The one and two year curricula of the Babson Institute of Business Administration are now registered as curricula in higher education by the Education Department of the State of New York, President Smith announced late yesterday.

The certificate of registration states that the plant, resources, library, faculty, and courses of study meet in full the requirements of the Commissioner of Education for registration of curricula in a higher institution.

This means, according to President Smith, that the Institute will now be placed on the approved list of the Bureau of Navigation of the United States Navy and on the approved list of the United States Civil Service Commission. When this is done, Institute students will be clearly eligible, without special examination, for opportunities in the armed forces except in cases where there is a specific technical limitation placed upon the course of study or upon the position.

Registration in the State of New York means approval of a course of study in an institution of higher learning for acceptance toward a credential issued by the Department of Education. In the case of a professional school, the approval is for the acceptance of its course of study toward admission to professional practice.

Registration can be in one of four categories—college, junior college, extension course, or business institute. Registration as a college is based upon the offering of a four year course leading to a degree. Since Babson Institute obviously does not meet these requirements, it is significant that the State Department has registered the Institute without specific classification beyond that of "institution of higher education." This is equivalent to recognizing the Institute as offering college work distinctly above the junior college level and distinctly different from that of the ordinary business institute, secretarial type schools.

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**Winter Term Dance This Saturday**

The Social Committee under the able leadership of Tom Ellis rings up the curtain on the second formal dance at the Parker House Roof, Saturday evening at 8:30 P. M.

Rolly Rogers and his orchestra will again furnish the music you all liked the last time. All added attractions that were enjoyed at the last dance will be offered again—including the special parking rates and the "free ice water service".

BUT!! Profit by your experience. Dancing will stop at 12:00 midnight, so get there a little earlier and enjoy yourself that much longer.

INVEST WISELY!!!!!

PUT YOUR MONEY INTO UNITED STATES DEFENSE BONDS AND DEFENSE STAMPS
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ALL OUT IN 5 3/4"

The initial practice black-out
at Babson Institute functioned
smoothly and efficiently. The
last floor warden reported, "all
out" exactly 5 3/4 minutes after
the first blast of the siren.
Chronologically speaking, this
was the order of events:

9:00 P.M. Lights on in both com­
mons rooms and in living room of
Park Manor. Lights on in com­
mons room and game room of
Park Manor South. Lights on
all floors of both buildings.

9:06 1/2 Siren. Operator notified
janitor, Chief Air Raid Warden,
Grant Willson, Deputy Wardens
Davis and Merrill, and Floor
Wardens.

9:07 Merrill, Willson and Davis
reached Dormitory Office to
get flash lights and master
keys for Floor Wardens.

9:08 Students filtering into Game
Room of Park Manor. Janitors
blacking out halls, Common
Rooms, and dining hall of Park
Manor.

9:09 Half of students had reached
Game Room of Park Manor.

9:10 Four Wardens of Park Manor
reported to Willson.

9:11 Last Floor Wardens of Park
Manor reported, closely follow­
ed by Davis, Strong and Park
Manor South contingent.

9:12 All Wardens had reported.
Dormitories cleared and black­
out completed.

A goal of 7 minutes had been
set by authorities, and the time
of 5 3/4 minutes was considered
good.

The demonstration was viewed
by Mr. Butler, Mr. French, and
Mr. F.C. Hopewell, A.R.P. official
from the town of Jellesley.

After a few minor difficulties
have been ironed out, it is ex­
pected that an even better time
can be achieved at the next test
black-out.

During the Week

This puzzle was submitted to
THE BEACON by "Doc" Payne. The
answer will be given in the next
issue. The prize to the first man
turning in the right answer will be
a pound of goat-feathers collect­
ible from the author of the puzzle.

A foreign agent, needing funds,
cabled his home office in code.
The message was intercepted by our
intelligence service which turned
it over to the decoding room. The
principal point of interest was the
amount of funds requested. After
trial and error the decoders set up
the three-word message in this
form:

SEND
LORE
MONEY

By making the proper substi­
tutions for the letters they were
able to determine the amount asked
for. Can you do it?
Recently a friend of mine wrote with the news that he was in the Army. "I kept saying, 'Of course I want to go,' as they pulled me out from under my bed," were his words.

"Arny" Alderman has a new use for Defense Stamps. One day, several weeks ago, he was in Boston and--well, you'll have to ask Arny for the rest of the story.

What New York Glamor boy recently found out that the girl he had been dating at a nearby girl's college was married and had a five month old daughter? Need I say more Williams?

The Junior A section of Finance, after hearing the bear story unanimously decided Mr. Horner should tell the story at all girl's schools. Wouldn't it be marvelous to drive through the Wellesley Campus and get the high sign?

A certain member of the faculty was no end alarmed the other day when he climbed into his car, stepped on the starter, and was greeted with an explosion and clouds of smoke. "Who could have done such a thing to Mr. Carlson?"

I hear that the Junior Divisions are just scared stiff of the tough(??) little man in the cubicle during office hours. Too bad about those tacks Tom. The Juniors are sorry too—that they weren't longer!

Your writer wonders just how
Nothing very outstanding happened at the bowladrome last Thursday night. One thing of importance is the fact that the Termites lost three points to the Hangovers, and the Carolanna's lost three points to the Blackhawks. At the same time that the Termites were dropping three points, the Barflies were doing the same things at the hands of the Aces, thereby passing up a chance to gain on the first place team. The Aces and Ads are now in a threatening position being tied for third place.

INDIVIDUAL AVERAGES:

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HANDICAPS:--Feb. 18

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DON'T FORGET TO MAKE YOUR PLEDGE TO BUY DEFENSE SAVING STAMPS!!!!

TEAM STANDINGS: Feb. 18

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SCHEDULE FOR FEBRUARY 19

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Although nothing has been said about Physical Activities during the past week the program is still in operation. The Juniors (Bless them) have their program well under way and it is well organized. We hope that it will continue on that basis and that it will be successful. As for the Seniors, since they cannot get organized (quite typical of the Seniors), the old program will still be in operation. The following men are the leaders in the various sports and at the end of each week they will turn in a list of all the participants to Dick Gunter.

Badminton
Ackerman

Squash and Handball
Dunigan

Riding
Lans

Running
Narens

Hiking and Walking
MacKinnon

Basket and Volley
Van Gaasbeck

Skating
Willson

Boxing
Raboff

(P.S.--The Hiking and Walking means on your own feet and not in autos.)

Please report to these men after taking your 2 hours of exercise per week.
DEFENSE SAVINGS CLUB IS ORGANIZED AT BABSON

A committee headed by Frank McGehee, Dave Crosby, Jim Cook, Bob Smith, and Hank Levkoff is preparing to launch a campaign for the sale of Defense Stamps and Defense Bonds at Babson Institute.

This campaign was inaugurated Tuesday night by Mr. J. K. Horner and Hank Levkoff, who spoke briefly to the students upon the subject.

The committee, known as the Babson Defense Stamp and Bond Committee and headed by Hank Levkoff has outlined plans for the selling of Stamps and Bonds--The committee has attempted to make the saving program as convenient as possible for the students. They will collect payments each Thursday, give the subscriber a receipt, and make sure that the books of stamps are kept accurately. The books will be kept in the treasurers office, although students may keep their own if they wish.

It is rumored that the per capita wealth of Babson students is higher than the average school, therefore, Babson should be able to out-buy many of the other schools that are participating in this national movement.

Let's all pledge to buy as many defense stamps as we possibly can.

BASKETBALL SCORES:

Feb. 11--Andover-Newton Theological School defeated Babson Institute 41 to 33.

Feb. 17--Andover-Newton defeated Babson Institute on the former's home court 54 to 27.

The next and last scheduled game of the Babson team will be played Feb. 23 with Gordon College.

The BEACON STAFF has seen the need for a Babson Information Bureau to inform the students on the important events going on around town. We will attempt, therefore, to bring you a list of those events every week.

Feb. 22--Boston Symphony Hall
The music of Gene Krupa from 11:00 P.M. to midnight and dancing from midnight to 4:00 A.M.

Feb. 19 through to Feb. 25 at the Metropolitan Theatre--"The Man Who Came To Dinner" with Bette Davis, Ann Sheridan, and Monty Woolley.

Feb. 19 through to Feb. 25 at the Loew's State and Orpheum Theatres " Johnny Eager" starring Robert Taylor and Lana Turner.

Through this week at the Boston Garden--"The Ice Follies" starring Evelyn Chandler, and many other international skating stars.

"To Be or Not To Be" the United Artists release starring the late Carole Lombard and Jack Benny will be shown at Loew's State and Orpheum theatres starting Feb. 26. This picture was the last completed by Miss Lombard, who was killed in an air accident.

Richard Llewellyn's "How Green Was My Valley" has been held over at the Keith's Memorial Theatre for the second week. This picture is highly recommended by the Beason Staff as one of the best pictures of the year.

Feb. 21 at the Parker House Roof Dance. Roly Rogers and his orchestra will furnish the music.

Grant Willson has asked the Beacon to announce that he is trying to arrange a skiing weekend for some time in March. All those interested see Grant for all the details.