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Memorial Organ Recital Played By William Zeuch

On Sunday afternoon, May 16, the eighth annual Clara C. Prince memorial organ recital was played. The organist was William Zeuch, distinguished organist of The First Church in Boston who is well-known throughout the country for his skill as a recitalist. The following program was given:

PROGRAM

Hymn Tune Fantasia—
"Amsterdam" Carl McKinley
Sheep May Safely Graze Bach
Christians, Rejoice Bach
Fugue In G Minor (The Lesser) Bach
Ave Maria Schubert
The Little Red Lark Clokey
Cantilene Carl McKinley
Londonderry Air Traditional
Oh! The Lifting Springtime Stebbins
Le Soir Chauvet
Gavotte (Holberg Suite) Grieg
Reverie Dickinson
Toccata—"Lord Jesus,
turn Thou to us" Karg-Elert

Clara C. Prince was a graduate of the Bridgewater Normal School and a teacher of music and mathematics for forty years. Through the thoughtfulness of Dr. Bessie N. Page, who was executrix of Miss Prince's will, and to whom Miss Prince had entrusted a fund for whatever charitable undertaking she saw fit to select, the Aeolian-Skinner organ was presented to the college in June 1940 as a centennial gift in the name of and as a memorial to Clara C. Prince.

This year, Frances E. Webster, a graduate of Bridgewater and a close friend of Miss Page, sent a gift of money to pay for the recital.

Helen Driver Speaks At W. A. A. Annual Banquet

The annual banquet of the W.A.A. on May 19th, closed the current year's activities. Miss Helen I. Driver of the Sargent School of Physical Education, the speaker for the evening, was introduced by Dorothy Lewis, president of W.A.A. and master of ceremonies of the evening.

Miss Driver is a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College and Bouve-Boston School of Physical Education, a former instructor at the University of Wisconsin, and at present an associate professor at Sargent College.

She has authored "Tennis for Teachers" and "Tennis for Students." However, her address did not encompass sports. She told us that serving others unselfishly was the one way to cope with the atomic bomb; she

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Graduation Exercises Planned

New Student Council Officers



Left to right: Alice Holden, Marie Vincent, Jacqueline Killen, Rhoda Leonard.

President Kelly Wins Award From C.S.P.A.

President John J. Kelly was presented a key by the Columbia Scholastic Press Association for meritorious work in aiding college publications. The key was presented by Dr. Joseph Murphy, Director of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association, Columbia University.

"Campus Comment" wishes to extend its congratulations to Dr. Kelly and also publicly thank him for his trust and confidence in the student staff of the college paper.

Dramatic Club Closes With Picnic At Memorial Park

The social season for the Dramatic Club closed with a picnic at Memorial Park, West Bridgewater, on May 26, 1948. A program of sports was enjoyed before supper was served. Marjorie Torrence was general chairman, assisted by Paul Olander.

At a recent meeting the officers for the coming year were elected. Gloria Brogi was elected President; Paul Olander, Vice-president; Marjorie Torrence, Secretary; and Thomas Devine, Treasurer.

S.C.A. Installations; Jackie Killen, Pres.

The students paid one of its final tributes to the class of 1948 during chapel on Friday, May 21. The seniors marched in to "Pomp and Circumstance" wearing traditional caps and gowns.

Dr. Kelly introduced Marie Henry, president of the Student Council, who gave a speech of farewell. Miss Henry emphasized cooperation—not only the fine response and interest of the majority, but the apathy and disinterest of a few. Our college is no exception but we should strive to make it more unified in the future. After thanking the faculty and the council for their aid in the various problems that arose throughout her term of office, she introduced the officers for the coming year.

The officers of Student Council for the coming year are: Jacqueline Killen, president; Marie Vincent, first vice-president; Rhoda Leonard, second vice-president; Alice Holden, secretary; Carol Schneider, treasurer; and Paul Olander, assistant treasurer.

President Kelly then administered the oath of office to the new president and her council. The new officers pledged themselves not only to uphold

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Active Week Preceding Graduation; Dinner Dance At Copley Plaza

Dr. Charles B. Charrington of the Department of Government at Harvard University is to be the guest speaker at commencement exercises for the graduating class of 1948 on Sunday, June 6, in the Horace Mann Auditorium at 2:30. The A Cappella Choir will sing a group of selections.

The Baccalaureate Sermon, in the morning, will be delivered by the Honorable Elijah Adlow, Court Justice of the Boston Municipal Court.

After the awarding of degrees, the Senior Procession and Ivy March will take place; underclassmen will form arches of maple leaves and the daisy chain. Congratulations and fond farewells will then be in order following the singing of the Alma Mater.

The week preceding graduation day is full of plans. The Senior Dinner-Dance, Thursday, to be held in the Sheraton Room of the Copley Plaza with music by Bert Edwards and his orchestra, is at the top of the list. At the banquet will be read the Class History, Class Will, and Class Prophecy by Barbara Talbot, Corinne McDonough, and Caroline Roche, respectively. The Class Picnic will be at Webster Beach, Duxbury, on Wednesday.

Informal dancing is to take place at the Faculty Reception in the Albert

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Ted Crocker Wins Scholarship Fund

Theodore Crocker, class of '50, was named as the recipient of the Kappa Delta Pi Scholarship Fund at the annual banquet of the Epsilon Iota chapter, Kappa Delta Pi, on May 12, 1948.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. Paul Gossard, superintendent of schools in Quincy, Mass. His subject was, "Reality in the School." Mr. Gossard stated that today's schools should give the children much more experience in coping with actual problems. In illustrating his point, Dr. Gossard described how the school children of Quincy, in conjunction with the Chamber of Commerce, collected material and published a history of their city in cartoon form.

BAA, BAA, BLACK SHEEP

In the rush to complete another year of studying and start on the first leg of a summer vacation, there is a greater danger that a few minor details may be overlooked. Probably the most important of these details is books and this is apt to be the one most easily forgotten.

The library is operated for the benefit of all the students and the cooperation of all the students is necessary if the facilities of the library are to be helpful to all the students. There may be a library book gathering dust in a corner of your room that should be in the library. Lost books are a definite loss because the money paid by the students for lost books does not buy a new book. It is returned to the state and though the student has paid for his carelessness, the rest of the students are losers.

Also, there are other books that should be returned to the proper owners. Textbooks which have been borrowed from faculty members, students, or other sources should be returned before college closes. Each student should check his books carefully and any that do not have a natural home on their bookshelves should find their way back to the proper places.

IT'S YOUR BUSINESS! !

The Student Council will leave no room for doubt next year as to the rules, laws, and regulations that pertain to the students and their extra-curricula affairs. A new handbook will be issued in the fall which will contain all the pertinent facts needed by the students. The Constitution of the Student Cooperative Association, Dormitory Rules and Regulations, the credit system or point system for extra-curricular activity, and general information will be included.

The trend in the last few months has been to put more emphasis on unity among the students and this can be achieved by keeping them informed about the affairs of the Student Council, which is the Executive body of the Student Cooperative Association. It then becomes the duty and privilege of all students to take an active interest in the things which directly concern them. As usual, at the end of a year there is a review of progress and the members of the Student Council feel that they are performing their duties in this respect.

The handbook will be issued to every student of the college and the plan contemplated is to issue a corrected copy each year so that changes will always be brought to the notice of the students.

The Student Council is the channel for student extra-curricular affairs and not an isolated organization. The students are encouraged to bring such problems as pertain to this type of organization to the council through their elected representatives. A moral could be pointed out but that would be superfluous—

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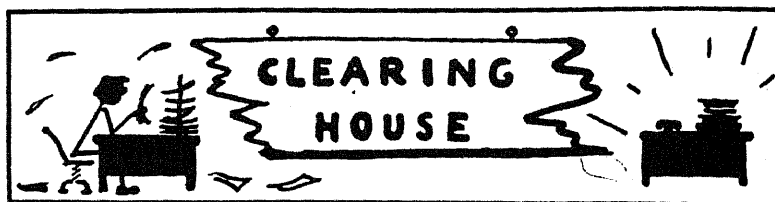
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Contract time is at hand. We are exposed to the aspects of competition in the educational field. It is also the season of marriage contracts. The combination of the two presents us with the problem: "Should married women be given opportunities to teach schools?"

Agreed

Ayuh. Especially widows.—MIKE WELLS

Biased Opinion?

Definitely not. It's about time the women stayed home again.

—PAUL OLANDER

"The Man" Says—

Certainly. I think they are more at home with children, providing they are mothers.—RUSS FEARS

An Old Married's Opinion

I should think married women would have an advantage in that they have a broader perspective.—MRS. RUTH McLEAN

Jim For The Single Girls

No. It takes jobs away from single girls. A married woman whose husband is employed will take a job at a lower salary than a single girl who needs to support herself.—JIM HUGHES

First Things First

It's all right as long as it doesn't interfere with their being good wives.

—DAVE WEINSTEIN

Could Lead To Complications

Being the old-fashioned type I don't think married women should work, period.

—MARY MORRIS

Devine Is Thinking Again

I favor married women teaching in certain instances but I think they should be interviewed by the school board to determine their acceptability.

—TOM DEVINE

Aye!

It isn't practical. These married women who teach want to have their pie and eat it too.—SAM AVERY

So Do We

During the present emergency or any critical shortage I think it is good of the married women to help out.—BARBARA TALBOT

A Nice General Answer

It's a nice general question.—BILL GAULT

Huh?

Married people who have husbands shouldn't teach.—RAY MERRY

Give 'Em Time

I can see no reason why married women should be frowned upon in the teaching profession. They are readily accepted in other fields.

—RENIE DOLLIVER

No Distractions Then

I believe we should keep women out of the field entirely.—KEN DOWNEY

Maternal Instinct

Yes, I think the profession is deserving of their sympathetic understanding.

—MARY ANN SYLVESTRI

There's Something In This

Generally speaking married women should remain in the home and there would be fewer divorces.—DEAN ANDERSSON

Yes, For Example

It depends on the relative merits of the situation. That's like asking if men should wear pants. In some places yes, but there are always exceptions, in the Greek army, for example.—MARSH LAFORET

Plenty Of Openings

As for married women teachers, the frequent turnover doesn't prevent single girls from getting jobs.—MARIE REYNOLDS

Man Enough?

If I were married, I'd let my wife teach school and I'd teach her at home.

—THE HAP

And Finally—

It's bouquet time, also. Thanks to Mike Wells for the cut that illustrates this column and those who have enthusiastically contributed their pearls of wisdom.—MARIE MARR



In Spite of E. B. Rideout
 Congratulations to the freshmen and juniors. Both dance and weekend were a big success and a wonderful time was enjoyed by all.

I Feel Faint
 One of the students in one of our well known world literature classes, brought the house down when the line "Neighbor, your smelling bottle," from "Faust" was misinterpreted. The teacher's only remark was, "What a class!"

Ms. Braggé
 Isabelle Bragg is running a hair-dressing salon in room 49. All Woodward girls are invited, but please make an appointment well in advance.

Can't You Do Better?
 Terry Hart's favorite joke is "Have you heard about the new cars? The Rolls Canardly—Rolls down one hill and Canardly get up the other."

Personalized, That Is
 The personalized stationery, labels, and postcards the seniors are selling are still going strong. Have you bought yours yet?

Open Season For Moose
 Congrats to Maude Chase and Doris Goyetche from Wood, and Virginia Peebles and Doris Gould from Tilly. These girls have charge of initiation next year. Take it easy, kids, and try not to think of last year.

Sure
 Rita Reekast and Rosemary Keefe played host to some Woodward girls one Saturday night. "How was it, kids, as good as old Woody? ? ?"

Small, Medium, Large
 The new jerseys modeled by boys and girls of B.T.C. are the latest fad. Orders are still being taken in the Rotunda at 12 and 3:30. Get in step with the style parade and get yours.

Naturally
 With final exams coming up, Bert-ram T. College has decided to settle down and study — the night before finals, that is.

Have A Heart
 While the sophomore biology class was dissecting lobsters, the teacher was heard to remark, "There are hearts up here if you haven't any."—Follow the line to the lab and get your order in early. Sorry, only one to a customer.

Mistaken Identity
 Have you heard strange noises around Wood lately? Elaine Doucette's chicken has started to crow. Ye gods! Must be a rooster.

For Blondes And Brunettes
 Spring is in the air—via a new perfume Chanel No. 73, as modeled by

Creedon, Dennison, and Palladino Inc. For information on formula, see the above mentioned. Hmmn, what next!

Not Far Enough
 When asked where the Swanee River was, one of our brighter history pupils said "Far, far away." How far away can you go?

Famous Quotes
 And we quote, "Have you read any good books lately?" End of quote.

How'd You Guess?
 Early dippers at the "Nip" were Rita Fiorentini and Loretta Jeffway. "How was the water kids—wet?"

For Whom?
 "Cunnie" McGowan and Cynthia Jones walked up to a car in front of Woodward Dorm one night with all good intentions of welcoming Kay McGrath. Surprise? On the contrary, it was embarrassing.

Got Room For Another, Dick?
 Tilly roof bathing is the latest fad. Freckles, tans and red faces are seen all over the campus. Some of the red faces tho' came when Dick Belcher flew by in his plane. Better post a lookout, girls.

This Explains A Lot
 Did you ever see:
 D. Grimley hurdle over a table in the school library? (The high hurdles too!)

S. Smith plow into an opposing catcher like a Boston College fullback? (Give it to Mike!)

H. Hicks catch baseballs without the essential baseball glove? (Ma, my fingers!)

T. Lemieux steal second base in a softball game? (Without sliding pads!)

F. Dunn swing a baseball bat like Joltin Jose Kopschik? (Who wants the 2 by 4?)

H. Ohan catch fly balls with two hands? (Well spaced apart though!)

F. Hennessey belt a homer with the bases loaded? (I'm still waiting!)

You're So Right!
 The lads and gals of B.T.C. should attend more picnics. Those who have attended these gala affairs say that more fun was had at them.

We Love Life
 Vacation time is coming — that means work for some, recreation for others. In the end we all should enjoy the best summer of our whole wonderful life. (It's good to be alive!)

Going, Going, Somebody's Gone
 Business women, Barb Talbot, Cunnie McGowan, the Joneses (Phil and Cyn), succeeded in raking in a goodly sum of money (to pay their hotel bill for the Senior Prom) from the auction which was held in their room recently. The next night two more enterprising girls made a bigger clean-up, namely, Mim Shapiro and Estelle Pottern.

Six Chuckles
 One P. E. major was heard to ask

S. C. A. New Amendment Adopted By Student Council

The following amendment to the Constitution of the Student Cooperative Association was adopted at a recent meeting of the Student Council.

Article IV on Nomination and Election of Officers for S.C.A. shall be amended to read as follows:

ARTICLE IV
Nomination and Election of Officers
 Section 1. The officers of the Association shall be a president, a first vice-president, a second vice-president, a secretary, a treasurer, and an assistant treasurer. The assistant treasurer shall automatically become treasurer in the year following his service as assistant treasurer.

Section 2. The officers shall be nominated by papers of nomination which must fulfill the following requirements:

- Nomination papers may be taken out from the elections committee by a candidate or a candidate's sponsor six (6) weeks prior to the primary election and must be returned to the elections committee no later than three weeks prior to the primary election.
- Nomination papers must be endorsed by the signatures of a minimum of ten percent (10%) of the student enrollment of January 1 immediately preceding the election.
- Students may not endorse more than one candidate for any one office.
- Nomination papers must be signed by the candidate for whom the papers are drawn.
- The elections committee shall post the names of all candidates taking out papers of nomination.

Section 3. Candidates for office shall fulfill the following requirements:

- All candidates must have a Q. R. P. of 3.0 or better as of the end of the first semester of the scholastic year in which the election is held.
- Candidates for the office of president and first vice-president shall be students who will be in their fourth year the following September.

in coaching class if fencing was like hedge-hopping. Could try it and find out, Terry

Nice Going Barb
 The screams of joy heard in the mail room the other day were concerning Barb Talbot's new position as air hostess for American Airlines, Inc. "Good luck Barb, you can meet some nice pilots that way."

S.C.A. Installations—

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the constitution of student government and the high ideals and standards of the college, but to serve faithfully during their term of office. Subsequently, Miss Killen gave her welcome speech thanking the students for the trust they had shown in her and her new officers. Miss Killen seconded Miss Henry's ideas in that she promised to strive for further unification of the college between the students and the faculty.

After the installation exercises, the student body sang the "Alma Mater" which was followed by the recessional march by the seniors.

c. Candidates for the office of second vice-president shall be students who will be in their third year the following September.

d. Candidates for the office of secretary shall be students who will be in their third or fourth year the following September.

e. Candidates for the office of assistant treasurer shall be students who will be in their third year the following September.

Section 4. Officers shall be elected as follows:

- Elections Committee shall supervise and conduct all elections.
- Elections Committee shall post written notice of election of S.C.A. officers six (6) weeks prior to the primary election.
- Elections Committee shall post a list of candidates for office not less than one week prior to the primary election.
- The two (2) candidates receiving the plurality of votes for each office in the primary election shall be placed on a ballot for the final election.
- The final election shall be held during the second week following the primary election.

Section 5. Any candidate whose papers of nomination have been disqualified shall be notified by the chairman of the elections committee prior to the posting of the list of candidates as provided for in Section 4-c.

All papers of nomination shall be kept on file for six (6) months and shall be open to inspection by any member of the Student Council.

Section 6. The Elections Committee shall send ballots to all students who are out training.

Section 7. All class and club elections shall come under the Elections Committee.

Section 8. This amendment shall supersede all previous articles and amendments on nominations and elections of officers for the Student Cooperative Association.

Majority Of Seniors Signed Up For Next Year

The seniors will be leaving and most of them have signed contracts for next fall. Below are listed the assignments we have. This is necessarily incomplete.

Hortense Archambault, Haverhill; Hester Barnes, East Hartford, Conn.; Richard Belcher, Holbrook; Frances Burbank, Quincy; Eileen Callahan, East Hartford, Conn.; Jeanette T. Carroll, Brockton; Constance Castano, Brockton; Alvarina Costa, New Bedford; Mildred Downer, North Reading Sanitarium; Mildred I. Duggan, Nahant; Ellen C. Galligan, East Hartford, Conn.; Anna E. Gibbs, Wareham; Anna Gloster, Weymouth; Richard Grimley, Weston; Jane Hansen, Brockton; Natalie Hayes, East Hartford, Conn.; Marie Henry, Needham; Cynthia Jones, West Hartford, Conn.; Phyllis Jones, West Hartford, Conn.; Edith Komich, Brockton; Dorothy Lewis, Canton; Virginia Lyman, Taunton; Eunice Manchester, New Bedford; Meredith T. Marks, Brockton; Otis McCorkle, Weymouth; Corinne McDonough, East Hartford, Conn.; Marie McGowan, Hartford, Conn.; Ernestine Mills, Brockton; Ruth F. Moriarty, Brockton; Jeanne E. Moynihan, Weymouth; Frances V. Mulqueeny, Quincy; Marie Paul, Newton; George R. Pauly, Dighton; James Pettengill, Needham; Marjorie Phillips, East Hartford, Conn.; Patricia A. Roberts, Brockton; Carolyn Roche, New Bedford; Shirley Sedgwick, Taunton; Miriam Shapiro, Hartford, Conn.; Grace H. Shea, Springfield; Louise T. Sousa, New Bedford; Mary Ruth Sullivan, New Bedford; Marjorie Vlass, Quincy; Lillian Wilson, New Bedford; Munya Wisotsky, Scituate; Edwin Zion, Sandwich.

Estelle Pottern Engaged

Mr. and Mrs. George B. Pottern of 170 Prospect St., Springfield, announce the engagement of their daughter, Estelle Arlene, to Sidney M. Epstein, son of Mr. and Mrs. Max Epstein of Chelsea. Mr. Epstein, a graduate of Tufts College, is now doing graduate work at Boston University. He is a veteran of World War II and served as Lieutenant (jg) in the Asiatic-Pacific theatre. The wedding will take place in December.

**It's
BRADY'S DINER
FOR
Lunches and Dinners
worth eating
— TRY US —**

W. A. A. BANQUET



Left to right: Lois L. Decker, Ann Venti, Helen I. Driver, Dorothy Lewis, Pres. John J. Kelly. In front, Helene O'Hara.

Celebration Week For W.A.A.'s 25th Year

This spring marked the close of W. A. A.'s 25th year of existence. It was appropriately climaxed with a Celebration Week and the Annual Banquet on May 19. Throughout the year a greater number of girls have participated than in some previous years. That in itself meant a successful year.

Class Representation

The Celebration Week was planned to give each class a chance to be represented in each of three sports: softball, tennis, and archery. Marion Higgins ("Lemons" to most of us) served as general chairman and did a wonderful job. W. A. A. appreciation goes particularly to "Lemons," Nicky Leonard, Pauline Pifko, and Kay Sala for directing the various round-robin tournaments.

Softball

The sophomore softball team gave the freshmen a tough battle but lost 20—17 in a game that was highlighted by big-league play. The seniors gamely fought and lost a game to the juniors by a score of 20—16. All in all, the games were good and competition was keen.

Tennis

The tennis tournaments were held every day during the week and each contest eliminated more contestants. The singles was finally won by Helen Kudlic, the Helen Marble of the Campus. Helen, and Elaine Doucette, both sophomores, teamed up to win the doubles championship.

Archery

The sophomores were predominant again in archery. Pat Baker, Dot Perkins, and Marion Higgins representing that class, took the top honors. Individual ratings were also scored and Ann Venti, a junior led the way with the greatest number of points followed closely by Dot Perkins and Pat Baker.

Helen Driver Speaks—

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stressed "The new look in education," telling us how fortunate we are that the status of the teachers has changed. Miss Driver also emphasized the importance of the 4S's, particularly stability and service.

Dr. Kelly gave a resume of W.A.A. activities since its founding in 1923 and spoke affectionately of his "girl friends."

An after dinner program in the auditorium rounded out the evening. Hortense Archambault and Jean Littlefield were presented the 4S award by Miss Decker. This small token is a highly coveted medal, though not in the material sense valuable. It is prized for what it represents—excellence in scholarship, sportsmanship, stability and service to the college.

"Past and Present," a short skit presented under the direction of Doris Hartwell, reviewed the progress of W.A.A. through the years.

Miss Caldwell introduced the new activities directors and presided at the installation of the officers for 1948-49. They are: Ann Venti, president; Rita Loughlin, first vice-president; Jean Campbell, second vice-president; Irene Bouley, recording secretary; Mary Forrest, corresponding secretary; Jean Grant, treasurer; Virginia Smith, assistant treasurer; and Katherine Sala, publicity.

Dr. Kelly awarded the intra-mural team plaque to the class of 1951. Polly O'Sullivan accepted the award on behalf of her class. Emblems to the freshman and stars and bars to the upperclassmen were awarded by Miss Merrow. The seniors who had participated in six sports above the minimum requirement were presented W.A.A. pins by Miss Moriarty. They were: Hortense Archambault, Al Costa, Gen Radzukinas, Betty Gilligan, Dot Lewis, and Mary Cronin.

Graduation Exercises—

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Gardner Boyden Gymnasium. Underclassmen will participate in the traditional Senior Serenade.

General chairman of the Senior Dinner-Dance are Louise Payne and Mildred Duggan. Chairman of orchestra is Phyllis Zeldon; committee members are Corinne McDonough, Marie McGowan, and Marie Henry. Programs are under the chairmanship of Lillian Wilson and Richard Grimley; place, Eillen Loughman; reservations, Genevieve Radzukinas; hospitality, Munya Wisotsky, with Frances Mulqueeny and Marjorie Vlass assisting.

Under the supervision of Patricia Roberts for the Senior Picnic are committees; place, Martha Walsh, chairman; transportation, Edwin Zion, chairman; entertainment, Lorraine La Liberte, chairman, with Catherine McGrath, Marjorie MacLellan, and Dorothy Lewis; hospitality, Jeanne Moynihan, chairman, with Margaret Green, Lorraine Doliver, Virginia Lyman, Anna Gibbs, and Hester Barnes; food, Theresa Cullinane, chairman, with Rosemary Keefe, Morton Tibbetts, and Margaret Green assisting.

Anna Gloster, chairman of the Senior Serenade Committee, has Theresa Cullinane, Louise Payne, Eunice Manchester, Rosemary Keefe as assistants. Irene DeSouza will direct the undergraduate participants.

The plan is to use songs composed by the three members of the committee, and the Class Ode, written by Phyllis Jones and Barbara Talbot.

Genevieve Powers was the general chairman for the banquet, assisted by the following committees: Marjorie Knight, hospitality; Mary Lou Shea, program committee, assisted by Rita Loughlin, Dorothy Petrie, and Pauline Pifko; Claire Danis, decorations; Nathalie Hayes, speaker; Katherine Sala, awards; and Doris Hartwell, entertainment. The committees deserve a vote of thanks for their very fine work.

Marion Higgins, general chairman of the Silver Jubilee celebration will continue her good work. A conference with other State Teachers Colleges is planned for next year.

The upperclassmen were happy to welcome Doris E. Brooks, a former member of the Physical Education faculty and Dorothy Mackin, last year's president of W.A.A., as guests for the evening.

Miss Catherine Cronin, faculty adviser when W.A.A. was founded twenty-five years ago, telegraphed her congratulations. Miss Cronin is now a member of the faculty of Wisconsin University.

T. L. Kelly's Bat Talk Highlights MAA Banquet

Mr. T. Leonard Kelly was the guest speaker at the annual banquet of the Men's Athletic Association in Tillinghast Hall on May 18, 1948.

After dinner, the men went to the Reception room where Mr. Kelly spoke on the subject, "How Bats Fly in the Dark." Richard Grimley, president of M.A.A., introduced the speaker and also introduced Dr. Kelly, Dean Andersson, and the president-elect of M.A.A., Marshall Laforet.

Edwin Zion and Richard Grimley were presented gold basketballs for their outstanding athletic achievements. Dr. Kelly made the presentations.

In the course of his address, Mr. Kelly related how the bats send out sound waves and can tell by the lapse of time before these waves return how far they are from some obstruction. In this way they avoid bumping into things. These facts were discovered by a young scientist working on his Ph. D. degree. After describing some of the experiments made to acquire this information, Mr. Kelly closed his talk with the question, "Is there anything new under the sun?" He left the impression that there was nothing new. He said, "Science is knowledge and science cannot be blamed for wrongdoings, but man, who uses this knowledge for evil purposes, deserves the blame."

The men later went over to the auditorium for movies on sports, including hockey, basketball, and soccer. At the close of the program, it being only 10 p.m., the men naturally dashed home to do their homework. (ahem)

Competition Keen In Intramural Softball

At the completion of the first round of competition in the Men's Intramural Softball League, a freshman array, "Topham's Toddlers" was in sole possession of first place by virtue of three successive triumphs. These "youngsters" have shown their superiority by a display of heavy batting which has produced fifty-eight runs in three games. Homers by Johnson and Topham led their one-sided victory over "Denison's Drafty Dodgers," while the potent bat of Tiny Lemieux paced their victories over "Lemos's Lizards" and "Dunn's Dope Fiends."

The sophomore squad, captained by Bob Lemos and Frank Dunn, boast of some powerful performers in Dave Weinstein, Paul Salley, and Bill Gault. They promise to make it a much closer battle in the second round. The "Drafty Dodgers" are presenting a revamped lineup centered around Harry Ohan and George Monk to pull a "dark horse" upset.

Sports Flashbacks

Doubles by Bill Ford and Dick Grimley paced an opening seven-hit barrage which saw the local warriors throw a scare into the Suffolk nine, at Murphy Veteran's Hospital Field in Waltham. The opposing team rallied to score five runs in a wild seventh inning uprise. Bob Teahan's generosity in issuing free walks proved his undoing and Sargent Smith's masterful relief job went for naught as the deficit proved too large for the Teachers to overcome.

A small crowd saw the Bridgewater boys turn the tables on the Suffolk team in a return game at Legion Field. This victory was a blow to the Suffolk prestige which had been lifted by a win over M.I.T., Tufts, and a close loss to Harvard.

The locals led by Smitty's skillful pitching were determined to damage their opponent's record and they succeeded. Mazukina's catching and Ricky Sargent's fielding along with Ford's hitting ability stood the team in good stead.

Salem Teachers made Bridgewater yell "uncle" in a ragged tilt at Salem on May 12. Too many errors is the only excuse for a losing score of 6-2.

The Teachers have shown that they can really play when they want to work hard at it. This was proven when they gave Suffolk that "going over" on May 6.

French Club; Elections, Banquet, Legion Of Honor

The French Club held its installation of officers on May 6. The following members were elected: President, Leon Boudreau; First Vice President, Mary O'Neill; Second Vice President, Barbara Reynolds; Secretary, Marion Higgins; Treasurer, Mary Minerva; Librarian, Mary Tarlian; Student Advisor, Marie Vincent.

After the installation, a banquet was held at Snow Lodge. This provided a most enjoyable evening for those who attended.

Preceding the election of officers, the Legion of Honor was announced. This list is composed of students who have made outstanding contributions to the club. The members on this list are: Dorothy Bleau, Betty Bradshaw, Shirley Gaw, Mary Minerva, Mary O'Neill, Peggy O'Neill, Barbara Reynolds, Mary Tarlian, and Marie Vincent.

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Laforet To Head M.A.A. In New Year

M.A.A. has a new slate of men for the season of 1948-49. After a period of several weeks during which nominations and a primary election were held, the men have chosen Marshall Laforet as president, James Fox as vice-president, Walter Morrison as secretary and Harry Nickerson as treasurer.

Freshman Elected As President Of Men's Club

A precedent has been broken with the election of James Fox, a freshman, as president of the Men's Club for the coming year. Robert Driscoll was elected vice-president and Robert Firing will be secretary. Willard Alden is the new treasurer.

Menorah Clubs Participate In Joint Meeting

The Menorah Club of Bridgewater and the Intercollegiate Zionist Federation of American Chapters from Salem Teachers College and the University of Massachusetts at Devens, held a joint party and dance at the Harvard-Hillel House in Cambridge on May 8th. Following the dance, American ballroom and Palestinian, refreshments were served.

The meeting afforded the students of the colleges to become acquainted and to discuss mutual programs for other intercollegiate activities. Dr. M. Sigmund, director of Hillel House, and Mrs. Sigmund were hosts for the dance.

Newman Club Officers Plan Active Year

The Newman Club, under the direction of Michael Sullivan, the new president, is planning a program of interesting lectures during the coming year. There will also be a Retreat sponsored by the organization. In other years the Retreat has been for women only, but next year the men will participate.

The activities of the club were brought to a close with a meeting on May 12, at which Mr. T. Leonard Kelly was the guest speaker. Mr. Kelly spoke on "Irish Education." He read a letter written by an Irish schoolmaster to Mr. Kelly's aunt in 1910. This letter gave a description of the early educational procedures and the reform which has been made. Mr. Kelly also spoke of the beauties of the landscape in Ireland.

Anna Gloster, the retiring president, spoke briefly and wished the new officers success in their new duties. The new officers are: Mary Lou Shea, vice-president; Theresa Corcoran, secretary; and William Barrar, treasurer.

New Club Officers

Day Student Council

President, Gertrude Cardoza; Vice-President, Marie Connell; Treasurer, Marion Tyrrell; Secretary, Patricia Torrey; Assistant Treasurer, Ruth Staupus; Assistant Secretary, Jacqueline Mundt.

Alpha

Assistant Editor, Israel Greenburg; Assistant Treasurer, Robert Lemos; Assistant Business Manager, Paul Salley; Assistant Art Editor, Sally Mapes.

Senior Class

President, Jean Gillette; Vice-President, Marjorie Knight; Secretary, Marie McNeill; Treasurer, Jack Kelly.

Dormitory Council

President, Nathalie Dorman; Vice-President, Phyllis Schneider; Secretary, Louise Wallace; Treasurer, Marjorie Knight.

Woodward Dormitory

President, Kathleen Joyce; Vice-President, Irene de Souza; Secretary, Claire Danis; Treasurer, Barbara McNamara.

Tillinghast Dormitory

President, Mary Forrest; Vice-President, Florence Joseph; Secretary, Joan Doherty; Treasurer, Evelyn Eoksuzian.

Junior Class

President, Paul Salley; Vice-President, Rhoda Leonard; Secretary, Janet Beaton; Treasurer, Robert Lemos.

Sophomore Class

President, Joseph Driscoll; Vice-President, Pauline O'Sullivan; Secretary, Marjorie Torrence; Treasurer, Ralph Desjardins.

Freshmen Give B.T.C. "Evening In Paradise"

All the angels, summoned by Gabriel's horn, attended "An Evening in Paradise" May 1, 1948 at the Albert Gardner Boyden Gymnasium. The angelic pairs were ushered through the golden gate into a star-studded heaven. As the music wafted rhythmically over the clouds, the couples danced off to the strains of Gene Dennis' orchestra. The paradise, complete with angels, stars, cupids and clouds, was the scene for much gaiety and laughter. At ten, heaven time, the parade of angels glided over the floor in the regal grand march.

In the form of a small cupid with the two angels' names on it, a slight piece of the paradise was available as a token of the happy memories of the night transferable to the "dorm" bulletin boards. Being mortal angels, with a gastrovascular cavity unknown to spiritual spirits, refreshments were served in the form of punch and angel cake.

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Nicky Leonard, Versatile Soph, S.C.A. Officer



NICKY LEONARD

Nicky Leonard, the newly elected second Vice-President of S.C.A., is a very versatile sophomore. Although her Christian name is Rhoda, very few people know her as such. Nicky is a native of Somerset, Massachusetts. While at Somerset High, she began the activities which make her so well-suited to carry out the responsibilities of her new office. She was an officer of her class throughout her high school career. Sports then, as now, were a major interest to her, and she was a basketball star of the Somerset team. She was graduated with honors in 1946, and was voted "most popular" in her class.

During the summer of 1946 she was a member of the Fort Wayne, Indiana team of the All-American Girl's Baseball League. Besides covering second base for Fort Wayne, she was seeing much of the middlewest. Bridgewater beckoned, however, and Nick chose college over baseball. Last summer she served as an instructor in the Somerset playground, and plans to spend the coming summer in the same manner.

Since her arrival on the campus, Nick has been most active and popular. Her ability to play basketball and softball has been well-exhibited in the last two seasons. Her versatility is shown by the facts that she is a member of Woodward House Board; and W. A. A. Director of softball; and that she has maintained excellent grades in her studies. This year Nicky has held the office of vice-president of the sophomore class and now her talents have been further recognized. Last year she was named All-American girl of the freshman class.

Nicky has all the requisites for a successful officer. Experience, however, is but one of her qualifications. She has that quality of leadership which commands respect and cooperation. Good luck to you, Nick, in this and future ventures, the students of Bridgewater have indeed made an excellent choice.

SUPERLATIVES

Each year "Campus Comment" publishes a list of the Senior Superlatives. This year the superlatives are a result of a poll taken from each member of the college. Congratulations to you who came out on top.

MOST MUSICAL ERNESTINE MILLS
MOST DRAMATIC JAMES PETTENGILL
MOST DEPENDABLE . HORTENSE ARCHAMBAULT
MOST VERSATILE MARTHA WALSH
MOST CONSCIENTIOUS

HORTENSE ARCHAMBAULT
BEST FIGURE MARIE HENRY
PRETTIEST MARY RUTH SULLIVAN
BEST DRESSED MARIE HENRY
NICEST EYES MARIE MCGOWAN
BEST COMPLEXION . MARY RUTH SULLIVAN
NICEST LEGS PHYLLIS ZELDIN
NICEST SMILE EUNICE MANCHESTER
NICEST HAIR LORRAINE DOLLIVER
NICEST PROFILE . . BARBARA TALBOT
CUTEST CORINNE McDONOUGH
BEST PHYSIQUE GEORGE PAULEY
BEST DRESSED RICHARD BELCHER
MOST MANLY RUSSELL FEARS
BEST PROFILE EDWIN ZION
MOST ATHLETIC RICHARD GRIMLEY

DOROTHY LEWIS
MOST SOPHISTICATED EDWIN ZION
BEST DANCERS MARIE HENRY
WITTIEST EDWIN ZION
BEST STUDENTS ANNA GLOSTER
BEST PERSONALITY . . RICHARD GRIMLEY
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED . PHYLLIS JONES
MOST POPULAR FRANKLIN KROEHL
BEST PERSONALITY WILRENE CARD
MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED . RICHARD GRIMLEY
MOST POPULAR MILDRED DUGGAN
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MOST LIKELY TO SUCCEED . JAMES PETTENGILL
MOST POPULAR RICHARD GRIMLEY
BEST PERSONALITY MILDRED DUGGAN

Shadders

When the shadders come creepin'
 And the night is black,
 And the wind comes a'roarin'
 Down the old smoke stack;
 Oh, my heart gets a'thumpin'
 With fear and with doubt,
 And I gets feelin' so lonely
 I want to cry out.

They loom from the light
 Of the lamp in my hand,
 I tell 'em go 'way
 But they don't understand,
 They foller me everywhere
 From cellar to hall;
 The bickerin', flickerin' shadders—
 That dance on my wall.

Harry Nickerson, Jr.

Science Club Has The Final Party Of Season

"Science games" highlighted the final party of the Science Club in the commuters' lounge on May 10. Truth and consequences kept the members in high spirits for a large part of the afternoon. A short business session was conducted during which Ralph Desjardins was installed as president for the coming year.

The other officers will be elected in the fall and the present officers will carry over their terms. They are: Louise Souza, Vice-president; Selma Rosenfield, Secretary; Lillian Wilson, Treasurer; and Burnham Miller, Program Chairman.

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