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Eagle-Owl Dance To Be Fri., Hal Blood Will Furnish Music

The traditional Sophomore Owl-Sophomore Eagle Dance, to be held from 8:00 p.m. until 11:30 p.m. in the Alumni Memorial Gymnasium, will highlight activity on campus this week end.

The Owls and Eagles will run the third dance of the college year with music furnished by the popular South-ernaires, led by Hal Blood.

This dance shows the rapidity with which the social life at the University is progressing. Starting off in full swing Monday, September 24, a packed gathering met at the Registration Dance. A crowd of six hundred and ten attended the dance—a homecoming and reacquaintance affair. Music furnished by Hal Blood's orchestra kept the couples in good rhythm.

Mr. John Stewart, in charge of social affairs, indicated that the success of the dances would insure many divers and interesting activities throughout the rest of the year.

The Owl-Eagle Dance has not been given since the fall of 1942, but prior to that time the event had been held for many years.

As the second in a series of dances sponsored by the campus organizations, the Owl-Eagle Dance is expected to offer even better entertainment than ever before.

Just one more of the many Maine traditions which have come back to life on our campus, the success of the dance will be one more indication that Maine students have been caught up in the Maine Spirit.

Fifteen Sophomores Elected By Alumni To Owl Organization

Fifteen men of the sophomore class at the University of Maine have been designated as Sophomore Owls by alumni members of the Senior Skull society. The newly elected Owls are charged with the responsibility of interpreting and enforcing the simplified Freshman Rules drawn up by the Student Senate. In reinstating the Owls, traditional sophomore student leadership society which had lapsed because of war conditions, the alumni Skulls selected members of last year's freshman class who were outstanding in campus activities, character, and leadership.

Under the modified freshman rules men of the first-year class are expected to carry on the long-established tradition of the "Maine Hello," to wear an identifying hat while on the campus, to help keep the lawns and grounds of the campus in good condition, and to act in a manner becoming a Maine man and the Maine spirit.

The new Sophomore Owls are: Alexander M. Adams of Norwood, N. J., Arts and Sciences; Willis E. Anderson of Rockland, Arts and Sciences; Hastings N. Bartley, Jr., of Waltham, Mass., Forestry; Donald D. Buckley of Howland, Technology; Lee C. Davis of Vanceboro, Technology; John B. Goff of Portland, Arts and Sciences; Ripon W. Haskell of Deer Isle, Arts and Sciences; LeRoy W. Henderson of Augusta, Civil Engineering.

Barker W. Hopkins of Rumford, Forestry; Lewis A. Oulette of Skowhegan, Technology; Harry M. Perry of Hampden, Arts and Sciences; Bernard F. Prescott of Saco, Arts and Sciences; Sheldon Sokol of Mattapan, Mass., Arts and Sciences; David A. Sykes of Worcester, Mass., Chemical Engineering; and William S. Wilson of Eastport, Arts and Sciences.

Creamer, Speicher Appointed As New Department Heads

Two University of Maine faculty members have been named department heads at the University, according to an announcement made by the President's Office. Professor Walter J. Creamer of Bangor has been named Head of the Department of Electrical Engineering and Dr. Benjamin R. Speicher of Orono, Head of the Department of Zoology.

Professor Creamer, who has been Professor of Communication Engineering in the Electrical Engineering Department, succeeds Professor William E. Barrows who retired from active teaching at the close of the academic year after more than 30 years of service. A graduate of Bangor High School, Professor Creamer holds a B.S. degree in electrical engineering and a B.A. degree in English from (Continued from Page Two)

Campus Calendar

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| Friday, Oct. 5 | |
| Owl-Eagle Dance | 8:00-11:30 |
| Saturday, Oct. 6 | |
| Katahdin Trip | 1:15 |
| MCA Retreat | |
| English Department Picnic | |
| Bar Harbor Trip | MOC |
| Sunday, October 7 | |
| Sunday Service | |
| Tuesday, October 9 | |
| Orchestra | 7:00 P.M. |
| Men's Glee Club | 7:00 P.M. |
| Wednesday, October 10 | |
| Masque Open House | 7:00 P.M. LT |

Five Senior Women Chosen Residents

The University of Maine has appointed five senior women to serve as senior residents in freshman women's dormitories for the coming school year. Selected by the Dean of Women, these seniors will reside with the freshmen to assist them in adjusting to their University environment and to interpret the University customs and spirit to them. (Continued on Page Four)

Bookstore Beachhead Gained As Students Push For Counter

By Elaine McManus

Hey, who says peace has been declared! Anyone who witnessed the counter-attack in the Bookstore during book rush week (and who didn't?) is here and now declared to be entitled to a relapse of war-nerves. Here's a blow-by-blow, on-the-scene account of what could have happened to anyone and everyone—and probably did.

"Let's go in and see some of the old familiar faces," chirps an optimist from the doorway streaming with haggard refugees and aspiring book-buyers.

In we go, humming "Smoke Gets In Your Eyes" off-key, cursing our stupidity in not carrying our gas-masks. Elbows doing bayonet practice on indiscriminate portions of the anatomy hold up the advance but we manage to establish a beachhead within the portals of the most popular classroom on campus. By the way, someone should nail a sign over that door, reading "Why studees leave college with restricted knowledge."

But here we are in the Bookstore looking for some old familiar faces. Has anyone seen some old familiar



faces? Well, even one old familiar face? Oh, just any face—has anyone seen a face in here?

"Not me, sister, I'm flying blind."

Well, check your bearings, bub, you just landed on my right metatarsal. Go right ahead, walk on them—I do.

"Listen," comes a voice in my ear with a black-market proposal, "I got a friend who has a friend that knows a guy who has a seat at the soda fountain."

"Oh, go buy a war bond. I'm getting my rationed goods straight, on the level if I have to wait all afternoon." Besides, if worst comes to worst, a hot foot would be cheaper—and quicker.

Well, let's stroll over toward the

book counter and see what's up besides prices. Did I say stroll? Masterpiece of overstatement. We'll just get shoved along by the crowd and hope the crowd is shoving in the right direction. Juggling this ink-bottle reminds me of an atomic bomb I used to tote around in Grand Central at 6 p.m.

Oops, what's this? Is this a light I see on the horizon or merely a mirage? Would I what? Would I like to order a book? You-you mean—I made it? I'm here? No, I don't want to buy a book. I want to plant a flag in the name of Columbus, Admiral Byrd, and Leif Ericson, and the virtues of courage, vision, and perseverance. No, don't give me the Purple Heart. Just give me air!

Fall Registration Swells To Highest Since 1942

At the opening of classes for the Fall Semester on September 25, 1945, a total of 1,127 men and women of all classes registered. Of this number, 11 are graduate students, 139 are seniors, 181 are juniors, 263 are sophomores, 460 freshmen, 26 special students, 7 two-year agriculture students, and 40 five-year nurses.

Newly Appointed House Directors In Women's Residences

The appointment of four new house directors for women's dormitories at the University of Maine has been announced by Dean of Women Edith G. Wilson.

Mrs. Mary B. Brook of Longmeadow, Mass., will serve as house director of Kappa Sigma fraternity which will be used by the University as a women's dormitory. Mrs. Brook is a native of Philadelphia, Pa., and a graduate of Rockledge High School, Pennsylvania. She has been employed for two years keeping inspection records at Wico Electric Company, West Springfield. Formerly she was in the auditing department of Steigers Department Store, Springfield.

In charge of Delta Tau Delta fraternity house, also a women's dormitory this year, will be Mrs. B. West Lewis of Boothbay Harbor. A native of Augusta, Mrs. Lewis attended Gorham Normal School. During the last four years she has served as assistant director of the Berkeley Street Residence of the Y.W.C.A. in Boston. Her husband, the late B. West Lewis of Augusta, was an alumnus of the University in the class of 1916.

Phi Eta Kappa fraternity will also be used to house women this year under the direction of Mrs. Mina F. Staples, a native of Saco. A graduate of Thornton Academy, she was employed many years by the American Mutual Liability Insurance Company in Portland.

Mrs. Elizabeth Eskey Ferguson of New York City will be house director of North Estabrooke Hall. A native of Wheeling, West Virginia, she is a graduate of Wellesley College, Wellesley, Mass., where she served as associate editor of the college paper. She has also done graduate work at Chicago University and Cornell. She was for a time employed as a reporter on the New York World, one of the first women reporters of that paper. For three years she was head of the English Department of Wheeling High School and later carried on publicity work in New York City. For several years she managed her own cafeterias in New York.

Charles Cummings Is Guest Speaker At Church Service

On this worldwide communion Sunday, October 7, 1945, Reverend Charles Gordon Cummings will be the guest speaker at the student church service in the Little Theatre.

Reverend Cummings is a prominent professor in the Old Testament Department of the Bangor Theological Seminary. This Congregational minister will be remembered by many of the Maine students and faculty.

Mildred Morris, who is a transfer student from Gordon Theological College, and Esther Ring, a junior in home economics will be the student leaders for this Sunday's service.

The enrollment of the freshman class is the largest it has been since the record enrollment of 1942. On the other end the senior class membership barely tops last year's record low.

The enrollment this year has the greatest number of students since 1942 and this number will increase as more and more men, both former students and new, are released from the Armed Services.

Again Sigma Chi and Delta Tau Delta are being used as dormitories for freshman women. Because of the number of women this fall, two other fraternity houses are also being used. Kappa Sigma holds freshman women and Phi Eta Kappa contains upperclass women.

Upperclass men are living in Phi (Continued on Page Four)

Scholarships Given Three Freshmen, Transfer Student

Award of four scholarships to entering students has been announced by the Scholarship Committee of the University of Maine. Recipients include three members of the incoming freshman class and one transfer student.

A James Norris Hart Scholarship has been awarded to Miss Mary L. Fenlason of Fairfield, two Charles H. Payson Scholarships to Miss Lila M. Applebee of Enfield and Miss Elsie M. Sjostedt of Stockholm, and a Maine Normal School Scholarship to Miss Agnes A. Gray of Wesley.

Miss Fenlason is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roy M. Fenlason of Fairfield. She was graduated from Good Will School in June where she was named valedictorian of her class. During school she was active in prize speaking, Girl Reserves, and the 4-H Club. She served as a cheerleader and was a D.A.R. Good Citizenship representative. She will be a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences.

Miss Applebee, salutatorian of her class at Lee Academy last June, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Vinal Applebee of Enfield. She served as cheerleader and class secretary and was active in dramatics, music, and public speaking. She will enter the College of Agriculture for work in home economics as a freshman.

The other recipient of the Payson Scholarships, Miss Sjostedt, was valedictorian of her class at Caribou High School last year. She is the daughter of Mr. John C. Sjostedt of Stockholm. In school she was associate editor of the year book, news editor of the school paper, active in dramatics, and a member of the Science Club and Victory Corps. She will be a freshman in the College of Arts and Sciences.

The Maine Normal School Scholarship recipient, Miss Agnes Gray, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger A. Gray of Wesley, is a graduate of Washington Academy, in 1941, and of Eastern State Normal School, Machias, in 1943. She has been teaching school for two years. While in school she was active in debating, dramatics, the glee club, and athletics. She will enter the University as a member of the junior class in the School of Education.

Bear Facts

As this first peace-time edition of *Maine Campus* since 1941 goes to press, the Bears are preparing to continue their record of fielding a grid-iron team despite manpower shortages and travel restrictions. Again, as during the war, the Bears will be the only college in Maine sponsoring a football team. The season will officially open on October 13 when Rhode Island will face the Bears on the Maine field.

The Cross Country team is also in training. The team is mostly freshmen but will be led by Dwight Moody, former Maine star, who has returned to the campus for his senior year.

Due to the large number of freshmen who will be participating in all sports an accurate estimate of the potential strength of the teams is impossible at present.

The local High School season is well under way and for those interested in attending these games, Brewer will play at Old Town and Stearns at John Baptist on October sixth.

A survey of the national sports picture finds Detroit clinching the American league pennant on the last day of the season by beating the St. Louis Browns, who last year nosed out the Tigers by one game on the last day of the season. The American League race was a seven team scramble for first place up to the last month of the season when it broke up into a neck and neck affair between Detroit and Washington.

In the National League the Cubs staved off the Cardinals' late season drive long enough to win the flag by three games.

Detroit and Chicago will face each other at Detroit on October third in the opening game of the World Series. The first three games of the series will be played at Detroit and the remainder at Chicago. Going into the series the Cubs appear to have a slight edge on the Tigers as a result of a somewhat higher team batting average and a well-balanced pitching staff. However, with Newsome and Trout, aided by the return of Virgil Trucks from the Navy, the Tigers have a pitching staff of their own that should be hard to beat so it looks like a toss-up with the series going to the team that gets the breaks.

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Blue And White Game Friday; Large Squad Out

By Steve Notis

Over ninety candidates, the largest squad at Maine in recent years, have reported to coach Bill Kenyon and assistant-coach Phil Jones for early workouts. Without a single letterman on this year's roster, Coach Kenyon is faced with the task of fielding a team with only fifteen practice sessions before meeting Rhode Island State here at Orono on October 13.

Due to the lack of veterans and the large squad, Coach Kenyon has stressed that all positions are wide open. The candidates who display the most drive will constitute his starting lineup. Ten men on the present squad saw some varsity action last year; however, the return of veterans and the arrival of freshman players will make the battle for positions keener than ever.

Last year's team averaged only 17 years of age, yet managed to split a four-game schedule with Norwich University and the University of New Hampshire. The men who saw action on this team will offer Coach Kenyon a nucleus with which to work. Leonard Plavin and Al Miller at tackle, Ralph Thompson at end, John Day and Leonard Korobkin at center, and returning in the backfield spots are Thomas Murray, Bill Wiggins, Donald Buckley, Roy Henderson, and fleet-footed Eugene Boutillier.

This Friday a blue and white game will be played. The ability of the candidates displayed in this game will offer Coach Kenyon the chance to pick the cream of the crop.

Athletic Director Ted Curtis, unable to schedule the "football-idle" Maine colleges, has managed to provide a five-game schedule with out-of-state teams. After meeting Rhode Island State at home on October 13, the team journeys to Storrs, Connecticut, on October 20 to play the University of Conn. Then on the 27th a stranger, Massachusetts State College, comes to Maine. These two teams have met in competitive sports only twice before in the history of the University. The next game on Nov. 3 finds the boys at Amherst, Mass., with a return engagement with Mass. State College. The final game of the year will be the traditional home-coming game on Nov. 10, when the Maine team again opposes the University of Conn.

Pale-Blue Mentor



BILL KENYON

Thirteen Men Out For Cross Country

Thirteen cross-country candidates reported for practice the second day of school and have been working out since. Veteran men are at a premium and inexperience seems to reign for the most part. However, with workouts scheduled daily, some good material is expected to be uncovered before the first meet.

The customary dual meets with Colby, New Hampshire, and Connecticut are again postponed, but next year will probably see Maine competing with these colleges. The State College Meet between Maine, Bowdoin, Bates, and Colby will be held in Augusta on Nov. 3. The New England Inter-collegiate Meet will be held on Nov. 10.

Candidates composing the squad are: R. Barrett, D. Blake, F. Carroll, J. Chaplin, R. Everett, E. Forsyth, F. Irish, S. Lucas, D. Moody, A. Nelson, R. Murdock, R. Southard, R. Winship.

Proctors Chosen For Men's Dorms

The names of twelve upperclass students at the University of Maine were announced here today as proctors for the University's dormitories for men for the coming year.

Two proctors have been named for each of the halls housing men. The appointments are as follows: for North Hall: John H. Day of Bangor, Daniel J. Frazier, Jr., of Hampden.

For Sigma Nu: Charles S. Cushing, Jr., and Nino J. Giampetruzzi, both of Portland. Cushing majors in engineering physics, is a member of the junior class, and a Dean's List student. Giampetruzzi is a transfer student from Gorham Normal School, majoring in social studies in Education.

In Theta Chi proctors will be Ralph H. Peavey of Fort Devens, Mass., and Mortimer J. Williams of Marlboro, Mass. Peavey will also serve as head proctor having general responsibilities over the work of the entire staff. He is a junior majoring in mechanical engineering. His co-worker, Williams, is a chemical engineering sophomore, a Dean's List student last year.

Proctors for Beta Theta Pi are Willis Anderson of Rockland and Ripon W. Haskell of Deer Isle. Anderson, a Dean's List student, is a sophomore in Arts and Sciences.

The S.A.E. House will have Hastings N. Bartley, Jr., of Waltham, Mass., and Ralph E. Emerson of Island Falls as proctors.

Proctors in Phi Kappa Sigma are Barker W. Hopkins of Rumford Point and Robert E. Johnston of Easton.

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Fall Registration - -

Gamma Delta, Alpha Tau Omega, and Lambda Chi Alpha and freshmen in Phi Kappa Sigma, S.A.E., the Beta house, Theta Chi, Sigma Nu, North Hall, and part of Hannibal Hamlin Hall. The rest of Hannibal Hamlin Hall and Oak Hall are occupied by the ASTP unit.

Over 200 veterans have returned this fall, many of them being former students of the University of Maine.

This fall sees the resumption of the two semester plan which was superseded by the accelerated program during wartime. The fall semester's schedule includes a vacation from Dec. 14 to Jan. 2 with final exams coming in the first week of February, 1946.

The following list of former Maine students who have returned to resume their studies was recently released by the Office of Veterans' Education: Hartley L. Banton, graduate student, Clarence F. Bean '48, Harold V. Blood, graduate student, Russell S. Bodwell '46, Louis Boyle '46, Robert L. Brewster '48, Robert W. Brundage '47, Leo B. Bunker '47, Alan C. Burgess '48, Jay Calkins '46, Donald A. Casey '47, Joseph B. Chaplin '47, Malcolm O. Colby '48, Alfred L. Cormier '49, Thomas R. Coulton '48, Arthur F. Cunningham '49, Ralph E. Emerson '46, Roman Evdo '46, Jesse W. Fogg '49.

Richard L. Graham '48, Richard F. Harlow '47, Archie Hatch '48, Robert C. Herrick '47, William L. Hopkins '48, Louis W. Howe, special student, Harvard S. Jones '48, Harry R. Keiser '47, John D. Kelley '46, Kenneth P. MacLeod '46, Dwight C. Moody '46, Joshua Montgomery '48, George F. Morrill '47, Arthur H. Moulton '47,

with the masque

The Masque Open House will be on October 10th in the Little Theatre. Masque members will call for all new students, freshmen, veterans, and transfers, and take them over for their first night at the Maine Masque Theatre. A rousing show of the typical short show variety type has been planned by Pat Hutto. Refreshments will be served and there is absolutely no admission charge. Plan to come and see the fun whether you're interested in becoming a Maine Masque member or not.

Howard J. Mullins '48, Philip J. Murdock '49, Normand T. Nelson '49, Thomas E. Parmenter '46, Arthur W. Patterson, Lewis D. Payson '49, Lucille P. Phee '47, Thomas V. Powers '47, Donald Pratt '47, Virgil Pratt, graduate student, Edwin C. Rockwell '48, Robert M. Savage '49, Henry M. Shepard '46, Stanley W. Thomas '47, George F. Webber, George W. Webber '46, Kermet B. Wilson '47, Clifford A. Worthing '48, John H. Clement '47, Charles E. Cunningham '48, Lincoln T. Fish '48, David T. Hall '49, Edward H. Hamblen, special student, George H. Lewis '49, Asa Russell Mace '49, Steve A. Notis '48.

Senior Residents - -

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Janice Ruth Campbell of Bradford will serve as senior resident in The Elms, women's cooperative dormitory. She is a major in zoology in the College of Arts and Sciences. As a freshman she was elected to Neai Mathetai scholastic society and has been regularly named to the Dean's List of honor students.

Rosanna Niles Chute has been appointed to Sigma Chi fraternity, to be used as a women's residence hall this year. Miss Chute, a major in zoology, was elected to Sophomore Eagles. She has been a Dean's List student and candidate for offices in the Women's Athletic Association.

In Colvin Hall, Mary N. Libby of South Portland, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Albert E. Libby, will be senior resident. A major in romance languages, she has been named to All-Maine Women's Society and has been active in student government.

Kappa Sigma fraternity house, to be used as a women's dormitory, will have Mary E. Marble of Skowhegan as senior resident. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Gerald C. Marble; her father is an alumnus of the University in the class of 1917. A student in the College of Arts and Sciences, she has been a Dean's List stu-

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AST's leaving Dec. 15 may have a subscription to the *Campus* from Oct. 4 to Dec. 13 for a reduced rate of 50 cents.

Attention, hockey players!! Practices are getting under way this week: Mondays and Wednesdays for the Freshmen, Tuesdays and Thursdays for Upperclassmen at 3:30 and Friday and Saturdays for everyone.

dent and secretary of the Maine Outing Club.

Louise E. Perkins, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl H. Perkins of Augusta, will be senior resident in Delta Tau Delta fraternity which will house freshman women this year. She is a major in zoology, a Sophomore Eagle, and an All-Maine Woman. She has served as treasurer of the Maine Christian Association, of the Women's Student Government Association, and of her class.

Transfer Students - -

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have come to Maine. They are Mildred Cohen and Pauline Gilson from Westbrook, Glenice Easler and Serita Lane from Ricker, Helen Nickerson from Endicott, and Barbara Parkman from Chevy Chase in Washington, D. C.

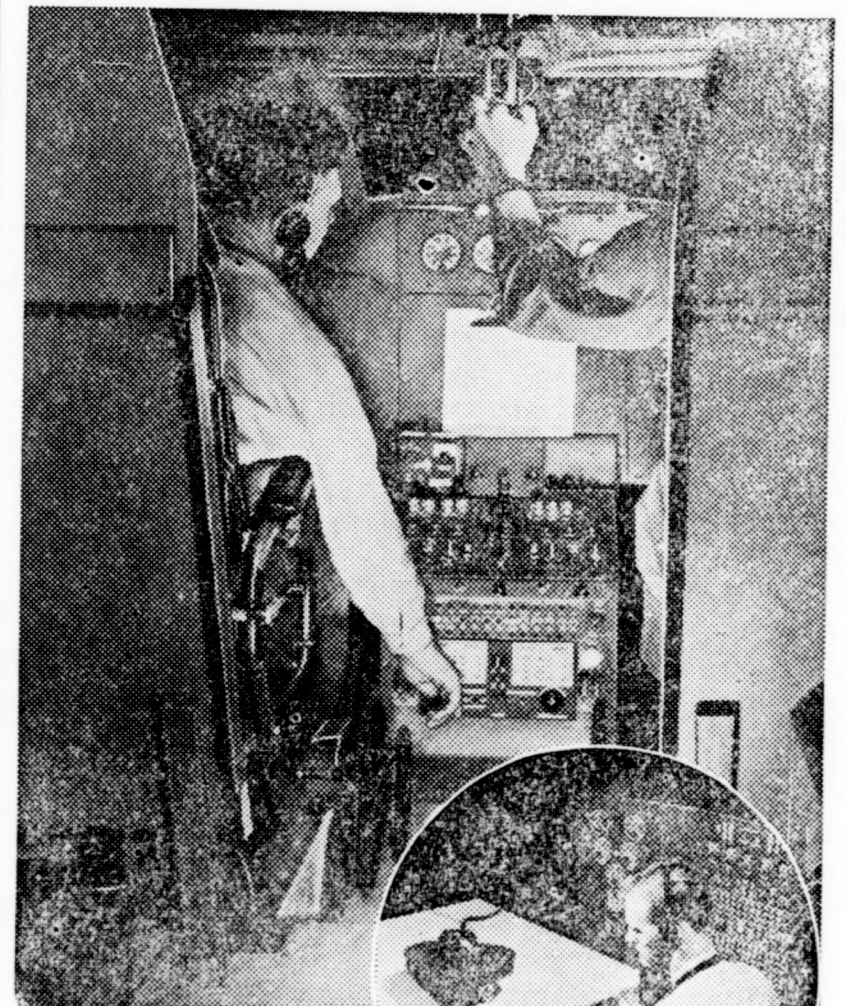
Don Stanton of Sherman, New York, has come from the Case School of Applied Science in Cleveland, Ohio, to enter the U. of M. class of '49.

Margaret Stebbins has entered Maine after a year at Seton Hill College in Greensburg, Pa.

Ruth Preble was a student at Keuka College in Kueka Park, New York. Louis Lituri was a student at Northeastern University. Mildred Morris is a sophomore here after studying at Gordon College in Boston.

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Upperclass Students Feel Freshman Rules Inadequate

Pratt Questions Simplified Rules

By Donald Pratt

It seems there's been a lot of misunderstanding and misinformation bating around the campus these past few weeks in regard to the present Skulls-to-Owls-to-Freshmen set-up. You know the old "Who gave what authority to whom, and why, and when, and what in blazes happened to those old Freshman Men's rules we used to have?" Well, for better or for worse (and more about this later), these goings on are all in due form and according to lawful procedure. And here's how it happened.

Back in the spring of '43, with most of the boys gone or about to go into service, the idea of continuing freshman rules as they stood then, with few if any Senior Skulls on campus to advise the Sophomore Owls, seemed rather absurd. Accordingly, the Men's Student Senate, on the recommendation of the Senior Skull Society, approved on April 27, 1943, a so-called "simplified" set of wartime freshman rules. Furthermore, for the reason that the Senior Skulls Society is not active at the present time (there being only a few seniors on campus at this time) the Men's Student Senate, on June 12th of this year, voted to continue some "simplified" rules for the coming semester. Briefly, these rules require the freshmen to:

1. Greet everyone on campus with a good Maine "Hello."
2. Respect and care for the beauty of the campus.
3. Wear whatever insignia should be chosen for them.
4. Conduct themselves in a manner becoming to Maine men and in the Maine Spirit.

With rules to enforce, such as they are, a need for Sophomore Owls became apparent. But there were no Owls in the student body to elect new Owls.

Therefore the Men's Summer Student Senate requested the seven Alumni Senior Skulls on the faculty and in the administration to elect fifteen sophomores to the honorary society of Sophomore Owls. These Alumni Skulls were Mr. Brockway, Rev. O'Connor, Mr. Gannett, Mr. Loring, Dean Murray, and Professor Kent. The Owls, whose duty is to interpret the Freshman Rules and to guide each freshman into the University Community as a loyal Maine Man, have been selected for high moral standing, creditable scholarship, qualities of leadership, and participation in the social life of the University.

Now the "who's" and "why's" and "when's" of the situation are known. Also known is that these fifteen Owls are doing a fine job with what they have. But, what do they have? To put it bluntly, they do not have much.

A dilapidated, wishy-washy, wartime emergency set of simplified rules and a "Please, fellows! Be nice, or we'll have to ask you to push a wheelbarrow around all day!" That's all they have to work with; nothing more. No paddling, mind you! Nothing worth while for the wise-guy. Few good, substantial, character-forming rules. Nothing much more than an indefinite something called "moral persuasion." Ah, let's go back to the good old days, when an Owl was a nightmare in freshmen's dreams and not (through no fault of his own) a nursemaid reminding junior for not squaring his hat—for the good old days when an invitation to an Owl meeting was

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Nine Girls' Dorms Elect Officers For The Fall Semester

Last week the women's dormitories elected their house officers for the fall semester. The slates for the various houses are:

South Estabrooke: president, Carolyn Comins '46; vice president, Barbara Mills '47; secretary, Betty Baker '48; treasurer, Evelyn White '47; co-social chairmen, Margaret Watson '48 and Evelyn Shaw '46.

North Estabrooke: president, Mildred Byrnes '46; vice president, Alberta Clossen '47; secretary, Polly Spears '46; treasurer, Ella Page '46; co-social chairmen, Sally McNealus and Jeanne Delano, both '46.

Balentine: president, Betty Higgins '47; vice president, Kay Mills '47; secretary, Mary Ann Dineen '48; treasurer, Kay Bridges '47; social chairman, Joanne Libby.

Phi Eta Kappa: president, June Pulsifer '46; vice president, Constance Howe '48; secretary, Barbara Hines '49; treasurer, Toni Doescher '48.

The Elms: president, Rosmond Hammond; vice president, Anne Woods; secretary, Muriel Polley; treasurer, Esther Watson; co-social chairmen, Patricia Taylor and Margaret Gowdy.

The freshman officers are:

The Elms Annex: president, Marita Crabtree; vice president, Pauline Walters.

Sigma Chi House: president, Helen McCuin; vice president, Marguerite Hart; secretary, Virginia Snow; treasurer, Katherine Kennedy; social chairman, Sue Beisel.

Delta Tau Delta: president, Joan Heselton; vice president, Ann Cunningham; secretary, Judith Newton; treasurer, Nancy Carter; social chairman, Constance Wilber.

Kappa Sigma: president, Joan Miller; vice president, Lois Nicholson; secretary, Frances Carter; treasurer, Joyce Jenkins; co-social chairmen, Judy Coffin and Ruth Gould.

Colvin: president, Janice Crane;

Dean Glenn Kendall To Address Leaders

Dr. Glenn Kendall, new dean of the School of Education, will be the main speaker at the seventh annual Women's Leadership Conference to be held in the Estabrooke Rec Room Saturday afternoon, October 20. His topic will be "So You Plan to Be a Leader, eh?" This will be Dean Kendall's first appearance before a student group on this campus.

The Women's Leadership Conference was established in 1938 with a twofold purpose. One objective is to help officers of campus organizations to know what is expected of them and to do a better job. The second is to acquaint those who are not officers with the qualities and abilities expected of a leader so that they may be better citizens of the University and later of the world.

Conferences on campus dates and dormitory living will be held for the first time this year. Other conferences will discuss the duties of presidents, secretaries, and treasurers, social etiquette and social functions of today, parliamentary law, publicity, and spontaneous recreation.

Dr. William Rose, Noted Lynn Pastor At Sunday Service

Dr. William Wallace Rose, minister of the First Universalist Church in Lynn, Massachusetts, will speak at the Little Theatre this Sunday, October 14. Dr. Rose, one of the most prominent clergymen in his denomination and also a well-known writer and lecturer, is the father of David Drew Rose, minister of the First Universalist Church in Orono.



At this service the choir will sing Gounod's "Lovely Appearance," and there will be a solo by Gayle McLaughlin of the class of '46.

There will also be student leaders under the direction of Jane Long-fellow, service chairman.

Football Fans Need Scrimmage Practice For Saturday Games

By Elaine McManus

It's football, football, America's favorite mania. Once again the gridiron is the hotspot of the nation, and while West Point and Annapolis may have the spectacular teams, our eyes are on the civilian front. Nope, we're not referring here to the players down there on the field staging a struggle over the temporary possession of an inflated cow-hide ellipsoid. The game is great, sure, but the crowd's the thing. The fellows down on the field may have the ball but the folks in the bleachers have the fun.

Most of the thrills and heartbreaks, the "upsets" and the "setbacks" occur in grandstands packed with armchair quarterbacks. You know armchair like, the guy who knows to whom the ball should go, when to make the forward pass that will baffle the opposing team, and how to weave his way down the field to the goal posts for the touchdown that will save the game and his four-bit bet. He probably sat behind you some time last season and used your back as a battering ram. He made as much noise as a one-man political rally and christened your new fall hat with coke when the team made a field goal.

But he wasn't as bad as the excitable gal next door who required an emotional outlet after every minor crisis from a three yard gain to a favorable decision. That girl must have had specialized training in Judo. Her specialty was a strangle-hold accompanied by some strenuous jitterbugging.

She had a friend who demanded a play-by-play explanation of the game. This friend thought a "first down" was the player who got tackled first. When the teams turned and walked down the field on a penalty, she thought they were going home peeved because they couldn't get the ball.

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All University Rally Opens Football Season

The 1945 football season opens Friday night with an All-University rally to be held in the Memorial Gymnasium at seven o'clock in preparation for Saturday's game with Rhode Island. Speakers on the program will be Coach Bill Kenyon, faculty manager of athletics Ted Curtis, assistant coach Phil Jones, and the team's acting captain, John Day.

Campus Calendar

Thursday, October 12

Chorus—7:00 P.M. LT
Band—7:00 P.M. Armory
Radio Guild—7:00 P.M. 265 S

Friday, October 12

Rally and Dance Mem. Gym
Hillel Service—7:00 P.M. MCA

Saturday, October 13

R.I. Football Game—2:00 P.M.
Balentine Open House—7:30-11:30
Delta Tau Delta Open House
ATO Vic Dance
Phi Gamma Delta Vic Dance

Sunday, October 13

Sunday Service—10:30 A.M. LT

Tuesday, October 16

Square Dance Club—7:00 P.M. W-Gym

Wednesday, October 17

Modern Dance Club—7:00 P.M. W-Gym

Weather Reporter Sabotages MOCers' Katahdin Expedition

The Maine Outing Clubbers really stuck their necks out last week end on that Katahdin expedition. And maybe they didn't get 'em wet!

It started out innocently enough Saturday, when Dave Sykes called Dow Field for a weather report. "Clear skies this afternoon," the voice told him. "Possibly a few light showers tomorrow afternoon; nothing to worry about." Dave's been trying to find out who that guy was ever since.

A few hardy souls (including a chaperon) started out for Katahdin early Saturday to get the cabins opened and the fires started. But most of the sixty odd MOCers pulled away in two buses right after the noon meal. Well, theoretically, the buses should have deposited the MOC ridge-runners at the foot of Katahdin in plenty of time for a daylight climb to the camp site on Chimney Pond. But theory is beautiful only in books, and after a 25-mile fight with a progressively narrower and bumpier road from Millinocket, the two busloads arrived at the foot of Katahdin around 6:00 p.m., all of which meant an uphill 3.3 miles in darkness and rain. And if anyone's ever been over those 3.3 miles, he'll know what a rugged trip it was. Rocky, steep, slippery, and downright mean. And with only a flashlight for about every six climbers. Everyone took it in stride but at times the air was blue.

Came the dawn, and the rugged 68 arose to greet the sunny day and to set off for yon peaks on the strength of a good hearty breakfast and with a song in their heart. They got their hearty breakfast and that's about as far as it went. Rain! Rain! More rain than you could comprehend. It rained pitchforks and shotguns and wheelbarrows and several other articles, and it rained steadily and dimly and fluently. It was a cold rain that froze to the rocks above the pond, a rain that squelched the plans

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At 6:45 the band will form in front of North Hall with cheerleaders and drum majorettes and will make a tour of the campus, picking up Colvin and Estabrooke girls in front of Colvin Hall, then swinging down around the loop to Balentine and on to the Memorial Gym where the rally will take place, complete with speakers, music by the band, and the repertoire of Maine cheers led by cheerleaders Jo Ann Bouchard, Alberta Clossen, Phyllis Pendleton, Alice Fonseca, Bonnie Andrews, Gerry Hermanson, Doug Johnson, Charlotte Alex, Margaret Stebbins, Elaine Connors, Lala Jones, and Polly Marcous.

At the game Saturday, the entire freshman class will form just inside the gate at the Hannibal Hall entrance and will open the game by marching in a body around the field behind the band to their section of the grandstand.

A new system of admission will be used this year. Students will, of course, be admitted free but must have their names checked off on a student list before entering the field. Admission for children from 12 to 18 will be 50¢, and children under 12 will be admitted free of charge. Adult tickets will be \$1.80, including tax.

Saturday's game will start promptly at two o'clock. This game will be one of the three intercollegiate contests to be witnessed in the State of Maine this year. The other two are Maine's home games with Massachusetts State on the 27th and Connecticut on November 10th.

The University of Maine is the only college operating a strictly civilian student team throughout the war, and is the only college in Maine to boast a team and a schedule this year. Throughout these wartime seasons, the Maine spirit has been carried on admirably.

The Rhode Island game will be broadcast if it can be made possible.

Groups Wanted To Hold Stag Dance

This fall, John Stewart, chairman of the Committee on Social Affairs, is looking for organizations who will sponsor the Friday night stag dances which so far have turned out so successful. Any group interested should see Mr. Stewart at his office.

The schedule of dances so far is as follows:

Oct. 26 Off-Campus Group
Nov. 9 Modern Dance Club
Nov. 16 Semi-Formal—ASTAP

At the dance last Friday about 600 people were present, so the sponsorship of one of these dances is quite profitable.

The following is the procedure necessary if a group plans to hold a dance or some other social affair.

1. Obtain an application from John Stewart's office, fill it out, secure the chaperons' signatures and return card. For Vic dances card must be in by Wednesday if dance is Saturday, for other social affairs, two weeks in advance.

2. Sign date book and record in registrar's office.

3. If possible announce and advertise social affair.

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Stop And Think...

A petition has been circulating the dorms. Its backers want to reestablish freshman rules on a pre-war basis. These rules include:

1. Freshmen shall not smoke on campus.
2. Freshmen shall accompany ladies only on the written permission of the Skulls—or a suitably delegated body.
3. A suit coat must be worn at all times by those freshmen who have not made their numerals.
4. Sport clothing such as bright colored coats, sweaters, shirts, trousers, stockings, and shoes shall not be worn while rules are in effect.

Simple enough, aren't they? No danger in signing a petition such as this. It's no more than the freshmen deserve—we ought to get back pre-war conditions. And that's just the way the majority of those of us who signed that petition reasoned.

How about stopping to think what these four rules really mean. Let's consider the consequences. As upperclassmen and supposedly as adults, we should not be guilty of responding to mere mob psychology and clever propaganda devised by a few. We should depend on our own faculties to reason and decide.

Just what would freshman rules mean to the students of this campus?

To the freshman fellows it would mean restricted action. In itself, this wouldn't be especially detrimental. But at best it would hardly be constructive or fit training for modern adult living.

To the freshman girls (and the upperclass gals, too) it would mean stagless stag dances and stay at home week-ends.

For two years we've been yelling for men, and now that we've got some pretty wonderful dancers—and not a few smooth daters on the campus again, we are intentionally telling them to get politely plastered over the week-end!

To the upperclassmen it would mean that they could continue to rule the campus undisputed. They would have no fear of competition either in the matter of women or in their leadership policies. (Incidentally, should we not ask what group wrote and circulated the petition?)

To another very important group—the veterans—it would mean one of two things. If they, as a group, vote to have rules, some of them would feel justified in rebelling under this same type of discipline they have been forced to take while in the service. The type of discipline they are in college to forget. It might well make some of the newly discharged men stop and reconsider before entering Maine, where they would be treated as children. However, if they voted to exempt themselves from the rules, they would be creating a distinct unit which would be known for the next four years as the freshman veterans. A group that would be excluded from part of what we, as upperclassmen, have created as campus life. A group that will either feel left out or feel that they should have some special treatment. Neither end would be what they really want.

Paddling is out. President Hauck says so, and a majority of us agree with him. Fine, that makes the whole thing just about as safe as sitting on a keg of TNT. Hypothetically, suppose fifty freshmen get together and decide to defy the upperclassmen and walk about campus chain smoking. What, just what are the Owls—or other designated authority going to do about it? The Orono civil authorities certainly won't jail the offenders. What do we do then? Why put ourselves in the position of setting up rules we can't enforce?

Freshman rules as they stand now can be enforced by the Owls, Eagles, upperclassmen, and upperclasswomen. They are not so humiliating as to invite rebellion.

Let's think the matter through and then go to the Owls and Eagles with our complaints—not to the middle-men, the freshmen.

—Charlene Lowe

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Stunning Suits And Top-Knots Attract Fashion-Wise Misses

By Jean Campbell and Pauline Marcous

We've decided that we don't need copies of the latest fashion magazines to find out what the well-dressed college girl is wearing this fall. Just look around if you want proof that Maine girls are as smart as Phi Betas.

Let's be fair to the first person we noticed when we arrived on campus this fall. If you saw a girl on registration day who looked as if she'd just stepped off the Vogue cover, that was Livie Stickney. She was garbed in a stunning drak grey, one-button pin-striped suit. Over her shoulder she wore a cerise brushed-wool topper. Sound smooth? Ask us, it was!

The AST's (and everyone else besides) turned eyes right when Andy Cavett walked towards church Sunday. Dressed in a black crepe draped skirt with a long-sleeved print blouse trimmed with black lace, she was a picture of sophistication. And speaking of last Sunday, did you notice that frosh with the rust and green striped bolero suit at dinner? If she dresses for every meal that way, we'll cast our every vote for her as the "nicest to come home to."

In spite of what she wears, no girl will look her best unless her hair is neat and trim. We've noticed all sorts of attractive hair styles this year. For instance, Margaret-Mary McDonnell has one of those easy-to-care-for feather cuts. And as for a sleek long black page boy, Margie Stebbins would take all the prizes for that. Any man's heart would skip a beat if he saw Terry Dumais' hair drawn up on the sides and in a donut-shaped bun in the back, the way she's been wearing it lately.

Well, gals, we've been watching you closely and we don't intend to stop. So how about strutting your stuff this coming football week end? Here's looking at you!

Off Campus Men

The men who live off campus held a meeting on October 4 in the faculty room in South Stevens Hall to organize that they might as a group face their specific problems. At this meeting, temporary officers were elected, and these officers were invited to attend the first meeting of Men's Senate.

The officers are: Franklin Talbot, president; Sandy Adams, secretary; Dwight Moody, business manager.

A second meeting was held this noon at 12:45 in the faculty room.

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Co-chairmen of the 300 Club dance, Phyl Jorden and Bob Browne

After the football rally Friday night, October 12, the new Three Hundred Club of the MCA, using a committee of Bob Browne and Phyl Jorden, co-chairmen, Betty Baker, Rip Haskell, Betty Higgins, and Jane Longfellow, has planned a Football Dance to help make this Friday part of a perfect week end.

The chaperons whom the Three

Hundred Club have asked to attend the dance, are Mr. and Mrs. Philip Brockway, Mr. and Mrs. David Rose, and Mr. and Mrs. Charles O'Connor.

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Tuesday, Oct. 16

"GAY SENORITA"

with Jinx Falkenburg, Jim Bannon 6:30-8:13

BEAR FACTS

by
Cliff Whitten

With the opening game of the football season coming up on October thirteenth when Rhode Island comes to Maine, it seems an opportune time to explain the three S's to the new class. The three S's are a pretty important part of Maine's traditions. Keep them in mind at all times, whether on the gridiron, in the field house, or on the diamond. The first S is Spirit—the Maine "will to win" no matter what the odds. The second is Sportsmanship—play the game to win but play it clean and hard. The third is Scholarship, often neglected in the face of more exciting events, but actually the most important of all. Any athlete who is down in his studies is of no use to the team as any of the coaches can verify.

Both Maine and Rhode Island open their football season here at Orono this Saturday. The starting line-ups are given but both coaches may make last minute changes.

| MAINE | | RHODE ISLAND | |
|------------|----|--------------|--|
| Walker | LE | MacAuley | |
| Plavin | LT | Ventretolo | |
| Murdock | LG | Conyers | |
| Day | C | Haire | |
| Savage | RC | Simone | |
| Colby | RT | Roderick | |
| Woodworth | RE | Wimer | |
| Boutillier | LH | Petrola | |
| Henderson | FB | Dahl | |
| Linehan | RH | Johnson | |
| Murray | QB | Vento | |

This is the first time that Rhode Island has had a football team in the last three years. After their opening game here at Orono they play Rutgers and Boston University. Little is known about the team other than over ninety players were out for the squad and Coach Keaney is bringing 47 here to Orono. The starting lineup averages 22 years of age and runs from 18 to 26.

In local schoolboy football played over the week end, John Bapst defeated Stearns 20-0, Old Town held Brewer to a 6-6 tie, Orono swamped

Newport 31-6, and Bangor lost to Portland 12-25 Friday night. Next Saturday John Bapst will play Bangor while Stearns will face Orono in what promises to be a pair of excellent games.

In the baseball world the dope-bucket seems to have been completely upset. In the first game of the World Series, Detroit's star left-hander, Hal Newhouser, lasted only three innings against the Cubs who went on to win the opener 9-0. The Tigers came back to win the second game and tie up the series at one-all. In the third game Claude Passeau hurled the greatest game in World Series history, allowing only one single and pitching to only 28 men as the Cubs won 3-0. Again the Tigers came back in the fourth with another 4-1 victory to stay in the running. In the fifth game Newhouser had his revenge as his teammates shelled Hank Borowy from the mound in the sixth inning and went on to win 8-4, taking the lead in the Series for the first time. The sixth game of the Series was the kind of a game that doesn't really happen. The game lasted about three and one-half hours for a new World Series record and both teams used practically every player on their roster before Chicago finally pushed a run across in the last of the twelfth to edge out the Tigers 8-7 and tie up the Series at three games each.

After an open day, Newhouser faced Borowy in the final game Wednesday. It was sweet revenge for Newhouser who was knocked from the box in the third inning of the opening game, as the Tigers went on to win the game 9 to 3 and take the Series.

So the final curtain is down on the '45 baseball season and everyone can settle down peacefully and start picking out their All-American teams for this year. It seems likely that, as the season passes, football may gradually reach its full strength.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

Oct. 13 Rhode Island
Oct. 20 U. of Conn. (At Storrs)
Oct. 27 Mass. State
Nov. 3 Mass. State (At Amherst)
Nov. 10 U. of Conn.

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Wally Issues Call For Intramurals

According to Wally, in an interview on Monday, the intramural sports situation is up in the air.

In order to get started, Wally is asking that each house appoint a representative as soon as possible and that these men contact him individually.

Due to the sudden change to cold and damp weather it is thought that little or no touch football will be played and a schedule will definitely not be drawn up. It is thought that this will also apply to tennis. Unless the various teams wish to begin basketball immediately, it is planned to set up an indoor volleyball league in the near future. Handball will also be played. These league games, it is thought, will be held on Saturday afternoons and evenings but the latter time may be changed to Sunday afternoons if suitable arrangements can be made.

Season Tickets Are Offered To Faculty All Games Covered

The University of Maine Athletic Department is again offering the University of Maine faculty the opportunity to purchase a special ticket to attend all 1945-46 home athletic contests at a reduced rate of five dollars, including government tax.

While all schedules for the entire year are not yet completed, it is expected that the five-dollar ticket will cover three varsity football games, seven home basketball games, probably six home baseball games, and a possible Maine Intercollegiate Track Meet in March.

These tickets will be on sale at the Maine vs. Rhode Island football game on October 13.



Health Program

Three hundred and forty-nine girls have signed up for the WAA health program this fall. Committee chairmen and the number of girls who have signed up in each house are as follows:

Balentine, Mary Sawyer, 55; South Estabrooke, Bonnie Andrews, 49; Off Campus, Morna Kimball, 41; Colvin, Barbara Gammell, 40; Delta Tau Delta, Judy Newton, 32; Sigma Chi, Marian Stanley, 30; Kappa Sigma, Jean Miller, 26; North Estabrooke, Mary Hubbard, 20; Elms, Joan Wentworth, 19; Elms Annex, Betty Brown, 19; Phi Eta Kappa, Connie Howe, 18.

A special business meeting of the Square Dance Club was called on Tuesday by the president, Mary Hubbard.

This club is open to all students. Men and women alike are urged to come and join in the fun. Attendance at three-fourths of the meetings and the ability to call a certain number of dances (you learn there) entitle you to membership in the club.

Maine Team Ready For Opener Against Rhode Island State

By Steve Notis

The University of Maine football team joins the grid wars this Saturday afternoon when they meet a reportedly powerful Rhode Island State grid machine. The Maine club, of unknown quality at the present time, displayed in the annual Blue and White game that it is capable of fielding a better team than in past years.

BLUE BEATS WHITE

A heavy and powerful Blue line made possible a twenty-six to six victory over the whites. With Leonard Plavin, John Day, and "Moose" Murdock opening the holes, the Blue backfield had little trouble in chalking off long gains. Murdock, a 215-pound guard, All-State at Bangor High School and stalwart on the freshman team in '42, played his usual bone-crushing game.

The opening period saw the Blue team penalized 30 yards within the first four plays. Roy Henderson then got off a beautiful 43-yard kick which set the Whites back to the 35-yard line. On the first play the Whites fumbled, with Murdock recovering. Gene Boutillier and Francis Linehan in a series of off-tackle slants carried to the 1-yard line, where the Whites took over on downs. The Whites kicked and a few plays later Murray faded back and threw a pass to Walker that had touchdown labeled all over it. Plavin split the goal posts for the extra point.

The second period found the Blues constantly in a scoring position. However only one touchdown was scored as Gates made a sparkling runback of a White kick. Bob Johnson bucked his way through for the extra point.

The next score came in the third period and the try for extra point was blocked. After another tally by the Blues early in the fourth stanza, the Whites suddenly came to life. In perhaps the most thrilling play of the game, Dick Gates scampered half the field for the lone White score.

TEAM SET FOR GAME

In this game Coach Kenyon had four complete teams at his disposal. With the display of speed and power the two Blue teams possessed in this game, it may be possible to alternate two teams this Saturday. Some of the White players who showed up well should see some action.

Last week it looked as though Coach Kenyon was working with quantity and not quality. Most of the fans that watched the game, however, were greatly impressed by the size and aggressiveness of his forward wall. On their shoulders will fall the task of shackling Rhode Island's offensive.

Although the backfield isn't too big, it is composed of boys that can break up a ball game at any time. This hard-running contingent must maintain a consistent running attack in order to gain a victory in this all-important first game.

Yes, the 1945 University of Maine football team is ready to go! The coaching staff, handicapped by lack of practice sessions and an experienced squad, has managed to field a team that will give a good account of itself. The players have been put through strenuous drills and have the right spirit for a victory.

Eleven men will line up for the opening kickoff with this thought in mind. A winning combination is always composed of twelve men.

That all-important twelfth player, reader, is you!

"M" CLUB

The "M" Club held its first meeting of the year Thursday at one o'clock. The meeting was called by Shirley Titcomb, WAA president, for the purpose of electing officers and planning a hockey clinic to prepare officials to work at hockey games this fall.



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with the masque

This year the Maine Masque Theatre has a new faculty head, Mrs. Joyce Stevens. Prof. Herschel Bricker, long known and loved by Masque enthusiasts, is now head of the play production department of the Army University in England. During his nine months' stay, Mrs. Stevens will take over all his work, as she did before when Prof. Bricker was ill in 1941. Mrs. Stevens' office is 330 Stevens, and anyone interested should feel perfectly free to call there for any information.

At the first Masque meeting of the year, the following officers were elected: president, Jeanne Ross; vice president, Betty Lehman; business manager, Dick Pratt; secretary, Sal Phillips; technical director, Gerry Hermanson; costume mistress, Mike White; and Cee Pavey, press representative. Other officers will be announced later.

This year the Masque has temporarily abandoned short shows in favor of bigger and better long productions. The first long play, scheduled for late November, will be "Harriet" of Helen Hayes fame. Tryouts for parts will be next Monday, Tuesday, and Wednesday evenings in the Little Theatre, and the Masque wants to see as many students out for roles as possible.

The Open House which was held for all new students in the Little Theatre last night was a howling success. Outstanding in the program was a reading by Angie Verenis, Jerry Kogan and his accordion, the Masque quartette, a reading by Toni Doescher, and Deacon Johnson at the piano. The hit of the evening was an original show called "Radio Burlesque." This show, crammed with clever and not so clever corn, really went over with a bang.

TENNIS

Tennis manager, Nora Chipman, called a special meeting for Thursday, October 11, at one o'clock. All women students interested in improving their tennis game outside of class were invited to attend. Miss Helen Carroll, new physical education instructor, will work with the girls, and if there is enough interest shown, a tennis club will be organized.

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for a morning climb and sent the MOCers scrambling and sliding back down those 3.3 miles. And if there are any MOCers that didn't get soaked to the hide, Dave would like to know where they found the tunnel. There was so much water in the trail that George Baker borrowed a leaky rowboat and floated back down. Or so he says. And George has never been known to lie.

Everybody was tired; everybody was wet; but everyone had a good time on the trip. But rain or no rain, the MOCers had plenty of laughs and lots of fun, and if anyone says they're all wet he'd better duck.

Men's Student Senate

The first meeting of the Men's Student Senate was held on Monday, October 8, 1945, at 7:00 p.m. Officers elected include: president, Dave Holmes; vice president, Alvah Ford; and secretary, William Wilson.

Football Fans - -

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When the mountain of raccoon coat with the six-inch cigar that smelled and smoked like a 125-ton engine working up steam lost his balance after delivering a standing cheer and fell on you in a smothering heap, you probably swore off spectator sports in general and football in particular. But the next moment a blue-shirted figure was running down the field, weaving and twisting past the enemy in a dazzling dash for the goal post. And you were on your feet, knocking the volcano-like cigar out of the raccoon's mouth, strangling the zany Jane beside you, and out-yelling the animated loudspeaker in back.

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By Clair Chamberlain

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For a time, it seemed as though Enoch would be forgotten, along with his counterpart, the "Veteran of All the Other Wars in History." Then the American people came to his rescue, welcoming him home with quite a different reception from the one tendered the Enoch Arden of fiction. The doors of American educational institutions were opened wide and Enoch, nearly consumed with a basic hunger for knowledge, was invited in.

It is felt that Mr. Arden has a definite place on the Maine campus this year, as well as in the years ahead. He's just one of the fellows here, fired with a creative desire to help build something for his School and, in a broader sense, a newer, better future for our United States.

Owls - -

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something worthy of consternation.

Well, a large group of upperclassmen, including some Owls, feel that something should be done about this. As a matter of fact, some of us have started a petition going the rounds recommending that:

1. Freshmen shall not smoke on campus.

2. Freshmen shall accompany ladies only on the written permission of the Skulls—or a suitably delegated body.

3. A suit coat must be worn at all times by those freshmen who have not made their numerals.

4. Sport clothing such as brightly-colored coats, sweaters, shirts, trousers, stockings, and shoes shall not be worn while rules are in effect.

All of these rules, along with a few others, were in effect (for men students) in the fall of 1942. A lot of the men who are here now had to put up with them and most of them were glad, when it was all over, that they had them.

Paddling is out. President Hauck says so and his word is final, of course. But what's to prevent the enforcing of these additional and, I hope you agree, necessary rules of conduct. Those who see eye to eye on this thing should get behind this petition and bring the whole thing before the Student Senate. They should push this thing and get the campus back to normal.

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Military Activity On Campus Grows As More Men Return

Three former NCOs with the ASTAP have been honorably discharged from the Army since V-J Day: Technical Sergeant Samuel S. Carmell, Staff Sergeants Louis F. Budz and Robert J. Campana. Carmell and Budz are returning to their home towns in Massachusetts. Campana is a freshman here at the University of Maine. These men have been replaced by First Sergeant Harry N. Chase, Technical Sergeant Frederick S. Conquest, and Sergeant Lloyd B. Davis. Sergeant Chase, formerly with the veteran Third Infantry Division in their weary conquest of the Nazis, has only three years left to become a "30-year man." Sergeant Conquest saw action with the pioneer American Division in the South Pacific. Sergeant Davis was with the ASTAP at the University of Connecticut and Tufts.

ROTC began last week with a class of over one hundred members, organized into five platoons. Non-coms have been appointed as follows: First Sergeant, Sheldon Sokol; Platoon Sergeants: Bernard Prescott, Leonard Harlow, Francis Linehan, William Small, and LeRoy Henderson; Sergeants: Perham Amsden, Robert Buck, Roland Murdock, Edwin Forsyth, Justin McIntyre, and Donald Smaha. Other appointments will be announced later.

Veterans who apply for the advanced course in military training, when it resumes, will be given credit for their time in active military service, if accepted. Anyone interested should see Lt. Col. Alexander in the Armory for more details.



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