



*A baseball game in progress back of the Main House*

**A**t Windsor Mountain, a coed college preparatory school in the heart of the Berkshires, primary emphasis is placed on laying groundwork for effective living. Not only does the school encourage its students to live up to their academic and creative potentials, but it also gives them first-hand experience in the give-and-take of living and working together, all in an atmosphere where the common problems of adolescence can be freely aired.

Dr. and Mrs. Max Bondy founded the school in 1939 as an outgrowth of their many years' experience conducting schools in Germany and Switzerland. Located first in Windsor, Vermont, it was moved in 1944 to its present site, a spacious country estate at Lenox, Massachusetts. Upon Dr. Max Bondy's death in 1951, Heinz Bondy, a graduate of Swarthmore, joined his mother in the directorship. Today he and his wife Eleanor Burwell Bondy, also a Swarthmore graduate, act as headmaster and headmistress and thus help Mrs. Bondy carry on the work she and her husband started so long ago.

Windsor Mountain is neither formal nor progressive. A formal school does not sufficiently encourage individual development but leaves the young person alone with his worries, while progressive education can sometimes sanction development solely according to one's personal desires, without any thought to the needs and rights of others. Here the educational program revolves around the belief that young people can learn to accept the values and