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Maine Host To Union Meeting

The University will be host to the Sixth Annual Regional Conference of the Association of College Unions Dec. 10-12.

The general theme of the conference is "Personnel, Publicity and Program."

14 Colleges To Attend

Fourteen New England Colleges will be guests of the University including the University of Connecticut, University of Rhode Island, Boston University, Colby College, Dartmouth, Bowdoin College, University of New Hampshire, Brown University, Northeastern University, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, Springfield College, Williams, University of Massachusetts, and the University of Vermont.

The conference will get underway with registration from 4 to 5:30 p.m. in Memorial Union Lobby on Friday.

Topics that will be discussed during the three day conference include "What Are the Basic Social, Cultural, and Recreational Activities of a Union Program?" "How Can Union Committees and Board Members Be Kept Representative of Student Bodies?" and "What Services Should a Union Provide?"

The final session is scheduled for 9:45 a.m. Sunday.

Dance Saturday

The Union Yule Dance Saturday evening in the Main Lounge is in honor of the conference delegates. Mel Tukey and his band will play from 8:30 to 11:45 o'clock.

Representing the University will be Nelson B. Jones, Memorial Union Director, Peggy Daigle, conference chairman; Joan Mason, registration; Janet Bishop, housing; Walter MacDougall, entertainment; Laura Little, banquet; Sandy King, publicity; Cynthia Nelson, invitations; Shirley Bostrom, evaluation, and Donald Pendleton, program.

(Picture on page eight.)

Auto Hopefuls Sign Yule Pool

Seventeen students have signed the Campus ride pool lists posted in the Bookstore and the Administration Building.

This column will be published again next week.

PASSENGERS WANTED

To Washington, D. C., Steve Hyatt, Sigma Phi Epsilon.

To Durham, N. C., Marion Ham, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

To Middletown, N. Y., Normand Sherwood, 3-B South Apartments.

To Hartford, Conn., John Roger, Alpha Gamma Rho.

To White Plains, N. Y., Harvey Wood, 134 Corbett Hall.

RIDES WANTED

To New York and vicinity; Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Jalbert, 19 High Street, Old Town; Nicholas Legatos, 402 Oak Hall.

To Boston and vicinity, Henry Flynn, North Dorm 8, Rm 3; Martin Nelson, 334 Dunn Hall.

To Southwest Harbor, Stephen Joyce, North Dorm 8, Rm 5.

To New Haven, Conn., Fred Lyon, Tau Kappa Epsilon.

To Andover, N. B., Edward Knight, Phi Gamma Delta.

To Albany, N. Y., Donald W. Colvin, 128 Corbett Hall.

Extra Prisms Available

The Senior Class Executive Council has announced that extra copies of the 1955 Prism are still available, and may be purchased at the Treasurer's Office in the Administration Building.



International Club members are doing their part for Good Will this week. The Club sponsored a sale and exhibition of stamps in the Union Lobby on Monday. Saw Chein Saing, foreign student from Burma, makes a purchase from Nancy Witham. Looking on is Om Aggarwala, student from India. (Photo by Bowden)

Masque Play Very Good But Below Past Standards

By JOE RIGO

The current Maine Masque production of "Mr. Roberts" is a pleasant evening's entertainment in almost anyone's book.

In many ways a very difficult play to do well, the Masque, under Director Herschel L. Bricker, does a generally very good job of tackling the Thomas Heggen-Joshua Logan top Broadway hit.

However, this Masque effort, as the previous play, "My Three Angels," definitely lacks some of the spark which characterized Masque shows in previous years.

It has a tendency to drag at times and while the cast seems to be doing the job well, they just do not give it the punch of other years.

This goes equally to the technical end.

In fairness, it should be mentioned that these comments, as in all Masque reviews, are based on the dress rehearsal because of Campus deadlines. It has long been claimed by many that an actor just doesn't give even

this last rehearsal the same effort he will put in the actual performance.

The play involves a wide variety of moods in the cast, and it calls on all their ability to make at least one major shift from the general bright comedy to a brief section of pathos.

Warner Shedd as Mr. Roberts suffers frequently from underplaying, as do two or three others. Shedd would benefit greatly by more enthusiasm toward the part.

Possibly the outstanding characters are Jack Hardy as the insatiable Ensign Hardy and Howard Danner portraying the arrogant and ambitious captain.

Varied lighting requirements call on full skills of Pete Baker, lighting technician.

Prof. Bricker's direction seems to come off best in highly emotional scenes such as an argument between Roberts and the captain.

Summing up, the play is one to see, but it could have benefited by another week of rehearsals and more enthusiasm.

Faculty Council To Study Class Schedule

The Faculty Council has started a study of what it feels may be excessive interruptions in the class schedules by curricular and extracurricular activities.

Several council members, feeling "the class schedule should have primary importance in the college calendar," introduced a resolution expressing "increasing concern" over "assemblies, vacation extensions, and other activities (which have) progressively made inroads on the class schedule."

Cites 13 Events

The Council cited thirteen events ranging from fraternity initiations and the football holiday to assemblies and department field trips.

Most of the Council felt that "while no one activity should be singled out for unjust criticism, the accumulation of time lost in the classroom for University sponsored events was a serious

handicap to both faculty members and students," Council records state.

According to Dr. Robert York, Council vice chairman, it is not felt that these interruptions are necessarily bad, but they should be studied to determine whether those existing merit continuance and possibly to set standards for judging future requests for class time.

Committee Begins Investigation

Members feel only emergencies should cut into class time without prior faculty approval, Dr. York said.

A committee headed by Dr. Himy B. Kirshen set up in November to study the resolution, will now listen to various faculty comments and ideas on the subject.

Only major suggestion made so far is that after present commitments are filled, assemblies should be at night. This stems from opinions that too many students fill the Bear's Den

Annual Christmas Vespers To Be Presented Sunday By Campus Music Groups

The traditional Christmas Vespers will be held Sunday, Dec. 12, at 4 p.m., in the Memorial Gymnasium, according to Assemblies Committee Chairman, Prof. David W. Trafford.

The University Glee Club, under the direction of Lewis Niven, head of the Department of Music, and the University Orchestra, under the direction of Earle R. Melendy, will present music in the spirit of the Christmas season in this service.

Soloists with the Glee Club will be Jane Ernst, Patricia Gill, Sylvia MacKenzie, Bradford Payne, and Charles Fassett. The Lector will be Charles Fassett.

Prof. Roger Clapp, of the Horticulture Department, is again in charge of decorations of traditional Christmas lights, evergreen trees, boughs and candles.

The public is invited to attend this program to which a capacity audience is expected.

The program follows:

PROGRAM

(The Congregation will please remain seated throughout the entire program)

Prelude: Pastorale (Christmas Music) Grieg

The Orchestra
Antiphon: How brightly beams the morning star Nicolai-Bach
The Glee Club

Good Will Chest Lacking In Funds

A total of \$910.31 was reported collected in Good Will funds Wednesday night as the campus chest drive reached its halfway mark. The Good Will Chest is seeking a \$2,500 goal in a week long campaign for funds. The drive ends Saturday.

Good Will treasurer Ralph Keef reported that 550 students have contributed to the drive so far. Wednesday night's total represents 36 per cent of the goal, ten per cent less than the amount raised at a corresponding date in the drive last year.

Of the present total \$389.50 has been given by faculty and organizations.

Keef said that fraternities and off-campus teams are behind in reporting their funds.

Processional: Adeste fidelis
Portuguese
Congregation, Glee Club and Orchestra
Angelus ad pastores Hassler
The Glee Club
The Prophecy: Chapter IX: 2, 6, 7
Isaiah
Gloria (Mass in B flat Major) Haydn
The Orchestra
Angels we have heard on high
French
Lullay my liking Holst
Of one that is so fair and bright Holst

The Glee Club
The Christmas Story: Chapter II: 1-14 St. Luke
Finale—Allegro vivace (Il Pastor Fido) Handel
The Orchestra
Christmas Day is come Irish
O Holy Night Adam
Three Kings Willan
Coventry Carol (Coventry Mysteries) English

The Glee Club
Recessional: Joy to the World Handel

The Congregation, Glee Club and Orchestra
Nunc dimittis: Chapter II: 29-32 St. Luke

Response: Silent night, Holy night Gruber
The Glee Club
Postlude: Maestoso con moto (Hymn of Praise) Mendelssohn
The Orchestra

Bears Defeated 63-59 By Bates

The Bates Bobcats, driving from behind in the last half, handed the University of Maine basketball quintet its second successive defeat of the season, 63-59, at the Memorial Gym last night.

Trailing throughout most of the game, the Bobcats, led by the phenomenal second half shooting of sophomore Jack Hartleb, and some brilliant defensive play in the final minutes by freshman Kent White, rallied to ice the contest.

After the Bears gained a comfortable 45-36 advantage early in the second half, Bates retaliated and caught the faltering Maine five with about eight minutes left and never relinquished the lead.

The game itself was a very sloppily played affair with both teams heaving the ball around recklessly on numerous occasions.

The losing Maine squad had a better percentage both from the floor and foul lane, but were outrebounded 57-40.

The Bears were 18 for 57 from the floor and 23 for 27 from the free throw line, while Bates hit on 22 of 57 shots and 19 of 29 free heaves.

The high scorer of the evening was Hartleb with 18, while forward Gus Folsom led the Maine squad with 16 points.

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Profile

Bebop, Etc. Score Hit With Cheng

By BETSY PULLEN

Smoke—pipe
Bebop—impluse release effect
Classical—impluse regulated
Confucius—the biggest square of them all

Favorite course—Methodology of Economics

These are the quick replies of Pao Lun Cheng, new Chinese instructor in the Business and Economics Department.

Cheng was born in Shanghai, China, May 29, 1922. The son of a prosperous self-made business man, Cheng was brought up in the strict tradition of the Confucius-Buddha culture.

The absolute authority of the parents, especially of the father, was heavily emphasized in his home. There were to be no short-cuts in life. The straight and the regular were the guides.

Attends Chinese College

His father sent him to Chiao-Tung University which is comparable to our M.I.T. There he was to major in engineering, but his mathematics background was insufficient.

At Chiao-Tung he majored in transportation, which would have equipped him to become a station-master or a clerk in the administration of a major railroad station.

Cheng came to this country in 1945 in the dual capacity of interpreter for the United States war department, and infantry captain for the Chinese Nationalist Government here.

Master's Degree At Missouri

From 1947 to 1949 he worked towards and obtained his master's de-



"Confucius—the biggest square of them all" . . .

gree in economics at the University of Missouri. He continued to teach at Missouri until 1951.

He then went to the University of Wisconsin to study for his doctorate. He left Wisconsin in 1953, and spent last year at the American Institute for Economic Research in Great Barring-

ton, Mass. He receives his doctorate this February.

He joined the faculty of the University's Business and Economics Department this fall and teaches a number of introductory economics courses. He lives with Associate Professor

Home Ec Club Largest Group Among Women's Organizations

By CAL GERALD

One hundred twenty-four members in the Home Economics Club makes the organization the largest women's group on campus. The club is open to all women who major in home economics.

The purpose of the club is to give the majors the opportunity to develop leadership, to become familiar with the ethics of the profession, and to learn the professional aspects of the home economics field.

and Mrs. Richard C. Hill on College Avenue.

Chinese parents, although they maintain strict religious discipline in the home, do not influence the children to believe as they do, consequently Cheng is a Methodist.

Would Return

Cheng is not a citizen of the United States. If the Communists should be overthrown in China, he would return. His parents are in Shanghai now.

He wouldn't go to Formosa as "there is a surplus of economists in Formosa."

His hobbies are tennis, swimming, and music. His taste in music runs from bebop to classical—with emphasis on classical. He had a large collection of records, but left it in China. He hopes to start a new collection here.

Adjusted Quickly

A bachelor, Cheng said that he adjusted much more quickly to American cooking than is usual for a Chinese.

His favorite subjects are Taxation and Methodology of Economics. Methodology of Economics is the mode of inquiry into economics—logical ways of approaching economic problems.

Cheng plans to continue teaching either in this country or, if possible sometime, in China.

Christmas Projects

The club is active in various projects. At the top of the list at this time of year is the plan to help the Old Town firemen in their annual Christmas project. The club plans to make doll clothes for the dolls the firemen are repairing. Other plans include a Christmas student-faculty tea.

The club sponsors the cake auction at the annual Aggie Fair and is well-represented by several booths every year.

Plan Fashion Show

Tentative plans after Christmas vacation include a stag dance in January, and in March the group will present a fashion show in cooperation with the Simplicity Pattern Company.

This Sunday at 3 p.m. the Home Economics Club will be honored on the Campus-WGUY weekly radio show, "Bangor Bandstand Salutes the University of Maine."

MCA Will Present Television Program

Howard Danner, a speech major, is directing the television play, "The Return of Chandra," by Mrs. Dorothy Wilson, that will be presented by the Maine Christian Association over television on Sunday, Jan. 16.

The television program is sponsored by the Bangor-Brewer Council of Churches.

Try-outs will be held Sunday, Dec. 12, at 8 p.m. in the Bangor Room of the Union.

Also on next Sunday the association will hold a candlelight service in the Bangor Room at 7 p.m.

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Wed., Thurs., Fri.
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plus
"GOG"
in Color
Richard Egan, Constance Dowling

Dec. 12-13-14
Sun., Mon., Tues.
"KNOCK ON WOOD"
in Technicolor
Danny Kaye, Mai Zetterling
plus
"THE LOST PATROL"
Victor McLaglen, Boris Karloff

Dec. 15-16, Wed., Thurs.
"THE FLAME AND THE
FLESH"
in Technicolor
Lana Turner, Carlos Thompson
plus
"THE SINS OF ROME"
Ludilla Tcherina, Massimo Garrotti

STRAND ORONO

Thurs., Dec. 9
Dale Robertson, Jeanne Crain
In Color
"CITY OF BADMEN"
6:30—8:26
Feature 6:50—9:00

Fri. & Sat., Dec. 10-11
Anthony Quinn, Peggy Castle
"THE LONG WAIT"
Sat. Matinee 2:30; 6:30—8:27
Feature 2:50; 6:50—8:50

Sun. & Mon., Dec. 12-13
Stewart Granger, Elizabeth Taylor
In Cinemascope
"BEAU BRUMMEL"
Sun. Matinee 3:00; 6:30—8:21
Feature 3:17; 6:30—8:30

Tues. & Wed., Dec. 14-15
Sterling Hayden, Gloria Grahame
"NAKED ALIBI"
6:30—8:30
Feature 6:50—8:50

Thurs., Dec. 16
George Nader, Amanda Blake
In Cinemascope
"MISS ROBINSON CRUSOE"
6:30—8:30
Feature 7:00—9:00

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University Calendar

THURSDAY, DEC. 9		MOC	8-10
Davis Room, Memorial Union		Bangor Room, Memorial Union	
Christian Science	7-8	Politics Club	3-4:30
Bangor Room, Memorial Union		Mrs. Maine Club	7-10
Education Club	7-8	Totman Room, Memorial Union	
Totman Room, Memorial Union		Inter Varsity Christian Fellowship	6:45-7:45
Sailing Club	7-9	Lown Room, Memorial Union	
FFA Room, Memorial Union		Scabbard and Blade	7-9
French Club	7:15-8:30	1912 Room, Memorial Union	
1912 Room, Memorial Union		Newman Club	4-5 and 7-9
4-H Club	7-8:30	WEDNESDAY, DEC. 15	
FRIDAY, DEC. 10		Bangor Room, Memorial Union	
Bangor Room, Memorial Union		Newman Club	4-5
Movie	7 and 9	FFA Room, Memorial Union	
SATURDAY, DEC. 11		Newman Club	4-5
Bangor Room, Memorial Union		Main Lounge, Memorial Union	7-10
Movie	7 and 9	Alpha Zeta Smoker	7-10
SUNDAY, DEC. 12		Lown Room, Memorial Union	
Bangor Room, Memorial Union		Institute of Radio Engineers	7-9
Foreign Film	2 p.m.	THURSDAY, DEC. 16	
Totman Room, Memorial Union		Davis Room, Memorial Union	
Radio Guild	7:30-10	Christian Science	7-8
MONDAY, DEC. 13		Bangor Room, Memorial Union	
Bangor Room, Memorial Union		Movies, Christmas party	
Dance Instructions	4-5:30	FFA Room, Memorial Union	
1912 Room, Memorial Union		Newman Club	4-5
History and Government Party	4-6	Main Lounge, Memorial Union	
Main Lounge, Memorial Union		Off-Campus Women	12-1
History and Government Party	4-6	Thursday Club	2-4:30
TUESDAY, DEC. 14		Christmas party	
Davis Room, Memorial Union			
YMCA	2-3		

New Traffic Signs In South Apartments Area Erected By Mrs. Maine Club In Safety Drive



These are some of the signs erected by the Mrs. Maine Club recently in its program to cut down speed of drivers through the South Apartments area. Along with the signs, the speed limit has been reduced from 20 to 15 miles per hour. The campaign was started in an effort to make the area safer for little children, who often play in or near the streets. Each of these signs is set in a can of concrete and placed in the middle of the road during the day and removed at night.

(Photos by Reed)

Scholarship Seekers Should Apply Dec. 13

Fred Lamoreau, chairman of the University Scholarship Committee, has announced Monday, Dec. 13, as the date students should obtain applications to be filed for scholarship awards for the school year of 1955-56. Application forms can be obtained from the Office of Student Aid and Placement, 107 East Annex.

All applications for scholarship aid for 1955-56 must be returned to the Office of Student Aid by Jan. 15.

History Professor Asks Return Of Missing Coat

Campus police have requested return of the coat taken from Prof. Stanley Wallace's office during the freshman basketball game Friday.

According to Dr. Robert York, its owner, the coat contains his wallet, keys, and war souvenirs he is anxious to have returned.

Canterbury Club Plans Yule Party

Canterbury Club will hold its annual Christmas party at the regular Wednesday evening meeting, Dec. 15 at Canterbury House. The program is being planned by social chairmen Liz Rand and Sally Carroll, assisted by the chaplain, Fr. John Mason.

Small gifts have been collected by club members and will be sent to the Parish of St. Edward the Martyr in New York City for their annual children's party.

On Sunday evening Canterburyans will meet at Canterbury House at 7 p.m. to go carolling at a local convalescent home. Refreshments will be served at Canterbury House upon return.

Firms Interviewing 1955 Grads For Jobs

Representatives of business, industry, and government are now interviewing students for jobs which will be waiting for them following their graduation in February and June, Philip Brockway, placement director for the University, announced recently.

Brockway added that the demand for college graduates this year is expected to equal if not surpass the demand last year. He said that nearly all seniors will find employment opportunities available. The greatest demand is for students with an engineering background, the Maine placement director stated, but other qualified students are also being sought.

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MCA Cabinet Members Introduced At Meeting

Cabinet members were introduced at a meeting of the Maine Christian Association Sunday evening at the MCA House.

Introduced to the group were Laura Wilson, president; Ruth Dow, secretary; David Drake, treasurer; Joan Smith, cabinet activities; Brad Payne, committee on effective citizenship; Robert Chick, deputations; Richard Nevers, finance; Roger Brown, Friday night; Henry Colby, membership; Alma Merrill, publicity; Margaret Dow, Sunday morning; and Fred Lyon, Sunday night.

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Editorials**Council Studies Class Problem**

Following the idea that students are here to be educated, the Faculty Council is working to see if it can better regulate the numerous activities and special events currently cutting into class time.

The idea is not that these interferences are all bad and should be condemned, but to try to weigh those existing now against the classes missed and possibly set standards to follow in deciding on future requests for cuts in class time.

The extracurricular activities in which most of us participate to some extent, the half days off before vacations, the traditional holidays—all beneficial in many ways—unquestionably cause many headaches, both to students and faculty.

The committee has a lot of work to do and will need plenty of time to do it. In this time the committee will hear many recommendations.

We would like to suggest that the committee solicit student opinions on the subject in addition to faculty viewpoints.

One suggestion made thus far has been that assemblies might be held in the evening. This the School of Education has generally opposed, feeling speakers offer a more rounded education well worthy of inclusion in class hours. This inclusion also makes attendance easier for off-campus students.

This stand is taken in spite of the attitude of many students that assemblies are best observed in the Bear's Den, a complaint of most of the faculty.

There will be a wide variety of opinions on this and most other aspects presented, and we don't envy the committee in its job.

But it is a job well worth doing.

In Union--Strength

The University's Memorial Union building and organization is less than two years old. Yet in this short time it has become not only an example for this campus, but one many others could follow profitably.

The Union probably represents one of the most successful mergings of student and administration talent on campus.

Students themselves are responsible for a major part of operating the union organization, although, quite naturally, they are under the guidance of the administration.

This week end the Memorial Union will be host to representatives of Unions throughout New England for their annual conference to study how to make their Unions better.

Arrival of the University's Union created a revolution on campus in no small way.

Largely through the Union, Maine has lost the greatest part of its claim as a "suitcase" college, for now there is almost always something to do if it only be to attend the movie.

It is good to see students given as much responsibility as they have in this organization.

It is students that plan the special events and carry them out. It is students who run many of the everyday events of the Union.

And in the Union, students are considered as equals in major policy decisions—not merely transients with radical ideas.

Soon the Union will observe its second birthday, and we know of few organizations that can be more proud of their accomplishments in their first years.

The Campus Is Your Paper

The *Campus* is a student newspaper and this page is for student ideas and opinions.

These opinions, though, need not be limited to those of our staff. If you have something to say on an idea of yours, or against something we have said, the Letter-to-the-Editor column is open to you.

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Bittersweet**I Wonder Who's Killing Them Now**

BY BRUCE COURTNEY

There is a little town not so far from here where the speed limit is 15 miles per hour.

A few years ago when we had a jalopy, we would rush madly up one road and down another. Either seeing how fast we could go or trying to go around corners on the least number of wheels.

But as we were really puffing along at the official speed limit of 45 miles per hour, we would come to this little town. Then we slowed down to 15 miles per hour. After we passed the two houses and one store, we again went our merry way hitting 45.

We no longer have our jalopy. But even so, the new speed limit in the South Apartment area interests us. Imagine, reducing the speed limit to 15 miles per hour. Why, that doesn't give half a chance to the motorist.

How can any self-respecting driver allow himself to go around all those corners at that speed? It gives too much advantage to the pedestrian.

A few years ago even the faculty would whip around those corners with as much glee as the students. It seems a shame to let one of the traditions go down the drain.

One group initiated the new speed laws in the South Apartment area. The Mrs. Maine Club.

And to add insult to injury they have even put up signs in the middle of corners.

There are phrases such as "Trikes, Bikes and Tykes." All this is quite good for the driver that can read. But the Mrs. Maine Club has a solution for the driver that cannot read.

Each sign is mounted upon a can of concrete and set in the middle of the road. Of course these signs are removed in the night-time to the side of the road.

Only at this time can the motorist once again assert his right of the road. But even then he has to stay within the speed limit. And worst of all at night there are not many pedestrians on the road.

Without all these restrictions we can imagine a great sport that has been enacted by quite a few drivers in the past. This sport has not by any means been restricted to the South Apartment area.

There are four prerequisites. (1) A car (2) good brakes (3) a horn and (4) a pedestrian, preferably a child.

The object of the sport is to put on the brakes of the car just before coming up to a pedestrian. Then honk the horn. The idea is to guess

which way the pedestrian will jump. And then, as he starts to move, start the car forward in the other direction.

Sometimes the driver makes a bad guess and the pedestrian is hit. However, this occurs most frequently when the pedestrian is a child.

Now there is a variation in this sport. The driver goes quite slow and lets the pedestrian think he is safe. Then as he starts to walk across the street, the driver steps on the gas very accidental-like.

When children are involved, it is even more of a sport. The driver can not tell whether they will fall down, turn around and go back, or continue across the street.

Dogs also behave in this manner. But the danger of dogs falling down is not too great. So in this respect children are much more suitable.

With dry roads and good brakes the chances of hitting anyone in this sport is at least 50-50 in favor of pedestrian. Whether he be adult, dog, or child.

But now participation in this sport has become very limited. And only because of the legislation enacted by the Mrs. Maine Club.

We have been considering reporting this group to the "Reckless Drivers' Protection Association." The only reason we don't is that we lost our membership when we lost our car.

On Other Campuses**Bermuda Shorts Disturb Southern Comfort**

EDITED BY REG BOWDEN

—Daily Tar Heel (University of North Carolina).

Chicago, Ill.—(I.P.)—Many girls meet their future husbands in college. Others are determined to get some return for the financial outlay incidental to a college education.

The clever girl, however, is the one who can walk off with a degree, a husband, and a highly paid job as well. No need to resort to feminine wiles or magic formulas—a degree in home economics should turn the trick.

A shortage of home economics teachers and dieticians has resulted in unlimited job opportunities for home economics graduates, according to Miss Louise Mojonner, chairman of the home economics department at Illinois Institute of Technology.

Paradoxically, a large number of home economists never use their degrees professionally. "More than half of the Illinois Tech home economics majors get married while they are still in school or shortly thereafter," Miss Mojonner said. "Perhaps the marriageability quotient of home economics graduates is higher than for girls in other fields because the home economists enjoy an added advantage of being better equipped to manage a home," she added.

The adage—a way to a man's heart is through his stomach—may have some basis in fact after all.

Engineers are discovering new methods of building safety into roads. However, in the final analysis, the road cannot drive your car. No matter how safe the road may be, no driver can afford to relax into day-dreaming.

LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS

by Dick Bibler



"GRADES ARE ALL OUT—IF ANYONE WANTS ME I'M OUT OF TOWN FOR A FEW DAYS."

Korean Veterans Checks

Korean veterans may get their checks from the Veterans' Office, 206 Library on Friday, Dec. 17, at 10 a.m., it was announced today.

Grants, Scholarships Total \$22,000 For Tech Students

Engineering students, preparing for the pulp and paper industry, received a total of over \$22,000 in tuition scholarships and grants for the school year, it was announced last week.

Junior and senior engineering students receiving tuition scholarships from the Foundation were Almon W. Wheeler, David R. Alexander, Walter L. MacDougall, Joseph G. Bergomi, Jr., Frank J. Roberts, Edward A. Ludwig, Earl E. Mushroe, Burnham W. Ragon, Bernie M. Conant, Paul A. Jones, Robert B. Arnold, George K. Hutchinson, Ray H. Cross, Delano L. Boutin, Winship B. Moody and Everett J. Harriman.

Fifth year engineering students in the Operational Management Paper Course receiving \$1,200 grants were Merle L. Noyes, Peter Economos, Paul I. Coughlin, Maurice J. Jalbert, Donald Mavor, Roland J. Kneeland, Richard A. Boss, Llewellyn E. Clark, James C. Barrows, Lawrence E. Robinson, Howard K. Ainsworth, Neil G. Clarke, and Gerald E. Smith.

Paper Cups Help Spare Campus Virus Epidemic

Those paper cups being used in the bookstore and Union are not the result of an economy drive.

Due to a small epidemic of some sort of virus on campus, Dr. Percy Leddy has requested that individual containers be used for a few days to help stop transmission of anti-University germs.

German Journalist Speaks Here Dec. 14

Gerhart H. Seger, German author and newspaper correspondent, will be the speaker at a meeting of the Politics and International Relations Club on Dec. 14 at 3:15 p.m. in the Memorial Union. Coffee will be served following his talk.

Seger was a member of the German legislature at the time of Hitler. He disagreed with the Fuhrer and was committed to a concentration camp from which he escaped. He was a witness against Herman Goering and Rudolph Hess at the Nuremberg war crimes trials.

Union Movie

The Union movie this week is "Prince of Foxes," starring Tyrone Power, Orson Wells and Wandra Hendrix. It will be shown in the Bangor Room of the Memorial Union Friday and Saturday at 7 and 9 p.m.

Robinson Announces Senior Executive Board

Merton Robinson, president of the Senior Class, has announced that Margaret Booker, Nancy Caton, Willard Butler, Delano Boutin and Edward Knight were appointed to the Executive Committee of the Class of 1955. Robinson, Reginald Bowden, Hilda Sterling and Stanley Milton, the class officers, will also serve on the committee.

The Executive Committee is composed of the class officers and five members nominated by the officers. The class president is chairman of the committee.

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GSS Calls Point Of Order On Sen. Powers Issue

Senator Powers tossed a bombshell into Tuesday's General Student Senate meeting, more by his absence than his presence.

The Senator was nominated, along with three colleagues, to serve on a committee. During the discussion of the candidates it was noted that Senator Powers' qualifications sounded familiarly like those of another Senator who had also been nominated.

Someone got suspicious. A senatorial investigation was staged and it was discovered that Senator Powers and his legislative twin were one and the same person.

The Senator making the Powers nomination stated, "I was misinformed!"

Recently initiated into Alpha Beta chapter of Omicron Nu, National Home Economics honorary society, were Priscilla Smith, Judith Ham, Shirley Kirk, Susan Humphrey and Ruth Beal Storm. The initiation was held at the home of Mrs. Mary Snyder, Orono.

Faculty Council To Investigate Class Schedule Interruptions

(Continued from Page One)

Dr. Kirshen, committee chairman, commented that extracurricular activities have mushroomed recently causing an "ever greater encroachment on class time."

Particularly hard hit, he felt, are laboratories where many students miss periods because of day and half-day extensions into vacations.

Council To Set Policy

A report by his committee at a Dec. 6 Council meeting recommending Thanksgiving vacation begin Tuesday at 5 p.m. to ease this problem was defeated on the idea that it would just cut deeper into class time.

Both Dr. Kirshen and Harmon agreed with Dr. York that the Council's goal is not necessarily to abolish these events but to set a policy on them.

Dr. Kirshen and Harmon pointed out that this problem is common to many schools.

Yale University, for example, has just inaugurated major calendar revisions, including such changes as

eliminating a "lame duck" period between Christmas vacation and final exams by scheduling finals immediately after vacation. The Yale program also reduces Thanksgiving vacation to one day.

'55-'56 Calendar Approved

Few major changes here, if recommended, will affect this or next year. Monday the Council approved the 1955-56 calendar as submitted by the Calendar Committee along the same general lines as recent calendars.

Other members of the committee presently studying the problem are Dr. Wilmarth Starr, Dr. Edgar Bogan, Dr. Franklin Eggert, and Dr. John Crawford. Dr. York is a member ex-officio.

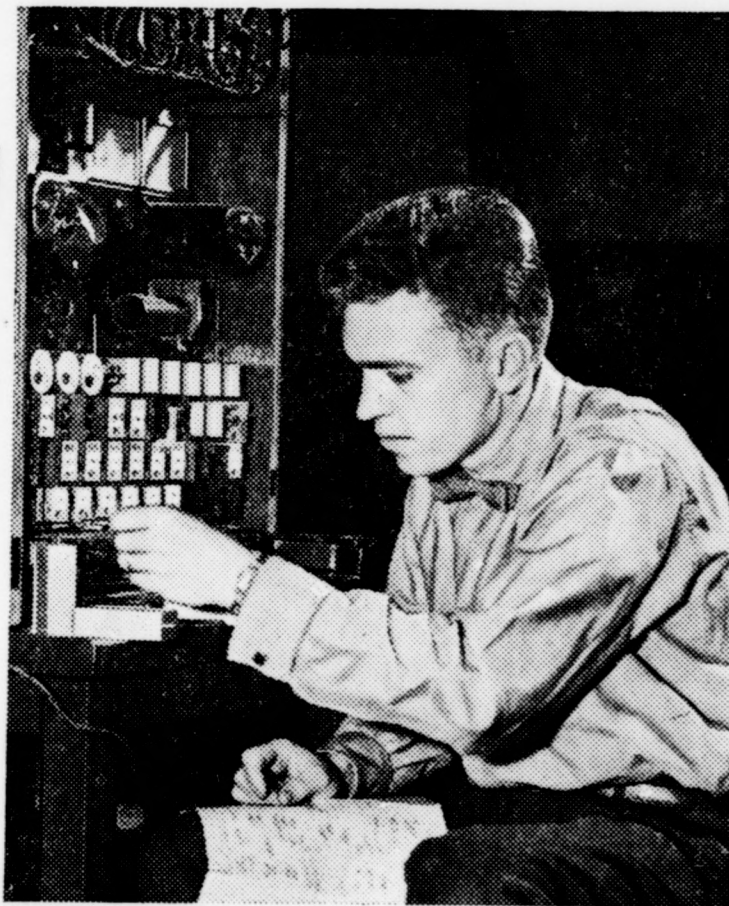
Other events cited as cutting into class time are Maine Day, Junior Class Assembly, WSGA Assembly, Friday afternoon freshman football games, leaving early for vacation jobs, excuses for part-time jobs, extra holiday travel time, fraternity and sorority rushing, and Winter Carnival week end.

A CAMPUS-TO-CAREER CASE HISTORY

"All the answers aren't in the book"

W. D. Garland, E.E. '52, Univ. of California, is working for the Pacific Telephone Company. We thought you'd be interested in what Don told us about his first assignment.

(Reading time: 45 seconds)



Here Don Garland makes noise distribution measurements with a Level Distribution Recorder

"My job is to help solve problems of noise and other interference on telephone lines due to power interference. Inductive co-ordination is the technical term for the work.

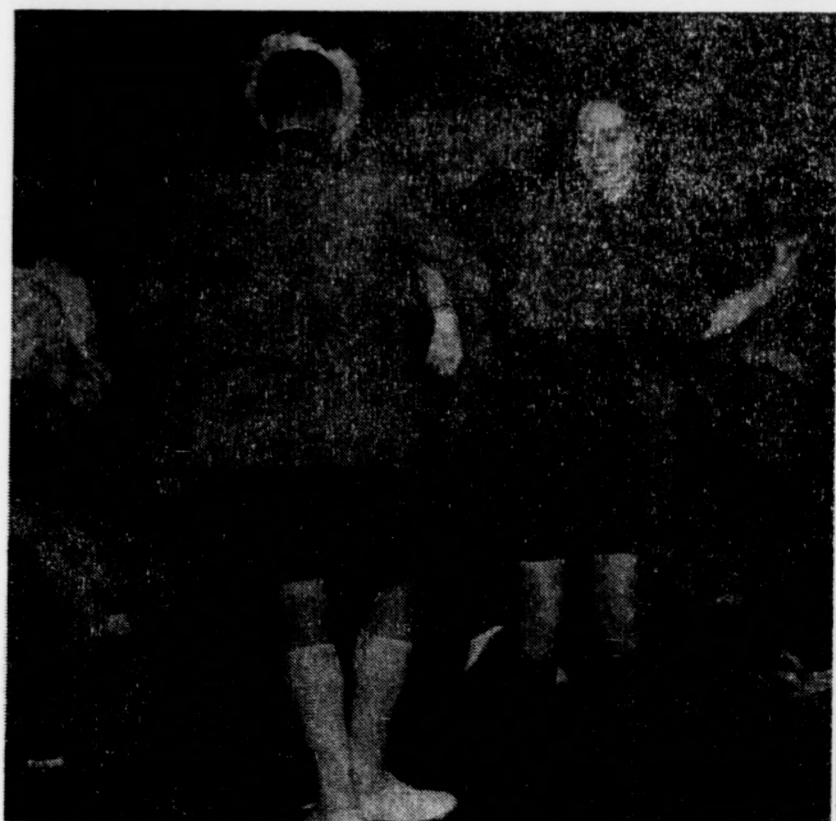
"First thing the Chief Engineer explained to me was that 'all the answers aren't in the book.' He was right. Most of the problems have required a combination of electrical engineering, a knowledge of costs and generous amount of ingenuity. I like it that way. It's given me an immediate opportunity to put into practice the theory I learned at school.

"In addition to this on-the-job experience, I have attended several special training courses conducted by the company. Now I'm breaking in a new man, just like when I started."

Don Garland's work is typical of many engineering assignments in the Bell Telephone Companies. There are similar opportunities for college graduates with Bell Telephone Laboratories, Western Electric and Sandia Corporation. If you'd like to get more details, see your Placement Officer. He will be glad to help you.



BELL TELEPHONE SYSTEM



Scene from the Greenwich Village party held at Sigma Alpha Epsilon Friday evening.
(Photo by Meinecke)

Society: Houseparties Dominate Scene

BY BEVE FOWLIE

The tribe of Chief Toolawh from Old Town came down to join his fellow tribesmen and guests at Phi Eta Kappa's Indian Party Friday evening. The tribesman felt right at home as he entered the doorway of the house through a large tepee of green fir. Inside he found himself in the deep woods of Maine—Indians war-whooping around every tree. The only thing that made him realize he wasn't out in the wilderness was Nat Diamond and his music which wasn't the least bit "Indianish"! Squaws at the party were sporting fraternity crested earrings which were party favors. During the evening Bill Earle was awarded the medal of honor. Saturday members of the fraternity and guests enjoyed an outing at Sebec Lodge. A Christmas turkey dinner was held Sunday noon. In charge of the weekend festivities was Salvatore Scarpato.

Members of Sigma Chi and guests took a formal trip to the island of Hawaii in the Pacific Friday evening.

The question might be asked, "Was this trip really necessary?" From all report at the women's dormitories it really was.

Arriving on the island they found a familiar sight to all those who enjoy good "Maine" music—Mel Tukey and his campus band. On hand to make them at home was Mother Pray, Dr. and Mrs. Charles G. Werner, and Prof. and Mrs. Robert Dunlap. Dan Stevens entertained the guests as master of ceremonies assisted by Mel Tukey, Les Smith and Tom Franco. Vocal entertainment was provided by Art Westenberg, Bruce Munn, Jack Coffin, Norm Roux, and "Little Bill" Johnson. The girls returned at 1:30 with orchid leis around their necks to remind them of the glorious visit. Saturday the couples enjoyed an outing at the Camden Snow Bowl. A jam session was held Sunday afternoon under the direction of Mel Tukey, Jack Coffin, and Norm Roux. In charge of the week end was Bill Calkin, social chairman.

Houseparties at Tau Kappa Epsi-

lon began Friday evening with a formal dance at the Tarratine Club in Bangor. Dancing was enjoyed to the music of Bob Jones and his band. The guests were given very unusual party favors in the form of miniature Maine Bear rugs. But that's not all. The rug is really a pajama case. Once the pajamas are put inside, the bear puffs out to look very real. He doesn't growl, tho'. Later on in the evening punch and cookies were served. The Saturday outing was held at Embden Lake Lodge. Chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth L. Parsons and Mr. and Mrs. Edgar J. Bogan. Clayton Dodge was in charge of arrangements.

Tau Epsilon Phi held its formal dance on Friday evening introduced by a buffet supper followed by dancing to the music of Bob Brochu's Orchestra. The chaperons were Maj. and Mrs. Raymond H. Cutler and Capt. and Mrs. Moffat A. C. Gardner. Guests were Capt. and Mrs. Robert Marmorstein and Prof. and Mrs. Frank Beyer. Saturday afternoon a jam session was held followed by a supper and a vic dance. The chaperons were Sargeant and Mrs. Boyce C. Woodman and Sergeant and Mrs. Guimond. In charge of events was Nelson Newcombe.

Greenwich Village was the scene of houseparties at Sigma Alpha Epsilon Friday night. Hand-painted characters decorated the walls, and colorful mobiles hung from the ceilings. The couples and their guests danced to the music of Jim MacDonough's band and later on in the evening were served punch and cookies. For party favors the guests were given red and white striped night shirts and night caps with the Greek symbols of the fraternity embossed on the pocket. In charge of the party was Rodney Moulton. Chaperons were Dr. and Mrs. E. Howard Moore and Mother Grady.



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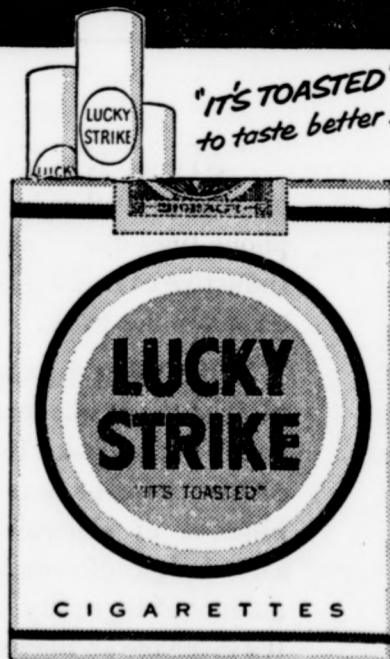
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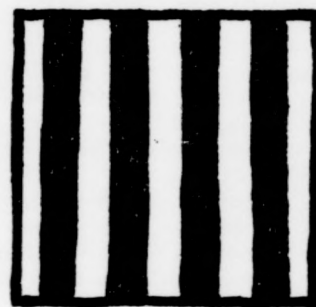
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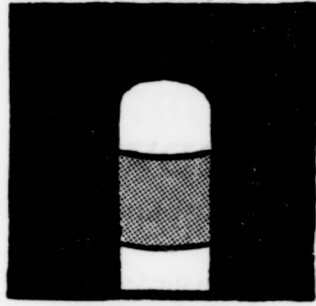
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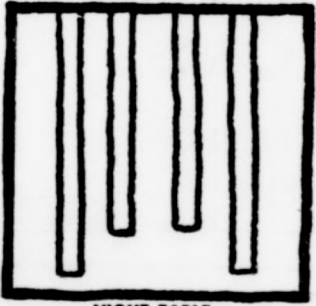
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Annual Freshman-Sophomore Meet Saturday

Bear Facts

BY PAUL FERRINGO

Although receiving a sound trouncing in their initial start of the year from the University of Vermont last Saturday evening, our Black Bear five gave us the impression that they have the makings of a pretty fine ball club.

The club's poor showing was no surprise to us and perhaps a little better than we anticipated. As we noted before the season, the squad is a very green outfit and needs a barrelful of work.

Certainly the tall men on the squad, namely Sophomores Thurlo Cooper, Frank Smith and Sterling Huston, are very inexperienced. However, the two starters Cooper and Smith should progress as the campaign rolls on.

It must be pointed out that this is the first taste of varsity competition for both men. Also, Cooper has the disadvantage of not playing frosh ball last season, whereas Smith did.

The team played exceptionally fine ball in the first half as they hit on a good percentage of their shots, but the second half was a nightmare for new coach Russ DeVette's forces as they faded under the constant Vermont attack.

It seemed to us that the fast pace at which the game was played got the best of the Pale Blue. Most of the club looked worn out as the third quarter progressed and the Catamounts ran wild.

No doubt the inability of not being able to pace themselves properly was a definite factor. But, we must give them 100 per cent credit for their all-out fight and drive right down to the bitter end.

It wasn't their offense but rather the Bears' decided weakness on defense that led to their Waterloo Saturday evening.

Time and again the Vermont players were either left unguarded or drove by the Maine defenders for clear shots at the hoop.

Unlike last season, the Pale Blue have a fair sprinkling of height with Frank Smith at 6' 2" with the ability to leap like a kangaroo and Thurlo Cooper also at 6' 2" and a real terror under the boards.

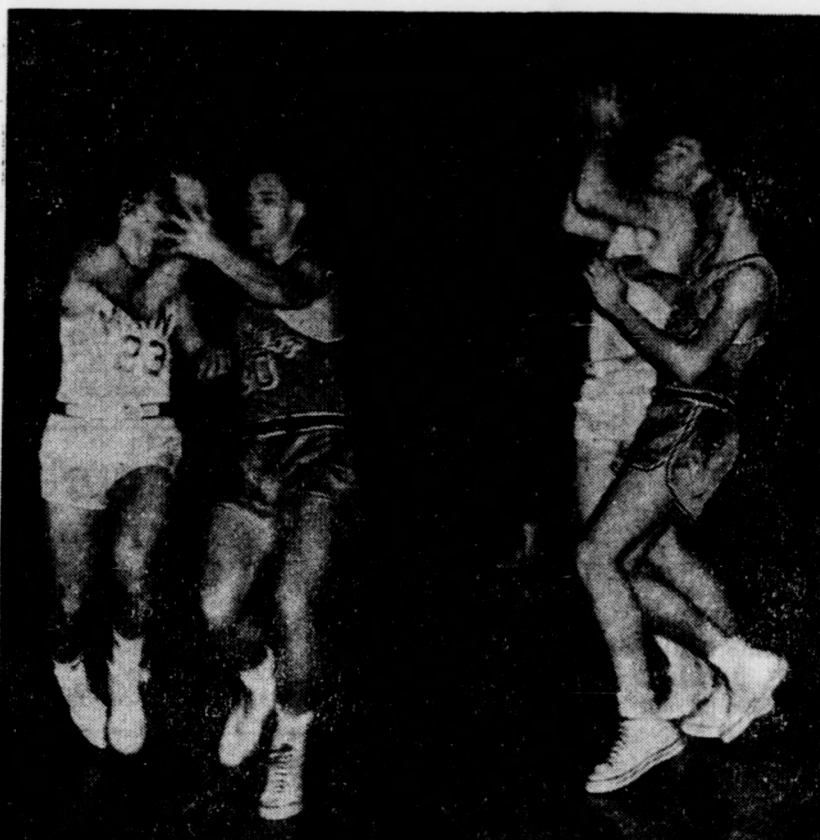
Pete Kostacopoulos, one of the stars of last year's brilliant freshman team, has the potential to become a real fine ballplayer. The 5' 9" backcourt specialist hits well from outside, is a hard driver and scraps every second he's in there.

Kosty, although one of the smallest men on the floor, cleared a good share of the rebounds off the defensive board Saturday.

Captain John Dana, Maine's high scorer of the night with 16 markers, looked good, especially on his hard driving layups from across the keyhole. Dana is a good competitor with plenty of hustle and drive who will give many a Maine opponent plenty of trouble throughout the year. Dana, who is a senior, is one of the few remnants of experience left on the squad.

The other veteran on the club is slick Gus Folsom, a hawk on defense and has a deadly one hand push shot that can open up an opponent's defense. Gus had a poor night offensively Saturday hitting for just five points, but he will pick up steam as the season wears on.

The club will look shoddy for a while and we wouldn't be surprised if this continues for a good part of the season. Let's not be too critical of the team if they fail to progress rapidly.



Maine's Blaine Trafton shoots for a goal in last Saturday's game against Vermont as Catamount Lovejoy guards Pete Kostacopoulos (23). Dennis is guarding Trafton. The flashy Vermont team defeated the Black Bears 80-65. (Photo by Meinecke)

Blue Five On First Road Trip; Meet Colby Mule At Waterville

BY MAX BERRY

The Maine Black Bear quintet will be out to avenge an early season defeat to Vermont 80-65, last Saturday at Orono, when it travels to Waterville to clash with States Series rival, Colby on Saturday.

Colby, with a strong veteran-packed club, has won four straight State Series titles and looks like the team to beat this season. The keystone of the Mule squad is 6' 1" senior Lou Zambello. Returning lettermen Justin Cross, Bob Bruns, Bob Raymond, Dave Van Allen, and Dino Sirakides along with Zambello, and some high grade sophomores make up an aggregation that will be tough to stop.

Proof of the Mule power is the way they lashed Vermont 86-61 and beat St. Michaels 68-67.

Bears Meet Bears

Next Wednesday the Bears will travel to Brunswick for a tilt with the Bowdoin Polar Bears. With an experienced group of returning lettermen, lots of speed, and plenty of height, the rival Bears will be no easy obstacle for the Mainites to conquer.

As far as last Saturday's game with Vermont is concerned, Coach DeVette was, on the whole, pleased with his squad. When asked for his opinion of the game he commented, "I was pleased with the drive the boys showed in the game, and think that this desire to win will figure greatly in future games, especially State Series contests."

DeVette also noted that the squad needed a lot of work on free throws and defense. The Bear mentor further commented that inexperience and the lack of height was still the major problem.

Johnny Dana, hard-driving Bear forward, led the Bears last Saturday with 16 points. Dana, who paced the Bears against Vermont, drove in through the Vermont defense time after time to score.

Coach DeVette's charges will not return to Memorial Gym until Jan. 10 when they play host to Colby, and Jan. 15 when they entertain Bowdoin.

Wrestling Tourney Planned For March

An intramural wrestling tournament is being planned for March, according to an announcement from the Physical Education Department.

Medals and prizes will be awarded to the winners in each weight class in addition to points being awarded to fraternities on the same basis as other intramural sports.

Wrestling classes are now being held Monday through Friday between 4 and 5:30 p.m. in the wrestling room of the Memorial Gymnasium under the supervision of Coach Dan Kimball.

The Physical Education Department is trying to revive interest in wrestling, a sport which has lost interest in the past few years on campus.

SKI MEETING

Ski Coach Ted Curtis announced that the first official meeting of the team will be held tonight at 7 in the trophy room of the Memorial Gymnasium.

Both freshmen and upperclassmen are invited to attend the meeting. Movies will be shown and plans for the coming season will be discussed.

Curtis further announced that although the frosh cannot compete this year, he would like to have them work with the varsity this season.

The first meet of the season for the Maine squad will be the cross country and giant slalom races at Franconia, N. H., on Dec 18-19.

Ice Hockey Candidates

Coach Walter "Andy" Anderson announced today that all persons eligible for varsity athletics who desire to participate in ice hockey should report to the coaches' office in the Memorial Gym any time Friday, Dec. 10.

Ernie Calverly from Rhode Island holds the Memorial Gymnasium record. During the 1943-44 season, he scored 45 points against Maine.

The University of Rhode Island has beaten Maine basketball teams in 43 of 46 games played between the two clubs down through the years.

Strong Soph Squad Faces Spirited Frosh Runners

BY SAL SCARPATO

The Freshman-Sophomore indoor track meet this Saturday will see a well rounded sophomore aggregation pitted against a young inexperienced frosh squad.

Frosh Quintet Remains Idle Until Jan. 10

Coach Hal Woodbury's Frosh hoopsters will play host to Maine Central Institute on Friday, Jan. 10.

MCI, a perennial frosh rival, has been going strong this year and should give the Frosh a good battle. Last year the Pittsfield squad played the spoiler role against the freshmen by handing them their only defeat of the season by a 76-66 count.

The Baby Bears started their season with a very impressive 78-42 thrashing of the Portland Junior College Stags as a preliminary to the Varsity-Vermont game last Saturday evening.

The Frosh looked like a very smooth ball club with good ball handlers and some fine shooting stars. Particularly outstanding for the Maine squad were Stan Gass, former Bangor High star, Dan Orino, Pete Pepin and Bill MacHardy.

Gass was high scorer for the evening with 15 points, while MacHardy and Pepin tied for second honors with 11 markers each. Orino was close behind with five field goals for 10 points.

Women's Sports

BY JOANNE STURTEVANT

The basketball season started with a bang last Thursday at the annual Basketball Jamboree as the new rules were demonstrated and followed by practice games. The freshmen were the only class well represented at the affair. What's the trouble, girls?

The Officials club met last Monday and it was announced that anyone interested in officiating or learning how, should contact Miss Smith at the Physical Education Department.

The Tumbling Club meets every Thursday evening at 7. Anyone wishing to participate should contact Anita Ramsdell at North Estabrooke, or go to the Gym at the time of the meetings.

Badminton finals are coming up, so the question of the week is, "Who has the most skill with the badminton racket?"

Last year's victory went to the freshman runners whose squad was sparked by such able performers as Jim Varner, Cy Skillin, Larry Fitzgerald, Tome Perks and Joel Stinson. However, Saturday will find only Stinson and Varner competing in varsity jerseys.

In addition to Stinson and Varner, the sophs will boast such strong competitors as George Meehan, Karl Kraske, Bob Hastings and Irwin Hyman.

The Freshman team has been outdoing the sophomores so far in practice and has shown a greater enthusiasm toward the meet than their older rivals. But, it has been pointed out by Track Coach Chester Jenkins that the frosh's lack of capable point getters may be too much of an obstacle for them to hurdle.

In the weight events the second yearmen will have Joe Dell and Bill Earle and Norm Blais competing against Mike Cyr, Richard Chose, Cal Beckford and Frank Kutz of the frosh.

In the distance runs, Joel Stinson and Karl Kraske of the sophs will run the 1000 yard race against the frosh's Dick Law, who starred for the frosh cross country squad this fall. Dave Gould, George Lyons and Dan Rearick.

The mile will find Karl Kraske and Harry Foister of the sophomores against Gould, Charley Logue, Don Wood and Law.

In the hurdles, Varner and Stinson should have little trouble against the frosh's Frank Byer, Bill Schroeder, Mike McLoughlin and Charley Thibodeau.

The middle distance events, namely the 600 and 300 yard run, will find George Meehan, Varner and Ken Hall of the sophs pitted against Vernon Howard, John Zale, Pete Muze-roll and Bobby Jones.

Rod Spearin and Scott Kelly, two top competitors for the upperclassmen, will not participate in the meet because of knee injuries. Their absence may be sorely felt as both men excel in this event.

The pole vault should go to the sophomores who have a good man in Bob Hastings, last year's freshman pole vault standout. He will jump against Frank Byer and Dan Rearick.

The discus throw will find Hastings and Stu Vanderloef against the freshman entries Dick Chase, Cal Beckford, Frank Kutz and Mike Cyr.

Within The Walls

As the Christmas recess draws closer, the intramural basketball schedule has been shaven to just four games. The remaining games will be played as two doubleheaders next Monday evening. Below is the schedule for the final games before vacation.

8:00	Ocummo vs. Newman
	Twags vs. Oak
9:00	Phi Eta Kappa vs. SAE
	Corbett 2 vs. Corbett 3
Here are a list of the scores from the last four playing dates.	
November 29	
Dunn 4 48 Oak 38	
N.D. 8-9 76 N.D. 6-7 57	
Phi Mu 61 Sigma Nu 41	
Alpha Gam 26 Theta Chi 23	
Beta 44 Phi Kap 43	
Lambda Chi 61 SAE 53	
November 30	
Sigma Chi 42 Delta Tau 30	

Kappa Sig 41 Sig Ep 24
Phi Eta 70 ATO 40
Alpha Gam 40 TKE 37
Cabins 70 Twags 32
N.D. 8-9 45 Corb 2 38

December 1

Lambda Chi 68 Theta Chi 41
Sigma Nu 58 Phi Kap 45
Phi Gam 66 SAE 47
Corb 3 51 Corb 1 44
Sigma Chi 42 Alpha Gam 38
Corb 4 66 N.D. 6-7 48

December 2

Tau Ep 56 ATO 42
Beta 48 Delta Tau 32
Lambda Chi 64 Phi Kap 48
Ocummo 72 Twags 23
Sigma Chi 58 TKE 45
Sig Ep 57 SAE 46

Intramural basketball head Sam Sezak announced that he would appreciate it if spectators would refrain from smoking at any time in the gym.

Co-eds Must Attend Assembly On Jan. 11

Following extensive discussion, the Women's Student Government Association has voted that the Assembly on Jan. 11 be compulsory for all women students.

Mary Atkinson, social chairman, reported at last week's meeting that the judging for the Christmas Decoration Contest in the women's dorms will be on Dec. 10. The judges will consist of three faculty members and two off-campus women. It was suggested that a copy of the rules be sent to each of the dormitories.

Council president Cynthia Nelson briefly explained to the group the history and background of the Inter-collegiate Association of Women Students and some of the information for joining this organization. The Council has been considering membership in this organization, but no definite decision has been made.

Miss Nelson read to the Council a letter inviting Maine to send a delegate to a student conference sponsored by Colby Junior College. Because of the New England Student Conference and the possibility of joining the I.A.W.S., the Council voted not to send a delegate to this conference.

A 9:30 p.m. permission was granted to the freshman women in order that they may attend the Union Christmas Party on Dec. 16. It was voted to contribute to the Good Will Chest.

990 ROTC Students Enrolled In Program

Approximately 990 students are enrolled in the Reserve Officers Training Corps this semester, the Military Department has announced.

Cadet officers and non-commissioned officers handle most of the instruction at drill periods in order to gain practical experience in leadership.

The battalion officers are Peter G. Standley, Joseph G. Bergomi, Arthur S. Ellor, and Edward C. Seufert.

The company commanders are Henry D. Meinecke, Delano L. Boutin, Ernest A. Smart, James D. Holden, John D. Johnston, Fred W. Libby, Bradford Payne, William R. Dow, Luther E. Zai, Thomas E. Shea, J. Davis Walker, George S. Davis, Gilbert E. Philbrick, Paul E. Nadeau, Willard R. Butler, and Paul F. Butler.



Here is the committee in charge of the New England Regional Conference of College Unions, which Maine is playing host to this week end. Left to right, standing, are Paul F. Butler, president of the Union Activities Board; Donald K. Pendleton, program; and Joan Mason, registration. Seated is Peggy Daigle, chairman.

Research Assistant Works On Soils Photo

Ernest G. Stoeckeler, Bangor, formerly of Dubuque, Iowa, has been named a research assistant in soil mechanics for the engineering soils classification and survey methods project which is being conducted at the University.

This project utilizes stereoscopic pairs of airplane photographs to ascertain the nature and extent of soil types and conditions for engineering purposes. Such use of photographs eliminates a very large portion of the field work that would otherwise be required to produce the same data.

Stoeckeler was graduated from the University of Minnesota in 1943 with a B.S. degree in forestry.

He has served as a soils engineer

in permafrost research studies and airphoto interpretation work in Alaska; as a member of the Corps of Engineers in St. Paul, Minn.; and as a photo interpreter for the Forest Service, Washington, D. C.

Group Sells Xmas Trees

Balsam fir Christmas trees, selected from the University Forest, are on sale behind the Plant Science Building on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 3-5 p.m. and on Saturday mornings. These trees are being cut and sold by Xi Sigma Pi, honorary forestry fraternity.

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Delbert N. De Young received a B.S. in Chem. Eng. from the University of Wisconsin last June. Now he is working for an M.S. degree. By asking questions, he's learned that many excellent industrial opportunities are passed over because they're not understood by the average undergraduate.

Del De Young wants to know:

What sort of work is involved in technical sales at Du Pont?



Clarence D. Bell, B.S., Chem. Eng., Univ. of Pitts. (1937), joined Du Pont as a chemical engineer immediately after graduation. He began in the research group of the Ammonia Department, progressed steadily through assignments on nylon and a number of other products. Today he is an Assistant Director of Sales in the Polychemicals Department.

Clarence "Ding" Bell answers:

Well, if I said "All sorts," it might sound a bit vague to you, Del, but it would be very close to the truth. That's because technical sales work at Du Pont—bearing in mind the great diversity of products we have—is broader in scope than a lot of other technical assignments, and requires additional talents.

Let's suppose that one of Du Pont's customers is having technical difficulties—needs help in adapting "Teflon" to a specific gasketing application, for example. When our sales representative calls, he naturally must carry with him the engineering knowledge that's the basis for sound technical advice—data on flexural fatigue, chemical passivity, and deformation under load. The customer is receptive. He wants to make a better product, increase his sales, reduce costs—or do all three. Naturally, he's looking for reliable technical advice and intelligent actions that apply to his specific conditions. With the cooperation of the customer and help from our own research people, when necessary, the problem will sooner or later be "licked."

We have found, though, that if a technical service

man is going to be truly effective in such a situation, he must possess certain human qualities in addition to his technical ability. That is, he must really like people and be sincerely interested in helping them solve their problems. He must—in every sense of the word—be an "ambassador" who can handle human relationships smoothly and effectively.

Take the depth suggested by this simple example, Del, and multiply it by a breadth representing all the challenging problems you'll run into with Du Pont's diversity of products. If your slide rule isn't too far out of alignment, the resulting area should give you some idea of what I meant by "all sorts" of work.

Let me emphasize one more point. The importance of effective sales work is fully understood and appreciated at Du Pont! In the past, sales work has been one of the active roads to top management jobs. There is every reason to believe that this will continue in the future.



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