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Fitz-Randolph Heads Conn Census

Drama Competition Continues With Sophomore, Senior Plays The Class of 1959 under the di Isonhumer To a triangle of the Southern State of the Southern Stat

The Class of 1959, under the di- Sophomore Production rection of Nan Krulewitch, will present two scenes from Alice in Wonderland on Friday night, February 27. The two adjacent scenes are "Pig and Pepper" and "The Mad Tea Party." This de-lightful story, known by almost everyone since childhood, com-bines the innecence and feators. bines the innocence and fantasy of Lewis Carroll's wonderful imagination with his sense of mathematical logicality.

Alice will be portrayed by Pam-ela Carpenter, the Duchess will be played by Dai Sarota, the Cheshire Cat will be enacted by Mary Byrnes, and Margit Rowell will assume the role of the Cook. Others in the cast include: the Frog Footman-Paddy Chambers, the Fish Footman-Jan Bremer, the Mad Hatter-Gilda Radin, the March Hare-Ann Earnshaw, and the Dormouse-Dee Rebolledo

The crew is headed by Jean MacCarthy as stage manager. Chairman of scenery is Judy Bassin and the co-chairmen of costumes are Judy Pratt and Carol Bayfield. Gay Hartnett is the chairman of props, Joan Mc-Duffee is in charge of make-up and Linda Pond is handling the lighting.

Nan Krulewitch, besides directing the play, also adapted the scenes used by the Seniors from Lewis Carroll's book Alice in Wonderland. Nan's directing ex-

During two summers Nan studied and acted with Eva Le Gallienne at the White Barn Theater in Westport. She also studied trait of a Gentleman in Slippers, with Gene Frankel, an Actor's last year's winning play. She was Studio director.

the play Broceliande by France's leading playwright Henry study.

The class of 1961 will present No Exit, an existentialist play by Jean Paul Sartre. The play's four characters: Inez, a homosexual, who is attracted to Estelle, whose nymphomaniac tendencies cause her in turn to be attracted to Garcin, a man whose mind is preoccupied with his own cow-The situation thus provides hell in which there is no official torturer; each character serves

The play develops as the characters realize their positions in relation to their hell-mates, and grasp the truth that hell is indeed other people.

Members of Cast

Barbara Zamborski will play Inez, Jill Maines will be Estelle, Dodie Hearn is Garvin and Marcia Silverman is the valet. The production squad includes Gay Nathan as the director, Lorrie Liebman, stage manager; Sue Rogers, business manager; Mar-Wonderland. Nan's directing ex-perience includes the Freshman and Sophomore Compet Plays. She also has acted in Wig and Candle productions and Senior cia Silverman, set designer; Shei-

The director, Gay Nathan, portrayed Otho in A. A. Milne's Por-

graduated from The Professional Nan, a French major at Con- Children's School in New York, necticut, plans to pursue either where she was both president of acting or writing upon gradua- the student organization and tion. Nan spent her Junior Year head of the dramatic group in Paris. This year she translated which did benefit performances at hospitals in and around the leading playwright Henry De New York area, in addition to Montherlant for her individual their regular school productions. She is an English major.

Plan Meetings

Young Democrats

Last semester a group of students formed a young Democratic organization. Inspired by the principles of the Democratic party, the students will meet to cultivate a keener awareness of the party's aims, leaders, and to discuss and debate the leading issues facing the party today.

One of the highlights of the club's activities this year will be a lecture by Mr. Duane Lockard, ardliness. There is also a valet, of the Government Department, on The Democratic Party: Its hoped that this lecture will be of as a tormentor for the other two. but to alert Republicans who are interest not only to Democrats, interested in learning more about the Democratic party and in challenging its principles or actions in the question and discussion period that will follow Mr. Lockard's lecture.

The lecture will be held on Wednesday, February 25, in the Palmer Room of the library at 7:30. Anyone who wishes to obthe club or the lecture can contact Elma Levy, President; Mar-ion Haber, Vice President; Karen Brodshaug, Secretary-Treasurer, Marcia Silverman, Publicity or Chairman.

Library

"Writing a Novel" is the topic of the lecture Sunday, February 22, by Mrs. Mildred Savage, au-

p.m. Parish, a recent Book of the Month selection, is a novel about the tobacco industry in the Connecticut Valley which is domi-nated by small groups of families. The rights of the book have been sold to Warner Brothers and will soon be made into a movie under the direction of Joshua Logan. Parish was published in 1958. Mrs. Savage is also Hall. the author of The Lumberyard and Mrs. Barry.

Mrs. Savage graduated from Wellesley Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., and attended Breadloaf, a writer's clinic in Middlebury, Vermont. She is a native of New London and is now living in Norwich, where she is concentrating on her writing.



Marion Fitz-Randolph '60 has been elected to serve as Editor-in-Chief of Conn Census for the school year 1959-60. She will re-place Carlene Newberg '59. As editor of the college paper, Marion will be an ex-officio member of Cabinet.

She will be assisted by Nancy Bald '60, who replaces Ann Frank-el as Managing Editor. Betty Joan Moss '60 will succeed Marion as Feature Editor. Other newly appointed members of the editorial board are Dottie Cleaveland '61, board are Dottie Cleaveland '61, News Editor; Carol Plants '60, Exchange Editor; and Sally Glan-ville and Sue Hillman, Associate Copy Editors. The girls are re-placing Nancy Bald, Joella Wer-lin '59, and Betty Joan Moss, re-spectively. Naomi Silver '61 will continue as Make-Up Editor. Mary Wofford '61 will assume

Mary Wofford '61 will assume the duties of Advertising Manager. Succeeding Sally Klein as Business Manager will be Susan Biddle '60. Lenore Fiskio '60 will be Circulation Manager, and the position of music critic will be

Among those joining the staff as reporters for the coming year Suzv Conn Census and House Junior of Karen Brodshaug '61, Marcia Larrabee House. She is in the cast of the Junior Compet Play. Mar-Margie Flocks '62, Ellen Forbes Katzenstein '62,

The new staff will be honored sus. She was a member of the AA Council last year. Harkness House Thursday eve-ning, February 19.

thor of the best seller Parish. Sponsored by the library and so-ciology departments, the lecture **On European Migration to U.S.**

"The Impact of European Mi- field of research has been overgrations Upon the Free World" will be the subject of Miss Louise Holborn's lecture to the International Relations Club on Thurs- heavals. day, February 26, at 7:00 p.m., in the Faculty Lounge of Fanning

During the first half of the Twentieth Century, millions of Europeans were uprooted and gration. Through this grant, Miss into arious other areas of the world. Among these millions were many who crossed the Atlantic Ocean to settle in the United States, Canada, and Latin America. What are the, original causes of the migrations in our time in contrast to those of earlier centuries? What is the political significance of these migra-tions? In what consists the responsibility of the United States, in her role as leader of the free world, for formulating a policy toward migrations? It is upon such questions as these that Miss Holborn will focus her remarks on February 26.

seas migration in the post-war period, particularly in connection with the uprooting of peoples caused by war and political up-

In 1958, Miss Holborn received a grant from the Social Science Research Council to do a study on international action and collaboration in relation to planned mifolborn was in

MARION FITZ-RANDOLF Marion Fitz-Randolph, newly appointed Editor-in-Chief of Conn Census comes from Wanamassa, filled at a later date. New Jersey, a suburb of Asbury Park. She is a Government major tain additional information about and was Feature Editor of are: Renee Cappellini '60, ion was House President of Vinal '62, Marilynn during her freshman year and a and Sue Strickland '62. member of the staff of Conn Cen-

Critic Praises Presentation **Of Boston Symphony Concert**

by E. Marcia Corbett '59

The Boston Symphony Orchestra, Tuesday, February 17. In a program revealing the extremes of orchestral color, the orchestra performed with disciplined vitality. Weber's Overture to Oberon, reflecting the moods of the complicated French romance, was variously delicate and exhuberant. In the Third Symphony of Walter Piston, Mr. Munch gave both audience and orchestra an admirable conception of twentieth century music. The prominent brass in the broad Andantino and sparkling Allegro, the lovely viola of the Adagio, and the winds and thoroughly trained musicians ducting. percussion of the Allegro uttered

profound musical ideas.

Henryk Szeryng, solo violinist under the direction of in the Tschaikovsky Concerto in Charles Munch, presented a con- D Major, was certainly the highcert in Palmer Auditorium on light of the evening. With a display of fantastic virtuosity, Szeryng plays fleeting runs and arpeggios and entrancing lyric passages. The spontaneous "bravos" of the members of the orchestra were enthusiastically repeated throughout the Auditorium. In concluding the program with Ravel's choreographic poem, La Valse, the orchestra once again played with amazing flexibility and spirit.

The entire evening of music

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Choir

The Connecticut College Choir has been invited by Yale University to take part, with the Yale Glee Club, in the memorial observance of Alumni Day in Woolsey Hall on Saturday, February 21, at 2:00 p.m. President Griswold will preside, and families of Yale men who died in the Korean War will be honored guests.

The Cantata, A.D. 1919, written in honor of the men who died in World War I, text by Brian Hooker and music by Horatio Parker, will be performed. The soloist will be Helen Boatwright, soprano, with the Yale Univerwas performed by a group of sity Orchestra, Fenno Heath con-

Miss Holborn, who is presently Acting Chairman of the Government Department, has studied and followed the development of College are invited to hear Miss international organization and co-War I. During the Second World War, she was a research analyst

e last summer, working primarily at the headquarters of the Intergovernmental Committee for European Migration at Geneva, Switzerland. She also spent a short time in Paris and Strasbourg in order to conduct interviews and to select materials from the Office of European Economic Cooperation, the European Common Market, and the Council of Europe. Likewise, she made return visits to Berlin and London.

Miss Holborn is the author of The International Refugee Organization; Its Work and History, 1946-52 (1956) and War and Peace Aims of the United Nations, 1938-52. (1945).

All students of Connecticut Molborn's address on "The Imoperation since the end of World pact of European Migrations Upon the Free World" on February in the office of Strategic Services 26. Discussion and refreshments at Washington, D. C. Her specific will follow the lecture.

Change for Progress "For, all that moveth doth in Change delight." In this line, Change is an ultimately benevolent force, for with it comes an advance toward fulfillment. It is in this way that we view the change in the editor and staff of Conn Of New Publication Census. The newspaper is a living thing whose personality is constantly being developed. We believe that it will advance by Carolyn Baker '59 a step further toward perfection under the new management. We have confidence in their ability to add to the progress which past staffs have endeavored to perpetuate.

Yet, in spite of our acknowledgment of the wisdom of Change, and in spite of the complete trust which we have in our successors, we cannot relinquish our positions without some reserve. We have had a contract with Conn Census; we have given a part of ourselves to it, and in return, we have received many things from it. The responsibility for its creation, the fellowship of working with others, the criticism and praise of the end product-all has been of vast importance to us. Now that this process of giving and receiving has come to an end for some of us, we will miss it.

Then, too, we are experiencing the natural regret one feels upon leaving a job before one has done all one could. We set our goals high, only to fall short of them. The new staff will inevitably do the same. But with each defeat of the ideal, there comes some small progress in the real. We have tried to make our contribution to the fulfillment of Conn Census; it is now up to the new staff members to make theirs. We offer our sincerest congratulations to the new Editor-

in-Chief and her staff. They have devoted much time and effort to the paper in the past and have proven themselves trustworthy and competent. We wish them the very best of luck.-C.N.

Election Responsibility

As can be seen in this issue of Conn Census, a great deal of thought has been given to the choices of candidates for the various Student Government offices. Although each of these girls is more than qualified for the individual positions, a final decision must be made. The responsibility of this decision rests with each student and demands our serious consideration

This year, numerous revisions in the traditional procedure have been made in order that there may be greater opportunity to become acquainted with the individual candidates. Each girl running for office is wearing a tag which gives both her name and the position for which she is running. Use these tags, and try to associate the name with her ideas and personal qualifications.

There are two final opportunities to become more familiar with the individual girls seeking office. First, each candidate has been asked to write on a specific aspect of the position for which she has been nominated. These more factual accounts are presented in this issue of *Conn Census* and give some idea of the candidate's views concerning one facet of the office.

A second and more abstract topic has also been given to each of the candidates. These topics, which will be presented during Amalgo on Tuesday, February 24, offer a final oppor-tunity to become acquainted with the individual girl and her capabilities.

Each student has both the opportunity and responsibility to vote on Wednesday, February 25. A wise decision must be made if our Student Government is to function as you would like it to. It is necessary to consider the ability of the candidate to execute the duties of the particular office, her skill at working in close association with others, and her general understanding of people. Finally, it is well to consider the ability of the candidate to represent you both on and off campus. Only a limited amount of information can be supplied say, which while providing interwhich will help you make the decision-the rest is up to you! esting information does not in--E. Hodge

Student Reviewer Individual Book Competition Appraises Purpose Needs Student Participation son book which I had been makby William Meredith ing a libretto from cost only \$2-**Department** of English a good deal less than a modern

It has often seemed to the

Contest that the number of en-

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When a small and homogenious group of young women who are interested in the arts resolve to engender a new movement in aesthetics-or to publish a college literary magazine—they are in danger of repeating the peculiarly female mistakes of the Precieuses or of Margaret Fuller's Transcendental conversationalists. Their attempt may fall through ridiculously self-con-scious refinement, seriousness, or obscurity and will develop a fatal anemia when not animated by a strong sense of reality. The sever-al editors of **Insight** seem to have recognized this problem in their choice of a title for the new magazine and have indicated by an extremely broad range of subject matter that this particular slender pamphlet will not commit the sin of intellectual snobbishness. That it will suffer from stylistic awkwardness is inevitable, for we are all amateurs. For this reason, criticism of the artistic success of the individual offerings of the first issue seems less valuable

than the establishment of a criterion of criticism of future is sues by opening a discussion of the function of this magazine and of the validity of the critical position already taken by the editors. According to the Editorial Note

introducing the book, Insight is "intended to enlighten, stimulate, and delight you," any one of which results would do much to revive our culturally passive com munity. We are further told, how ever, that the cover design rep resents a much more particular-ized attitude: "Imperfect man struggles in blindness to achieve expression in the arts, his insight alone guides him." These two statements are not mutually exclusive, but the different emphasis which they convey would, if strictly interpreted, produce two very different magazines. The first leads certainly to a liberal and representative pot-pourri of ideas in which innovation, controversy, and eclecticism could flourish. Its fault, of which we

see the foreshadowing in this is sue, would be a tendency to superficiality, an invitation to everyone to say whatever they pleased without paying much at tention to exactly what was said The second possibility is a magazine devoted to the arts, which means works of the imagination, excluding the factual prose es-

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Student Reviews Latest Screen Offerings; Finds Box Office Hits Are Mostly Misses

by Carol M. Plants '60

movie. It is endurable because it more interested in his sub than The less said about Bell, Book, was a phony and World War II is its men. The frame of reference for this is the hero who, after over. The enemy are the Japanese ously expensive cast and an obspending the sub journey as a (as usual) and James Garner viously expensive sceneric prospectator, fulfills his short mis-(wholesome young soldier) must duction were negligible. John Van sion and returns to the sub discover and photograph their se-Druten's play about contempo-rary witchery contained an unsafely. As the movie is plainly a cret message code. The latter vehicle for box office attraction it occurs in the last thirty minutes. imaginative double entendre diais out of place to bring up the The greater part is spent in delogue about a witch who decides question of the value of a man's picting adventures on the subto become human. Those who did life during a war when the hero marine in its perilous approach not grow up with Jimmy Stewart who supposedly carries the acto the island containing the transfind him a little too innocent, and tion in no way participates in the mitting station. The most serious larger question. those who are forced to grow up charge against the movie is that with Kim Novak are discovering Gigi was a pleasant tour de it suggests a question of ethical that the process is painful. force that kept within its own judgment and, without settling the question, sets it into a frame limits. With rococo flambuoy-The Inn of the Sixth Happiness was a sincere effort to portray of reference that is essentially ancy Cecil Beaton recreates Paris the qualities of compassion and superficial. In the course of the interiors and costumes of the selflessness as exemplified by 1900's for Colette's story of a war maneuver a number of men die, and one in particular loses Parisian dandy conquered by a his life after an accident in the tomboy who blossoms into a Gladys Alyward (Ingrid Bergman), a China missionary. Untorpedo room of the sub. The rea- young woman just at the right fortunately Bergman's portrayal son for this is never explained moment. Lerner and Loewe's becomes so involved in an unending series of catastrophic events and the episode dropped. lively and intelligent music pro-that the whole thing resembles a Throughout the movie there are vided the background for the adies Home Journal serial. Up Periscope was a bad war mander (Edmond O'Brien) is ing. Ladies Home Journal serial.

judges of the Student Library any except the few most celebrated writers in a field that contemtrants should be the same as the porary, if not first editions are less expensive and considerably more attractive than modern her favorite books. For every ones.

edition. It is often the case with

If you have studied, for a term paper or for departmental requirements, the work of a single man or a single well-defined subject, you probably already know the four or five books you would him which they will not mean to like to own which relate to that anyone else except in the light of study. You may have compromised-all collectors do-about which ones you bought and in natural process of scholarship, what editions. But the books you own relating to that field are already performing (at least po-tentially) the greatest service a lections have always been those selective and purposeful ones made by men and women who collection can perform, if you look into them from time to time: pursued an enthusiasm, rather than the promiscuous stacks of in juxtaposition (and it is your rare books that were once apjuxtaposition, remember) they are capable of suggesting new combinations of facts and ideas,

For the college student, the capable of all sorts of disturbing most important requirements of suggestions and demands on your a good collection are, I suppose, imagination.

in this order: an enthusiasm which can be explored in print; If you have ten or so books that represent your own interan appreciation for the physical ests, maybe you should enter the and spiritual beauty of books contest before it closes February (some quite ugly books can be 27. Ten cunningly related textredeemed by excellence of charbooks, beat-up and paper-backed, and a if they were the right ten and knowledge of how to find books. supported by an intelligent de-Second-hand books are very apt fense, might easily win, and are to be better and cheaper than new ones—I was pleasantly astonish-ed this year to find that the first much more likely to win than \$500's worth of fine bindings or edition of a Robert Louis Steven- first editions.

Speakers on Radio Program; Campus Station Plans Change

Miss Randall Whitman '61, from Saturday at 10:45 a.m. to Wednesday evenings at 9:15 a.m. chairman of the program.

Miss Whitman has also released the program schedule for the college radio club through Sunday, February 22. It reads as follows:

Connecticut College Conversa-William Meredith of the English Department. He will be introduced by Mrs. Mackie Jarrell, assistant professor in the department. The topic will be poems by Mr. Mere-

The College Student Hour, feachairman of the Connecticut Col-turing "The Life and Work of lege Student Hour, broadcast W. E. B. DuBois," will be broadweekly over radio station WNLC, cast over WNLC at 9:15 p.m. Ju-New London, announces that the dith Warner and Alix Paull will program hour has been changed narrate and Susan Auchter will announce. Randall Whitman is

A new campus Radio Signal is on its way to C.C. by way of the College engineer's office. Nancy

Seip '61, chairman of Station WCNI, the campus radio station, at 620 on your dial, tells us that tions and Concerts will be heard Mr. Maxwell Cohen, the College over station WICH, Norwich at engineer and Mr. Clayton How-6:45 p.m. Saturday, February 21 and of his office, electronics and and WNLC, New London at 9:15 electrical specialist, are working p.m. Sunday, February 22. The on a new system which they hope guest will be Assistant Professor will make it possible for programs to be heard strongly and clearly in all campus dorms. They plan to run a test program dur-in the first week in March. During this time of 'change-over, there will be no broadcasting.

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Criminal Captures Household Chapel Notes In French Comedy on Campus

Friday, February 20, 8:00 a.m. Delia Plimmer '60 Sunday, February 22, 7:00 p.m.

Reverend Gordon P. Wiles Monday, February 23, 8:00 a.m. Silent Meditation

Tuesday, February 24, 5:20 p.m. Nancy Freeman '62

India.

Thursday, February 26, 5:20 p.m. Organ Recital

Friday, February 27, 8:00 a.m. Laurel Seikel '59

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who, unhampered by technical Lovable Criminal limitations, may give full play to their musically imaginative minds. Led as they are by one of the finest conductors, it is understandable that the Boston Symphony Orchestra is most out standing among symphonic or ganizations.

Gates of Paris, under the skill- ic, Pierre Brasseur. Romance enful direction of Rene Clair, is a ters the picture when Brasseur's delightful movie of comedy, pa. girl, portrayed by Dany Carrel, thos, and local color to be fea-

tured Saturday, February 21, at 7:30 p.m. in the Palmer Auditorium. It involves the familiar situa-

suddenly takes possession of a peace-living home and changes the lives of everybody in it during the time between his arrival and departure under police escort. Rene Clair, with his flair for

comedy without sacrificing any

of the drama and suspense inher-

In this case, the criminal is a

by Henri Vidal. The "home" is

nothing more than a shack in a

lesser Parisian "suburb." It is in

habited by a picturesque charac-

ter who is more or less of an art-

ist, played by France's noted com-

ent to this plot.

falls in love with the criminal.

Working-Class Characters

The cast is a large one, includ- | cation on campus, for Conn Cen-Wednesday, Feb. 25, 4:20 p.m. um. It involves the familiar situa-Mrs. James Alter, "Women of tion in which a hunted criminal keepers, and children-all typiing bartenders, policemen, storecal members of a Parisian working-class community. Gates of still command interest and partic-Paris was shot on location in a back-water district in Paris which the tourist rarely sees.

Grand Prix Winner the light touch, produces a high

Unlike his former days when he was a satirist of wide repute, Rene Clair has become mellow and rather wistful in this film which has won the Grand Prix du Cinema Francais.

rather lovable character played GI 3-7395

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took occasional flights into female pedentry, made short excursions into philosophy and aesthetics, forgot entirely about humor, and justified the whole with a certain ivy-league nonchalance. To earn means by which man tries to il- the respect essential to its sucluminate /his predicament. (This cess, Insight must let readers, does not mean that prose works potential contributors, and future would have no vehicle of publi- critics know what to demand of its performance. It must succeed; for to lose the extremely promis-I do not believe that Insight ing poetry and fiction that it has can maintain both attitudes and already published by a timid editorial position of "broad general interest" without daring and ipation. A shaky compromise depth would be a sad and irresponsible waste.



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Sally Foote Grace Smith House **English Major**

"House of Rep," the legislative body of the Student Government Association, provides an opportunity for each student to express her suggestions and complaints to and for the student body. The legislative processes of House of Rep are a systematic means by which such ideas may be discussed and evaluated.

As a general rule, an idea is first suggested to the House President either in a house meeting or er of the House carries the idea meet with them when necessary. to Cabinet where the members further examine it and send it to the Administration if necessary. The entire issue then returns to House of Rep and is presented to the students in house meetings or at Amalgo.

Although the order of legisla-tion may vary slightly according to the actual substance of the issue, the basic processes themselves allow each student to be a functioning part of Student Government.

For Speaker of House

Margie Fisher Windham House Zoology Major

The Speaker of the House of Representatives, in her capacity as speaker, has a variety of duties to perform. One such duty is to serve as a member of the Committee on Student Organizations, a committee composed of three students and seven faculty members, including Dean Noyes. The main function of this committee is to act as an advisor for student organizations on campus and also as a kind of consultive College are you aware of the functions of the House of Repregroup to discuss questions of a non-academic nature.

Perhaps one of the most interesting aspects of the Speaker of the House's job, however, is her regular appointment with the Dean of the college prior to every meeting of the House of Representatives. At this time she dis-cusses with her problems and ideas which have come up in connection with the House of Representatives and also any other by an individual student. The matters which might be relevant. House President then takes the The speaker usually does not The speaker usually does not idea to House of Rep where it is have such appointments with the thoroughly discussed. The Speak- other deans, although she does





Nancy Cozier Jane Addams House English Major

student of Connecticut sentatives and its Speaker? Primarily, the Speaker serves as coordinator of the House of Repre-sentative meetings where dorm presidents gather to discuss common problems and suggest new ideas fostered by girls in their respective dorms. Here is where the individual student can express her thoughts via her elected dorm president.

The Speaker, in turn, serves as an integral part of Cabinet. Here suggestions offered at House of Rep. are presented to the rest of the student government officers for further discussion. As a Cabinet member, the Speaker also has a voice in solving the large problems of the college communty brought there by the faculty and administration.

Now, picture Student Government as a watch. Looking at each separate part of the watch to see 'what makes the thing tick," one sees that all the flexible springs are interrelated. The Speaker serves as the link between House of Representatives and Cabinet. Her job adds to the smooth run-ning of our integrated and "constantly ticking" Student Government.

For President of Student Government

Elizabeth Hood Jane Addams House Sociology Major

The first half of the responsibilities of the President of Student Government is in relation to the students. It is the duty of the President to call and preside over monthly Amalgos and weekly Cabinet meetings.' She is a member ex officio in Honor Court and the House of Representatives.

Before college begins, the President leads a conference at Camp Patagansett where plans are made to get the Freshmen and transfer students off to a good start. Her work during Freshmen Week is extremely important, because the welcome given to the incoming students establishes their first impressions of college, and, in turn, determines their at-titudes and the contributions they will make to Connecticut.

In addition to these specific duties, the President has many in-She tangible responsibilities. must be sensitive to various opinions and give fair consideration to each of them; she must channel new ideas into areas where the most effective action can take place; above all, she is a representative of Connecticut College and each member of the student body



Maureen Mehls Windham House **Economics Major**

September arrives and it is time for Camp Patagansett. The Deans, Cabinet members, and House Juniors spend the two days previous to the arrival of the new freshman class at Patagansett, a Girl Scout Camp not far from campus. There, Freshman Week is discussed and plans made for it. It is the duty of the Vice-President to plan the meals for this outing. All of the meals are prepared by the participating students. There of course must also be a work schedule, for even at Patagansett there are tables to be set and dishes to be washed.





Tommie Saunders Jane Addams House **History** Major

The other half of the responsibilities of your President of Student Government is in relation to the Administration. These are partially evidenced in her weekly appointments with Dean Noyes. Here ideas are discussed that are brought up in the several branches of Student Government. These meetings give the Dean the opportunity to hear student opinion on various matters while the President learns the views of the Administration in regards to certain campus problems. Appointments are also scheduled with Miss Park, and with other members of the Administration when necessary. The President of Student Government also serves as a member of Student Org. Ideas are often discussed here for administrative advice or approval before being presented to the College.

Because she represents you, the Student Government, to the Administration and it to you, your President's job is a challenging one. She closely links the student body to the Administration, and it is this understanding and interchange of ideas that is basic to the success of your Student Government.



Joan Murray Windham House Art History Major

Taking part in a college election is an invigorating experience, not soon to be forgotten by any of us. For the lucky girl who will secure her coveted position, there awaits much glory, but also a lot of hard work

For Vice President of Student Government



Punkin Harris Freeman House French Major

The Vice-President of Student Government is the chairman exofficio of the Student-Faculty Forum. She must make the initial effort to make this organization effective. The Student-Faculty Forum is composed of a group of faculty members, and students who are elected by their individual dormitories in the fall. One faculty member is chosen to be a permanent member, and at each meeting several other faculty members are invited to participate in the discussion of current problems on campus. Thus, the Vice-President must undertake the organization of the first meeting. This includes the election of a chairman of the Forum from the student representatives, the introduction of immediate problems to be discussed and proposals of plans for the year.

dents in order that the faculty may incorporate their ideas in the formulation of their programs. It is also necessary that this method of discussion be on an individual basis. The method of small group discussion that Connecticut has initiated could be beneficial. In this atmosphere, a student will then want to live her ideas not only for a personal benefit, but also for the benefit of those she represents.





Grace Smith House French Major

One of the many capacities in which the Vice President of Student Government serves is that of co-ordinator of the All-College

The initial organization of this program and makes the administration aware of these reac-Forum is important in order for it to be an active and effective ortions. It is her duty to see that ganization. This method of in the program continues to be formal discussion with faculty molded to the changing situations members about current academic on campus, and that it continues vide an atmosphere in which problems is important for stu- to run smoothly and efficiency.

Missy Missimer Windham House Sociology Major

As head of the Residence Program, the Vice-President acts as a link between the students and the administration. She carries any suggestions and/or criticisms from the students to the Residence Department. She also acts as a sounding board in finding out the students' reactions to various proposed changes in the

Election Board she takes charge of the campaign, manages the voting, and counts the votes in these elections. In the January Amalgamation meeting she discusses the methods by which a candidate is elected to an office. and she stimulates in the entire student body an awareness of the importance of active participation in both the campaign and in the voting. In close association with the Election Board she supervises the issuing and the checking of petitions. She introduces the speakers at the Election Amalgamation meeting and takes charge of the counting of votes. Throughout these proceedings her chief aims are to give the student body sufficient time and opportunity to judge the quali-



While at Patagansett, the Vice-President plans a discussion of the Work Program and its aims. This discussion is especially important for the House Juniors because they must explain it to the freshmen. The Work Program begins two days after the arrival of the freshman and it is important that they get off to a good start. The Vice-President must also inet's appointed chairman of the meet with the returning work board of college elections. She is chairman of the various dorms. a very veritable sounding board During this week also the Vicefications of candidates and to pro- President is available to serve on plaints, and your ambassador of various committees, such as the friendly competition will thrive. President's reception. pus.

The role of Vice President of Student Government Association is an eagerly sought after office. The powers and duties of the Vice President are the indissoluble ties which necessitate close contact with the President of Student Association and her invaluable ally, Cabinet. The role served by the Vice President in Cabinet is her most important function. In Cabinet we see her as a very versatile personality, acting as the coordinating link between the Residence Program and Cabinet members, as Cabinet's informant concerning her contacts with the Student-Faculty Forum, and at certain times of the year, as Cabfor college community comgood will in Cabinet and on cam-

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Cynthia Enloe Freeman House

Government Major

presiding officer of any organiza-

tion is to insure the effective and

efficient fulfillment of its respon-

sibilities. Chief Justice, as presid-

ing officer of Honor Court, must

The variety and number of

cases confronting Honor Court

each week necessitates the pre-siding officer's coming into meet-

ings with an organized agenda and a thorough knowledge of the

With her close acquaintance

with the implications, facts and

parties, involved in each case the

Chief Justice is well qualified to

aid the eight-member court in

making the wisest decision. In ad-

dition, the Chief Justice may feel

that outside opinions would con-

tribute to the court's discussion

and therefore invites interested

parties from the faculty or stu-

dent body to sit in on meetings.

In her job to see that decisions

are effectively executed the Chief

Justice, in cases serious enough

to warrant counseling, assigns

members of the court to act as

Although the Chief Justice

guides the court in its considera-

cases at hand.

counselors.

likewise work towards this end.

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For Chief Justice

decision. Her principal responsibility is to see that the court is aware of all sides of the case, and that discussion is put to its most profitable use.



Judy Van Law Windham House Child Development Major

The duty of the Chief Justice is to present not only her ideas to Honor Court, but also those Athletic Association and is enwhich she receives from each part of the campus. A major portion of time spent outside of Court is comprised of gathering these ideas.

Through discussion in weekly conferences with the Dean, in Cabinet, and during her office hours, the Chief Justice obtains many diversified opinions. In this way, she also acts as a liasion between Honor Court and the students and administration. During the year, the Chief Justice also speaks with members of the faculty concerning problems of academic honor. If necessary, she may then call an Honor Council meeting to consider a possible

representation and an integrated point of view, so that she may tions, she neither dominates the lead Honor Court to thoughtful discussion nor dictates the final and fair decisions.



Mildred Price Larrabee House **Chemistry Major**

The Athletic Association promotes interest and participation in sports throughout the year. The AA Council plans and schedules the various activities which include spirited inter-class and inter-dorm competition. Each girl is automatically a member of the couraged to participate in any of fers.

At the class level there is an opportunity to join in team or individual sports whether it be as ager, or as a sideline spectator. Athletic awards are given out for those who show excellence in the sport, who participate willingly for the good of the team, and who participation if she meets the requirements set up by the sport each season of sports.

Dorm representatives are chosinter-dorm are responsible for Hence, at all times, the Chief competition. They coordinate and publicize all inter-dorm AA activities. The Athletic Association cles a few times a year, as to plans all events to promote inter- make sure that we are all given hooping" to tennis tournaments. others in a friendly, casual, way.

For President of A.A.

Louise Lane Windham House English Major We have all read or been told a great deal about the Athletic As-



sociation and the College Community, but we have heard little about the inter-relating of the two. This relationship is important, for although the Athletic Association could function without the many activities which it of the support of the whole college and the college could function without the Athletic Association, one adds very much to the other. an active member, as team man- In fact, the ideals of the two correspond. The AA is headed by a pres- cipant. ident elected by the whole student body, and her Cabinet consists of sixteen permanent members who show good sportsmanship. A girl are chosen from the four classes. may be given an award for her These girls all work for the purpose of the AA which is stated board. These awards are given at in its Constitution and which the AA Coffees held at the end of places the actual athletic program secondary to the promo-

tion of ideals of friendship and terdorm and inter-class competitions not so much to make sure that everyone flexes their mus-



Jill Reale Jane Addams House American History Major

One of the goals of the Athletic Association is to provide various activities that will satisfy a majority of students.

AA's subsidiary Clubs repre-sent several fields of interest. Sabre and Spur provides riders with opportunities to perfect their skills in drill team work; Sailing Club offers its members the use of the Academy boats; Outing Club provides activities for outdoor enthusiasts; and lastly, the Dance Club sponsors a program that will satisfy both the aesthetic and energetic parti-

AA also supplies equipment to engage the interest of any number of people. The choice is wide: hockey sticks, skis, sleds, soft balls, bats, gloves, and badmin-ton rackets, and if you are less athletically inclined your AA dorm representative has frisbees for your use.

Another function of AA is to introduce students and faculty en by the individual dorms and sportsmanship. The AA plans in. on an entirely new plane-meet your professors on the battle-fields! Bats swinging, crowds cheering, fun, confusion,-three strikes you're out!

The Athletic Association funcest in all sports from "hula-the opportunity to compete with booping" to tennis tournaments, others in a friendly, casual, way.

For Religious Fellowship



Ellen Purdy East House Religion Major

nected with every important posi-provides a vital and challenging with the Religious Fellowship of growth. which everyone is a member, and then to plan a service of welcome for them during Freshman Week; to excuse, if the cause may occur for special reasons, a student from attending chapel or Vesper Services; to put out a program which tells of all Religious Fellowship activities during the se-mester; to speak at various functions such as chapel and alumnae gatherings; to be the general overseer of all religious activi-ties; and to promote the religious life on campus at all times.

Windham House **Religion Major**

According to the "H" book, the purpose of Religious Fellowship is to further religious life on campus. These words are completely void of any meaning unless the members of this college community desire to give enthusiastic support to the many activities of Religious Fellowship. There are, however, numerous organizations on campus clamoring for enthusiastic support. There are many duties con- Unless Religious Fellowship

tion, therefore, the President of series of opportunities in the Religious Fellowship is a busy person as well as an extremely significant one to the religious ac-tinities of opportunities in the form of chapel services, discus-sion groups, conferences, and tivities on campus. Besides her duties with her Cabinet and Coun-ly in its plans. To provide such cil which effect the campus in-directly there are many other du-ties which have a more direct effect upon the student body. It is students. The purpose then, the president's duty to send let- would seem to be to instill a reters to all freshmen and trans- spect and eagerness for the atfers during the summer in order tempt at providing an opportuni-that they might be acquainted ty for spiritual insight and



History Major The main function of Wig and

Candle is to administer and coordinate the dramatic opportunities provided on campus.

Its purpose is "to provide ex-

For President of Wig and Candle

doing enrich the intellectual and ly been placed in a position of artistic experience of those who discovering exactly what the duparticipate.



Linda Stallman Windham House **Psychology Major**

As a nominee for President of ing the methods of judging and Wig and Candle, I have sudden- See "Linda Stallman"-Page 6

ties of the president include, as well as the extent of her responsibilities. Much to my amazement, I learned that she is director of the Traditions Skits given during Freshman Week. As most everyone knows, the president is responsible for the production of freshman skits and the freshman Open House held in the fall of the year in order to acquaint the freshmen with the organization and function of Wig and Candle.

Most of us don't realize the large part the president of Wig and Candle plays in organizing competitive plays. She is responsible for scheduling rehearsals, choosing the judges, determin-

Edie Chase



perience and enjoyment for those working on the stage and off." Wig and Candle acts as ities and interests into valuable and entertaining productions.

The Freshmen skits, Fine Arts Weekend, Melodrama, Junior Show, and the two Wig and Candle productions are all part of the function of Wig and Candle, in that the president as a mem-ber of Cabinet helps coordinate them. The two productions, under the direction of Miss Hazelwood, provide opportunities for the whole campus to participate in the wonderful atmosphere of the theater, whether it be from the wings as part of the staff, or in front of the footlights as a member of the cast.

For Head of Service League



Mary Ann Fuller East House **Psychology Major**

Martha Simonson Windham House Philosophy Major

you remember the first The significance of Service Do

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just generally giving a helping hand to the four frenzied directors

The head of Wig and Candle is naturally very much involved in call how anxious you were to get the fall and spring Wig and Canprominent role in choosing the two plays to be produced as well as in casting and overseeing the progress of each field of production.

on campus, the president of Wig tions. and Candle is the coordinator of all major productions, but she is men and the mixers with various

also available for advice concerning any campus production.

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to know your college and its varidle productions. She plays a ous academic and social aspects? Service League is the campus service - social organization of which every student is a member. It is concerned not only with service projects on and off cam-

ranged by Service League. The Mid-Winter Formal, the only all-by, the children from Learned college dance, is under the spon-House at the Halloween party sorship of Service League, and and the picnic. the proceeds from this function go to charity.

Faculty relations are another of this organization's concerns, specifically the reception for new faculty in the fall. Faculty students relations have been promoted; in the past by faculty student dinners, in the future, perhaps, by informal, open discussion, teas.

The social focus of Service League is not limited to the campus alone, but rather extended to include direct participation of

men's colleges in the fall are ar- students in local projects, such as entertaining, or being entertained

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liberal and successful educational program. The League consists of committees responsible for the many and varied charitable organizations on campus. Not only do we have our all-college Community Fund Drive, to which we contribute money earned in ingenious and enjoyable ways, but we have the opportunity to work with the city of New London in her charitable institutions. Learned House is an excellent example of College-Community relations. It provides a home to which the children of working parents may come, offering these children a playground, educational facilities, arts and crafts, picnics and parties. It is very likely that this institution could not exist without our help. The Book and Clothing Drive for the underprivileged in other coun-

sponsor an annual drive Heart Fund, Cancer, and the Blood Mobile. To give blood to the Blood Bank is a privilege we can all share, no matter what our circumstances. Service League also sponsors a Children's Museum, and the annual Employees' Christmas Fund. This generous organization needs to have responsible people to coordinate its activities, but above all it needs your spontaneous and enthusiastic support.

Choir

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The Choir will go to New Haven for dress rehearsal on Thursday evening, February 19, and again for dress rehearsal on Saturday morning, February 21, returning to New London after the performance in the afternoon.

The Connecticut College Choir and the Yale Glee Club will collaborate later in two perform-ances of the St. John Passion by Bach, the first performance to be in Palmer Auditorium on Saturday, April 11, at 8:30 p.m. and in Woolsey Hall, New Haven, on Sunday, April 12 at 3:00 p.m.

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