things new

and old," things piquant and things

profound, things of this world and

things of the "outermost rim and be-

yond." To talk with him was an edu-

cation in itself; and to be with him

was to catch the manner of gentlemen

and thinking folk.

Thus, Mr. Monteith's place, in the

minds of student and graduate, came
to be unique. As the common saying
went, he was "popular." It would be

truer to say, he was loved. As a

beautiful testimony of this, the stu-

dents of the college during the last

week in April. (Cont. on page 8, col. 1)

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Thru the thoughtfulness of the Campus Board some extra copies of the March 23 issue were run off. This issue is really a Montteith Number. Those desiring to obtain additional copies should apply to N. C. Brockett, Circulation Manager of The Campus.

ALUMNI TO BE GIVEN CHANCE TO SUBSCRIBE

PORTRAIT FUND GROWS.

Executive Committee Feels That Many Former Students of Connecticut’s Grand Old Man Would be Glad to Contribute.

The Alumni of the college will be eternally grateful to the students who have had work under their care. The Alumni Association in Hartford, February 1921, the Alumni voted that such a painting be obtained. Because of the condition of the treasury, however, the work was not started last fall.

The plans for financing the portrait included a concert to be given in the coming Commencement meeting. At that time the Alumni voted to provide half the salary of an Alumni secretary, the College to pay the remainder. The plan was adopted at the college trustees, however, that the college should underwrite the cost of the painting this year, make an allotment of college funds for this purpose. It was suggested that a member of the college staff prominent in the Alumni Association be appointed part-time secretary to give a portion of his time every week to association work, while paying his expenses through a budget raised by the Alumni Association. This plan was followed and the Association now possesses a secretary who has already worked out a program for the remainder of the college year, as printed elsewhere in this column.

Mr. Brundage graduated from Connecticut in 1910. He was president of his class in his freshman year and vice-president in the sophomore year. He held the position of baseball manager in 1910 and was sports editor for the Lookout. He won his letter in football in 1909, received the third Hicks declamation prize in 1907 and held a cadet captaincy during 1909-10, and was first student battalion commander in his senior year.

Since graduating Mr. Brundage has been actively connected with educational and extension work in this state. In 1913 he became active in agricultural rural school work under the supervision of the State Board of Education, and prepared the subject matter of the agricultural schools of Connecticut. In August 1914 he was definitely associated with the Extension Service of the college as the State Club leader. Mr. Brundage organized the first boys’ and girls’ club in Connecticut. His term of service is the longest of any worker now employed by the state Extension Service. With the exception of one year spent in Danbury after his graduation, Mr. Brundage has resided at Storrs since 1909.

Mr. Brundage directed the organization of the Alumni clubs in 1921. He is in close touch with the problems of these associations and should be able to give great assistance to the local clubs in the development of their organization.

ALUMNI NOTES

Harry Persky ’16 of New Haven spent the week end on the Hill in company with Louis Traurig ‘22 of Waterbury. Louis says he is helping his father at the banking business.

Rollin Barrett ’18 was on the Hill last week. “Rolly” is principal of the Ag. School at Randolph, Vt.

Stanley Dalton Dodge, ex ’21, graduated with honors from the University of Chicago at the recent spring commencement. He has since announced his enrollment to Miss Frances Knapp of Duxbury, Mass., a graduate of Smith College, class of 1918.

W. Gronvold, ’21, has received an appointment as a County Club Agent in New Jersey. He assumes his new duties on Saturday.

J. Peter Johnson, ’21, is to receive a tryout with the Hartford Eastern League Club. “Pete” was the mound mainstay last season.

A. J. BRUNDAGE ’10 APPOINTED FIELD SECRETARY OF ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

FIELD SECRETARY TO CARRY BIG PROGRAM

TO CORRECT ALUMNI LIST.

Will Also Have Charge of Alumni News Service and Will Assist Local Alumni Units.

The program of the Alumni Field Secretary as approved by the Executive Committee of the Alumni Association includes the following:

1. Assist local alumni clubs in the development of their organizations.
2. Conduct Alumni News Service and other Alumni publicity.
3. Assist with Alumni participation at Commencement.
4. Help correct Alumni mailing list.
   a. By classes
   b. Alphabetically
   c. Geographically
6. Write the history of college traditions.
7. Where practical help organize new local alumni clubs.
8. A portion of his time will be given to Alumni work. The Field Secretary will not be able to do all these things simultaneously but his first efforts will be along these lines.

While several of the phases of work will be taken up simultaneously the matter of assisting local alumni clubs and alumni news service will receive first attention.

As a large portion of this program can be worked out thru the local alumni clubs it is expected that this plan will be followed in the development of the work.

ALUMNI PERSONALS

The Alumni Field Secretary hopes to build up a strong bi-weekly column of personal notes about alumni and former students. He can not do this alone and can only publish such notes as he receives. About the only way he can get these notes is thru the alumni and former students. You like to see the personal notes about the men and women you know but at the cost of soliciting you personally for such notes is prohibitive. The Secretary expects that you will help him with this work by reporting to him regular items of general interest concerning CONNECTICUT MEN AND WOMEN you know.

The “ALUMNI PERSONALS” is your column and it will be what you help to make it.

Professor H. L. Garrigus of the animal husbandry department, attended the annual milking show that was held at Erie, Pennsylvania, last week, with the idea of looking over prospective animals for the college herd. He also attended the short-horn breeder’s banquet held there Friday night.
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