SPARS Invade C.C. Academy; Officers' Training Begun

by Berenice Rissner '45

Connecticut College is in for some stiff competition with the SPARS across the street at the Coast Guard Academy. The class that just got their berets, returned thirteen neat, attractive SPARS from New London after the first term of instruction. As seamen in the service of the most. The members of the first class of the West Point type of training which began in the fall, will be taken in groups of ten by the director of the Coast Guard Academy who is stationed at Fort Trumbull, New London. The term of instruction will be sixteen weeks, and the girls will be inducted into the SPARS on completion of the four-week national indoctrination. The officers of the national SPARS are now preparing to attend this national indoctrination in order to train the officers of future classes. The course of the girls will be available at the beginning of next year. They will be employed at the Coast Guard Academy in the various capacities that are available in the Coast Guard. The course of instruction will be a combination of practical training and theoretical instruction. The girls will be divided into platoons and will be assigned to various duties within the platoon. The officers will be assigned to various duties within the officers' platoon. The course will consist of a series of lectures and practical exercises. The lectures will cover topics such as navigation, seamanship, and military tactics. The practical exercises will involve the use of various equipment and the practice of various maneuvers. The course will be divided into two parts, the first part consisting of the lectures and practical exercises, and the second part consisting of the examinations and practical exercises. The course will be held at the Coast Guard Academy. The course will be open to all eligible girls. The course will be held during the summer months. The course will be supervised by the officers of the national SPARS. The course will be evaluated by the officers of the national SPARS. The course will be advertised in the national SPARS magazine. The course will be launched in the fall of the year.
Let's Ration Complaints  

Evidently we have the idea that schools as institutions have certain magic, hidden powers which guarantee the continuity of the same amount and variety of food they used to before rationing became so all-encompassing. We all have a thoughtless enough to comment adversely on the food. We merely consume it and continue to buy it, with only 5% of our total food allowance.  

We contrast our lot with that of the army, which enable them to continue to get the same amount and variety of food as they used to before the war. The men in the army, who have a chance to see the number of stamps sold, are the sales in tabulated form. The average number of stamps bought by 36 - 75 dollars worth of stamps by 2:00 p.m. This is not entirely encouraging. Most of us have the money to make some kind of a regular purchase. It is mostly a matter of inertia and forgetfulness, that has led to the poor showing to date. Most working people make weekly contributions—much larger than ours—directly from their pay envelopes. We do not have our lives costing to deduct from our weekly allowances. The men in the army, which is thus being classed in many cases as non-essentials. It should not be impossibly difficult, to sacrifice some of those non-essentials for war goals. The means of contributing are set up for us conveniently every Wednesday in February. Let's prove that more than 5% of us want to take part in a weekly campaign for war bonds.
Koussevitzky Discusses War Effects on Russian Music

by Elizabeth Travis '44

Koussevitzky believes that the spirit of Russia, as he knows it, can never be controlled by the present, as we listened to his masterful presentation of a man's deepest emotions. Because it is the music of V. S. Koussevitzky's voice as the words filtered through the air. It is the music of V. S. Koussevitzky's voice as he talked with the friendly smile. And we feel Koussevitzky's sincere emotion drawing conclusions about Russian music as it was in the past, and wholeheartedly believe, as Koussevitzky does, in the glory that will be Russian music of the future.

P. Hancock is A. A.
Treasureer: Future Events Planned

Pat Hancock '45 was elected treasurer of A. A. on January 16. Members of 1937 house and the cadettes of the faculty on the bulletin board in the morning on January 20. The matches between the two teams were played on Saturday, January 23. The matches were played on the court in the gym on January 20. A. A. urges all interested to come and watch the games.

Barbara Geib '45
To Join Cadettes

Barbara Geib '45 has been elected to the cadettes. She will take the leave of absence from her college for a semester. Barbara was chosen because of her leadership qualities and her potential to be a member of the production crew at the A. A. cadette meeting last fall. She will attend the meetings and take an active part in the 1943 meetings and the basketball games.

Winter Knocks

Unmindful of Oil Shortage

by Marilyn Sweney '45

There have been increasing changes in the school menus. Aside from the familiar items of milk, potatoes, and bread, there are now only the salads, fish, and vegetables. This is due to the fact that the unfortunate effects of the war on the future of the school menu have been seen. The government has limited itself to two and one-half pounds of meat per week, and the school is buying in accordance with this limit. Any college are buying in accordance with this limit. Any college are buying in accordance with this limit. The Allied Children's Fund, the Student Service Fund, and the Community Chest have already been given to students completing the recreation leadership course. Certificates have already been given to students completing the recreation leadership course. The Allied Children's Fund, the Student Service Fund, and the Community Chest have already been given to students completing the recreation leadership course.

Current on Campus

Dr. Ferguson in Plant

Plants Offers Chance to Nip Creeps at the Start

President Katherine Blunt addressed three current extra curricular opportunities, which she hopes will attract more bodies by the college administration during chapel Tuesday. The first suggestion was to hold at college this year a dance, which will be held at approximately 100 girls have been invited to this attendance at college this year. So far he summer committee has made only tentative arrangements for courses. The curriculum cannot be announced yet.

Poetry by College Students Sought

An anthology of poetry by American college students is being compiled by the editors of Harburg House, New York, and the poems will be published early in the spring. Manuscripts are now being compiled by the editors of Harburg House, New York, and the poems will be published early in the spring. Manuscripts are now being compiled by the editors of Harburg House, New York, and the poems will be published early in the spring. Manuscripts are now being compiled by the editors of Harburg House, New York, and the poems will be published early in the spring. Manuscripts are now being compiled by the editors of Harburg House, New York, and the poems will be published early in the spring.

Community Chest Aids Six Funds

The total sum of $108,000 raised by the recent Community Chest drive, an increase of 15% over last year, will be distributed to six different funds. The largest amount, $50,000, will be given to the Johnson Memorial, the Boys' Club, and the Girl's Club. The Children's Fund, the Pathfinder Fund and the World Student Aid Fund each received $45,000 and $50 and $50, respectively. $100 went to the Christ's Mission, and $100 to the Missions for $40. The total amount will be given to the Missions for $40.
Koussevitzky Conducts Boston Symphony in Fine Concert
by Constance Strong '43

The Serge Koussevitzky Commando, the Boston Sym- phonny orchestra presented an
auspicious opening of the new season, a
Wednesday evening, January 6.
The compositions were not
wanting, the orchestra did what they
were supposed to skillfully. The
Koussevitzky is able to bring out
the greatest and in its
members of his orchestra.
After the program had been
opened with the playing and sing-
ing of the National Anthem, the orchestra played Prokofiev's
Symphony No. 4, which consists of four move-
ments: Allegro, Larghetto, Cavatina, and Finale.


Two C. C. Girls Present WNLC Radio Show
by Alice Adams '44

Allie Dooney '44, Betty Dooney's sister, and Andre Kostelanetz, program director of "Melody Time" in the Columbia Broadcasting System, brought to Columbia Broadcasting System, announced a joint program on WNLC on Mon 
and Tuesday January 11 and will continue Tuesday, January 18 and Sunday, January 24. Program conducted by Andre Kostelanetz, and Betty Dooney acts as accompanist for Doreen. Betty Dooney by her personality and charm and the selection of music, has made a beautiful performance in the WNLC shows.

The program's selections will be a
connection with the show's
content, but is done entirely on the
radio, which consists of 
lights being turned on and
off, etc.
Thomas Chappell

What would we do if we were the God and had all his power? asked the Rev. Thomas Huntington Chappell of New London at ves- sions. Silently God said, "I will save the world. Through the cross and follow are the ones who are Willing to take up the mission at the Escambron Beach Club of San Juan. There in the presence of the most important dignitaries of the island, includ- ing Governor Renford Tugwell, Julia was crowned "Empress del Escambron."
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from St. Paul's Second Epistle to the Corinthians: "But we have this treasure in earthen vessels that the excellency of the power may be of God, and not of us." This, he said, is the explanation of religion. It first came into the world owing to the curious relationship between society and the individual.

Religion, continued Dr. Park, like food has its bad points but man can never get away from it. The French radio broadcast recently which was called "Our Devotion, All Hour." Nazism has denounced religion, yet it always finds its way back in some form or another, that awful, strange, extraordinary thing called religion.

The speaker pointed out that we in America have been the most unredeemed group in the world for the past two centuries. We have felt that others needed religion, that of course it was a good thing for some, but not for us "more or less prosperous people who feel there is no need for us to be any better than we are." But, as Dr. Park pointed out, in times of crises we again turn to religion, but in turning to religion only in fear we are missing the ultimate question. There are three aspects, said Dr. Park, of the individual's relationship to religion: first, you never know what you can bring to bear on the most intractable difficulties; second, you never know what God can do until you have your feet on the ground, so to speak; third, you never know what God can do until you have the capacity to love them, to worship them.

"Religion," said Dr. Park in closing, "is the meeting of the words God speaks to every one of us tonight. 'My strength is made perfect in your weakness.'"}

Lucille Bobrow '44 is New Quarterly Editor

Lucille Bobrow '44 of Mount Vernon, New York, has been appointed the new editor-in-chief of Quarterly, succeeding Roxanne Schwartz, who recently went to dartmouth college.

Other new appointees include Louise Rossetti '45, associate editor, Barbara Filling '46, business manager, Madeleine Bredthill '44, chairman of the priority committee; Elizabeth '44 and Georgann Hawke '44.

Baker's Wife Benefit Film Shown Here

by Carolyn Thompson '43

The proceeds from "La Femme Du Boulanger" or "The Baker's Wife," which was presented at the French Club of Connecticut College on Thursday evening, January 14, at 7:30 in the Palm Auditorium, were $250.00 in all. Of this, $235 was clear profit from the presentation itself and $200 was donated by Windsor School in Williamstown to the state-wide funds. $250 has been given toward an ambulance and $50 has been retained by the French Club for their next benefit performance.

The purpose of this presentation was to raise funds which are to be part of the college's contribution to a state-wide effort to collect money to buy ambulances for the Fighting French. Later in the year, the French Club will sponsor Mme. Povala Frych, concert singer, the proceeds from which will go to which cause.

"The Baker's Wife" was superior in every aspect: acting, direction, dialogue, setting, and story. The latter concerns the construction of a small village in Provence, when the young and beautiful wife of their new and highly respected baker runs off with a handsome shepherd from the entirely devout minister- quiax.

Revived is life to the peasant of France. When the baker cannot bake until his wife returns, the entire village turns out to search for her and bring her back. After she is discovered, the priest finally persuades her to come back, and peace is once again restored because there will be bread. Raimu, the noted French actor, gave a superb performance as the baker, while Robert Carron as the priest, Robert Bassac as the school teacher, and Charmant as the Marquise were excellent in their characterization. Several of the scenes which stood out in their performance with fine work. Perhaps the baker's wife's Lecture and Movie On Yukon Given by Mrs. Wm. Albee

Mrs. William Albee spoke at a lecture Friday evening, January 8th, in Palmer Auditorium about the journey she and her family took through the Yukon territory and Sierra Nevada in the summers of 1940 and 1941. Complementing the journey were graphic movie portrayings the trips which were sponsored by the Natl. Geographic Society. Mrs. Albee came here so that funds might be raised for the American Association of University Women.

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Caught On Campus

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and Thursday afternoons. This will be held with the object of "toughening" the women through calisthenics and various sports.

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Frederick Bemis '40 of the Registrar's Office has announced her engagement to Lt. Donald Bradley of New London. This gives us a total of seventeen engagements and four weddings. We sincerely hope we have left no one out of our accounting and that you will inform us of anything like this that has happened.

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**SPARS**

### Free Speech

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Day afternoon, Mrs. Woodhouse was generous enough to offer to any one might have in mind. Not a question was asked. I sincerely hope Mrs. Woodhouse realized that the extraordinary clarity and thorough treatment of her address left no room for question in the minds of her audience at the conclusion of her speech. The silence was a perhaps uncov ered form of praise - praise which was audible expressed in every dormitory "Tuesday night," Nancy Trondal ’44.

**WOODHOUSE**

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ers in both public agencies and defense areas.

At present overseas duties are limited. The Red Cross is sending home older women to staff centers for men on leave. Other opportunities open to women may be found in day care centers, day schools, industrial recreation, public opinion analysis, law, social work, journalism and research.

**Oil Shortage**

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Unfortunately last December Miss Delroy’s cold and the insulat ion or arrival date the same day at 191 Mohawk.正常 early from her bed by the insulat or, Miss Delroy decided to adjourn to Dean Bur dick’s apartment to escape the noise. Once she got comfortably arranged in the Densly big chair the racket started to boom not only from Miss Delroy’s apartment, but from below, Miss Delroy managed to recover.

**Woodhouse**

(Continued from Page One)

Woodhouse was a modified bowler type of hat, a modified bowler type of hat, and those in their formal outfit, too. That’s one way of eliminating the what-to-wear problem.

The first day the SPARS were at the academy they unknow ingly filed through the cadet mess hall en route to the officers’ mess. The cadets were given the command to form and attention, and the poor bewildered SPARS could not re member the command to put them at ease! So—thirteen flushed females marched uncomfort ably through the hall of cadets.

The SPARS are growing in numbers by leaps and bounds, and to quote the Captain: "The SPARS always ride the WAVES!"

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