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## Kahn Leader of '67 Session



New NESGA President Kahn No. 1 Politico Photo by Redman

Joey Kahn, Andover's upper delate to the New England Student overnment Association conferwas elected President of E.S.G.A. for 1967. The voting ook place at the end of the conerence that was hosted by Mt. Iermon at the Northfield Inn st weekend.

One hundred fourteen delegates nd faculty representitives from 9 schools, including Kahn, N.E. G.A. Secretary Jim Fabiani, senor delegate Ric Redman, and P.A. rench teacher Allin Seward, conerged on the Inn by 4:00 Friday fternoon. They attended an openng address by Charles Curl of t. Hermon, N.E.S.G.A. President or '66, and then were subsequentdivided into eight prearranged (Continued on Page Three)

### Tallot To Present Romains' KNOCK, onesco's

by Steve McCarthy Mr. Tallot of the French department is now directing and proucing two plays in French to be presented the first , week in

La Lecon of Eugene Ionesco will be given in the Drama Lab Wednesday, February 2nd. A drana of the absurd, the play has only three characters, a rather strang professor (Robert Duffy), his innocent young pupil (Patricia McDowell), and a servant. Although it is difficult to reduce the play to a statement of theme, problem of teaching. Mr. Seward, reaching-fellow in French, is assisting with the production.

Jules Romains' Knock is to presented Friday, February 4th, in Kemper Auditorium. Jim Paoletti has the central role of a quack Docteur Knock, who replaces the retiring Docteur Parpalaid (Anlre Spears), dupes the citizens of Saint-Maurice, and turns the quiet rench village into a santòrium of ypochondriacs. The farce is built round Knock's view that "every healthy man is a sick one who loesn't\_know\_it" and his attempt o lead them to the "medical ex-

### NESGA Elects Faculty Debates Usefulness Of New Cumulative Grading

the process of holding departmental meetings to discuss the efficacy of a new cumulative grading system, and to prepare reports for the faculty's Policy Committee, it was recently revealed.

The cumulative grading system is designed to eliminate winter term grades which "have no relevance to fall term grades", while leaving spring term grades as approximations of the year's work. The system was adopted last May to replace the method

#### **Produces** Pieters 'A Happy Journey' In Drama Lab Fri.

by Chris Shiner
The Phillips Academy Drama
Lab, directed by Rick Pieters,
will present A Happy Journey by Thornton Wilder on Friday, January 21, in the Drama\_Lab.\_This play, termed "a typical Thornton Wilder" by Pieters, deals with an automobile trip from Trenton to Camden, New Jersey by a typical 1930's family.

The cast includes Don Neill, John Shuman, and Randy Lawrence, of PA, and Kaye Roan, Alison Todd, and Nancy Valentine of Abbot Academy. Assisting Pieters in running the production are Scott Currier, assistant director, and Peter West, lighting.

According to Pieters, the group chose the play as an expose on the lives of the characters involved, and he is hopeful that they will be successful in providing an insight into the thought's and attitudes of the people of the times. Commented Pieters, "I chose the play as a character analysis, basic-

During a recent rehearsal, Pieters stated that the production, although still in unfinished form, showed great promise. The cast members seemed to be very familiar with their lines, but seemed to noted that most of the remaining work was merely a matter of applying themselves to the task.

When queried about the progress (Continued on Page Four)

by which each term's grades were PA teachers are currently in independent from the other two. The cumulative system also provided for the abolition of winter and spring mid-term ratings.

Although Dean Benedict said last May that it would probably take two or three years to perfect the system, problems have already

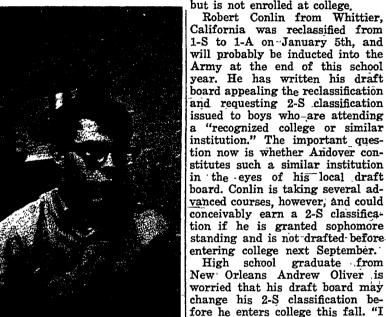
started to appear.
Since "divergence of courses and disciplines" make a general formula for weighting averages impossible, there is the question of how teachers will their students' averages. Without a formula a teacher's discretion will figure into a student's grades Mr. Benedict noted that the record will "seem less dramatic" of a student who has raised or lowered his average from the previous

Also the administration is concerned with a new type of senior attitude resulting from the fact that some seniors, who feel their averages are suitable for college admission, will ride through the winter term and slacken their academic efforts. Mr. Benedict said that any system inducing this low senior morality is ipso facto, and that he hoped students thrown by a new discipline in school will gradually become accustomed to (Continued on Page Three)

# **Draft Board Rates**

by Wade Saunders

An Andover senior prep who graduated from high school last spring has been reclassified from 1-SH to 1-A because in taking the extra year, he failed "to keep pace with the normal progress of his classmates." In other words, he has received his high school diploma but is not enrolled at college,



Post Grad Conlin

### Diplomat Calls For An End To Air Attacks In

by Sam Zimmern

So spoke Dr. Roger Hilsman, former Assistant Secretary of Far Eastern Affairs January 12, in the year's first Henry L. Stimson Lecture. Dr. Hilsman is presently a professor of law-and government at Columbia University.

Hilsman stressed the dangers of war with China and noted that if present trends continue the United States and Communist China will 1) become embroiled be having trouble dead panning in a jungle war, 2) trade blows many sequences, he added. Pieters in a devestating nuclear holcaust within two decades, or 3) clash in a land war of wider scale than that in Viet Nam within three or four years.

of the production, Pieters stated "The Communists in China will that, "We're just on schedule. If be our country's major problem-"The Communists in China will we can overcome one or two small for 15 to 20 years to come," predicted Hilsman. "They have the

size, resources, and political lead-"America should halt its bomb- ership to become one of the would's ing of North and South Vietnam." great nations." He added on a very somber note, "Mao is willing to\_risk nuclear war to achieve his goals."

> Hilsman called for the U.S. to remain in Asia wherever necessary to keep the Communists from capturing more territory. "Asia's great land mass, huge population (one half of the world's people), and abundant resources will make it of vital importance in the World's future . . . We should remain masters of our fate . . . our fate lies in Asia."

Hilsman expounded at length on the current war in Viet Nam. Though in favor of American involvement in the war, he de-nounced the bombings of North and South Vietnam. "Mao has called the Viet Cong fish that swim in a sea of people.' If we try to bomb the 'fish' we will kill many villagers and make more enemies than we destroy. Our goal in South Viet Nam should be to win the allegiance of the people, many of whom now support the Viet Cong. We should promote government services that would give the South Vietnamese physical security and betterment."

"In North Viet Nam our bombings are a substitute for our failure to win over the South Vietnamese people," said Dr. Hilsman. He explained that the bombings could do little damage to a country as poor as North Viet Nam and that the risk of Russian intervention became greater and greater\_as the bombings\_continued.

The best policy for the United States to follow according to Dr. Hilsman, is to have South Viet-

namese troops hold the ports and (Continued on Page Three) ' ...

fore he enters college this fall. "I have no idea what my board will do. For all I know they will reclassify me 1-A tomorrow." Senior preps and high school graduates Jack McGill, Edward Wright, Jack Turco, Jimmy Mun-Dennis Cameron, and Steve Sullivan are all currently classified 1-SH, which means they may be only temporarily deferred, and could at any minute be reclassified 1-A, which would mean induction, or 2-S, which is the standard student deferrment. Cameron said "I am almost afraid to call home, because my reclassification notice may already have arrived. All I

High school graduate from

progress at Andover." The matter of senior preps' eligibility is complicated because there is no nationwide policy. Certain draft boards are able to fill their quota entirely through enlistments, while others rely heavily on the draft.

can do is wait and hope that they

will believe I am making academic

In a memorandum circulated to the faculty, Dean Benedict discussed Selective Service liability in relation to boys who take a year abroad after graduation from secondary school. According to the general guidelines issued to local boards by the Selective Service Headquarters in Washington, "If a boy turns eighteen before going abroad or turns eighteen while abroad, he will probably render himself liable to classification 1-A unless he can return to an American college or university in sophomore standing, thus proving to Selective Service that he has 'kept pace' with normal progress of his classmates."

### Hale House Roof Raised On Schedule



Nathan Hale House nearing completion with construction on time: Given by John W. Watzek, Jr., PA '10, the dorm is basically similar to the other new dorms in floor plan, differing in that it is structurally more like Evans and the Arts Center with a flat roof and more windows. It is designed as a two-entry, two-unit dorm, each unit capable of housing 21 boys with accommodations for two housemasters.

### Calenda

Wednesday, January 19 Track vs. U.N.H. Frosh. Track vs. U.N.H. Frosh Squash vs. Brooks Basketball-vs. Huntington

Friday, January 21 Drama Lab Production A Happy Journey

Saturday, January 22 Swimming vs. Mt. Hermon 4:00 Cooley House Tte 3:30-5:30 Movie at GW: The Collector 6:45 and 9:00



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#### **Cumulative Grades**

Right now the administration is deciding whether grades should be cumulative, in stead of defining a student's progress in definite and separate blocks of time. We feel that the system as it now stands is the more practical.

The administration has not come to any final decision as yet. They realize that there are several drawbacks to the proposed plan. One of these is the fact that although ideally the cumulative system would indicate a student's entire progress to date, some courses are designed in separate and distinct parts; such courses do not involve an increasing knowledge in one certain area, but a mastery of different skills at different times in the year.

One advantage of the cumulative system of grading would seem to be that grades would not have to be so rigid. A teacher could consider and adjust a student's grade at the end of each term on the basis of the whole year to date. If a student had made dramatic progress since the term before, he might be given a few points more than the actual mathematical average of the two terms' work. As grading now stands, however, this idea of adjusting grades is sometimes used at the end of the year. Thus under the cumulative system there would be no actual change from the present on final grades. Why not wait then until a teacher has been able to judge a whole year's performance before tinkering around with a student's average?

Finally, we feel that a student's progress; should be clearly defined for each term, so that there will be a definite indication of how much his grade has improved or dropped since-the-term-before. A student who has made a dramatic improvement wants to have it stand out clearly in his record rather than watered down by last term's grade. If his present average is enough to put him on the honor roll, he doesn't want to be kept off by last term's grade. Conversely, students, particularly seniors, would be tempted to slack off if they knew that a drop in grade would not stand out clearly on their report cards.

We therefore feel that while the final spring term grade should take into consideration the progress of a student during the entire-year, the first two terms should be considered separately, so that improvement and deterioration will show clearly enough to be rewarded.

Fourth Column

This business about going off and getting killed - I mean we could see it during World War II\_It would have been worth it then, with what was going on in Europe and everything. We would have shouldered our arms and gone off and fought and died. I mean it wouldn't have been cheerful, but it would have meant something that we could see. Life, liberty, the pursuit of happiness, the little kids in the death camps.

But this is different. We don't understand it, and we're not sure that anyone does. Can you see getting killed, and, after you're buried and forgotten, they figure out it was all a mistake, a diplomatic blunder? They discover that the country you died in never really existed. You didn't die for your country, or for that country (which never really existed); you died for some Geneva convention, which another convention of beaming statesmen decide to repudiate, right after the regiment you were in suffered minor scratches in light action.

Well, that's a stupid, stupid way to die. Oh. it's all right for the High School Harries who were going to live out their lives as factoryworkers and then expire. Dying in the army must be more meaningful for them than just living out there lives; right? I mean, maybe their was no real need for it, but their did seem to be a peril, a real peril of Chinese Communist aggression, and they died fighting it. Honorably. And there will always be plenty of factory workers.

But us, we prep school kids, we're going to be something. It is manifestly evident that we will be of more value to our country as doctors and lawyers and businessmen than as dead soldiers. Any fool can shoot a rifle; they should save us to be the leaders of tomorrow. And, when you come right down to it, wouldn't we be doing our country a real service if we took three boxes of No-Doz and put a deposit on our liver (strictly temporary) and dodged the draft? Because anyone can shoot a rifle, but we, we can be the statesmen of tomorrow. We can end all wars, if we can run away from this one. But if we run away, or even if we join the navy and sit it out on some nice safe aircraft carrier instead of fighting in the jungle, how will we feel when we are the statesmen of the future, and how will we even get to be the statesmen of the future? Need a good War Record, you know. And fighting in a war certainly does have its good points: comraderie, introspection, and all that. And to be a great writer, for instance, to be a truly great writer, you've got to experience the fear, and danger, and blood, and sweat, and so on of war. I mean, look at Hemingway. Hemingway was made by war. But then, how many Hemingways does a war kill for every one it makes? Damn it.

For the second week in a row, PA cinemaphiles will be in for a solidly good movie. But the enjoy-ment of so frightening and serious a drama as The Collector will prove a far cry from the laughs incurred during last Saturday's Cat Ballou.

The Collector, played by Terence Stamp, is a quiet, psychopathic bank teller who collects butterflies. More than any rare Lepidoptera, however, he desires the love of a young art student, played by the beautiful Samantha Eggar. When he wins 70,000 pounds in a football pool he buys an Elizabethan hacienda on the moors of Sussex, and with the art student begins one of the most emotional dramas ever projected through cellulose.

The only possible weakness in the film is in the performances of two very demanding parts. The inexperienced actors at times fail to tread the narrow line of interpretation, a failure which prevents it from becoming a true psycho-thriller. But this point seems petty when juxtaposed with the film's many visual and intellectual benefits.

"Purge the hill .

To the Editor of THE PHILLIPIAN:

Upon receiving the December, 1965, ANDOVER BULLETIN was quite gratified to discover that the role of ANDOVER in the cation of mankind is being reassessed. The school will no longer governed by the policies of men entirely lacking in vision. If student from a plebian origin have attended ANDOVER, their acceptance accidental. The White Anglo-Saxon Protestants on the Admissi Committee merely were negligent in their sworn duty to uphold traditional interests of the Establishment.

The time has come for ANDOVER to embark on a new course, must purge the hill of all elements which retard the march across new frontier into the great society. We must eradicate the prevaled

and ever-increasing narrow-mindedness.

The ultimate efficacy of the protracted excursion into Orwell by a direct relationship to the rapidity with which the reactionary a decadent Ivy Leaguers are removed from the faculty, perhaps by means other than that of attrition. No longer will there be a need in such pedantic slogans as "the real end and business of living." T new watchwords will echo the centuries-old struggle against the arise crats. It is evident that, since all power tends to-corrupt, the absolu power of the ancient regime has corrupted absolutely.

In order to keep pace with contemporary trends, we must ent into a period of stabilized instability rather than allow ANDOVER river of knowledge to continue to flow into a stagnant sea. We me pattern our institution on the model of Utopia Regional High School abandoning our status of innovator for that of revisor. We must bet vigilant and devout guardians and worshipers of the god of perpen change, even if for no other justification than that it has become

fashionable to reject the past. Indeed, the fittest have not survived. The Social Darwinists have demonstrated that the process of natural selection has produced litt else than generations of dull and mediocre graduates. The equation the Enlightenment, which postulates that "Reason plus Nature equi Progress," is nothing more than a tragic canard foisted upon us by on

Alunmi of ANDOVER, unite! You have nothing to lose but you

Paul J. Keaney, '54 Instructor in History Brooks School

We feel that the argument implied by Mr. Keaney's sarcasm unwarranted by the carefully considered proposals of the Alum Council and unfair to those who designed them. -

#### LETTER FROM KOWLOON

This letter and a similar one together, namely Business Organ from a Mr. Kong Chuen Wai were received by school minister A. Graham Baldwin as faculty adto the Phillips Society Charities Drive. - ED.

Tsui Wai Man, New Asia College, Kowloon, Hong Kong January 5, 1966

Dear Sir.

I am deeply indebted to you for your scholarship offered to me through the college authority. When I received this information, my happiness—surely cannot be described. I will remember your kindness for ever.

I am a third-year student in the Business Administration Department. This year I take seven courses with forty-two credits al-

zation, Marketing, Industrial Rela tion and Personnel Management Corporation Finance, Accounting Investment and Cost Accounting To me all these courses are rather interesting and therefore I try study them to the best of m ability. Besides studying, I like t play table-tennis and learn jud I am interested in hiking as well.

After graduation, I intend to g abroad to continue my furths studies, though this opportunity scarce.

To conclude this letter, or again I would like to express t deepest gratitude to you and s Thank you very much".

With best wishes

Yours sincerely Tsui Wai Ma

### Violist Paul Doktor Gives GW Concer As 2nd Celebrity Series Performance



by Steve McCarthy Violist Paul Doktor and Yaltah Menuhin gave the second concert of this year's Celebrity Series last Friday in GW.

Doktor, concert violist and professor of Chamber Music at Mames College, spends much of his year touring the nation with Miss Menuhin, who accompanies him on the piano.

The couple started last Frida performance with the Sonata in D of Johann Bach, follows by Beethoven's Variations of March from "Notturno" and Marchenbilder of Schumann. The after an intermission they turned to perform a Sonata-con posed in 1939 by the America John Verral, now professor music at the University of Wat ington. The modern character the piece was a distinct change from the nineteenth-century N manticism that dominated the en ning. The last work on the program was the Sonata #2 in Eb Johannes Brahms.

\_Timing throughout the cond was exactingly maintained; times in the early part of evening, however, the piano F unnecessarily subordinate lacked the sensitive phrasing the viola. As the evening p gressed the two instruments versed more and more feeling resulting in a great increase emotion in the selections follow ing the intermission. A. P. Lee

In-addition-to-his-chair-in the ber Music, Doktor has violate dents in various parts delist country and gives occasionalist inars at several of the bration

#### esign Club Will ponsor Speakers, licks, Excursions

Design Club President Dave esemer recently announced ans for revolutionary changes the activities of the club. These anges will mean the first signiant expansion of activities nce the club started five years

The first part of Tresemer's ur-point program is the instition of field trips. Two trips

Boston on the average per rm will bring members to musens in the area.

Movies will be shown three nes a week. On Wednesdays, vies from the Adult Evening udy Program will be open to whole student body free. Typfilms will be 81/2 and last ek's selection Rashomon, a fine panese movie.

Sundays, at a slight admission arge, the club will show several e Fellini movies such as Boccac-'70 and La Dolce Vite.

Saturdays, before each meeting ort art films will be shown. e Saturday meetings will be panded to include demonstraons every week of different t media. A few well known ests will be invited to speak at ese meetings.

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#### DRAFT REGISTRATION **PROCEDURE**

This is the procedure as outlined by Associate Dean of Students William R. Bennett for registering for Selective Service

if you turn eighteen while attending Phillips Academy.

1. If you are at school, you should register for Selective Service with Mr. Bennett, who is a licensed registrar for local board 62, within five days after your eighteenth birthday. Your registration will then be sent through channels to the local board in your home town under whose jurisdiction you then come-

2. Your local board will send your Registration Certificate to your home address. You must keep this certificate on your person at all times.

3. If you lose your Registration Certificate, change your home address, etc., you should immediately write the local board which issued the Registration Certificate to you.

4. Under the existing draft regulations you will not be classified until you reach the age of eighteen and one half. 5. Upon receiving your notice of induction, you lose your

status as a "free operator," your option of enlisting, etc.
6. Remember, you must register for Selective Service within five days AFTER your eighteenth birthday.

#### WED. ASS.

(Continued from Page One) Americans in reserve, and, at the same time, try to get the Communists to the conference table and there attempt to convince them to halt their aggression.

In speaking about negotiations, Hilsman was very pessimistic. "The Communists haven't been very badly hurt in this war and have no reason to stop. The South Vietnamese won't accept any kind of coalition government and if we make concessions we will no longer be trusted by other Asiatic nations.'

"We should be firm in our dealings with the Communists, but always keep open the road to reasonable negotiations," concluded Dr. Hilsman.

#### GRADING

(Continued from Page One) airfields of the country with the situation. He added that marked increases or decreases in seniors' winter term grades are sent to their prospective colleges. In anticipation of these problems, academic departments are seeking feasible solutions. The results will be delivered to the Policy Committee, whose vote-would determine whether-the system will be reconsidered or rescinded.

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#### **NESGA CONFERENCE**

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discussion groups. Each group was led by at least one member of the Executive Committee.

From 5:00 to 6:30,—each group debated in general and strengths, weaknesses, problems, and successes of each member's respective school government. Faculty delegates were permitted to attend any group meeting they wished, and to share freely their ideas on student government with the

Following dinner that night, all delegates assembled in the main meeting room to hear Dr. Thad-deus Seymour, Dean of Dartmouth College, deliver the feature lecture. Dr. Seymour talked briefly about student government, and then presented the assembly with an actual dicipline case that occured at Dartmouth. After distributing a sheet presenting the case against said student and the student's own defense, members from the floor directed questions at Dr. Seymour, who assumed the role of the student. Each discussion group then went off to decide what punishment the student should receive. All eight chose to suspend the student for various periods of time, as did the Dart-Country Darmouth faculty dicipline commit-Mt. Hermon.

tee, although their student committee has favored only conduct probation. The student, upon his return; was later permanently dismissed from the college.

From 9:30 to 11:30 that night, delegates danced to the sounds of the Hermon Knights, a school group led by President Curl, and tobaggoned down the Inn's 700-foot elevated tobaggon chute. After the dance broke up, the Executive Committee met until 1:30 in the morning sorting out the day's note and picking eight major topics to assign to the discussion groups.

Two final forty-five minute discussion periods and a general meeting to elect the new Executive Committee consumed most of Saturday's time. In addition, each group leader orally presented a brief summation of the ideas discussed and conclusions reached by his or her committee. Members of the 1967 Executive Committee, including President Kahn, are: Lucy McCarthy, Secretary, Emma Willard; Bill McKee, Treasurer, Wilbraham; Kirby Saunders, Cushing; Julie Schneller, Abbot; Diana Martin, Concord; Andy Harvard, Hopkins Grammar; Kate Muhlfeld, Dobbs; Susan Beale, Beaver Country Day; and David Allen,



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### Goldman Plans Production Of Student's Play By Term's End

by Smith "Sort of a cynical play, a deple-tion of the 'human condition'" will be revealed to Andover audiences this term when the Drama Workshop presents senior Jim Kunen's play, A Dollar Forty-Nine a Pound or O Lord Make Us Free. Under the auspices of Daniel Goldman, director and producer, the debut of the second student designed drama ever produced at PA is slated for the end of this term in the Drama Lab.

Assisting Goldman will be Peter West, who as technician will provide lighting and short, special technical effects in some scenes with a slide projector and tape recorder.

"Although A Dollar Forty-Nine is an allegory with metepathysical themes," described director Goldman, "it will be nothing, repeat nothing, like Martin Geiger's A Saga of Mr. Goodbe. It's a tongue in cheek production which preand ponderous."

Senior Andy Oliver is tentatively cast as "the octopus who roams the awful ocean," the setting of Kunen's drama. "More tryouts will be shortly," said Goldman, "and although we don't have "and although we don't have a lot of time, we're confident of the play's success; Mr. McQuilken liked it."

#### DRAMA LAB.

(Continued from Page One) problems, it will be a very good production." Concluded Pieters,

final, cut version. As the Drama Lab can legally seat only about enjoyment and minimum of fric125 persons, additional performances will be scheduled on demand.
Entrance is through the Post Office in the basement of George Washington Hall.

In particular, with a maximum of Honoldit, the next port of arrival, the next port of arrival arrival

### Alumni Secretary Stott Returns From Sabbatical To Himalayas And Orient

by Smith Frederic A. Stott, Director of Development and Alumni Secretary at Andover, and his wife Nan, returned during the Christmas vacation from a trip to the Orient half way around the world. The Stotts climaxed their worldly excursions after having spent more than half of their three menth's pursuing "a fantastic dream," a trek, exploration and study in the Himalaya Mountains. The Stotts described their trip

as "a pleasure and satisfaction."

"We reached our goal;" they said, "The world's highest mountains were in our power. We found a fun and fascination in these wild boondocks on the other side of the world, with the grand Asiatic people and their customs, peculiarites, and expressions. We lived in a simple, primitive way,

even going 35 days without elec-

tricity.

The Stotts' expedition into Nepal and the world's highest mountains covered more than 300 miles and 35 days, with temperatures ranging from zero to 10 degrees. in cheek production which pre-vents it from becoming pretentious the trek from Kathmandu, Ne-Everest expedition at 18,000 feet. The couple, called themselves mere "White Mountain hikers", did not try to climb Everest but simply to "follow in the footsteps of the world's greatest mountain-

The Stotts hiked these 300 miles in the Himalayas "with deep sat- Himalayan country to tour New isfaction—and fascination." The Delhi, India, and Bangkok, Thaicouple summarized, "We spent 35 land. Flying to Hong Kong Nodays on the trail out of touch with Western civilization as we an alumni dinner arranged by have known it. We climbed and Kenneth Chun, PA '44. After visters and the state of the production." Concluded Pieters, descended a net elevation of iting Hong Kong "just as tour"When it goes on, we'll be ready."

The performance should run der perfect conditions. We lived and attended another alumni afabout forty-five minutes in its final, cut version As the Day of the Nepalese, the Sherpas fair arranged by Tairy Archive. among the Nepalese, the Sherpas fair arranged by Tairo Aida, '23. in particular, with a maximum of Honolulu, the next port of arrival,

eating enormous meals."
"We succeeded," the Stotts con-

tinued, "both in statistics and in mutual pleasure. After 35 days on the Trek, a three hour trip back to Kathmandu brought hot water, plumbing, and electricity, and the shearing of a 14-day beard. We were back to civili-zation."

The couple explained that they were more apprehensive before their departure to the Orient than while actually experiencing anti-cipated "horrors." "We read dramatic tales of terror about the chain bridges over rushing torrents, and sickness, but we never noticed these 'horrors;' we kind of liked them. Our trip to Nepal was an exciting challenge."

"We suffered no calamities more than a 101° temperature, two blisters, and a mild stomach upset," the Stotts continued, "at 13,000 feet, however, we didn't sleep well. At this elevation each of us was a victim of cheyne-stokes, a seizure of mild suffocation which results with a change in altitude."

Characterizing the Nepalese people, the Stotts said, "These people pal, to the base camp of America's are fascinating. The women live in a man's world, digging potatoes and carrying 60-pound packs. We saw the Nepalese singing, whistling, and in a festival of spirit. There a rustic, gay, and primitive people."

The couple returned to Kathmandu November 15 and left the

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## Skiing Downs Proctor, Harvard, UNH

### Trafton, McMullen Capture PA Firsts Rue Takes Nine First Places West Places Blue Takes Nine-First Places

Wednesday, January 12; An-ver—Paced by the outstanding formance of Captain Jim Fa-the field events. Parni, the Andover varsity track im routed the Huntington var-y, 57½ — 28½ and captured its st victory of the season.

ird to help gain 111/2 points for rd high hurdles with a time of thin one tenth of a second of st times to date. As anchor man the 1200 yard relay, Fabiani gan four steps behind the Hunveral unsuccessful attempts to ss his opponent, Fabiani overok him on the inside and strode for the victory.

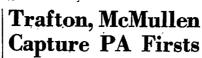
ntributed to the Blue victory. In PA relay team has run this year. e mile Greg Meyers and Rick oble finished first and second e 11½ laps in 4:54.7. Andover ept the 1000 and 600 yard disnces with Earl McEvoy winning e 1000 in 2:31.5 and Al Stevens siney and Jim Koch placed cond and third in the 1000 as depth.

did Jamie Wyper and Cameron

Andover was also successful in the field events. Paul Miller won the shotput with a heave of 46'-3%" the best throw by a Blue shot-putter since early 1963. In the high jump Cai Underwood jumped Fabiani won two events and 5'101/2" to take first and lower aved an important part in a Ike Lasater came in third. A d to help gain 11½ points for Huntington jumper won the broad Blue. He won the forty-five jump but Jamie Lee and Andy Abbott followed at second and and the fifty-yard dash in 5.6 third. In the pole vault, Huntington conds. In both events he came vaulter Bill Walter broke the cage record with a vault of 13'81/2" and cage record and achieved his led a Huntington sweep of this

Several sprinters and hurdlers besides Fabiani contributed to the agton anchor man, but after victory. Andy Abbott took third place in the hurdles. The relay team composed of Chris Mar, George Mendenhall, Harvey Kelsey and Fabiani completed the The PA distance runners also 1200 yards at the fastest clip any

Head coach Sorota called the meet "excellent" and "highly satisspectively as Meyers completed fying". He was extremely pleased with the great\_improvement over the B.C. meet in every event. He expressed certainty of a successful season if this improvement conking the 600 in 1:22.1. Derek tinues and the team develops more



Wednesday, January 12; Brookline-In the first alpine meet of the season, Andover outskiied both

the Harvard and U.N.H. frosh. Captain Robin Hogen won the combined title, placing first in the slalom and fourth in the giant slalom. The sparse snow coverage disallowed a second slalom run and made both races difficult.

Dick Trafton and Jimmy Platz backed up Hogen's first with a third and a sixth. UNH placed two men'in the top six and Harvard's Drapert took second.

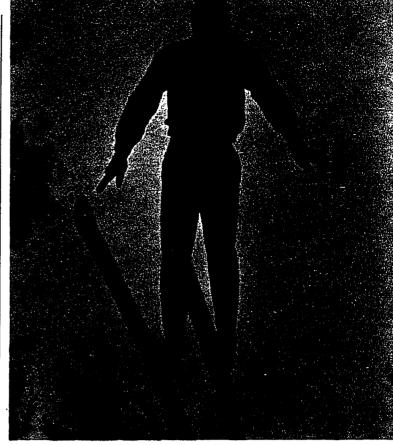
The giant slalom course was fast and tricky. McCarter, Harvard's ace skier who had fallen in the slalom, won the event. Andover's best was Trafton with a close third.

PA's B team took third place in the final standings as they edged the UNH frosh.

Saturday, January 15; Andover — Andover trampled St. Paul's School and Proctor Academy by taking four out of five places in the jumping event and finishing seven men in the first ten spots in the cross-country race.

Andre McMullen, whose ski fell off in the air on a practice jump, won the jumping with two jumps of 73 feet each. Jim Platz had the longest jump of the day at 74 feet, but couldn't follow up and finished second. Robin Hogen and Lower John Boyle placed fourth and fifth, while Cellard, a Proctor skier took third.

The jump was extremely fast and had to be cut down so as not have the contestants jumping off the hill. All the skiers had good



Skiing Captain Robin Hogen, who won the combined title Wednesday and led his team to an upset Saturday, takes off from PA's Holt Hill jump.

Photo by Gibbs

Dick Trafton pulled out in front | fast. and won the race, beating Andre McMullen by a minute and a half. my Platz placed third with 26:39. are a big ski school."

Proctor and St. Paul's never a late start the end runners fin- Union Carnival.

In the cross-country event An- | ished in the dark. The course was dover swept the first three places. in great condition and extremely

Captain Hogen said after the meet that "I am extremely pleased He covered the two and four with the jumping and with the fifths miles course in 25:04. Jim- victory over Proctor, because they

Coach Best was gratified by came close. Tani, a Proctor skiier the "excellent performances" and was fourth but he was their only feels the outlook is promising but consecutive jumps due to the ex- man near the finish. Because of the real test will be the Kimball

### Hockey Edges Melrose 4-3 In Sudden Death; Smashes Bowdoin Frosh 10-2 As Turco Stars

Wednesday, January 12; Andover.—The Andover hockey team overcame sloppy stickwork and three-early-goals-by-the-opposition to defeat Melrose 4-3 on an overtime goal by B. I. Clift. Eddie Wright kept PA in the game with a hat trick, while reserve goalie Wayne Tracy shut out Melrose after three first period goals on starter Jim Munroe.

Melrose was quick to take advantage of ragged Blue play as Bobby Dyer slipped a shot past Munroe after three minutes of the first period. Two minutes later, Mike Sullivan scored—the second Melrose goal with an assist from Henri Waille. Then, with 9:35 left, Waille tallied the final Melrose score.

The Blue was quick to avenge an early setback as Wright, assisted by Dick Delaney and Skip Freeman, fired in his first goal with 7:57 remaining. He followed up Melrose goalie Jerry Healy did

a fine job in the last two periods, allowing only one goal as he survived a barrage of Blue shots.

The only bright spot in the second period came with 0:22 left, when Wright, with an assist from Fraker and Clift, fired in his final goal, which tied the contest at 3-3. The third period was scoreless. Late in the period, Melrose nearly scored on a shot from Dyer, but Tracy, sprawled on his back, managed to halt the puck. After time ran out, the game went into a sudden death overtime. After nearly a minute had elapsed, B. I. Clift took a pass from Skippy Freeman and tallied the tiebreaker.

Coach Harrison commented, "We played the last two-periods only. That was all."

Saturday, January 15; Andover Unleashing a devastating attack the Blue hockey team ripped the highly-touted Bowdoin frosh, 10-2. with a second score two minutes Captain Chris Gurry and Jack later on a pass from Ford Fraker. Turco contributed a hat trick athe Andover cause, while Dick Delaney chipped in a goal and three assists. Netminders Wayne Tracy and Jimmy Munroe yielded but one goal each, and were more than adequate backstops when called upon.

> The Blue had Bowdoin on the ropes\_in\_the\_opening\_minutes\_of play, as PA capitalized on early penalties to set up scores by Del-aney and Gurry. Steve Abbot tipped in a cross for the visitors, cutting Andover's margin to a again seriously challenged.



Captain Chris Gurry drives in behind Bowdoin net, setting up a scoring pass to Skip Freeman in Saturday's 10-2 rout.

past netminder Joe Dane. Warren Baker then rammed home a tenfooter on a powerplay to close out the first period.

Andover's passing throughout the game was little short of brilliant, but a play early in the second frame was outstanding. Gurry, on a breakaway, took the puck in behind the Bowdoin goal with two defensemen in hot pursuit, and then passed back to Skip Freeman at the mouth of the goal. Freeman beat Dane from about three feet to complete the play. Turco then turned the hat trick with three quick tallies, boosting PA to an 8-2 advantage.

After two periods of near-(Continued on Page Six)



Fabiani edges Huntington runner in 50 yard dash later on a pass from Ford Fraker. route to 57.5 - 28.5 win in last Wednesday's meet.

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### **Bowdoin Frosh Outlast Andover Rally** As Blue Falls, 114-100; UNH Blasts PA

ham, New Hampshire — Obviously height advantage. outclassed the Andover varsity Somewhat thro game, PA was outbattled on the

Wednesday, January 12; Dur-| boards, owing to UNH's marked

Somewhat thrown off by the basketball team fell to the Univ. hollow portable floor and the of New Hampshire freshmen to frigid temperatures of the unday, 118-55. Although the Blue heated UNH fieldhouse, the Blue played much better than the some- fell behind early and spent the single goal, but Bowdoin never what misleading score indicates, rest of the afternoon trying to the opponents proved to be too catch up. UNH jumped off to a Gurry started off a Blue tough a match as throughout the early 9-2 lead using a full-court splurge of eight consecutive goals (Continued on Page Six)

as he blistered a 50-foot slapshot

#### BASKETBALL

(Continued from Page Five) zone press and by the time Andover solved the harassing defense, it was too late. Sweeping the boards and shooting deftly, by midway through the first half, the home team had increased its lead to 31-16. Then UNH ripped off 25 points to the Blue's meager 7, to leave the floor at intermission with a 56-23 bulge.

Trying to salvage something from the all-but-decided contest, the Blue managed a somewhat more effective performance in the second half. With forward Don Bowler, Dennis Cambal, and PA captain John Hilley each tallying 8, Andover worked to close the gap, but again UNH started to hit and squelched the rally. Bowler and Cambal\_led\_the\_Blue in scoring with fifteen apiece, while Hiley shlook loose for ten.

"Losing to a team which is averaging 103 points a game is no disgrace," commented Coach Di Clemente. "The boys have nothing to be ashamed of." Added the UNH mentor, "They gave us a better battle than any other team we've played so far.



Heary poises for rebound in Saturday's 114-100 loss to Bowdoin.

Photo by Ogilvie in the 100-yard in the 100-y

Saturday, January 15; Andover Outrebounded and outshot, but not outhustled, by a strong, tall Bow-doin frosh squad, the Andover 114-100 as a late rally by the Blue fell short.

The frosh came to Andover with an impressive record. They were averaging 102 points per game, had all five starters scoring in double figures and two starters averaging close to 25 They also points per game. brought with them a 6'6" center.

The first half of the game was charterized by sloppy play on the part of Andover. The Blue lost its poise and Bowdoin capitalized on their mistakes to take com- score 80-15. manding leads of 13-2, 23-6, and 28-8. They maintained this pace HOCKEY and the first quarter ended 37-16. In the second quarter, the Blue came on and cut the deficit from 21 points to 12 points at 48-36 before the Frosh countered with a rally of their own to make the score 60-36. The spectators left as the half ended with the Blue 26 points down.

The second half featured spirited ball playing ру Andover. A the beginning of the third period, Bowdoin built up their lead to 88-55. Then Andover began to press. Capitalizing on frosh mistakes, the Blue racked up 14 straight points to make the score 88-69. The quarter ended 90-69 with the Blue coming on strong.

The Blue continued their torrid pace in the fourth quarter and made the score 97-82. Then the Bowdoin center\_fouled\_out,\_and Andover began to get-rebounds. The score went up to 105-96 as Neher, who scored 31 points for Bowdoin, fouled out. But a couple of late foul shots by Bowdoin made the score 110-98 and broke

the back of the Blue rally.

# Noll Sets-Mark

by Todd Cohen Saturday, January 15; Worcester-The Andover swimming team, despite the absence of two freestylers, Doug Crichton and Paul Wiske, trounced Worcester today 80-15. The Blue dolphins dropped only two places, a first and a second, barely missing a shutout. Jon Noll set a Worcester pool record of 57.2 in the 100-yard backstroke.

PA's medley relay team of Stretch, Giles, Stu Sessions, Topper Lynn, and Robby Browne opened the meet with a 1:50.0 clocking.

In the next event, the 200 yard free-style, Rainer MacGuire and Bill Bostian finished one, two, with times of 1:59.4 and 2:01.6, respectively. Hosford was third for Worcester.

Lee Eddy and John Kelsey splashed to a double victory in the 50 free in 23.6 and 24, Worcester's Miller picking up a third and

Blue Captain Jon Noll breezed to victory in the 200 yard individual medley in 2:15.0. Teammate Jeff Melamed took second, beating Worcester's Jacobs.

Andover's Bart Brush, who in jured himself before the meet doing his practice dives, came on to win the dive, edging teammate Pete Allan by two-tenths of a point. Tift was third for Wor-

Topper Lynn and Mac McTernen placed one, two in the butterfly. In the next event the 100 yard free, Rainer MacGuire placed first for the mermen but Jeff Ryder, who missed his last turn, Top scorer Bob Campbell (15) was edged out in the last lap by shoots for two of his 28 points over Miller of Worcester, who ruined

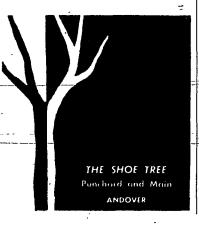
> Captain Noll breezed to victory in the 100-yard backstroke with 57.2 clocking. Second for the Blue was Stretch Giles.

> -In the next event, the 400-yard free-style, Hosford picked up third for Andover were Alberto Raurell and Jeff Melamed.

> Next came the 100 yard breaststroke which was the most exciting race of the day. It was neck and neck down to the last lap, but Stu Sessions and John Alden pulled it out for the Blue with times of 1:11.0 and 1:11.9.

> Andover's 400 yard free-style relay team of Bill Bostian, Jeff Ryder, Mac McTernen and Lee Eddy finished a full lap ahead of Worcester, making the final

(Continued from Page Five) flawless hockey, the Blue opened the final frame with a stretch of loose play. Gurry, however, picked up his third goal with a 30-footer, and Warren Baker rounded out the Andover scoring with his second goal. Moments later, Sandy Ervin provided the game's final tally as he fired ie niick nast reened immv Munroe.



### Swimmers Belt Squash Crushes Choate For Mt. Pleasant Ri Worcester, As | Fifth Consecutive Year, 7-0 | PA Grapplers |

by Frank Ehrlich Saturday, January 15; Andover-The Andover varsity racketmen equaled their performance against M.I.T., losing only one game en-route to a 7-0 victory over Choate.

Top man Farlow Blakeslee crushed Choate's Berry, 15-5, 15-7, 15-12. PA's second man, Dave Johnson vanquished Wiles 15-8, 15-8, 15-9. Third man, Captain Gonzo, swamped Shumaker, 15-4, 15-8, 15-9.

In the fourth position Don Ross routed Abrami, 15-1, 15-8, 15-3. John Spiegel had little more trouble with Greg, winning 15-6, 15-11,

Tennis captain Erich Wise, hampered for much of the match by an injured shin, lost the only game for PA. Wise won the first two games, 15-8, 15-13, but his opponent Byssche took the third 18-16. Wise came back in the fourth game, 15-8 and won the match. In the seventh slot, lower, Davis Everett gained a 15-8, 15-13, 15-8 victory ever Choate's Gosden.

Last year the Blue beat Choate 5-2, but only after winning two crucial five game matches. This year Choate had lost all their varsity lettermen except Berry through graduation, and the team was basically Choate's '65 JV's. This was also Choate's first team match this season. For these reasons Coach Hoitsma felt that the match January-22-against-the powerful Deerfield team will be a better indication of the players' strengths and weaknesses.

This meet was Andover's fifth straight win over Choate. In the past five years P.A. has compiled a 32-3 match record against Choate. The victory brought P.A.'s record this season to 2-2. The losses have been to the Harvard Freshmen and the Harvard J.V.'s, both teams which Andover will play again before the end of the season.

#### by Todd Cohen

men today 7-0.

er was Farlow Blakeslee who cut out for them.



Farlow Blakeslee, top man on the squash ladder, chops a return in Saturday's shutout with Choate. Photo by Ogilvie

downed Ipiotis of M.I.T. in three straight, 15-5, 15-11, and 15-12. Ipiotis, who is from Greece, is the only man on the M.I.T. squad who has ever played squash be-

In the number two slot for the Blue was Dave Johnson, who lost the only game of the day for Andover. He won his match 17-18, 15-7, 15-7, and 15-6.

Captain Fernando Gonzalez played number three for PA defeating Morgenstern three straight, 15-8, 15-8, 15-13.

Senior Don Ross-competed in the number four position and trounced opponent Sloggan 15-1, 15-4, and 15-13.

John Spiegel filled the number five spot and downed Saidel of M.I.T. 15-8, 15-8, and 15-12. Lower Davis Everett played number six and defeated Bramley 15-10, 15-8, and 15-11. Erich Wise completed the Blue shutout as he crushed Fricker 15-3, 15-2, and 15-11.

Wednesday, January 12; An- The squad's rout of M.I.T. was dover—In straight games down no great accomplishment, owing The squad's rout of M.I.T. was the line, with the exception of to the inexperience of the M.I.T. doin frosh squad, the Andover Worcester's only first with a time only one, the Andover racquet team. Coach Hoitsma had nothing varsity basketball team succumbed of 4:34.7. Placing second and squad bombed the M.I.T. fresh- to say about the team's play, and feels that with some tough match-Playing number one for Andov- es coming up their work will be

Capt. Miller Star

Saturday, January 15; Andore The Andover wrestling team, ing all but three matches, fell Mt. Pleasant High today by score of 26-11. Captain Sam 1 ler, Roger Smith, and Rob Con-were the only victors for Blue.

In the 112-lb. division PA's M Bradley succumbed to Mt. Ple ant's Ken Russo, 5-2. Rick St. art, a junior from Iowa who had some experience at he wrestled well for Andover at 1 but lost by the same score.

Roger Smith, a senior, was susceptible to the switch early his match, but fought back in last period to take a decision the 123-lb. class from Anthon Olivo, 7-5.

Upper Paul Hertz started well in his contest with Tom Six son and led at one time by f points, but the Mt. Pleasant wre ler was in better condition won it in the third period, 6 Senior Andy Hemenway, was ling at 135, was reversed the times by David Burrecilli and i lost by 6-5.

Miller, wrestling in his type ally deliberate and consistent sp outclassed Louis Rossi, 9-5. And er's 147 pounder, senior prep l Conlin, easily overpowered his ponent, Mario Forte, 8-0, but did have the finesse to get the pin

Upper Dave Van Wyck, in 157-lb. slot, became tired at the first period of his man with Jim Imonti, yielding points for riding time under new rule, and lost 6-1. P.A.'s M Coleman also gave up two poin for riding time and two more in infractions as he fell to I Brown, 6-0.

Upper Bucky Walker, in b first year of wrestling, kept pa with Tim Clouse of Mt. Please in the first two periods, but w pinned at 1:02 of the third, w a score tied at 6-6. In the her weight 'division, Andover's E Hudak, after giving up an est to Stanley Askew in the first period, was unable to get the m essary takedown and had to set for a 1-1 tie.

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