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# CONCERT OF CHOIR, PROGRAM BY ANNUAL MURIEL DICKSON, HEAD MUSICAL ACTIVITIES

# Prominent Men Will Be Heard Next Week

President Of Canadian Stuart Chase Will University To Speak Speak On March 11th

### Norman MacKenzie Is International Lawyer

President Norman A. M. MacKenzie of the University of New Brunswick, Fredericton, New Brunswick, will be presented at a joint assembly at the Alumnae Building, Monday, March 10, at 11:40. Arrangements for the assembly were made by Professors Warren and Newman. President MacKenzie has traveled

a great deal in Europe, Russia, China, Japan and Manchuria, as well as in Canada. He served in World War 1 from 1914 to 1919 with the Canadian Mounted Rifles and the Nova Scotia Highlanders.

He is widely connected with Law and International Relations associations and has occupied the chair of Public and Private International Law at Toronto University 1933-1940.

At present he is in Maine to attend the conference of Maine College Presidents and Maritime College Presidents held at the University of Maine, March 7 and 8. Besides addressing the Colby students Monday [try's role in the present crisis in his | counted fifteen, pronouncation ten. morning, he will speak in Waterville, Monday evening, and Tuesday evening in Lewiston under the auspices of the Canadian Legion of Maine.

President Norman A. M. MacKenzi of the University of New Brunswick will give a public lecture March 10 in the Waterville Senior High School Auditorium at 8 P. M. His subject will be "North of the Border." Admission will be 35 cents and the proceeds will go to "Bundles for Britian."

A public supper will be given in honor of Professor MacKenzie at the Odd Fellows Hall, March 10, at 6 P. Price of the suppor is 50 cents. College students are cordially invited. Tickets may be obtained at the College Bookstore, or from Professor Norman O. Palmer.

Economist, Lecturer, Is Widely Known For Views

Stuart Chase, who lectures here on March 11, at the Waterville High School Auditorium, believes that abiding peace is possible for this country providing we are able to abandon the Philippines and our rights in China, forego our crusades to save Europe, cultivate the goodwill of our Latin American neighbors, and, most important of all, reconstruct our own political and economic house,

Mr. Chase, a well-known author, has written many simplified books on economics. He is an authority on "semantics," the science of the sounds and meanings of words.

Mr. Chase pointed out in a recent interview that this country has the of tariff walls, frontiers, and rival- The speakers were judged on a basis ries. He will explain in greater detail his theories regarding this counlecture which will be entitled "The Great Transition."

#### MONDAY CLASS SCHEDULE

Class schedule for Monday foreioon, March 10, 1941: First period: 8:00-8:45. Second period: 8:55-9:40, Third period: 9:50-10:35. Fourth period: 10:45-11:30, Joint assembly in the Alumnae Building at 11:40.

Elmer C. Warren, Registrar,



MURIEL DICKSON

## Hallowell Finals Winners Announced

#### Blake, Daggett, Goodman Palmer Win Cash Prizes

Last Thursday evening at 7:30 the finals of the thirty-second annual Hallowell prize speaking contest were held in the Chapel. Twelve students out of a field of eighty-four were chosen to compete in the finals,

Judges for the contest were: Dr. Arthur Daviau, '21, Mr. Arthur Steta united, continent-wido nation free '34, and Mr. James E. Glover, '37. of fifty points, of which interpretation counted twenty-five, appearance

The winners of the contest and the prizes they received were as follows: First prize of fifty dollars to William Paris Blake, Jr., '42, whose subject was "If Hitler Wins." Second prize of twenty-five dollars was awarded to John Winthrop Daggett, '41, who spoke on the subject."A. College Student Looks at Democracy." Gerald Leroy Goodman, '42, won the third prize of fifteen dollars for his speech SELECTIVE SE on "British Propaganda and War Hytoria," The fourth prize was awarded to Linwood E. Palmer, '42, who for Selective Service are asked to spoke on the subject "With Malice call at my office. Toward None."

# Men's And Women's Glee Clubs Combine

Radio, Opera Star Is Native Of Scotland |Spiritual Music

#### Well Known For Metropolitan Roles

The Colby College Choir will give its annual concert and dance on the terville. A gifted soprano of the evening of March 13th in the Alumnae Building. A diversified program Dickson will appear in the second which includes Negro spirituals, folk concert of the Community Concert songs, popular songs, and the type of Series, Monday, March 17. music which is generally referred to as "light classical" has been arranged. There will be individual numbers by the men's and by the women's choirs, together with pieces which the choirs will give together.

Harold Polis, talented undergraduate pianist, will play a solo.

Dancing, with music furnished by Jimmy Springer's broadcasting Colby White Mules, will follow the concert.

Behind it the Colby Glee Club has concerts at Bowdoin and Westbrook Junior College which were given in priceless advantage over Europe of son, Jr., '34, Mr. Ralph Nathanson, December, and the Christmas Festival which was held at the Frist Baptist Church in Waterville. Plans for a trip next week to Portland and New Hampshire University are nearing completion.

#### CAMERA CLUB

Members of the Camera Club arc reminded that the Camera class will be held this Friday, March 7th in the dark room in the basement of Foss Hall at 4:30. Bring your films you

#### SELECTIVE SERVICE

Any men students who have been classified between February 1 and 28

Elmer C. Warren, Registrar.

# Sing "Light Classical,"

## White Mules Play At Dance Afterwards

Muriel Dickson is coming to Wa-Mctropolitan Opera Association, Miss

Muriel Dickson who is a native of Scotland, came to American in 1935 as prima donna of the D'Oyly Carte Opera Company. Her remarkable voice and charming personality in the Gilbert and Sullivan repertory immediately established her as an American favorite, and before the company had returned to London she was engaged by the Metropolitan Opera Association.

Miss Dickson made her Metropolitan debut in a revival of Smetana's "The Bartered Bride." Her beautiful voice and clever, intelligent acting delighted audience and critics. When the Metropolitan produced "Amelia Goes to the Ball," one of its most suc-cessful new operas in recent times, (Please turn to page 3)



#### Four Students Interpret "Wave Of The Future"

Anne Morrow Lindbergh's book 'Wave of the Future," was the subject of a panel discussion by the Peace Commission last week. Four students gave their interpretations of the book and exchanged comments.

Marilyn Ireland, '42, opened with a brief book report and submitted the

## **Defense Of Democracy** Student Forum Issue

## Five Present Views At International Relations Club

Group for the Defense of Democracy hold a forum in the Alumnae Building. The issue discussed was "Is America Worth Defending?" Five To Classical Club members of the undergraduate body of the college participated in the discussion.

The first speaker was Christine Bruce, '42, who stated that domoeracy is worth defending if we have Euclid Helie spoke on "The Clouds," second speaker was Beverly Booth, worth defending because in a democratic state the rights of the individual woro respected. Mary Carr read the paper prepared by Mary Jones, Miss Jones believes that democracy is (Please turn to page 6)

# Five Colby Men Leave For Fort Blanding With National Guard Unit, Company G

With the cheers and good wishes of [L. McMahon, '44. The alumni wore |'20, while Colonel Spaulding Bisbee, practically the entire population of represented by Captain Charles E. '13, commands the 103rd Infantry. Waterville ringing in their ears, Towne, '28, staff officer in the medi-Another Colby graduate, Major H. Company G, local unit of the Nation- cal corps, and Privato Alberoni R. al Guard, boarded a special train on Paganucci, '30. Monday. February 24, at the Maine As the different National Guard of the 43rd Division, which includes C. Marden, '21, is Adjutant-General Central Station. Their destination- units leave for periods of service, the all National Guard units in New Eng-Fort Blanding, Florida. names of distinguished Colby men land. Major Byron H. Smith, '16, Included in Company G were five spring into prominence. Of the three member of the 90th Legislature has Colby men, three of whom were un- National Guard units in the state of been excused from his representadergraduates. These were Sergeant Maine, two are commanded by Colby tive duties to answer the call to duty. Last Tuesday evening the Interna- Robert E. Anderson, '42, Corporal graduates. The 152nd Field Artillery He is attached to the 152nd Field tional Relations Club and the Colby Robert Carey,'44, and Corporal James is headed by Colonel John F. Choate, Artillery.

Professor Helie Speaks Phi Mu Holds

The Classical Club held a meeting last Thursday in the Social room of the Alumnae Building. Professor economic democracy as well. The a satiric drama by Aristophanes. Potor Kouchalakos read a paper on '48, who said that democracy was Greece after Professor Hollo's talk. Mr. and Mrs, Thory joined in the Mr. and Mrs. John McCoy, Miss Marinformal group discussion later. Norma Marr, the vice president of the Classics Club, took charge of all president.

Semi-Formal Dance

On Saturday evoning, March 1, the members of Phi Mu sorority held their annual semi-formal dance at the Elmwood Hotel. Danny Danforth and his orchestra provided the music for the occasion. Chaperones included Mr. and Mrs. Cocil Rollins, jorie Faw and Mr Douglas Wheeler.

The committee in charge consisted sorved at intermission.

# Freshmen Hear Talk **On College Athletics**

Professor Gilbert F. Loebs spoke to the freshmen at their assembly period last Thursday on the subject of athletics at Colby. The talk was the god or super-man," he said, "mainly fourth in the series of discussions on the main departments of the college. Mr. Loobs discussed the ways in which the students' money is spent. Money is needed for medical care and Hitler as an ordinary man, one exfor the maintenance of the medical planation of the absence of panic staff. The speaker outlined the steps '42, who was unable to be present. arrangements and refreshments, tak- of Ruth Howes, Priscilla George, and through which the college has gone in ing the place of Borton Linscott, Ruth Graves. Refreshments were building up its present athletic program.

idea that the book was not so much a support of Nazism as a confession of Mrs. Lindbergh's faith in a great evolutionary change in world conditions, a change that should not be resisted.

The next student, John Pinco, '42, agreed that America should concentrate on home conditions and stay out of the European war.

Helen Henry, '42, expressed the idea that the world is moving toward a new economic order and that Germany is only working toward the same goal, plenty of the world's material resources, that every other nation is striving for.

The freshman representative, Jack Temmer, branded Nazism a regression in that it is an attempt to build up a feudal state which is nothing new in the world's history. He called Hitler a reactionary and insisted that the cure for the world's problems and the preservation of democracy rested in education. "We see Hitler as a because of our susceptibility to British propaganda and our distance from the field of action. Switzerland is in the thick of the situation and can see such as the United States is in new." Frank Bailey, '42, gave a resume of several book reviews by nationally

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#### HOCKEY TEAM CONFERENCE UNDEFEATED IN Football Coach Colby Five Tops Bates M.I.T.And Northeastern Still A Mystery 34-27 For 12th Victory Tripped By Mule Attack Applications Continue To

## Mule Pucksters Climax Most Brilliant Season

Captain Loring And Johnson Spark Crucial N. U. Tilt

Closing its season with victories over M. I. T. and Northeastern 7 to 4, and 5 to 4 at Boston last Friday and Saturday, Bill Millett's startling Colby sextet laid just claim to the New England Conference hockey crown.

These two wins gave the Mules an undefeated league record of seven wins and no losses and were their seventh and eighth consecutive wins of the year.

The Engineers provided much stiffer competition than the Colby sextet expected, and it was only after coming from behind in the second period that the Mules were able to pound out a 7 to 4 victory.

Weidul with three goals, Johnson with two and Wallace and Reid with one each accounted for all the Mule points.

Northeastern's Huskies, rated as one of New England's finest hockey powers, gave the Mules much stiffer der (Fernberg) 4:27; Colby, Woodopposition on the following night in ward (Fields) 9:35. a fast, wide open game.

The big red team jumped to an early lead in the first period, when Carder took a pass from Fernberg, and pushed one past Ed Loring at Fernberg (Carder) 3:37; 6-Colby, 4:27. Colby evened the count at Johnson (Fields) 14:38; 7-Colby, 9:27, when Woodward scored on a Johnson (Weidul) 14:48; 8-Colby, pass from Fields.

Two goals in the second period by Fernberg and Carder gave the Huskies a 3 to 1 lead which looked even more impressive when the same two combined to make it 4 to 1 in the third period.

In desperation Millett left his starting six in for practically the whole final period and at 14:38 his strategy bore fruit as Johnson scored on a pass from Fields. A minute later he took a rass from Weidul for another point and the same two combined on the tying goal at 18:27.

Due to the Sunday amusement law the game at 11:45 and failed to see Joe Wallace maintain the Mules clean slate with a long shot from the blue line at 3:15 of the overtime.

The game was featured by a fast open type of play and the stellar performances of both goalies who made some sensational saves in the nets. The summary:

Northeastern

Colby Cusick, lw \_\_\_\_\_rw, Johnson Chipman, c \_\_\_\_\_c, Wallace Saumseigle, rw \_\_\_\_\_lw, Weidul McKinnon, ld \_\_\_\_\_rd, Laliberte Cunningham, rd \_\_\_\_\_ld, Beach Hansis, g \_\_\_\_\_g, Loring

Northeastern alternates, Carder, Fernberg, Hutchinson, DeMontier. Colby alternates, Woodward Fields, Reid, McIntosh, Cross.

Score, Colby 5, Northeastern 4. First period-Northeastern, Car-

Second period --- Northeastern, Fernberg (Hutchinson) 3:59; Northeastern, Carder (unassisted) 14:19. Third period: 5-Northeastern, Johnson (Weidul) 18:27; penalties -Cusick (cross check); DeMontier (roughing); Reid (roughing).

Overtime: 9-Colby, Wallace (unassisted) 3:15. Referees-Kelliher and Lannigan Time, three 20-min. periods.

If you've seen the postman staggering into the men's gym lately with a full load, he was just bringing more applications for the job of Colby's football coach. According to Mike Loebs, over eighty applications have been received for the job of piloting

Pour Into Athletic Office

the White Mules, and more are comsome 1500 fans were forced to leave ing in all the time. As yet no decision has been reached, and probably won't be for the next few weeks at least.

It seems that everyone from the lowliest high school coach to some of the country's outstanding football mentors have shown their desire to be the Colby coach. High school, as sistants, freshman and head coaches from all parts of the country have applied for the job, with applications being reviewed from as far west as North Dakota. Some of these, Mr. Loebs explained, were immediately weeded out because of lack of experience, and others because they command too high a salary. The problem is to pick a coach with a good reputation who has had experience, and who will be willing to come to Colby for what the college is able to

pay. Several coaches who have applied, have listed as references, such outstanding men as Lou Little, Lyn Waldorf, Bernie Bierman, Andy Kerr and Dick Harlow.

Mr. Loebs explained that the outstanding applicants will be personally interviewed, and then several of the most desirable will appear before the Athletic Council. The Council will then decide upon one man, and send their recommendation to the president. The final decision rests with him. This weeding out is being done with all possible haste, so that the new coach will have the opportunity to meet with the squad for a short spring session.

by DICK REID Coach Cy Perkins is really beaming this week over the prospects and spirit of the track forces. The rapid improvement among the freshmen and also some of the varsity cannot be missed by those who have followed the fortunes of the Mules this scason. Russ Brown is an example of what more boys could do on the cinders by perseverance and work. Russ never ran in high school, but the way

**MULE KICKS** 

he paces himself in those mile and 1000 events, he looks like a veteran. Rounding the turn in the 1000 last Saturday, he was fourth, but the way he pulled away from those New Hampshire boys was a warming sight to the coach. Incidentally, Ralph Hilton should not be discouraged by the performances of Boo Morcum, because the Massachusetts boy really was the sensation of the B. A. A. meet this winter.

Before the basketball season last fall Coach Roundy put up a list of the season's objectives on the door of the locker-room. Now that the season is over it is interesting to note the performances that have fulfilled that list. A state title, the best team in Colby history, the highest scoring average in history, and a high ranking among the eastern colleges are some of the successes.

We wonder what the moguls of the New England ice circuit are going to do about those "no ice" games that deprived the Mules of the title and the Donald J. Sands Trophy. Perhaps a plan of one point to each team could be arranged for such misfortunes. Does anyone remember the groans that issued from the campus last fall when Fortin and Bolduc failed to return? It didn't seem to bother Coach Millett very much, for he put together one of the best teams in history. A state title, second in the New England League, and fourth in the East were some of their accomplishments.

It is an annual custom for the Boston papers to choose an All-New England team. Here is this column's nominations for the season just closed.

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**Remain Unbeaten** In Series Play

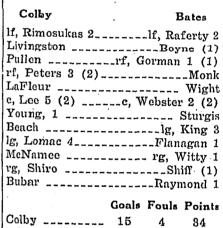
"Best Scason In History Of Sport," Say Scribes

Colby closed the 1940-41 basketball season Monday night by defeating Bates, 34-27, in one of the drabest games of the season at the Field House.

Jenny Lee paced the attack with 12 points, while Captain Al Rimosukas, closing his intercollegiate career, was able to sink only two baskets for his poorest night of the season. The game opened very slowly with both teams decidedly off their game. Colby took an early lead on shots by Lee and Peters and held it throughout the game. Bates was unable to score a single field goal until three minutes before the end of the first half. At the rest period Colby led, 16-6.

Colby piled up a big lead in the second half, as play improved somewhat, but Bates returned late in the game to creep nearer and make the score somewhat respectable. Besides Captain Rimosukas, Gil Peters, George Young, George Beach, and Bob Pullen played their final contests for the Blue and Gray. Prospects for next season are extremely bright with so many veterans returning.

The summary:



4 84 Bates \_\_\_\_\_ 11 Б  $\mathbf{27}$ Referees, Mahan and Messina. Time, 2-20's,

#### FINAL SERIES Rachathall Sta



with the gang at the



# Track Teams Lose To N. H Young Mules Lose Close

One To N. H. Yearlings

Robert "Boo" Morcum, New Hampshire's freshman candidate for national honors, with his seven league shoes, established two new field house records when he pole vaulted to the height of 13 feet and high jumped, with only one shoe on, to 6 feet 2 % inches. As if this was not enough,

Records Smashed As N. H. Varsity Beats Colby Team

Three meet records were shattered and another tied as the New Hampshire Wildcats pulled the Mules tail with a 61-47 victory last Saturday. Bill Crook, of New Hampshire, established a new meet record in the 300 yard run with a time of 34.6 seconds, thus chipping a second off the

ICE CREAM BAR OPPOSITE STADIUM	inches. As if this was not enough, "Boo" also took first honors in the broad jump, to lead his team with 15	onds, thus chipping a second off the previous mark. Crook also tied the meet record in the 40 yard dash with	C., Chaisson, B. C.	Basketball Standing Won Lost Pct.			
NOEL'S TAP ROOM 23 SILVER STREET	points in a 50-48 victory over the Colby Mulettez last Saturday. Ernie Styrna, who was the nation- al prep school hammer champion at Seton Hall last year, kept pace with Morcum, when he established two	a 4.8 second performance. Not to be outdone by his teammate, Steve Lampson did a little breaking of his own by setting a new meet record in the pole yault, by flying to the	R.W., Chambers, B. U. L.D., Sakoian, N. H. R.D., Mee, B. C. G., Loring, Colby. Second Team	Colby         4         0         1.000           Maine         2         2         .500           Bates         0         4         .000			
Elmwood Hotel Pine Tree Tavern	more field house records by edging out Turner, of Colby, in the shot put, with a distance of 47 feet 11 ½ inches and throwing the hammer 56 feet 5 ½ inches. With Morcum in the Mule's hair and taking a beating from Styrna in	Johnny Daggett's record of 11 feet 6 inches. Led by the prowess of New Hamp- shire, Colby strained to the breaking point, and Vic Lebednik set a new meet record for the Mules, when he heaved the 16 pound shot a distance	G., Mansis, N U. Honorable mention: wings: Cusick,	ETT Cos			
W. W. Berry & Co. All sizes of Loose Leaf Covers and Fillers COLBY SEAL LOOSE LEAF 89c NOTE BOOKS 89c Fountain Pens, Greeting Cards Desk Blotters TYPEWRITERS (All Makes) Rented—Sold—Repaired 103 Main Street Waterville	600, second in the shot put, and third in the 40 yard dash for 14 points, St. Pierre again tied the record in the 40	former mark of 40 foot 1½ inches set by Helin of Colby. Gil Peters, of Colby, captured first place in the high jump with a height of 6 feet. He tried for 6 feet 8 inches but falled in his three attempts to set a new record. New Hampshire captured 8 first places, 4 seconds, and 9 thirds. Colby	C., Pryor, B. C., Weidul, Colby, Powars, B. C., Allard, N. H.; conters: Brown, B. U., Babine, B. C., Conway, N. H., Chipman, N. U., Fornborg N. U., Field, Colby; defense: Maguire, B. C., McKinnon, N. U., Sage, M. I. T.; goal: Sharkey, B. C., Sullivan, B. U., Davis, Middlebury, Gordon, M. I. T.	MACMURRAY CARROLL in "VIRGINIA"			
WEBBER'S ICES OPEN 11:00 A. M.—12:00 P. M. DAILY HAMBURGS, HOT DOGS, ICE CREAM		<ul> <li>places. Colby will conclude her indoor track senson this Saturday when they invade Bates for a dual meet. The summary:</li> <li>Mile run—won by Lowry, (N.H.);</li> <li>second, Jones (N.H.); third, Sanborn (N.H.). Time, 4 min. 30 sec. 40 yard dash—won by Crook, (N.H.); second, Lobdenik (C);</li> <li>Murphy (C). Time, 4.8 sec. (Ties meet record).</li> <li>45 yard high hurdles—won by</li> </ul>	Odd bits—add another Colby man to those serving Uncle Sam in the person of Al Paganucci, '36, former all New England hockey star, who de- parted with the National Guard last week.—Nothing new on the coach- ing this wook from the athletic office except the fact that the list of appli- cants is nearing the 100 mark.—Joe Wallace was among the first ten scor- ors in the New England hockey cir- cuit.—Bud Johnson certainly must have been saving them from the way he went in that Northeastern game. Did that telegram help, Bud?	Spencer Tracy, Betto Davis, Don Ameche, Henry Fonda, Claudette Colbert FRI., SAT., MARCH 14-15 "THE TRIAL OF MARY DUGAN"			

## wo Students Discuss Neutral Food Plan

Helen Henry, Emanuel Frucht Speak At Assembly

At the women's assembly on Monday two students discussed the Merits of the Proposed Neutral Food Commission.

The first speaker, Miss Helen Henry, opened her discussion with a brief explanation of the proposed plan, sponsored by Herbert Hoover, to organize a Neutral Food Commission for the benefit of the small democracies. Speaking for the plan, Miss Henry stated that it worked four years during the last war.

"People are naturally skeptical and ask questions. Can the supplies be prevented from going to the Germans? Hoover answers yes, by assolute control of the Commission and the volunteer nationals."

"Will Feeding Workmen in these countries strengthen Germany? Hoover answers no. Workmen whose labor is useful to the central economy of Germany will be fed by the Germans. Would Germany keep the agreement? Germany would keep the agreement if only for her own self interest. Pestilence is no respecter of boundaries."

"Will this plan deprive Americans of Food or involve us in the war? No, the people we relieve will pay for their own food. The neutral commission will operate its own ships under its own flag."

"And then the question arises, will not Germany care for these civilians? the British contend that it is Germany's obligation to feed them or to evacuate. The Germans assert that these people have always lived largely from imports and that the British blockade is the cause of the starvation."

Miss Henry concluded that it is up to public opinion to give the plan a trial. "Must They Starve?"

Emanuel Frucht, opposing the proposed plan, claimed that it would be advantageous to Germany.

"Hitler is not to be trusted," Mr. Frucht stated. It was Germany's duty to provide the food for those countries that it took over, according to international law. Mr. Frucht also said that the whole plan couldn't possibly work unless it was taken over as a duty of the Red Cross. We would suffer from such a plan.

Mr. Erucht closed with the statement, "Churchill is against it and Hitler is for it," as for himself, he would stick by Churchill.

#### **RECORDS SMASHED**

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Pratt (C); second, Hildebrandt (C); third, Smith (N.H.). Time, 6:3 sec. 300 yard run-won by Crook, (N.H.); second, Bateman (C); third,

Men's And Women's Glee Clubs, Who Will Combine To Give Their Annual Concert On Thursday, March 13, At Alumnae Building

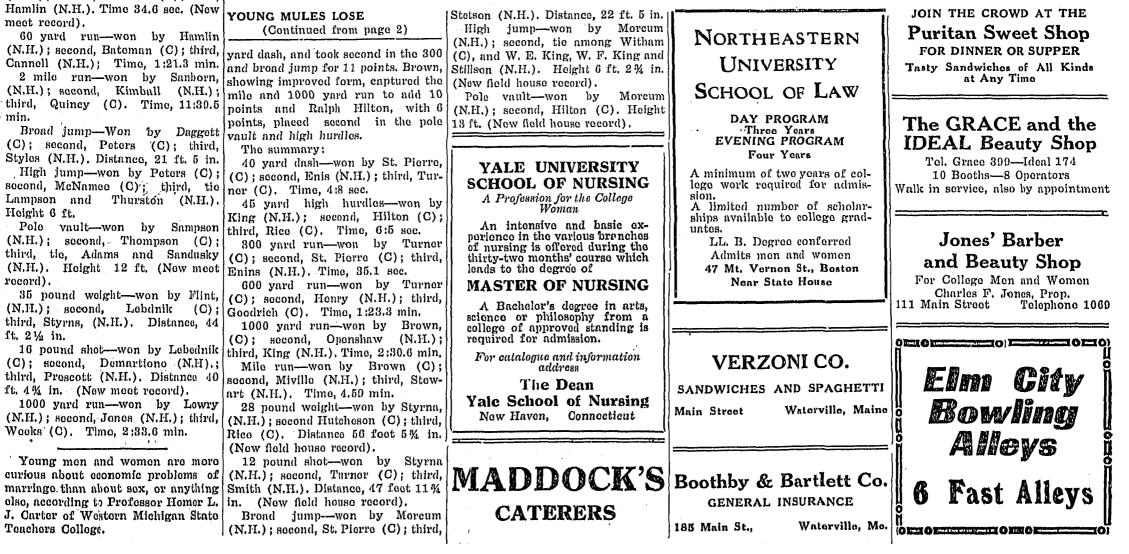


ANNUAL CONCERT (Continued from page 1)

Miss Dickson had a brilliant victory at Town Hall, and as a result drew a throughout the United States and Sullivan airs on her programs as well chorus of emphatic praise from press Canada. in the title role. In December, 1938, Miss Dickson and public. She then made a highly Usually Miss Dickson includes one English songs.

as a select group of Scottish and old presented her first New York recital successful concert tour with bookings or more of the well-loved Gilbert and

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## The Lamp Burns . . .

We should like to take this opportunity to send a journalistic bouquet of roses to Mrs. Helen L. Webber, nurse in the men's division. Two weeks ago, she devoted all her time to seeing that one of the incapacitated students under her care reached his home in New York successfully.

But Mrs. Webber did something the student body did not require of her. She rode on the train with the unfortunate young fellow as far as Portland, where she had him transferred to his proper train. After arranging him comfortably in the bed in his drawing room, she provided for his trip to New York, and then she silently returned to Waterville.

It is unusual that a woman connected with the medical profession leaves rountine work behind and follows her feelings. Mrs. Webber left the infirmary behind, because one of her charges needed her badly. In showing our appreciation, we cannot compare her to Florence Nightin. gale or any other of her noble predecessors. She stands alone, as Mrs. Webber of Colby College.

--M. W. H.

## We Shall Not Want . .

game and that a full twenty minute period would either be played or else wouldn't even start. The officials after much ado and telephoning finally decided that the law would allow the game to continue until 11:45.

The third period ended at 11:40 with the score tied and no time for an overtime period. Consequently the 1500 spectators had to leave and the game finished in the presence of only the officials and two teams. Colby's Joe Wallace came through in the overtime with the final goal that won the game.

Thus Colby's hockey squad ended an undefeated league season, having lost only a non league game to Dartmouth four to two. Yet because of bad ice and weather conditions at the time of scheduled games, and because of games not played during the epidemic of flu, the Colby squad only played seven league games. Unfortunately this leaves Colby with only seven wins and no losses to stack up against Boston College's record of eight wins and no losses. Thus Boston College apparently has the New England championship for this year.

But with the same squad next year, Colby has another and even better chance to come away with an undefeated championship season, and we wish Coach Millett and the boys the best of luck toward that end.

## PARADE OF OPINION

#### **RUSSIA**

#### (By Associated Collegiate Press)

"Russia," comments the Daily Kansan at the University of Kansas, "appears to be simulating a half-asleep bear, able to stick out a heavy paw when the time arrives."

When Soviet Premier-Foreign Commissar Molotov recently made the first trip of his life outside Russia to confer with Adolf Hitler at Berlin, new attention was focused on the peculiar status of the Soviet Union in the European cauldron. Recent Axis activity in the Balkans has brought forth lengthy speculation in the nation's collegiate press.

"There could be no question," says the University of Minnesota Daily, "but that the newest Axis moves were a direct threat to its military position, yet Russia gave no indication that it would proceed any further than its mild rebuke to Germany for failure to give adequate notice of the occupation (of Rumania). It is extremely unlikely that the Soviet Union will risk a war with Germany at the present time; it is not politic to do so. The stalemate with Britain still leaves Germany the opportunity to create an eastern front, and the Red army is not yet sufficiently developed and reorganized to easily defeat the reichswehr.

The Cornell Daily Sun feels that "in the Balkan powderkeg the two most powerful forces on the continent have now reached positions where their interests are irreparably in constant conflict. A situation is developing wherein one of the conquerors will either have to retreat or fight. To those of us who have so long been in the dark concerning the nature of the alliance between Hitler and Stalin, this last conflict merely serves to increase the general confusion. But who among us would not be willing to stay in the dark in this respect as long as the conflict which is brewing promises, however slightly, to give light to the world which is sinking ever deeper into darkness?"

Russia, sandwiched between the two most active Axis members, "is in a crucial position both as an ally or as an enemy," declares the University of Michigan Daily. "Already the Soviet has made several agreements with Germany and has shared in the partition of Poland. But the tensity created between the two nations by the occupation of Rumania has not been lessened by a reiteration of Russo-German co-operation. The Soviet has always shared a mutual hostility with Italy and has repeatedly opposed Italian expansion in the Balkans. Russia's relations with Japan have been historically belligerent. That essary----that there is a substitute for the Soviet cannot be ignored in the reconstruction of Eu- war. At this time it is more than fin should have much credit for holdrope and Asia is undeniable. Either Russia must co-op-

erate or her vast quantities of food, raw materials and

# **COLBY 25 Years Ago**

From the ECHO of March 1, 1916

On Friday and Saturday of this week, Colby's chapter of Delta Upsilon will be host to the Northeast disfull program has been outlined. Colby's representatives will be F. F. Sully, '16, and Bill Erbb, '17

The Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association has just elected its new officers and adopted two new rulings. The first specifies that each member college will hold track meets in rotation provided that the college whose turn it is can offer a suitable track. The other ruling makes a change in the cross-country scoring: "Each contestant shall be scored according to the place he finishes, and each competing college shall have scored against it the total points tallied by the first five contestants competing for the college."

Student honor was discussed by Dr.

save him from disgrace." The refusal of the executive committee of the Yale Athletic Association to reinstate five Yale athletes for playing baseball during the sumtrict convention of the Fraternity. A mer for board has caused a sensation in New Haven.

> 'They say there's microbes in a kiss, The rumor is most rife, Come, lady, dear, and make of me

An invalid for life." -Puppet. 5 1

The ECHO once more has the chance to publish portions of a letter from Murray L. Morgan, ex-'15, writing from "Somewhere in France." Murray describes his situation as he writes with German trenches 400 yards away, lice and rats sharing his bed, and with mud, shell holes, candles, and coke braziers catching his eye. He tells of a narrow escape he had when a shell landed within 25 feet of him, and of the occasional re-Parmenter before the Congregational lationship he had with a Yankee he and Baptist college men's Bible first met in Montreal when the Yan-Classes on Sunday. The head of the kee was a full-fledged member of a chemical department said in part: famous Scottish regiment. They be-"Honor is a nice sense of what is came friendly and Murray next met right, just and true with a corre- the man while walking on the beach sponding course of life." He said that at Dover. They dined and determinhe was less concerned with the man ed to meet again. A few days before who goes wrong through lack of he wrote this letter, Murray assisted honor than he is with the kind of in a burying party . . and met his friendship shown by the young man's Yankee-Scot for the last time when friends. "For each of them has had he passed his fresh-crossed grave. the power to guide that student and "A strange meeting, this. . " he says.

# CANVASSING THE CAMPUS

By Perley Leighton

For us, the coming of warmer best-looking fellow at Colby, and why winds brings a feeling of nostalgia. am I?" Then we become homesick for the familiar walks, the patches we know are first green, the children of neighbors playing marbles in the streets Dr. Carlson has thrown away his away from home. We are looking are on the wagon . . that the winforward to vacation-only sixteen dows in the freshman dorms are godays!

are made, many fellow-students won't that this is spring. be returning to Colby next year-the Country is calling once more. Even our teachers are not excused; we department, and "Al" Chester, the now it's "gone with the draft." \* \* \*

Which all reminds us of a book-The Power of Non-Violence, by Rich- Mule. Won't someone please save ard B. Gregg. Every serious college that from extinction! student should read this. It shows that war as a means of settling disputes is ineffective and wasteful, and then goes on to show that it is unnectimely.

a "pops" outdoor concert will be held Sherman MacPherson, the famous sometime this spring, by the band and Aroostook Romeo, has been conduct- the glee club. If this goes through as "Thus," concludes the Daily, "another paradox is form- ing a student poll, trying to get some planned, it may mean that the band late Professor Herbert L. Newman, the Student Christian ed in Europe's chaotic political free-for-all. The biggest very conclusive results on a contro- will be a permanent institution once

Unlikely rumors: that Dick Sampson is going to stop smoking . . that -things that are never the same doormat . . that the Lambda Chi's

one question he asks-""Who is the

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ing to be washed . . that the chapel clock is right . . that we'll be on Unless some improbable exceptions Mayflower Hill next September . .

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There are a few activities here that we think deserve more support. hear that Mr. Prescott of the History Track, for example, is a neglected sport, yet there are as many thrills, biology assistant, will be drafted next as much training, and more action summer. Last year the talk of the than in most others. Then, there is campus was "Gone With the Wind," a Peace Commission here that is almost unknown—that's a worthy group, or have we given up all hope

of peace? And one more, the White

Have you noticed our band at the basketball games? Do you realize that until now the band has gone out with the football team? Hoover Gofing the group together. We hear that

The ECHO wishes to take this opportunity to congratu. Association, and participating members of the faculty on bully of all is neither admitted officially into the gaug nor versial issue. The poll is based on the more at Colby. the success of the Fraternity Religious Embassy.

Although, to the outsider, this three-day program of bringing religion into the college might seem idealistic, the Embassy proved its practicality. To the few confirmed soon."

atheists who shut their cars from the rest of the campus activities last week, the Embassy offered no benefit. But, to those who had forgotten the fundamental ideals and precepts of their respective religions, the ministers brought much.

We, in this representative American college, have been shown that, when conscious of it, we can live comparatively free from prejudice and hate. United under the abstract ideal of religion and with each of us doing his part by means of the concrete knowledge gained in college, we cannot fail during the present crisis.

-M. W. H.

## Undefeated Season . . .

Truly the story of the hockey exhibition at the Boston Arona Saturday evening is a thriller to be rated with such legendary tales as "Frank Merriwell at Colby." Coming from behind by an ice-tight score of four to one, six minutes before the final whistle, "Bud" Johnson was able to score three quick goals and tie up the game. The goals were actually made within a span of only four minutes,

The excitement of the battle was accentuated by the fact that just before the beginning of the third period, stuck to his rule book and insisted that this was a longue proach to the crime problem.

land must be divided among the potential rulers or the continent.

openly marked for liquidation. Unless a secret agreement is made between the four spoilsmen of the Eastern Hemisphere, one of the two alternatives will break into action

## THIS COLLEGIATE WORLD

(By Associated Collegiate Press)

They say as how the favorite story at Marquette these days concerns the campus remeo who went to a fraternity convention and after three days, wired the local girl: 'Having a swell time. Wish you were her."

Elsbeth Kennon, of Houston, Texas, is wondering whether history will continue to repeat itself. Her greatgrandparents, grandparents and parents, respectively, met while they were students at Baylor University, Waco, and married after graduation. Now Elsbeth is enrolled as a freshman at Baylor.

And then there's Charles "Tuffy" Timmons, ace fullback at Clemson, who scored 22 points while wearing jersey No. 22 last season. Athletic officials plan to give him No. 99 next fall,

#### (By Associated Collegiate Press)

"One of the great problems facing our country is how sell Brown delivering the address to secure respect for law and order. We must abolish the and Lois Peterson acting as organist. the Arena officials had threatened to stop the game at breeding places of crime,"-Dr. O. Myking Mohus, presi-11:30 whether the full twenty minutes of the third period dent of Winona (Minn.) State Teachers college cites inhad been played or not. But one courageous referee effectiveness of the prison system and calls for a new ap-

# S. C. A. News

#### Peace Commission

Psychology Dopartment will address the meeting of the Peace Commission Department, on Friday afternoon at in the Social Room of the Alumnae Building this Friday afternoon at was in charge of the party. 4:00. As yet he has not announced his topic though the group is interested now in the psychological aspects of democracy.

#### Freshmen Deputations

Two freshman deputation teams conducted services last Sunday at the Gotchell Street Baptist Church. At the young people's service in the 'Brotherhood,"

Elaine Anderson led the evening worship at the same church with Rus-

The University of Illinois physics laboratory has a mass-spectograph, which in offect "woighs" atoms.

# W. A. A. NEWS

The W. A. A board gave a surprise Professor Edward J. Colgan of the party for Mrs. Philip Bither, the former head of the Physical Education Mrs. Bithers' apartment. Sue Rose

> Goraldine Stefko announces that plans are being made for a Faculty-Student Badminton game on Friday, March 7. Details will be posted later.

> Because of the unseasonable spring-like weather, there will be no Skating Club exhibition.

The Physical Education Departmont announces that a foncing club evening Sarah Martin had charge of for upperclasswomen will be started, the worship service while Ann Foster and will meet on Fridays from 2:30 and John Wood led a discussion on to 3:30. All interested are urged to join.

> Radio Star Rudy Vallee traveled with the University of New Hampshire football squad on its first 1940 trip.

> University of North Dakota has a madrigal club of 60 voices.



From the creation of amateur musicals at college, many composers and authors have advanced into writing for the stage and screen as a profession. The American Society of Composers, Authors and Publishers (ASCAP) hopes to discover and encourage new creative talent in this field through its ASCAP Fellowship Competition, open throughout the country to college amateur composers and authors. ASCAP notables who began as college amateurs include Harold Rome (1) of "Pins and Needles" fame, who was a leader in Yale musicals; Cole Porter (2), "Panama Hattie," "Du Barry Was a Lady," who wrote musical shows at both Yale and Harvard; Deems Taylor (3), "The King's Henchman," "Through a Looking Glass," etc., whose New York University musical, "The Echo," carned a Broadway production; Rodgers and Hart (4), the modern Americans often compared to Gilbert and Sullivan for their prolific work for the musical stage who began as a team writing musical shows at New York University; Otto Harbach (5), "Roberta," "The Cat and the Fiddle," etc., dean of musical comedy writers, whose first stage writing was as a Knox undergraduate and who a san English teacher at Whitman directed many undergraduate shows; Oscar Hammerstein II (6), "Showboat," "The Desert Song," etc., an enthusiastic amateur playwright of Columbia University.

## SORORITY NEWS

Delta Delta Delta administered the Trident degree on Sunday afternoon to Natalie Mooers, Frances Brewer, Catherine Buckley, Elaine Anderson, Pauline Foley, Tacy Hood, Freda Staples, Joan Illingworth and Muricl

islands on the Maine sea coast.

Arcy. Ruth Crowell was high scorer for Non-sorority. February 25: Chi Omega 22; Delta Delta Delta 9.

The high scorers for Sigma Kappa

were Charlotte Arey and Barbara

June Totman scored the highest lin we know and love, but it is number of points for Chi Omega and Sue Rose for Delta Delta Delta.

## Chaplin's New Film

#### By Emanuel K. Frucht

The Great Dictator: Charlie Chaplin's first picture since "Modern Times"--- "The Great Dictator"--- is a disappointing film. It is a disappointment because we have been led to expect so much from the films which Chaplin has so infrequently produced during the past fifteen years. This picture is neither a comedy nor a tragedy, but it is a combination of both forms of motion picture entertainment in a rather confused and disarranged manner.

Charlie Chaplin plays two roles in this film. He is the dictator of Pomerania and is also a pathetic Jewsh barber who has been suffering from amnesia since the first World War. As the ruler of the supposedly mythical country of Pomerania, he has many opportunities to rant and fume at his democratic foes by using an original dialect of many tongues which adequately portrays the character he is supposed to represent Marshall Herring and Garbitch ccmplete the big three men in this nation. One of the funniest scenes in the film occurs when Napoliani (portrayed by Jack Oakle), the ruler of Bacteria, pays a so-called state visit to his fellow-dictator. At this time, the two dictators almost come to blows, but a jar of strong English mustard intervenes to prevent them from going to war with one another The old-fashioned Chaplin was never more in evidence than during the scene in which he shaves a customer to the rhythm of Brahm's Fifth Hungarian Dance. This scene shows the genius of Chaplin in all his merry splendor.

But, somehow or other, the whole effect of the film is a negative one. For the first time, we have heard Chaplin speak in films and once we get over our first surprise, his voice is quite pleasing. At the end of the picture, the little barber, mistaken for the real dictator, is thrust into the spotlight to address the throngs in the captured capital of Austerlitz. Here, he delivers an impassioned plea for a saner and more humane world, in which all men, irrespective of race, color or creed, will have a democratic opportunity to live in peace and freedom. It is an inspiring speech, and yet it is not the Chaprather the voice of the inner man pleading for the better days which

In these days it is difficult to mix

major. Here she lives in Foster Woman Heads Phi Betes House. Who could have failed to notice her pretty black curly hair, those very blue eyes, and that viva-

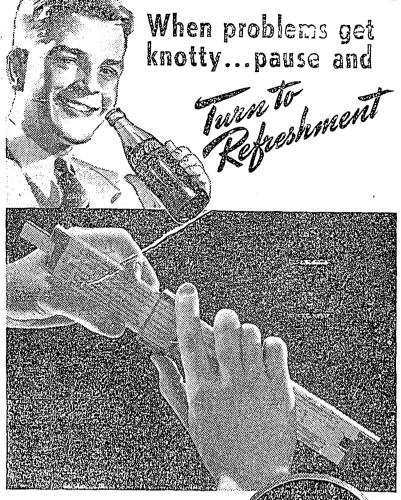
cious smile? Alice Leyh

Alice comes from Brockton, Mass. and lives in Dutton House. To us she in 1776. appears quiet but those who know her

like to know you, Alice.

Northampton, Mass.-(ACP)-Phi Beta Kappa, national honor scholastic society, has a woman president for the first time since it was established

She is Dean Marjorie Nicolson of tell us she's loads of fun. We envy Smith College. Mrs. Nicolson sucher pretty wavy hair. We've seen ceeds Dr. Frank Pierrepont Graves, her in the smoker often, we'd really New York state commissioner of education.



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## Your "Hit Parade"

"Jello' Sternberg with Miss Betty be sure that the songs which she feat-Tilton as his partner, who copped the ures therein will be the favorites of grand prize for the Conga Contest at all. In her forthcoming film, "Nice Union Hall last Saturday P. M. The Girl?", Deanna sings "Beneath The audience accredited "Jello's" victory to that "certain special shoulder wig-gle." To quote the new Conga King worthy of her talent." himself, "Some fun, these Latin-American dances."

is "I Came, I Saw, I Conga'd." Gene name is Mickey's choice. Krupa's "That Happy Conga," is another good one; "One and Two and Three," and "Congo Fever," deserve ballad from the current screen feathonorable mention also.

Hits From The Show:

tunes which are featured in the recently-released screen hit "That "All four of the following," says Bob, "are songs of promise:" "Boa Noite," and the like, all on account of this Boom Chic," and "They Met In Rio."

up-and-coming favorite "You Forgot last name." (Can y' imagine 'at !!) About Me," which comes to us from the motion picture film "Let's Make Music."

"Modest" Danny Scioletti and Ray Flynn request "I Could Kiss You For That," as sung by Wee Bonnie Baker the survey for the favorite "big and Orrin Tucker in their latest pro- game" band in the country here at duction, "You're The One."

(The following info' comes direct edition of the ECHO. from Miss "Gini" Duggan). "It's not often that Deanna Durbin makes a

Yep! T'was Colby's own Steve | picture; but when she does, you can

Mickey Belger goes for the slow smooth stuff; "Along The Santa Fe Speaking of Congas, your best bet Trail," from the movie of the same

Miss Margie Brown requests Wishful Thinking" that beautiful ure. "Tall. Dark and Handsome."

Well, that's all for the show's this Bob Gray gave us a list of the week; but Ralphie Kaufman of the ork, could not help remarking that orthodoxy, will govern the awarding "It's a shame the radio audiences Night In Rio," starring Alice Faye, have to be deprived of such splendid essays dealing with the restricted sub-Don Ameche, and Carmen Miranda. tunes as "Yes, My Darling Daugh- ject will be considered. ter," "The Last Time I Saw Paris,' "I, Yi, Yi, Yi, Yi," "Chica Chica ASCAP-BMI controversy. When Louie Deraney heard that, he inno-Miss Eleanor Mitchell suggests that cently questioned, "What's ASCAP's Miss Betty Sweetser quotes the girls of the Chi Omega Sorority as requesting for their favorite of the week, the currently-popular, "An Owl In An Old Oak Tree." The results of

Colby will be listed in next week's Musically yours, Jimmy Springer.

# **Carver And Gallert English Prizes Open**

The college annually awards two prizes for excellence in English composition,-the Carver Poetry Prize (\$50) offered to any member of the women's division, and the Gallert Prize (\$25) offered to any member of either division.

In 1941 the subjects in both contests will be limited to some phase or aspect of the present National Emergency. This restriction will be liberally interpreted; but poems and essays should deal, in one way or another, with the situation contemplated by the Creed, printed above of the Colby Group on Defense of Democracy. Literary merit, not political of the prizes; but only poems and

In 1941 the contests will close at noon on Friday, March 21st. Three typed copies of every entry should be submitted, each signed by a pen-name and accompanied by a sealed envelope and the French Revolution, an anain which the real name of the contestant is given. Manuscripts should be logy which is fallacious if all the existing conditions are analyzed. The mailed to, or left at the English Office in Chemical Hall.

#### DEFENSE OF DEMOCRACY (Continued from page 1)

only in its infancy and that great strides will be made in the future. The fourth speaker was Myron Mantell, '41, who believes that democracy is worth defending because life, lib- its flexibility, its vitality, and refusal erty and the pursuit of happiness as outlined in the Declaration of Independence is more important than anything the dictators can offer. Democracy can be as efficient as a totali- the scum on the wave to the future.

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tarian state, he remarked. Carl Stern, '44, was the last speaker. He stated that he felt that the United States was not a perfect democracy but that we are on the way toward that goal.

Emanuel K. Frucht, president of the International Relations Club, recommended the following books: "America's Dilemma," by Norman Angel, "Where Do We Go From Here," by Harold Laski, "Prerequisite To Peace In The Far East," by Peffer, "Caribbean Danger Zone," by J. F. Rippy, and "Notes On War Or Peace," by Nicholas Murray Butler.

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known critics. All seemed to agree

that the book is in a sense drawing an

analogy between the present conflict

idea that evolution is not always good

The last speaker, Mary Carr, '42,

supported Temmer's conclusion that

Nazism is a regression with the addi-

tion that democracy is the wave of

the future, in no way resisting change

but epitomizing change by reason of

The panel along with the other stu-

dents present came to the conclusion

that Mrs. Lindbergh believed Nazism

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must be considered.

to remain static.

Hanover, N. H.-(ACP)-Four expeditions into the Arctic regions have earned the title of explorer and navigator for David C. Nutt, 20, a Dartmouth junior studying botany.

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## Chemistry Society To Interfaith Committees Hear Professor Weeks

Friday evening at 7:30 o'clock Pro-fessor Lester F. Weeks will address the members of Chi Epsilon Mu, the national honorary chemistry society, in the lecture room of Chemical Hall. Professor Weeks will speak on the subject "The Place of Chemistry in National Defense." A moving picture from the Dupont company will also be shown.

George Stumpp, president of the local chapter, urges all members to be present as an important business meeting will take place after the program.

**Bowdoin Coach** Addresses Assembly Adam Walsh Talks On

Athletics And Character

Last Tuesday Coach Adam Walsh, football mentor at Bowdoin college, was the speaker at the mon's assembly. Mr. Walsh stated that he was in the athletic field because he loved the

## Colby.At-Mike To Hold Basketball Broadcast

Holds Radio Program

. Last Friday evening, at 8:30 to 9:00, "Colby at the Mike" presented a program sponsored by the Interfaith Committee of the S.C.A. in connection with National Brotherhood Week. The central theme of the broadcast was National Unity.

This Friday night's program will be turned over to the athletic department. Coach Roundy and Captain Al Rimosukas will discuss Colby's colorful basketball season and then take up the prospects for the approaching baseball season.

The regular staff will participate in the program with Francis Shannon playing the piano.

Girls Devote Time To Red Cross Work

The women's division of Colby is now assisting the American Red Cross in its work to aid the British people.

About twelve girls are knitting sweaters, six are at work on socks, and several are knitting scarves. Joanna MacMurtry and Barbara Baylis

Says Loloy A Here's the real smoker's cigarette ..the top o' good smoking for smokers like us

association of contacts with young American men. He likes to believe are in charge of this work. that in some small way he is helping to make a fine American man.

Turning toward the more serious question of National Defense, Mr. Walsh stated that young college men can help save this country by being an example to others. He believes that the greatest trouble with this world today is dishonesty. Mr. Walsh stressed the importance of sportsmanship and his theory of a good basis of sportsmanship was to have a good wholesome respect for another's point of view and honesty.

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Tinfoil and toothpaste containers are being saved for their aluminum content. This is under the direction of Ann Dunmore. Preparation is also underway for a campaign to collect old clothes and shoes for Britain.

Beginning this week there will be an opportunity to take a Red Cross First Aid course.

**Chesterfield Program** Fred Waring's Pleasure Time Leading NBC Stations Wednesdays Mon., Tues., 7:00 P.M. EST Thurs., Fri. 7:00 P.M. EST Glenn Miller's Moonlight Sorenade Leading CBS Stations Tues., Wed., Thurs. 10:00 P.M. EST Professor Quiz **Leading CBS Stations** Tuesday 9:80 P.M. EST

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