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## Fellows Heads List Of Returning Alumni

### Bearce, Chase, And Barrows Among Speakers

Frank Fellows of Bangor, United States representative from Maine's third district and a member of the class of 1912, will lead a list of prominent alumni in the activities of Alumni Day, Saturday, June 7, during the seventeenth commencement program of the University. Mr. Fellows will speak at the Alumni Banquet, climax of the day's activities.

Miss Catherine Hoctor, '36, elementary school supervisor for the city of Concord, N. H., will speak on behalf of the alumnae and the younger classes.

#### Bearce To Preside

Presiding at the banquet will be George D. Bearce, '11, of Bucksport, president of the General Alumni Association. Ted W. Monroe, prominent Boston lawyer and a member of the class of '24, will act as toastmaster, and Pres. Arthur A. Hauck will greet the guests for the University. Speaking for the class of 1916 will be former state governor, Lewis O. Barrows.

The reunion of the fifty-year class will be celebrated at the noon luncheon Saturday in Alumni Memorial gymnasium. Members will be presented with certificates of "graduation" symbolizing their enrollment in the ranks of the Senior Alumni.

Other features of the week-end program will be reunion class breakfasts, class meetings, and the General Alumni Association meeting Saturday morning.

After the luncheon a special ceremony will accompany the ground breaking for the new library building. Pres. Arthur A. Hauck will preside. (Continued on Page Four)

## Theatre Majors Present 3 Plays

Seniors majoring in theatre under Prof. Herschel L. Bricker presented three plays this week. Buel Godwin directed "Enter Madame" with Barbara Ashworth and Russell Woolley in the leads. Others were Barbara Savage, Norma Daniels, Earle Rankin, Shirley Roberts, Maynard French, Helen Rolnick, Lewis Chadwick, and George Cunningham.

A classic Italian comedy, "The Fan," by Carlo Goldoni, author of "The Servant of Two Masters," which was presented by the Maine Masque Theatre two years ago, was directed by Calista Buzzell. The cast included George Cunningham, Betty Thomas, Webster Mason, Sally Rubinoff, William Brown, Lois Stone, Bryant Bean, Tommy Tompson, Rebecca Dole, Forrest Truland, and Lewis Chadwick.

Miriam Goodwin was director of Anton Chekov's "The Boor." Those in this Russian comedy were Dayson De Courcy, Adelaide Russell, and Webster Mason.

## Placement Results Far Exceed Those Of Any Previous Year

Placement results for the 1940-41 school year far exceed those of any previous year in the records of the placement bureau since its beginning in 1935, it was announced today by Philip J. Brockway, director. There have been 46 visits to the campus by representatives to interview senior men and women during the year. With a total of over 100 seniors already placed in business and industry, besides those to be engaged in teaching, graduate study, and military service, placement records so far this year are at least 30 per cent above the previous high of 1937, Brockway said.

Calls for men and women this year have been varied as well as numerous. While a natural result of the defense program has been an acceleration of technical employment opportunities in industrial fields, there has also been a real pick-up in general business fields.

Inquiries from insurance firms, stores, the food industries, and many other lines have tended to keep fairly close to the phenomenal increases in heavy industries. A preliminary estimate at this time from incomplete re-

## Senior ROTC Officers to Go Into Service

### Maine Men Will Be Assigned To Active Duty Soon

With the announcement last week by the United States War Department that nearly 8,000 men from colleges and universities throughout the country would be called into active service very soon, it was learned that over 30 University of Maine seniors are subject to call shortly after June 1.

All the Maine men who will be affected are graduates of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps course here.

Col. I. J. Nichol, commander of the Bangor Military District, has been informed that the following students will be placed under the jurisdiction of his district upon acceptance of appointment in the Officers' Reserve Corps:

Henry H. Bartley, Rockwood Berry, Brooks Brown, Jr., Robert Carlisle, George Ellis, Angus Humphries, Duncan Jewell, Frederick Libby, Edwin L. Mutty, Malcolm Nichols, Carlton Payson, Charles Smith, John Somes, Clifford Stevens, Samuel Tracy, and Maurice Whitten, all in infantry.

Coast Artillery men who will be assigned to the Bangor district are Carl Brown, Judson Crane, Walter MacGregor, Howard Perkins, and Clayton Preble.

#### Assigned to Portland

Other seniors, effective on acceptance of appointment, are Charles E. Adams, Hartley Banton, Donald Goodchild, Joseph Kilas, Oscar Riddle, Richard Sullivan, Donald W. Weston, Cecil S. Woodbrey, and Roger Stearns, all to the Portland Military District.

## AMW Pageant To Be June 6

Fifty-seven girls will participate in the presentation of the "Nutteracker Suite," the All-Maine Women pageant on Class Day, June 6.

Soloists will be Mary Cowin, Barbara Savage, Betty Barker, and Winona Cole.

Committees in charge of the pageant are as follows: purchasing, Helen Wormwood; rehearsals, Virginia Jewett, Alma Hansen, Beatrice Gleason, and Gloria Miniutti; costumes, Mary Bates, Mary Boone, Mary L. White, Cherrie Thorne, Erna Davis, Elizabeth Peaselee, and Margaret Phillips.

Properties, Corinne Comstock, Josephine Blake, and Charlotte White; program and music, Betty Gammons, Barbara Savage, and Elizabeth Barker.

## It Can't Happen Here-But It Did!

A University of Maine professor was lecturing the other day on changes in public opinion, and was discussing in particular the matter of environment as a factor in forming opinion.

He became especially concerned with the South, and knowing that several members of his class had been traveling down there recently, he said to them: "Do you actually feel that the southerners are still living in the sixties?"

"Well," one of them replied, "my folks know some people who had their front steps shot off by Sherman and haven't fixed them yet."

## Ground Breaking Ceremony Planned For New Library

### Event Scheduled As Climax To Extended Campaign

A brief impressive ground-breaking ceremony on the site of the new library building to commemorate the start of actual construction of the library will be a special feature of the annual commencement program this year, it was announced by the commencement committee yesterday.

Climaxing an extended campaign for pledges among students, faculty, alumni, and friends, the ground-breaking ceremony will be a part of the annual alumni day activities on Saturday, June 7, and will take place at 2:15 p.m.

In charge of the special ceremony is a committee consisting of Dean Arthur L. Deering, chairman; Registrar James A. Gannett; Prof. Harry D. Watson; alumni secretary, Charles E. Crossland; and assistant alumni secretary, Philip J. Brockway.

The committee is formulating plans for a program which will feature representatives from the University, the trustees, alumni, and students, who have assisted in the library campaign to finance the long needed new building.

## Fraternity Men Lead Others In Scholarship

### Survey Based On Record of 75,000 Fraternity Members

For the tenth consecutive year fraternity men in the United States have surpassed independent men in scholarship, according to a thoroughgoing survey just released by Dr. Alvan E. Duerr of New York City, scholarship chairman of the National Interfraternity Conference. In 1939-1940 fraternity men increased their lead slightly over the mark for the previous year.

The survey is based on the scholastic record of more than 75,000 undergraduate members of the national and local fraternities. A very small percentage of fraternity schools do not make scholastic reports available.

Taking the institutions as a whole, there has been marked improvement throughout the eastern half of the country, but 60 per cent of the institutions west of the Mississippi lost ground, according to the report. The same trends were found in both endowed and state institutions.

#### Higher Requirements Imposed

The voluntary imposition by the fraternities of a higher initiation requirement than the university demanded brought Ohio State fraternities above the all men's average for the first time in recent years.

The best group record, according to the survey, was made at Furman, where the five fraternities averaged 25 per cent better than the all men's average. Furman headed the nine schools at which all the fraternities were above the all men's average: Davidson, Millsaps, Mississippi State, Polytechnic Institute, Washington College, Akron, Aureka, and Miami.

## 1942 'Prism' Ready For Distribution On Saturday

The 1942 "Prism," dedicated to Prof. John H. Huddleston, distinguished member of the University of Maine faculty since 1899, will be available to members of the junior class Saturday, May 24, at the treasurer's office, Robert A. Elwell, editor, said today. Others may get their copies Monday or Tuesday of next week.

After months of painstaking effort the editors of the 47th edition of the yearbook have produced a "Prism" which is probably more complete than any editorial board has yet turned out.

Informal in style and layout, this year's "Prism" has many innovations, including a four-colored processed plate portraying the meaning of "Prism" as the frontispiece. An introduction follows this page containing an air view of the campus and special views of college buildings and campus scenes. A complete new section of the faculty and administration is a new feature of the introductory division.

The section devoted to classes contains large individual portraits of every member of the junior and senior classes as well as many informal snaps of freshmen and sophomores.

#### Honors Fred Brice

Many changes have been made in the fraternity and sorority sections, which include many informal snapshots. The athletic section, enlarged and more elaborate than in previous years, includes a tribute to Coach Fred Brice.

This year's "Prism" has an entire section devoted to social events, featuring the military ball, the commencement ball, and other campus parties.

A student index, listing the names of all students whose pictures appear identified in the book, reaches a total of over 1200 individuals.

Members of the staff of the 1942 "Prism" will be awarded keys and shingles tomorrow night at the M.C.A. building. Members of the editorial staff who will receive keys are: Robert Elwell, editor-in-chief; Barbara Gowen, assistant editor; Donald Kilpatrick, assistant editor; Edward Geary, men's sports editor; Margaret Phillips, women's sports editor; Bryant Bean, fraternity editor; Jeannette Berry, sorority editor; and Philip Pierce, photography editor.

Members of the business staff who will receive keys are: Gerald Goulette, business manager; Fred Kelso, men's circulation manager; and Eleanor Ward, women's circulation manager.

#### 28 To Get Shingles

The following associate editors and members of the editorial staff will receive shingles: Cortna Kingsley, Victor Levene, Paul Phelan, Barbara Thompson, Arlene Webster, Helen Weymouth, Mary White, Helen Alexander, Frances Andrews, Madeline Banton, Clinton Bardo, Frances Bickford, Frank Brewster, Lorraine Dimittre, Barbara Emmons, Violet Hamilton, Marion Hines, Lois Long, Barbara Perry, Barbara Savage, Calvin Sewall, and Priscilla Thurlow.

Circulation assistants who will receive shingles are Miriam Adasko, Miles Mank, and Maria Phillips. Other members of the "Prism" board who will be awarded shingles are Earle Adams, Muriel Cleverly, Ruth Eastman, and Barbara Johnson.

## Defense Class Continued Next Year

### Knitting, First Aid Work Done During Year

The Defense Program, inaugurated this year by the Women's Student Government Association, will be continued next year, according to an announcement this week by the committee.

The program this year consisted of classes in first aid, knitting, home nursing, motor corps, and surgical dressings. The first aid class was held under the direction of Prof. Helen Lengyel, and the class was divided into a lecture period and a laboratory period. Nineteen girls will receive certificates if they pass oral and written examinations on Saturday, May 24.

The knitting class was furnished yarn by the Red Cross for sweaters and socks. In cooperation with the British War Relief many mittens, socks, and sweaters were produced by the group.

The home nursing group was under the supervision of Mrs. Roswell Bates. Girls enrolled in this course received their certificates and practical training in home care of the sick.

Eight girls will receive certificates in the Motor Corps. Under the direction of Shirley Webster, the students have learned to take an automobile engine apart and put it together again.

Mrs. Roswell Bates and her assistants instructed a group in rolling bandages. Various sizes of surgical sponges and bandages for the Army and Navy hospitals were made.

## Alumni Meetings Held This Week

Several alumni meetings were held in Maine and New Hampshire this week with prominent speakers from the University of Maine as guests.

Washington county alumni met at Machias with President Arthur A. Hauck and Charles Crossland, alumni secretary, as guests of honor. On Tuesday, Coach George Allen was the guest of Waldo county alumni at Bel-

On Thursday at Shelburne, N. H., New Hampshire White Mountain alumni welcomed Coach Allen and Mr. Crossland, and Friday the Somerset county group will meet at Skowhegan with the same two guests.

## Edman Stresses Philosophy's Part In National Crisis

### Over 80 Awards Made On Annual Recognition Day

The necessity of a positive philosophy in periods of national crisis, particularly in the present situation, was stressed by Prof. Irwin Edman of Columbia University at a scholarship recognition assembly in the Memorial gymnasium last Friday morning.

Prof. Edman, whose subject was "Philosophy and National Crisis," stated that civilization must have a definite program for the future, a conception of where life is going.

Philosophers Usually Condemned "Philosophers," Prof. Edman said, "keep alive in civilization a vision of what the possibilities and hopes of our lives are."

He pointed out that philosophers are usually condemned as being utterly useless and for trying to be useful. He added that philosophers have been unpopular when either understood or misunderstood.

"The only way you can condemn anything as being useless is to have a philosophy of what is useful or useless in the world," Prof. Edman said. "You've got to be a philosopher to condemn one."

Confusion, uncertainty, and incoherence concerning what people live and die for, have destroyed nations quicker than armies could, he stated.

## Students Give School Exams

Twelve students in the school of education conducted examinations in secondary schools throughout the state last Saturday, May 17. Eight scholarship winners will be selected from the high school students who took the test. The highest ranking boy or girl will receive a four-year scholarship, and the second highest a three-year scholarship. The third will get a scholarship for two years, and the next five in order a one-year scholarship each.

Students of the University and the schools in which they supervised the examinations are as follows: Alma Hansen, Bangor; Ralph Bonmattei, Bridgton; Eleanor Clough, Brunswick; Clyde Myers, Camden; Clifford Beaton, Eastport; Marguerite Messer, Ellsworth; and Edwin Young, Dover-Foxcroft.

## Tap 18 Sophomore Owls; 5 From Phi Mu Delta

## Over 75 Awards Made At 1941 WAA Banquet

### 35 Frosh Women Receive Numerals For Achievement

More than 75 awards were made at the annual banquet of the Women's Athletic Association at South Estabrooke hall last night. Dean Rachel Connor of Bangor spoke on behalf of the alumnae, and student speakers were also included on the program.

Awards made included numerals, letters, chevrons, dance club emblems, trophies for badminton, tennis, and archery, and University seals.

Seals were awarded to the following women: Shirley Ashman, Elizabeth Gammons, Arlene Webster, Virginia Weston, Dora West, Isabelle Garvin, and Martha Hutchins.

Chevron were given to: Miriam Adasko, Mary Cowin, Frances Donovan, Gloria Miniutti, Lorraine Dimittre, Iva Henry, and Mary Young.

#### 35 Receive Numerals

The following women received freshman numerals: Frances Bruce, Pauline Bearce, Berna Burnett, Ruth Bunker, Helen Clifford, Maida Cosseboom, Elizabeth Farris, Virginia Goodrich, Frances Houghton, Joyce Iveney, Esther Randall, Sylvia Snow, Miriam Sweet, Florence Treworgy, Irene Rowe, Frances Higgins, Phyllis MacNeil, Sally Ryan, Martha Allen, Albertie Allen, Priscilla Eaton, Augusta Foster, Priscilla Hopkins, Ruth Troland, and Mildred Wooster.

Sophomore numerals were awarded to: Marjorie Verrill, Evelyn Tondreau, Barbara Bean, Evelyn Grenici, Martha Page, and Helena Jensen.

Those who received junior numerals were Martha Pierce and Florence (Continued on Page Four)

## Awards Made At 'Campus' Banquet

About fifty students and faculty members attended the annual "Campus" banquet, held at the Tarratine club in Bangor Tuesday night.

"Campus" keys were awarded to members of the retiring editorial board, and shingles were given to all members of the staff.

Warren B. Randall, retiring editor-in-chief, gave a statistical comparison of the Associated Collegiate Press critical ratings received for the past three semesters. Paul Ehrenfried, new editor, outlined briefly the program for next year.

Special guests included Prof. Milton Ellis, head of the English department; James A. Gannett, registrar; Prof. Reginald Coggeshall, director of University publicity; and Mr. and Mrs. Delwin B. Dusenbury.

## Scene From Masque's 'Hamlet' To Appear In Theatre Book

A scene from the Maine Masque's recent production of "Hamlet" will feature the July issue of the Eighteenth Tributary Theatre Year Book. The announcement that the University of Maine had been chosen as one of the special contributors to this unique survey which Theatre Arts is publishing next month was made this week by the editors.

Rosamond Gilder, associate editor and drama critic of "Theatre Arts," now celebrating its twenty-fifth anniversary, estimates the great importance of the amateur theatre groups when she states that "one of the healthiest signs in the modern American scene is the increasingly cordial and constructive relationship between the professional and non-professional theatre."

#### "Masque" Ranks High

According to the announcement made this week, the distinction which has been accorded the Masque's full-length version of Shakespeare's masterpiece marks this production by the University of Maine dramatic club as one of

## Phi Gamma Delta, Phi Kappa Sigma Each Get Three

Eighteen members of the Class of 1944 were tapped as members of Sophomore Owls during the seventh-inning stretch of the baseball game with Colby here this afternoon.

They were:

Hugh Brownlee, William Condon, Percy Coombs, Benjamin Curtis, Edward Hamblett, Jr., Malcolm Holden.

Alfred Hutchinson, Edward Kiszonak, Robert MacKenzie, Clarence McIntire, Alvin McNeilly, Warren Nute, Jr.

Robert Nutter, Donald Presnell, Ralph Rich, Jr., Frank Squires, John Stanley, Leon White, Jr.

Brownlee, who is a member of the class executive committee, played football and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. Condon, a member of Phi Mu Delta, is a crosscountry and track man. Coombs, member of Phi Mu Delta, plays football and basketball. Curtis, also a member of Phi Mu Delta, also plays football and basketball.

Hamblett, who plays football and is a track man, is a member of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. Holden, a crosscountry runner, is a member of Phi Gamma Delta. Hutchinson, president of his class, is a football and track man. He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta. Kiszonak, member of Sigma Chi, is a football and track man. MacKenzie, member of Alpha Tau Omega, plays football.

McIntire is a holder of a Charles H. Payson scholarship. A football and basketball man, he is a member of A.T.O. McNeilly is a member of (Continued on Page Four)

## Leavitt Elected President of MOC

Laurence Leavitt was elected president of the Maine Outing club at its annual banquet Tuesday evening. Nicholas Denesuk was elected vice president; Mary Cowin, secretary; and Josephine Blake, treasurer.

Ted Curtis, faculty director of athletics and club adviser, outlined the activity schedule for next year. Miss Marion Rogers of the women's physical education department discussed a Mount Katahdin trip which will start June 9.

Six new members elected to "Pack and Pine," the club's executive board, were Erna Davis, Rita Johnson, Clinton Bardo, Robert Chandler, Donald Libby, and John Steinmetz.

Faculty members present at the banquet were Prof. and Mrs. Gerald P. Cooper, Prof. and Mrs. Warren H. Bliss, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore S. Curtis, and Mr. and Mrs. Norman E. Wilson.



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## Old Erin...

A neutral nation in Europe today is practically extinct, and the "neutral" nations today which might be lined up against the Axis are even more remote—yet Ireland today represents both realities.

The war in Northern Ireland has really hit the country hard. Without becoming actually involved, the people have come to realize under what odds an encounter with German planes and warfare would place them. The cities, such as Dublin and Cork, are populous and practically defenceless. A few bombings such as England has undergone would do irreparable damage—considering the economic instability of the greater part of the population.

Feeling against the English undoubtedly is not playing so great a part in Irish neutrality as is the actual entrance into the war which would follow the opening of Irish ports to English boats.

And so as Ireland waits and watches—as Denmark, Rumania, Holland, and others have done—she too seems marked for the same fate. European neutrality in this war is really but a transition period prior to complete absorption by the Nazis.

D. A. O.

## Conscription for Girls...

According to an article entitled "Defense and Girls" in the May issue of the Ladies' Home Journal, Mrs. Eleanor Roosevelt has gone on record as favoring a plan to conscript girls for a year of compulsory service in national defense.

Now we don't object to woman suffrage, nor do we cling to the old tenet that a woman's place is in the home; but this proposal of Mrs. Roosevelt has staggered us.

The National Council for Democracy in Education screams "Fascism!" and avers that "This plan is another step to militarize the youth of our nation for war... We will oppose it and every other measure which will add to the regimentation of the campus and lead to an almost complete disruption of academic life."

We are not acquainted with the exact details of Mrs. Roosevelt's scheme, nor do we know whether or not she plans to construct a female Camp Edwards. But on the surface the proposal seems to involve several difficulties which are chiefly of a moral nature.

Naturally we feel that the girls should have a part in this defense business, something beyond the popular pastime of folding bandages. And we think that the job of "morale-builder-upperers" is just about ideal for them. We've seen a lot of pictures lately of society girls visiting the soldiers and draftees and sort of peppering things up.

But this building up morale isn't confined to society girls. Because any girl can be a cog in the defense machinery simply by answering all the letters she gets from fellows in army camps, and by doing it promptly, as well.

That's where Mrs. Roosevelt's program bogs down. We realize that girls can write letters from camps as well as from home; but the thought of thousands of girls clad in khaki, bent over rickety camp tables, seated on collapsible stools, and writing by the light of kerosene lanterns just didn't register with us.

P. E.

## Der Rudolph...

A situation in which the American newspaper-reading and radio-listening public is due for pretty much of a let-down is this Rudolph Hess affair. Naturally the episode received a sensational amount of attention, both in the press and over the radio. Columnists and commentators have indulged in a frenzy of opinions, prognostications, and "inside dope." The incident was termed an out-and-out fake, an ingenious Nazi scheme, a God-send to Britain, and the first real break for the Allies.

The story of how and why Hess went to England has apparently been straightened out; however, that's as far as it goes; and that's where the Americans—who seem to have a mania for wanting to know what goes on "inside" somewhere—will be disappointed.

It's obvious that if Hess gives out or has given out with any information on German war plans, the British will go "all-out" to keep it under their hats. The big point will be to keep the Germans guessing (provided the Gestapo doesn't find out) as to just how much the British know.

It may turn out, as the English would probably like everyone

## In The Spotlight

By Phil Pierce

Comes time now to compose the final edition of this pillar of wisdom for the current year.

During the past eight or nine months this editor has thrown his share (perhaps more) of bouquets and boos at persons, organizations, and various and sundry things which have had the misfortune to fall in the way of his wandering gaze.

Be it known to all concerned that there has never been anything personal in any of the criticism made, and that whatever praise may have crept into these paragraphs was made in all sincerity and earnestness.

After all, the comment offered here is but one man's opinion. Even though he tried at all times to weigh both sides of every question there is always good chance for personal prejudice to enter into his observations.

The man who said, "I'd rather be right than president," certainly couldn't have been a columnist.

Of course, the answer to that is, who the heck wants to be president?

Before we leave these printed pages until another year, there is one pet peeve that we would like to get off our chest.

It concerns the policy of picture producers to create a super epic with

anywhere from two to ten stars of stage, screen, and radio in it. A good example is "The Great American Broadcast."

This picture billed such stars as The Ink Spots, The Nichols Brothers, The Wier Brothers, and many others. The Nichols Brothers did one dance, the Ink Spots sang two songs, the Wier Brothers occupied about three minutes actual film time. The point we are trying to make is this: why put all these acts into a picture and then confine them to such a small portion of the show that a person has to have perfect vision, a photographic mind, and a seat in the third row to be sure that they appeared in the picture at all? Tain't right, we maintain.

Final trip to the wax works finds us contemplating a couple of Charlie Barnet's screwier tune titles "Harmony Heaven" and "Blue Juice."

Where Barnet digs up his titles is a mystery. Perhaps he has hired the man who thinks up names for Pullman cars.

At any rate, Charlie has taken his soprano sax out of its case and put it to work. "Harmony Heaven" is mostly Barnet, while on the reverse side he features, in addition to his swell talents, the Barnet Glee Club on the vocal. This is a collector's item.

## Does the United States Press Need Government Censorship

Bigwigs in Washington, according to an article appearing recently in a national periodical, are seriously considering formation of a censorship bureau in our nation's capital. Apparently army and navy officials are sponsoring the move, in an attempt to stem foreign disruption of America's armament setup.

Is there a need for censorship in the United States press? Is there a justification for such censorship? We reply in the negative to both questions as posed.

There is as much need for curtailment of the press as there is for a secret police faction. It is the right of every American to know what is being done by his government, in which he is the most important cog. Legislation passed, bills proposed, mobilization planned—these are the specific business of each and every American.

### Should Press Be Curtailed?

One hundred fifty years ago our forebears lived through chaotic warfare and unending suffering that they might institute a government of, by, and for the people. The nation's founders provided for freedom of speech, religion, and press. To what depths do we degrade these tenets if we permit subjugation of any?

Russia has its OGPU, the reich has an oppressive and suppressive band of Brown Shirt police, whose duties are to advance only the views held by a governmental, administrative minority. This is censorship in its frankest form, suppression of the voice of the people.

America is being led into war because not everything is told in the releases emanating from European press centers. Reuters and the Deutsche Nachrichten Büro divulge only

what England and Germany wish disclosed. The result is stark confusion—two stories each day told one in direct contradiction of the other.

Biased news views fill every newspaper because not all the facts are brought to light. This is in opposition to every principle of Americanism. Distortion, one-sidedness, suppression, tight-lipped informative federal sources—these have no place in the American scheme of things if the American press is to maintain its high position in the world.

### Press Bureaus Should Act

To what use are we putting our great press bureaus, like the Associated Press and the United Press, if we have to accept the whims of a man or a board as our bases for opinion? Americans have the right to run their government as they want it; to this end were instituted our houses of legislature and our governmental checks in the three branches.

A free press is a voice of a free people, and it is not to be turned to the exclusive use of money-hungry war mongers and grafting politicians. True it is, possibly, that patriotism and a tendency to take sides in the European conflict have a hold in the United States at the moment. All well and good, but the fact remains that America does not want to go to war.

Adolf Hitler built his empire on censorship and oppression. The people of Germany listen to the government radio programs, read the state newspaper, abide by the maxims laid down by a single man. Censorship is not yet fact in the United States, but it is a vivid potentiality. We must not recognize its birth.

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## Commencement Program

Thursday, June 5	8:30	Board of Trustees Meeting
8:00 p.m. Commencement Ball—	9:00	Reunion Class Meetings in
Alumni Memorial	10:30	headquarters rooms
Friday, June 6		General Alumni Association
9 a.m.-9 p.m. Alumni Registration—		Annual Meeting—
Alumni Hall		Little Theatre
10:30 a.m. Senior Class Picture—	12:15 p.m.	Assemble in order by
Coburn Green		classes in front of Alumni
11:00 Senior Class Meeting—		Memorial
Little Theatre	12:30	Alumni Luncheon—in
1:45 p.m. Class Day Exercises—		honor of Fifty-Year Class
The Oval		1891—Alumni Memorial
2:00 Alumni Council Annual	1:45	Concert by the University
Meeting		Band—The Mall in front
3:30 Pageant—given by All-	2:00	of Alumni Memorial
Maine Women—Coburn		March by classes to site of
Green	2:15	New Library
4:30-6:00 President and Mrs. Hauck		Ground Breaking—Site of
"At Home"—President's	2:45	the New Library
House		University of Maine Founda-
6:15 Senior Skulls Initiation	2:45	tion—Annual Meeting
and Banquet—Estabrooke		Reunion Class Frolics—
Hall	3:45	The Oval
7:30 Athletic and Campus		Baseball Game—Alumni
Movies—Little Theatre		vs. Seniors—Baseball
Student Hop—Alumni		Field†
Memorial	3:30-5:00	Alumnae Tea for Alumnae,
Saturday, June 7		Faculty, Wives, and
7:45 a.m. Class Breakfasts—(See		Guests—sponsored by
Class program)		Penobscot Alumnae—
8 a.m.-6 p.m. Alumni Registration—		Estabrooke Hall
Alumni Hall		(Continued on Page Four)

to think, that Hess is just a nice "wine and wassail" loving German who, as the Germans would like everyone to think, doesn't know much about the Fuehrer's schemes and who simply thinks the war isn't getting anyone anywhere. How such a pacifist, if the current interpretation is reliable, ever got to be No. 3 Nazi, we can't quite figure out.

P. E.

## Student Majority Believes "Isms" Not Being Taught

### Larger Proportion Of Affirmative Replies in East

By Student Opinion Surveys

The Dies committee has often pointed a finger at colleges and universities in various parts of the nation, sometimes accusing faculty members for the spread of un-American "ism." Just how much such propaganda is being spread through pedagogical methods will perhaps never be accurately known.

But it is possible to measure at least how many students think attempts are being made to influence them. Student Opinion Surveys of America has taken the question directly to the collegians who some defenders of Americanism claim are being taught to believe in the "wrong" doctrines:

### 79 Per Cent Say No

"Have you ever felt that a faculty member while teaching in a class was attempting to influence you in favor of nazism, fascism, communism, or socialism?" The answers of a representative sample of students taken the country-over were these:

No, 79%; Yes, 18%; Yes, but apparently not purposely, 3%.

(A very small number, about 2 per cent, told Surveys interviewers they did not know. Their "no opinion" answers were not included in the tabulations.)

The above figures must be interpreted with reservations: The students who answered were typical American collegians, and all classes of students were represented, but each student's own definition of the "isms" and of what constitutes propaganda in favor of those doctrines no doubt conditioned each answer. Just the same, these are the answers they gave to the question, asked everywhere exactly as worded.

### "Isms" More Prevalent in East

Perhaps even more significant than the mere figures above is the fact that the poll makes possible the location of the sections of the country where students believe this "teaching" of isms is more prevalent. The Eastern schools represented in the survey show a much larger proportion answering in the affirmative, while in the South and especially the West only a few students say they have detected any attempts to influence them.

There is strong evidence, according to the records of previous polls taken by Student Opinion Surveys, to support the belief that on Eastern campuses there is greater activity in this field than anywhere else. One of the first polls this organization ever conducted nearly three years ago pointed out that Eastern students had felt a larger incidence of attempt to influence them on the campus; that time the question was not limited to the class room.

Again this year in February Student Opinion Surveys found the loudest cry in that same section of the country for continued study and definition of the "isms" in their college classes as a need for safeguarding democracy—with the provision that in such courses there should be "teaching, not preaching."

Scientists at Kansas State College are raising cattle on a diet that substitutes powdered limestone for alfalfa. (A.C.P.)

## CORRESPONDENCE

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Fairfield, Maine  
May 16, 1941

Dear Classmates of '41,

With the kind help of the "Campus," I should like to express, openly, my sincere wishes and heartfelt congratulations on your forthcoming graduation. May success follow each of you as you branch out from the trunk of your college career.

I find, also, this to be an opportune time to thank the various groups and organizations—plus the numerous individuals—all who have made my stay more bearable with their gifts, cards, and letters.

I realize that such action required moments of spare time, and since spare time is rare time on the campus, then the aforesaid actions are doubly appreciated.

No matter what numerals Fate may choose to substitute for my own commencement, classmates, the spirit of '41 and all it stands for can't be altered.

The best of everything to all!  
Mavis "Skip" Creamer, '41

## The Liberal Viewpoint

By Raymond Valliere

For the last time this so-called liberal viewpoint will harp on United States intervention in the present world conflict, on the necessity for definite action against the amoral ruling elite of the German State, on the point that this war cannot be judged on the basis of the last great war.

Intervention by the United States in the war at the present time would act as a tremendously effective stimulant to the open and underground foes of the Nazis, aiding their morale and hopes in their most trying hour. On the other hand, the intervention of the United States would tend to lower the morale of the peoples of the totalitarian states, and to decrease their hopes of victory.

There is also the chance that action of this type on the part of the United States would tend to decrease the "collaboration" between Germany and unoccupied France, for the members of the Vichy government feel that the United States has no interventionist ideas in regard to the present struggle.

By throwing its weight on the side of Britain the United States might have a better chance of calling a halt to the increasing cooperation between Berlin and Vichy.

The greatest aid which the American government would give to the beleaguered foes or Nazism would be, of course, the stock of war supplies which are being produced in this country. This aid and the active and decisive use of the United States navy would keep the anti-democratic forces at bay until the productive capacity of the United States has been utilized to its fullest extent to drown them under a sea of guns.

The eternal cry of the cautious people is to wait, wait, wait until hell and the Atlantic freezes over and then we can all skate over to Europe to see if we should intervene or not. We have been sitting on our cautious posterior so long that our head and conscience, as well as our posterior, is becoming calloused and unfeeling. This is a fight worth fighting and it will be fought.

## Poetry Is Published On Phonograph Records

NEW YORK, N.Y.—(ACP)—A new method of publishing poetry, with the author recording his verse on phonographic disks as soon as possible after it has been written, has been developed at City College.

Under a project directed by Kimball Flaccus, who is in charge of the phonographic library of contemporary poets, the college has already been visited by 16 American poets, some of whom never before heard the sound of their voices. The recordings of their works were made with the latest high-fidelity sound-reproducing equipment in the college's speech clinic.

On a recent visit, Edgar Lee Masters read numerous selections from "Spoon River Anthology" and also recorded a new unpublished lyric, "Near Fourth Bridge," which he wrote the night before.

## Ban On Bare Legs Dropped At Michigan

EAST LANSING, Mich.—(ACP)—A ban which prohibited coats at Michigan State College from appearing on the campus without stockings no longer is in effect—but before it died, Elizabeth Conrad, dean of women, entered a final opinion on the records.

"Any woman who wishes to cheapen herself and the appearance of this institution by not wearing stockings," Dean Conrad said, "will be permitted to be a cheapening element in the college."

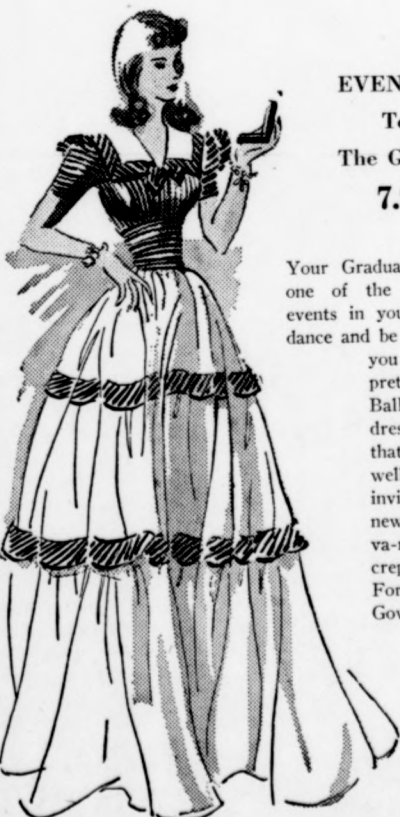
Previous attempt to enforce the ruling, including "late minutes" and disciplinary notes, have been abandoned. Public opinion, it was said, killed the regulation.

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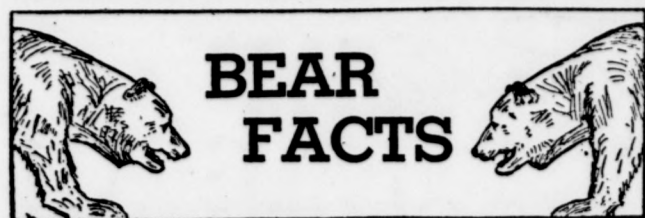
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By Icky Crane

## THE SPRING REVIEW

**B**AD breaks and inexperience certainly hit the Maine varsity baseball team this spring. With one game to go their lone conference win has been over Connecticut 5-2. Colby has fallen by two one-sided scores out of three games, and Bowdoin went along with the jinx by losing out here last Friday 8-5. The Frosh have not been favored too well either. Their toughest game was a loss to Edward Little 1-0 in a fifteen-inning pitchers' duel. They wind up the season with Rumford on Saturday while the varsity closes at Durham the same day.

Meanwhile the sophomore track forces, aided by a handful of juniors

and seniors, rode rough-shod over New Hampshire and captured the state title too. Their only loss was to Boston College, a team that will finish high in the New England at M.I.T. this weekend. From here it looks as if the Bears have a chance for fifth in that meet, the decision resting with those same sophomores. Dashman Stan Phillips upset things a bit last year in the New England by his excellent showing in both dashes; however Stan has been bothered by a bad leg all spring and will be far from last year's form this Friday and Saturday.

## HO HUM!

**A**T the Texas Relays this spring a special event was held—a suitcase race for bellhops from the nearby hotels. Some promoter could use the busboys here.... City College of New York trackmen do their running to the tune of records; the sprinters prefer "Boogie-Woogie" while the distance men use chamber selections.... Football receipts at Notre Dame last fall were over \$524,000.... Well, did it pay?... Billy Kenyon was one Maine baseball player that did not get into a game this season.

Clark Shaughnessy went undefeated with his Stanford footballers

## BYE NOW!

**M**ICHIGAN STATE's football situation looked pretty black for awhile recently after two coaches joined the army and a third also left for training.... Ride 'em cowboy! The Baylor University Bear Club held a rodeo last week with the receipts going to finance the school careers of deserving football players. Will the horses have private boxes next fall

instead of \$\$\$ alumni?... Coach Rusty Nail of the Bedford nine told us the other day that there was nothing like feeding the team oranges to help them make the squeeze play. Ouch! So with this last issue of the school year we on the sports staff say—have a good summer and come back in the fall with a good tan. Bye now!

# Varsity Netmen Have Successful Season

## Baseball Team Closes Season With Wildcats

**Black Bears Have Won Two In State Series; Colby Here Thursday**

The baseball season is almost over for this year, and the varsity has but two games left to be played. Although the record does not favor the Maine team too much, there have been times when they looked good.

Last Friday the varsity pulled an upset by beating the favored Bowdoin team 8 to 5. Gordon Tooley went the limit for the Maine team with Ike Downes behind the plate.

## It Was Bowdoin's Turn

On Tuesday at Brunswick the Maine team again clashed with the Polar Bears; but this time they were defeated after fighting for eleven innings. Gordon Tooley started for Maine but was relieved by Sammy Mann with one out in the fourth inning. The game was tied up at 4-4 at the end of the ninth inning, and the two teams held that score for the tenth inning. Then the Bowdoin team brought in one in the last of the eleventh to end the ball game.

The varsity winds up the state series today by playing Colby here, and the season is over when they play New Hampshire at Durham this Saturday.

## Rumford Winds Up Frosh Nine Season

With a record of two wins in the six games played to date the Frosh nine will close its season on Saturday with the strong Stephens High team from Rumford. Despite the visitors' strength the Frosh should chalk up win number three.

Paced by the steady pitching of Dick Palmer and the timely hitting of Joe Coombs and Bert Murch, the Frosh took a 6-4 decision from M.C.I. last Thursday.

In spite of Walt Reed's four-hit pitching against Kents Hill on Tuesday the Hiltoppers came out on top by a 5-3 score. The lusty hitting of Murch, McNeilly, and White was offset by a couple of walks and a home run by the Hill team.

The final batting averages for the season have not been computed as yet, but the leading hitters in the first six games have been Leon White, Joe Coombs, Bert Murch, Tom Talbot, and Dick Palmer. These same men have been outstanding in the fielding department also. The pitching staff has been stronger than usual with two exceptionally good men in Al McNeilly and Palmer.

## Phi Mu To Play Off Softball, Tennis Finals

Sigma Alpha Epsilon last week edged out the scrappy Kappa Sigma softballers by a 3-2 score to win the championship of the Northern League.

In the Southern loop it was quite a different story. The strong Phi Mu Delta outfit soundly trounced a hopelessly outclassed Phi Gamma Delta team by a lopsided score of 35-4. It was Phi Mu Delta all the way with an occasional run by the weak Fijis.

In the tennis finals of the Northern League the duo from Sigma Nu won the championship by defeating Beta. In the Southern League Phi Mu Delta fought its way into the second championship battle within a week by topping Sigma Chi for the title of that loop. The playoff date has not been announced as yet.

## STATE SERIES

	W	L	Pct.
Bowdoin	6	2	.750
Bates	5	3	.625
Colby	3	5	.375
Maine	2	6	.250

Friday	
Maine 8	Bowdoin 5
Bates 22	Colby 9

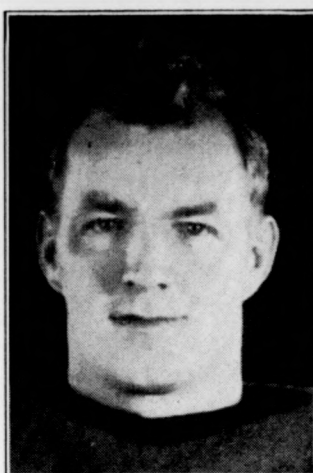
Saturday	
Colby 4	Maine 3

Tuesday	
Bowdoin 5	Maine 4
(11 innings)	
Bates 7	Colby 3

Thursday	
Colby at Orono	

Tuesday	
Bates at Brunswick	

## Football Coach



WALTER DOBBS

## Dobbs Will Assist Kenyon With Line

Walter Dobbs, former Ohio State freshman and professional football star, who will register at the University of Maine next fall as a special student in education, will assist in coaching the Bears' line, Ted Curtis, faculty manager of athletics, announced here today.

Dobbs is line coach, assistant basketball coach, and track coach at the Nebraska State Teachers' College at Kearney and a special student in education. Next fall he will work here with William C. Kenyon, varsity line coach and head basketball and baseball coach, in handling the forwards on all the Maine squads.

## Starred at Ohio State

Starring at end on the Ohio State university frosh eleven in 1932, Dobbs also won his numerals in basketball and baseball. In line for a berth on the varsity the next fall, he took the field for the opening game only, a back injury sending him to the sidelines. He dropped out of college and later played professional baseball and football. He played first base for the Columbus team of the American Association.

In professional football he started with the Pittsburgh team of the American League and then transferred to the New York Yankees of the same organization, where he won selection as the best wingman in the circuit. Later he played with the Philadelphia Eagles, with St. Louis, and with Louisville, American League champions in 1939.

He then purchased a farm near Richland, Mo., and stayed there until he entered the Nebraska teachers' college.

## Next Week At Home

Tomorrow	
3 p.m. Rumford (Frosh tennis)	
Saturday	
1 p.m. A.C.I., Caribou, Houlton, Fort Fairfield, Ricker, and Presque Isle (Frosh track, combined scores)	
1:30 p.m. Hebron (Frosh tennis)	
3:30 p.m. Rumford (Frosh baseball)	

Tuesday	
3 p.m. Penobscot County Track Championship	

Saturday, May 31	
1 p.m. Preparatory School State Track Championship	

## Kappa Sigma Captures 'Mural Trophy; Phi Mu Is In Second

Displaying power in all sports Kappa Sigma gained the 1941 leg on the second Intramural Trophy by virtue of a narrow margin over Phi Mu Delta, the runner-up and defending champions. The margin has not been determined as yet, but the new champions have scored four points above the possible maximum total of any competitor.

The champions started the year by going undefeated to win the touch football title. Ties for second in volleyball and handball helped the point total as did additional points in track, boxing, and wrestling. In outdoor softball Kappa Sigma was defeated by S.A.E. for the league championship recently.

## Organized in 1934

The Intramural Athletic Association was organized in the fall of 1934, and it has grown in popularity each year. It was formed to give those who are

## Conference Title Comes To Orono; Pratt Best Man

The varsity tennis team wound up a highly successful season this week. In spite of the loss of the State Title to Bowdoin at Lewiston on Saturday, the netmen have laid claim to one of the greatest seasons in their history. The New England Conference Champions developed an aggressive style of play which downed New Hampshire, Boston University, Rhode Island, Connecticut University, Colby, and Bates before losing the final match to Bowdoin 5-4.

## Bowdoin Defeats Bears

The State Series opened with Colby at Orono. The visiting team showed unexpected strength, but the Bears came through to the tune of 5-4. The match with Bates showed a well-balanced Maine team winning in both singles and doubles to lob under the Bobcats 7-2. The rains that finally came rained out the Maine-Bowdoin match several times but the final doubles matches were played off last Saturday at Brunswick, the Polar Bears victorious by the close score of 5-4.

Coach Small this week seemed highly pleased with the team. Under his coaching the Bears were the close second-best team in the state, but second to none in the New England Conference. His star pupil, Bert Pratt, put up some fine tennis in the State Tournament before being nosed out in the semi-finals by Bowdoin's red-headed Chick Ireland, 4-6, 6-3, 6-4, 6-0. The University champ seems well on the way to Forest Hills and before the next two years pass should easily be crowned state tennis king. Peckham and Mertins lost to the Bowdoin crack doubles team of Ireland and Stearns in three straight sets, 7-5, 7-5, 6-1.

## Frosh Outstanding

The Bear Cub tennis team, not to be outdone by their varsity brothers, showed outstanding strength and ability in rolling over Ricker 8-1 on Thursday and crushing Caribou 6-3 on Saturday. However, its hardest test will come this weekend when crack teams from Houlton and Hebron invade the campus courts.

## Aroostook Schools Meet Frosh Team

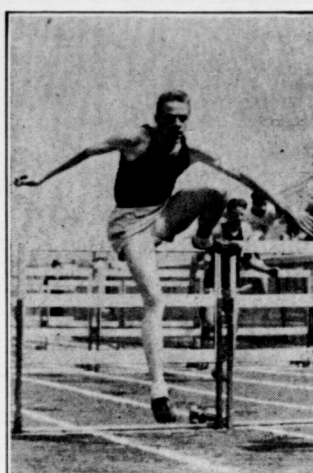
An invasion from the north will wind up the yearling track season on Saturday when A.C.I., Houlton, Caribou, Ft. Fairfield, Ricker, and Presque Isle meet the once-defeated freshmen at 1 p.m.

Last Saturday the Frosh took four of the six places in the last two events to break a 54-54 tie and defeat the combined teams of Deering and Lewiston Highs 68-58. Nute was again high-scorer for the college team with firsts in the pole vault and discus and thirds in the shot put and 220.

For distance runners against the Aroostook schools the Frosh will have Condon and Stanley in the mile; Johnson will run the half and probably double with Powers in the quarter. Phillips and Nute will represent the Maine team in the dashes and Rich and Fuller, also a hammer thrower, in the hurdles.

Nute should take the pole vault and discus and Hamblett the shot put and javelin. Clements should have no trouble in the high jump while Rich and Hufnagel add points in the broad jump.

## State Champion



RALPH RUNELS

## Four Champions To Roll For Pin Title

This year has seen the founding of a new event in University sports. Early in March, the "Campus," in an effort to establish a University Bowling Championship, set up John Somes as 'conditional' champion.

In his first match, Somes was defeated by John Dearborn by a margin of five pins. The following week Somes beat Al Clark but lost the title back to Somes in the next match.

Frannie Schmidt then came into the picture to defeat Somes with a total of 1127, and take the crown. In his first defense, however, Schmidt was trimmed by Shorty Niles when he dropped way below his usual form. Last week Dearborn came back again to win the title from Niles by a margin of 61 pins.

At this point a controversy has arisen over two of the rules, which, needless to say, will be taken care of in the revision of the rules next year. This being the last week of the bowling season, Dearborn is only required to meet one more challenger. The only challenger is Niles; but, by another rule, Niles is not eligible to bowl now. With both men having fair claims, and because no suitable compromise can be found, the "Campus" has decided that the only fair thing to do, is to let those four men who have held the championship, Somes, Dearborn, Schmidt, and Niles, bowl five strings each—the high total to decide the winner of the cup and championship for 1941-42. These totals must be rolled sometime before 9 p.m., Saturday, May 24.

## Varsity Track Team Goes To New Englands

**10 Sophomores Will Carry Maine's Chances Of Placing In Fifth**

Fresh from two weeks without competition, the Maine varsity track team will leave tonight for the New Englands, to be held this year at M.I.T. with more than 18 teams competing. Fourteen, possibly fifteen, men will make the trip for Maine.

Holy Cross is the favorite in the meet and is generally conceded a ten point margin, mountainous in this sort of competition. Rhode Island, undefeated in dual meets for over two years, and Boston College will be fighting for second place, and bringing up the rear of the big four will be Tufts and its two man track team of Ed Dugger and Walter Hall.

## Maine Possibly Fifth

Maine should lead the second division, but will have at best only a one or two point lead over Colby, New Hampshire, Williams, and Brown.

Coach Chester A. Jenkins is making the following entries: Stan Phillips, 100; Dick Youlden, 100, 220; John Radley, 440; Dick Martinez, mile; Dwight Moody and Phil Hamm, two mile; and Ralph Runels, high and low hurdles.

Bob Weisman, shot put; Jake Serota, Bob Dodge, and possibly Einar Olsen, hammer throw; Herb Johnson, discus throw; Bob McLeary, javelin throw; Talbot Crane, broad jump; and Walt Brady, high jump.

## Five Likely Scorers

Of this group Martinez, Moody, Weisman, Johnson, and Serota are the likely scorers. McLeary has an outside chance of placing in the javelin, and Brady might possibly work

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## Recognition Banquet To Be Held Tuesday Night

The recognition banquet for lettermen and numeralmen in the spring sports will be held in Memorial Gymnasium Tuesday evening, May 27, at 5:30 p.m. The list of winners will be posted on Monday, May 26, on the bulletin board in the gymnasium.

At this time awards will be given for varsity and frosh outdoor track, varsity and frosh baseball, varsity and frosh tennis, golf, and rifle. Movies taken at the recent state track meet will be shown; the various members of the coaching staff are to speak.

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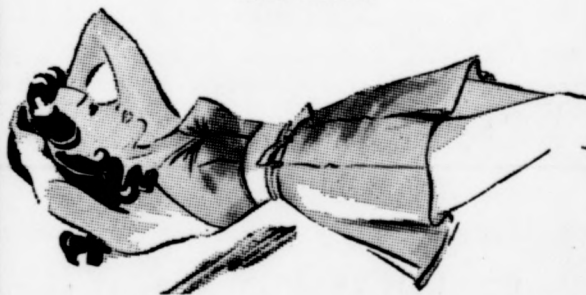
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## The Maine ROTC Corps Passes In Review



In honor of the annual inspection, Orman B. Doore, staff cartoonist, has produced the above montage of various scenes connected with "Military."

## Campus Brevities . . .

Dr. Marion D. Sweetman, professor of home economics at the University, will leave this weekend for Washington, D. C., where she will attend a national nutrition conference on May 26 and 27.

Called by Paul McNutt, head of the Federal Security Agency, the conference will consider problems of nutrition in relation to defense. About 700 laymen and professionals from all over the United States will be present.

There are many articles which are still unclaimed in the lost and found department, according to James A. Gannett, registrar. Anyone who may have lost an article during the school year should call at his office as soon as possible.

Senior girls at the Elms were honored at a special dinner Tuesday evening by members of the underclasses. The seniors were presented with corsages and diplomas containing gift handkerchiefs.

Comments were made by a member of each class and the presentations were made by Miss Velma Oliver, Elms director.

A group of players from the Maine Masque presented skits from "Hamlet" and "Richard II" and excerpts from several modern plays before a large audience of high school students last night at Stockton Springs.

It was the final trip of the year in the Masque's "courtesy tour." Hershel Bricker, director of the Maine Masque Theatre, presented each player, and introduced each scene. Those taking part were: Earl Rankin, Austin Keith, Maynard French, William Brown, Lewis Chadwick, and Webber Mason.

The following pledge report has been received and properly recorded by the Interfraternity Council, Brooks Brown, Jr., secretary, announced this week: To Phi Kappa Sigma, Frank L. Emerson.

Pictures borrowed by students from the University loan collection should be returned before final exams start, Prof. John H. Huddleston announced this week.

Those borrowed by fraternities, dormitories, and similar groups may be retained until later, he said.

## Sorority Seniors Are Entertained

The seniors of Chi Omega were entertained by the pledges of the sorority at a picnic supper Monday night. The committee was as follows: Betty Brackett, chairman; Eleanor Crowell, Ellen Daggett, Rita Casidy, and Barbara Kreh.

Alpha Omicron Pi held a picnic supper Monday night, May 19, at the home of Mary L. White in Orono. Dorothy MacLeod was chairman of the picnic, and the committee included Joan Solie, Barbara Bean, Ruth Blaisdell, and Natalie Curtis.

## Students Establish Trust Fund for Dog

BATON ROUGE, La.—(ACP)—"Oscar the Pooch" is living in the lap of luxury from proceeds of a trust fund set up by Louisiana State University students.

The pup, mostly fox terrier, was run over by a motorist. It was found by Maureen Lawrence, a student.

Miss Lawrence rushed the pup to a veterinarian and the injuries were diagnosed as not serious. Later the students set up a trust fund for Oscar until a good home is provided.

## Sophomore Owls - -

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Kappa Sigma. Nute received the Pale Blue Key award. He was honorary captain of the indoor track team and a crosscountry man. He is a member of Phi Mu Delta. Nutter, who is chairman of his class executive committee, has been elected sophomore member of the Athletic Association committee. He was honorary captain of the football team and on the basketball team. He is a member of Phi Gamma Delta.

Presnell and Squires share the Sophomore Owl scholarship award. The former played football and basketball and is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. The latter is class treasurer, a football man, and a member of Kappa Sigma.

Rich, member of Sigma Chi, is a track man. Stanley, a crosscountry and track man, is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma. White, a football player, is a member of Phi Mu Delta.

Iowa State College is ready to supervise training of more than 1,000 technicians for national defense purposes this year. (A.C.P.)

A. M. Chickering, Albion College biologist, reports that in Panama there are small spiders that seek security from the world's dangers by taking up residence in the webs of larger spiders. (A.C.P.)

## Alumni - -

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and speakers will include Edward E. Chase, '13, president of the Board of Trustees, and Norman H. Mayo, '09, of Portland, general chairman of the alumni library campaign. In charge of the ceremony will be alumni president, George D. Bearce. Guests will include Louis Ibbotson, University Librarian, and senior class president, Roger Stearns.

At 5:30 the alumni will assemble by classes along the mall in front of Alumni Memorial gymnasium for the Parade of Classes into the banquet hall.

## WAA Banquet - -

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Cousins. Seniors to receive numerals were Mary Boone and Emily Hopkins.

The badminton trophy was awarded to Evelyn Grecni, and the archery trophy was won by Phyllis King.

Rifle team awards were made to the following: Arabella Banton, Marguerite Coffin, Marcia McCarthy, Joanne Solie, and Frances Drew.

## Letters Given To 9

Letters were given to: Bette Barker, Maida Cosseboom, Helen Deering, Helen Dyer, Rita Johnston, Cecile Pinette, Nancy Philbrook, Esther Randall, and Marie Rourke.

Dance club awards were made to the following: Bette Barker, Isabella Crosby, Elizabeth Gammons, Katherine Ingalls, Ernestine Pinkham, Barbara Savage, Lois Stone, Marguerite Messer, and Marjorie Whitehouse. The president's star was awarded to Eleanor Ward.

## Commencement - -

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5:30 Alumni Parade—Classes assemble at Class Stakes on the Mall†  
6:00 Alumni Banquet—Alumni Memorial  
9:30 Alumni Hop—Alumni Memorial

**Sunday, June 8**  
10:30 a.m. Baccalaureate Service—Alumni Memorial  
Address by the Rev. John Burford Parry, D.D., Pastor Wellesley Congregational Church, Wellesley, Mass.  
6:45 Alumni-Senior Sing—The Oval†

**Monday, June 9**  
9:30 a.m. Commencement Exercises—Alumni Memorial  
Address by Dean Carl Ladd, N. Y. State College of Agriculture, Cornell University, Ithaca, N. Y.  
(Events scheduled on Daylight Saving Time)

\* Alumni Memorial Gymnasium, if inclement weather.  
† Alumni Memorial Field House, if inclement weather.  
‡ Little Theatre, Alumni Hall, if inclement weather.

## Varsity Track - -

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into a tie for fourth in the high jump. Martinez, winner of the State Meet mile, will be up against Haley of Holy Cross, the favorite, Bob Nichols of Rhode Island, and Bill Carroll of Northeastern. He should take third, might with luck take second.

Moody faces Maloney of Holy Cross, Prohowsky of Northeastern, Cameron of W.P.I., and Taylor of Rhode Island, as well as McLauthlin of Bates. Here again Maine should have a third and might sneak into second place.

**Weisman Still Improving**  
Bob Weisman has improved steadily to the point where he too should be able to drag down two points for a third place. Ahead of him will probably be Kreuger of Rhode Island and Grigas of Holy Cross.

Serota, up against some high class hammer throwers, will be lucky to hold onto fourth place. Flaherty of New Hampshire and Wilcox of Rhode Island have both bettered 170 feet, while Zabalsky of B.C. is in the 160's. Serota can be expected to throw somewhere in the 150's.

**Johnson Maine's Best Bet**  
Herb Johnson is Maine's best bet. He has been throwing the discus in practice over 150 feet and was a little short of 149 feet in the State Meet. Only Al Morro of Boston College can better this. If Johnson backslides, however, he may have trouble in keeping ahead of Gosnell of Brown and Kreuger of Rhode Island.

The hurdle field is packed with class this year, which gives Ralph Runels, Maine's State Meet double winner, a swell chance to get some experience. He will be running with Ed Dugger, one of the world's best, and Walter Hall of Tufts, McNeill of B.C., Gilson of Holy Cross, Jester of M.I.T., and a number of others, all good men.

The sprint field is nearly as bad, while Radley is badly outclassed in the 440. Crane, Hamm, Dodge, and Olsen will all find the meet a great opportunity to gain experience, if nothing else.

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