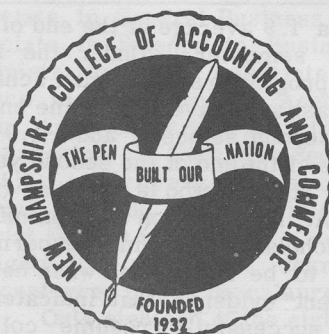


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## COMMENCEMENT ISSUE

### COMMENCEMENT REFLECTIONS

Each year at about this time throughout our country thousands of young people are graduated from grammar schools, high schools, preparatory schools, and colleges. Our college is a part of this grand procession.

In a few short weeks, NHC will proudly present to the outside world of business a larger quota of graduates than ever before. Whether they succeed or fail in the business world is dependent upon many factors.

Determination and conscientious work are very important. A weekly

pay check is forthcoming only to those who earn it.

But the education and preparation for the expected problems of business, as well as the confidence to deal with unexpected problems, will have a great effect on the ability and skill displayed by our college graduates. Proper training is a necessary ingredient. One's first job can be a trying experience, but with the knowledge that one has the basic skills, there should be a certain amount of self-confidence present.

Praise for success, and blame for failure, on the part of NHC graduates will be reflected on our college. We can only hope with con-

fidence that the mark of a fine education has been implanted in the minds of our graduates, and that NHC will receive many compliments on its fine products. We also hope that our graduates will remain always proud of their Alma Mater, and influence more students to come here.

On behalf of the undergraduate student body of NHC continuing on here, I wish to congratulate all those who are graduating in June, and wish them a fine future. Many of them are our good friends, and we will be sorry to see them leave.

Janie Fickett

## NHC 1965 Graduates

### One-Year

Allan, Carole Jean  
Bailey, Linda Louise  
Caron, Donna M.  
Chase, Beverly Ann  
Cheverier, Opal Jane  
Fortier, June M.  
French, Marianne  
Hanson, Sharon  
Harrington, Donna  
Hicks, Sarah Ellen  
Luce, Sandra Ann  
Maxwell, Sally Ann  
Meersman, Jane Tory  
Morrow, Sandra  
Suanet, Jacoba  
Nolin, Janice  
Nolin, Nancy Ann

Pethic, Ann Elizabeth  
Philbrick, Deborah  
Reardon, Ann  
Robitaille, Rita Mary  
Rouse, Marguerite  
Silk, Ann Marie  
Solovei, Alice  
Sullivan, Patricia  
Smith, Betty Lou  
Thomas, Susan Odline  
Stock, Alwine  
Heath, Carol Ann Marie  
Roberge, Paulette

### Two-Year

Boisvert, Norman E.  
Brisson, Jacques C.  
Connor, Judith Ann  
Demers, Ruth

Desrochers, Felice V.  
Donnelly, Joan Mary  
Farrar, Phyllis L.  
Grueter, Janet Mary  
Hayes, Donald Lester  
Matarazzo, Gelsa  
Franelak, Christine  
Madison, Barbara Joan  
Martin, Judith C.  
Matarazzo, Maria C.  
Okolovich, Rosie Julia  
Spooner, Margaret Louise  
Stevens, Shirley Anne  
Strout, Geraldine S.  
Shannon, Nancy E.  
Tucker, Dale Anna  
Salmon, David  
Bergeron, Roland R.

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## ADMINISTRATION NOTES

Joseph Lacroix

Dean Shapiro would like to take this opportunity to remind the students of several things which have probably been forgotten since last fall. Next year, all non-commuting or "dormitory" sophomores, juniors, and seniors will be responsible for securing their own living quarters. Girls are reminded that they must have permission to change their residence. If any assistance is needed President Shapiro is available for advice on housing.

It is hoped that scheduling will be completed before students leave in June but if this becomes impossible, scheduling will be carried on through the mails this summer. Either way, all that should be left for 2nd, 3rd, and 4th year students next fall will be to receive classroom assignments.

It is felt by Dean Shapiro that classes will be held no later than 3:15 p.m. next year. Nearly all sophomores, juniors, and seniors will end their class day at 1:25 p.m.

Scheduling adjustments will be made when possible for working students and President Shapiro wishes to inform the students that there are part-time jobs available at other times than the afternoon hours.

The college will be located at 88 Hanover Street next year and in the general area. The former office of Congressman Wyman on Chestnut Street will be remodeled by next fall. The two rooms thus created will be used as classrooms. During the summer months the college will be looking for a larger student lounge.

Students enrolled in the two year program must have a 1.6 average at the end of the second semester

and a 1.9 average at the end of the third semester. Under the four year program a student must achieve at least a 1.6 average by the end of the second semester and a 1.9 average at the end of the second year.

A student who is excluded from NHCAC may petition the Committee on Scholastic Standing for permission to be readmitted when he can present evidence that indicates he can successfully resume college work. Ordinarily, exclusion from NHCAC shall be for not less than two semesters. Only under extraordinary circumstances will the student be readmitted after having been twice excluded for academic reasons.

All students who are currently enrolled, will pay \$620.00 yearly tuition. Funds for Education applications are available upon request to sophomores, juniors, and seniors permitting them to pay \$52.51 a month over a 12 month period. This plan will be extremely beneficial to the student who has been paying \$70.00 a month for a ten month period. It will give him an extra two months to pay and save him nearly \$70.00. A reminder that the HELP program is also available to upper classmen.

Dean Shapiro announced during my interview with him that there is a "possibility" of having a soccer team next year if, and only if, a coach can be secured, and a schedule can be worked out for games with other schools, and areas can be found for both practice and home games.

Over a hundred applications have been received from instructors wishing to teach at NHCAC next year. The administration is considering applications in the following fields: Math, Law, Political Science, English, and Reading. Among the first already hired for next year are instructors in American History, Speed-writing shorthand, and Accounting.

As a closing note in the last issue of the Pen for this year Dean Shapiro said that we have had an "excellent academic year" with the lowest per cent of dropouts in the history of the college. Everything ventured was well completed; sports, student activities, etc." He went on to say that he was "looking forward to a more exciting 1965-66 season for the faculty and students."

## FACULTY FACTS

A recent addition to the faculty of NHC is Mrs. Helen Donaldson, a graduate of the University of New Hampshire with a Masters degree in Psychology. Mrs. Donaldson has taught at all levels and finds that this is the one she enjoys the most and it is the most rewarding. Mrs. Donaldson is currently teaching two courses, Mental Hygiene, and Social Problems of the United States, she feels that these are both important to the students. Social Problems because it helps the student become more aware of the world problems and should make them more responsible voters. Mental Hygiene is important because we all should know the mechanisms of human behavior, because we will all be in close contact with people the rest of our lives.

Mrs. Donaldson was employed at the State Hospital in Concord for three years as a Psychologist, thus giving her much practical experience in her field. Her experience is beneficial to the student also as she can bring many actual case studies into her courses making them more interesting for the student and can give them insight as to what can actually happen to the human mind.

Mrs. Donaldson is pleased with the quality of the students and feels that she has met some exceptional students. She is not happy with the fact that some of the students think that this is a second rate school, and thinks they should realize that they themselves play an important part in making a school what it is. She is not involved with any outside work now because she feels this type of teaching is a full time job.

George Boucher

## SPECIAL AWARDS

Secretarial Science -

Margaret Spooner

English -

Jane Fickett

Yearbook -

Robert Gosselin



## DEGREES

"The authority to grant degrees in the United States in the case of most of the privately controlled institutions of higher education derives from their formal charters; ... Most of the college charters have been granted by State legislatures, and vary greatly in the conditions under which they were given and in the powers granted." It is not the name of the degree that is important, but rather the authority to grant the degree that is important.

"More than 1,600 different academic degrees are currently conferred by colleges and universities in the United States, according to information recently (1960) furnished by more than 2,000 of these institutions." There are several definitions of a degree. The one most commonly used is "... a degree conferred by an institution of higher education, regardless of the field of study."

As we can determine from the above statement, there is a proliferation of degrees and types of degrees granted. There is no standardization of kinds, types, or names of degrees. The purpose of this discussion is not to comment on whether there should or should not be this kind of proliferation, but rather to show that this kind of proliferation exists.

Of the 1600 degrees granted, 176 different degrees are conferred in the field of business. The list of degrees is divided into two groups—general and secretarial. Each group is further subdivided into associate, bachelor, master, doctor, and other degrees. We will be concerned only with the associate and baccalaureate degrees.

Twenty-nine different degrees are awarded on the associate level. There are 37 schools that grant the Associate in Business Administration degree, 25 schools the Associate in Commerce degree, 25 schools the Associate in Secretarial Science degree, 24 schools the Associate in Business degree, 5 schools the Associate in Commercial Science degree and three schools the Associate in Accounting degrees. One of two colleges grant each of the remaining 23 associate degrees. Some of these degrees (the number of colleges conferring the degree is indicated in parenthesis) are Associate in Business Management (1); Associate in Business Science (2); Associate in Commercial Arts (1);

Associate in General Business (1); Associate in Science in Business Administration (1); Associate in Science in Commerce (2); Associate in Arts in Secretarial Science (1); Associate in Executive Secretarial (1); Associate in Medical Secretarial (1); and Associate in Secretarial Studies (1).

Eighty-five different degrees are conferred on the baccalaureate level. Only eighteen of the eighty-five degrees are offered by more than two different colleges. The number of schools conferring the degree is indicated in parenthesis.

These degrees are Bachelor of Arts in Business Administration (6); Bachelor of Business Administration (104); Bachelor of Fine Arts in Industrial Design (3); Bachelor of Science in Accounting (13); Bachelor of Science in Business (17); Bachelor of Science in Business Administration (122); Bachelor of Science in Business Education (17); Bachelor of Science in Business Management (3); Bachelor of Science in Commerce (27); Bachelor of Science in Economics and Business Administration (3); Bachelor of Science in Industrial Management (2); Bachelor of Science in Restaurant Management (3); Bachelor of Science in Retailing (4); Bachelor of Science in Transportation (3); Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Science (4); Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Studies (5); and Bachelor of Secretarial Science (3).

The remaining 60 degrees are conferred by either one or two schools. Some of these degrees are Bachelor of Accountancy (1); Bachelor of Foreign Trade (1); Bachelor of Science in Advertising (2); Bachelor of Arts in Commerce (2); Bachelor of Agricultural Business Administration (1); Bachelor of Business Science (2); Bachelor of Science in Air Transportation (1); Bachelor of Science in Food Industry (1); Bachelor of Science in General Business (1); Bachelor of Science in Marketing (2); Bachelor of Science in Management Science (1); Bachelor of Science in Milling Industry (1); Bachelor of Science in Real Estate (1); Bachelor of Science in Trade and Industrial Education (1); and Bachelor of Science in Secretarial Training (1).

The list of different degrees continues. It is not then the name of the degree that is of significance, but rather what is behind the degree—the Charter, the College, and the degree recipient.

All quotations, facts and figures have been taken from Eells, Walter Crosby, Consultant, and Haswell, Harold, Director; Academic Degrees, a publication of the United States Department of Health Education and Welfare, Bulletin 1960, No. 28.

Ann R. Shapiro

## AN OPEN LETTER TO THE FACULTY

There has been much debate among my fellow classmates at NHC during the past month concerning cuts. I have heard the pros and the cons on the subject and hereby offer to you what I feel to be the consensus of opinion.

NHC is supposed to be a college of higher education specializing in the business field. Besides this specialized training students are forming ideals that will stand with them through life. To accomplish this end a certain amount of freedom is required. This school of higher education is not a high school. We, the students, whether we live in Manchester or commute, are paying for our education. This brings us to the main point of this letter.

I believe the students of NHC should be allowed unlimited cuts. The faculty and individual teachers should care less about how many students are in each class. The main thing is if the individual student is, in fact, obtaining this coveted "higher education" or is just wasting his time and money. This will show up in the tests throughout the year and in the finals.

I am so sick of answering to roll calls and signing my "John Hancock" to a slip of paper. I feel that I am mature enough to know what I want and will surely attend classes especially when one stops to figure that each one is costing me approximately \$1.50!

Let's have a more liberal faculty policy or even better, an active student council backed by the faculty. If we treat NHC like a high school -- it will be! Rather, let us make it our college, one which we can be proud of and can utilize to the utmost to prepare us for the future.

Name withheld by request

## SHORTHAND AWARDS

### GREGG

#### 160 Words a Minute

Carole Allan  
Joan Donnelly  
Margaret Spooner  
Dayle Tucker

#### 80 Words a Minute

Virginia Piper

### SPEEDWRITING

#### 140 Words a Minute

Carole Allan  
Dayle Tucker

#### 120 Words a Minute

Carol Cebula  
Sue Charland  
Betty Champagne  
Judy Coutermarsh  
Felice Desrochers  
Ellen Durant  
Jané Fickett  
Sandra Fournier  
Christine Frenelak  
Nancy Gravelle  
Janet Grueter  
Cathy Hill  
Leslie Kiska  
Carolyn Kotarba  
Beverly Lanpher  
Sandra Luce  
Sally Maxwell  
Rosie Okolovich  
Linda Prince  
Ann St. Laurent  
Pat Sullivan  
Lynne Tilton  
Linda Zawisza  
Phyllis Farrer

Bouillard, Helene  
Cassidy, Marsha  
Connor, Sharon  
Crummey, Carolyn  
Fleming, Carol  
Houde, Claire  
Lougee, Beth  
Manning, Sharon  
Manter, Gail  
Milinovich, Denise  
Perdu, Doris  
Pethic, Ann  
Proctor, Jane  
Regan, Daren  
Ferguson, Faye  
Roberge, Paulette  
Sienkiewicz, Donna  
Weymouth, Noel  
Cropley, Cheryl  
MacGuire, Barbara

#### 100 Words a Minute

Caron, Donna  
Demers, Wendy  
Fortier, June  
Hanson, Sharon  
May, Alma  
Nolin, Nancy  
Philbrick, Deborah  
Robitaille, Rita  
Silk, Ann Marie  
Suanet, Jacoba  
Thomas, Susan  
Taintor, Barbara  
Bouley, Margaret  
Brown, Suzanne  
Cropley, Cheryl  
Demag, Irene  
Sienkiewicz, Donna  
Tobey, Susan

#### 120 Words a Minute

Halen, Mary  
Thomas, Susan

Christine Anderson  
Linda Bailey  
Gloria Brown  
Beverly Chase  
Opal Cheverier  
Carol Diotalevi  
Margaret Griffin  
Donna Harrington  
Carol Heath  
Virginia Kneeland  
Gelsa Matarazzo  
Santee Morrow  
Dorothy Moses  
Ann Reardon  
Marguerite Rouse  
Sandra Weeks

## TYPING AWARDS

### FIFTIES

Andersen, Christine	Luce, Sandra	Frenelak, Christine
Bailey, Linda	Manning, Sharon	Piper, Virginia
Charland, Susan	Matarazzo, Gelsa	Taintor, Barbara
Crummey, Carolyn	Nay, Alma	Gamlin, Joan
Diotalevi, Carol	Nolin, Janice	Proctor, Jane
Durant, Ellen	Philbrick, Deborah	Thompson, Maureen
Fortier, June	Pratt, Claire	French, Marianne
Gravelle, Nancy	Prince, Linda	McGuane, James
Griffin, Margaret	Rouse, Margaret	Ferguson, Faye
Knoettner, Joan	Silk, Ann Marie	Hicki, Sarah
	Tobey, Susan	

### SIXTIES

Brown, Gloria	Chase, Beverly	Tilton, Lynn
Brown, Suzanne	Cheverier, Opal	Fleming, Carol
Champagne, Betty	Cebula, Carol	Maltesos, Linda
Connor, Sharon	Coutermarsh, Judith	Cassidy, Marsha
Fournier, Sandra	Demag, Irene	Caron, Donna
Moses, Dorothy	Fickett, Jane	Lougee, Beth
Morrow, Sandra	Harrington, Donna	Taintor, Barbara
Maxwell, Sally	Kiska, Leslie	Desrochers, Felice
Nolin, Nancy	Kotarba, Carolyn	Healey, Mary
Robitaille, Rita	Lanpher, Beverly	Okolovich, Rose
Smith, Betty Lou	Martin, Judith	Hansberry, Thomas
Weeks, Sandra	McGuire, Barbara	Jenisch, Pamela
Bouley, Margaret	Reardon, Ann	Solovei, Alice
Brouillard, Helene	Shannon, Nancy	

### SEVENTIES

Allen, Carole  
Connor, Judith  
Farrar, Phyllis  
Grueter, Janet  
St. Laurent, Ann  
Sullivan, Patricia  
Tucker, Dayle  
Zawisza, Linda  
Hanson, Sharon

### EIGHTIES

Auger, Constance  
Heath, Carol  
Donnelly, Joan  
Spooner, Margaret  
Strout, Geraldine  
Clark, Sandra

## NANCY TAYLOR CERTIFICATES

Allen, Carole	French, Maryann	Perdue, Doris
Bailey, Linda	Gagnon, Pauline	Philbrick, Deborah
Bouley, Margaret	Gravelle, Nancy	Piper, Virginia
Brouillard, Helene	Halen, Mary	Prince, Linda
Brown, Gloria	Harrington, Donna	Rice, Cheryl
Caron, Donna	Hicks, Sally	Roy, Bernadette
Cebula, Carol	Kotaba, Carolyn	Solovi, Alice
Cheverier, Opal	Lampher, Beverly	Strout, Gerry
Clark, Sandra	Manning, Sharon	Sullivan, Patricia
Cropley, Cheryl	Mansfield, Susan	Thomas, Susan
Demog, Irene	Manter, Gail	Thompson, Maureen
Diolelevis, Carol	Milinovich, Denise	Tilton, Lynne
Donovan, Brenda	Munsey, Charlene	Weeks, Sandra
Fickett, Jane	Nolin, Janice	Wourad, Carleen