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Music Night Will Be Held Next Friday

The Modern Dance Club, the combined Glee Clubs, the University Orchestra and the University Band will participate in the annual Music Night to be presented Friday, April 30, at 7:45 p.m. under the direction of Mu Alpha Epsilon.

It is estimated that approximately two hundred and fifty members of University musical organizations will take part in the evening's program. Harriette Watson '48, will be the soprano soloist from an aria by Puccini. The evening will be highlighted by awarding of the Mu Alpha Epsilon Award to the senior who has contributed the most toward the advancement of music on the Maine campus.

Ray Downs and his orchestra will play for the dance that is to follow the concert program in Memorial Gymnasium.

Clean-Up Due On Campus

Wednesday, May 12, is Maine Day—the day when all hands will turn to and give the Maine campus a clean sweep-down, fore and aft. Working parties will fall out at 0820 and police the area until 1130 when the details will be secured.

For the benefit of the off-campus students who have been otherwise unable to sign up for a project, ballot boxes and project cards have been placed in the Bookstore, the Library, and the MCA building.

Chest Drive Presents Report On Save The Children Group

In connection with the University of Maine Good Will Chest Drive, which will begin on May 3 and continue until May 8, David M. Hamlin, co-chairman of the drive, has received a report on the activities of the Save The Children Federation for the past year. This Federation is one of the many charitable organizations which will benefit from the Good Will Chest.

The report reads as follows:

Both in America and in Europe the child service of the Federation reached new high levels of effectiveness. Dr. John R. Voris, President of the Federation, said in the report. Disbursements of all kinds in cash and commodities was higher than in any previous year, and amounted to \$2,737,627.60—an increase of \$432,000 above the corresponding figure in 1946.

The Federation shipped a total of more than 600,000 pounds of commodities for needy children to Europe distribution points during the year.

The shipments included approximately 400,000 pounds of clothing (including special gift packages from sponsors), 33,000 pairs of shoes, supplemental food and vitamins, and blankets and other supplies.

In addition, the Federation furnished layettes for 2,408 infants in six European countries.

May 11 Will Be Election Day

Backer, Gonyar, Preble Head Next Masque Show

Rehearsals for "The Hasty Heart," a three act comedy-drama to be produced by the Maine Masque, began Tuesday evening.

The final production of the season by the theatre group, "The Hasty Heart" will star Bob Preble, George Gonyar, and Lydia Backer in the lead roles, supported by Al Dumais, Martin Needham, Marney Abrams, Irv Marsden, John Ballou, and Dave Hicks.

The play, a success in New York and London in 1945, deals with incidents in the lives of people associated with an English army hospital. It is the first play presented by the Masque in which either Preble or Gonyar have held lead parts, although both have been active in Masque shows for several years.

Miss Backer, playing the only female role, has also been active in the Masque, as have all the members of the cast. Her last leading appearance was in "The Magnificent Yankee," in which she portrayed the wife of Oliver Wendall Holmes.

Production dates have been set for May 5-8. Curtain time will again be at 8:15 p.m.

Seeds Of Destiny

"Seeds of Destiny," recipient of the award for being the best documentary film of 1947, will be shown in dormitory evenings, and at other points afternoons.

The film was worked out in relation to UNRRA activities.



George Gonyar and Robert Preble have the top male roles in "The Hasty Heart." —Newhall Photo

Good-Will Committee

Co-Chairmen Pauline True and Dave Hamlin of the University of Maine Good Will Chest Drive announce the names of the captains for the solicitations of funds.

The captains are: John Stimpson, Oak; Harland Witham, Dunn; Larry Thompson, Corbett; Ellen Stratton, Brewer women; Joyce McGouldrick, Bangor women; Elaine MacNichol, Orono women; and Joan Mayo, West Hall.

Paulyn Cheney, Balentine; Sally Weeks, Colvin; Margaret Hanks, North Estabrooke; Lois Nicholson, South Estabrooke; Madolyn Webber, Elms; Patricia Murphy, East Hall; Richard Rogers, Sigma Nu; Jim Dana, Beta; Doug Collins, Delta Tau; Robert Cool, Phi Eta; and John Fogler, Sigma Chi.

Howard Wagoner, Lambda Chi; Dana Davis, Phi Kap; Dick Sprague, ATO; Otto Wallingford, Alpha Gamma Rho; Paul Treworgy, Phi Gam; Richard Tainter, Theta Chi; George Lober, SAE; Sherman Cole, Phi Mu Delta; and Bernard Dubay, S. Apt.

The Publicity committee for the drive is composed of the following persons: Bob Winship, John Wentworth, Harry Treworgy, Connie Thomes, and Joe Tillem.

Foreign Students Speak On Guild

Maine's two students from Greece, Steve Casakos and Tony Papadopoulos, will tell their story on the Maine Radio Guild hour next Wednesday evening at 7:30 over WLBZ.

The two students, both from Athens, Greece, are here on exchange scholarships. The script, written by Margaret Hanks, tells how and why they came to Maine.

Last night, radio listeners heard Mayor Merchant climax the story of last year's campaigning with the announcement that he would not be able to run again.

Maine Radio Guild programs are produced every week over WLBZ. Students interested in taking part should contact Mrs. Williamson, 240 Stevens Hall. Try-outs for each program are held Thursday afternoons at 3:30 in 275 Stevens.

Major Organizations Will Hold Elections Together

The General Senate has set Wednesday, May 11, as a general election date. All major organizations which normally hold elections in the spring will be asked to schedule their elections on that day. This will include the election of a Mayor, General Senate officers,

Women Pick Watch Award

Women students will vote on the Portland Alumnae Watch Award next Thursday, April 29, as well as for officers of Women's Student Government and Women's Athletic Association.

The award is presented each year by the Portland Club of University of Maine Women. It goes to the woman student who, in the opinion of the students, has done the most for the University during her stay here.

This year's slate of candidates includes: Marit Andersen, Bonnie Andrews, Jean Campbell, Alice Fonseca, Doris Stanley, Pauline True, and Donna Welts.

Voting will be held between 8:30 a.m. and 4 p.m., in the Administration building.

Folsom Is Elected MCA President

Bruce Folsom was elected president of the Maine Christian Association at a general meeting last Tuesday evening. Other officers elected were Betty Hempstead, vice president; Martha Coles, secretary; and Chuck Barr, treasurer.

Following the election, activities reports for the past year were presented, and films showing the sports highlights of the past season at Maine were shown.

Tau Epsilon Phi Wins Trophy Again

The Interfraternity Council has announced that Tau Epsilon Phi won its second leg on the Sigma Chi Interfraternity Scholarship Cup, with a fall semester average of 2.94.

The cup will be permanently awarded to the fraternity which wins it the most times in 30 semesters dating from spring of 1947. It was donated by Raymond H. Fogler, '15.



Will Nisbet and Cliff Whitten were recently elected to the top positions on the Campus staff. —Newhall Photo

next year's representatives on the Athletic Board, the editor and business manager of the Prism, and the recipient of the Washington Alumni Watch.

It is possible that some of these organizations will be unable to arrange their elections plans quickly enough to fit this schedule, but enough time remains that if all act immediately no difficulty should be encountered.

A committee consisting of Bill Hopkins, Harlan Witham, and Mary Ann Dineen has been appointed to make plans for running the election.

A rather complicated procedure must be followed since the voters will be allowed to cast their ballots for candidates in some offices but not in others.

Senior men only will vote on the Washington Alumni Watch award. All men students will vote for the officers of the Athletic Board and for representatives from their respective classes.

All students will vote for the Mayor and for the officers of the General Senate. Voting for the Prism board officials will be limited to Sophomores.

It is believed that holding a single general election will greatly reduce the total work done in handling spring elections each year. The usual large turnout attracted by the Mayoralty election is also expected to greatly increase the number of votes cast for other candidates.

Newman Club Will Hold Elections

The Executive Committee of the Newman Club has prepared the nominating slate for the 1948-1949 officers of the organization.

The candidates for the presidency are Bill Deehan and Ed McDermott; vice president, Peg Millington and Virginia Healy; corresponding secretary, Helen Carlen and Thomas Coughlin; recording secretary, Lois Nicholson and Joan Heseltin; treasurer, John Dineen and Victor Pooler.

The election meeting will be held next Tuesday, April 27, at 7:30 p.m. in 305 Aubert Hall. Club members are reminded that nominations will be accepted from the floor.

Present incumbents are Dick Gagnon, president; Pat Rozzi, vice president; Ed McDermott, corresponding secretary; Betty Clark, recording secretary; Mary Healy, treasurer.

Mu Alpha Offers Award

Application for a Mu Alpha Epsilon award, which offers a year's instruction in instrument or voice, must be returned to 15 North Stevens by 5:00 p.m., Monday, April 26, 1948.

Symphony Will Give Concert

The Bangor Symphony Orchestra will present a concert at a University Assembly next Tuesday morning, April 27, at 8:45 in Memorial Gymnasium.

Prof. Adelbert W. Sprague '05 will conduct the Symphony concert which has become an annual feature of the University's Assembly program for Maine students and faculty.

The program will open with The Star Spangled Banner. Virginia Birnie will solo with the violoncello in Suppe's Overture, "Morning, Noon and Night in Vienna." Leo Viner and Bernice Sawyer will be the soloists with the oboe and viola in the Caucasian Sketches by Ippolotov-Ivaninov.

The Assembly is open to the public.

Jim Thinks Biff Is Right; There's Room For Improvement

The old Maine spark is gone, huh? The Maine "Hello" has degenerated to the Maine Growl? There's a dark cloud over Maine tonight?

Seems that way, doesn't it? Oh, where's that bright picture of college life, carefree youth swimming through snap courses? Who thunk that up, anyway? Biff Shalek has hit the nail on the thumb, I guess. Things *have* changed.

Everywhere you notice the changes. Try to give with the "Hello" to that snappy chick at the bookstore in the afternoons. You're taking a two-way chance that either her husband will set you back on your heels or she'll have a little judo the WAC's taught her were swell for fresh guys. It just isn't worth it.

So here's a recipe an old Maine grad gave me. Take it for what it's worth.

The Maine "Hello"

Ingredients:

A warm happy smile. Just one. It's contagious.

One batch of students assorted sexes, sizes, and colleges.

A snappy "Hi!" to everyone. What if you do get your face slapped once or twice. You'll meet some nice people that way.

And keep it up! Don't drag your enthusiasm through the mud.

Maybe next fall that brand new Freshman cutie will go home and tell her girl friends; "Oh, it's so wonderful up there! Almost two thousand boys and they all try to give you a line the first thing."

Maybe, even, the girls will do a little "Hello-ing" of their own. Huh?

—JIM BARROWS

Temple Meets Tonight

The Maine chapter of the Order of the Temple will hold a regular meeting tonight at 7 in the Orono Lodge

University Society

BY JAN AND KITTY

Tuesday morning at 3:05 a.m., Ye Olde Society Editors returned from Presque Isle, which is a small town thousands of miles north of Old Town. If you doubt our word, join the **Glee Club** and go Coast to Coast on a bus! However, the concert was well received, and a good time was had by all. Future trips are planned to Waterville, Brunswick, and Bath.

Frat parties topped the social calendar last week end. Forty couples attended a rushing dance at **Sigma Nu** Saturday night. The house was decorated with the Sigma Nu colors, black and yellow, and refreshments were served. Another rushing party was held at **Phi Mu Delta**, while **Theta Chi** and **Delta Tau** held informal vic dances.

Xi Beta chapter of **Chi Omega** held its annual spring banquet April 19 at the Country Club. Betty Jane Ladd was chairman of the banquet, which

celebrated Xi Beta's twenty-seventh anniversary. Tables were decorated with spring flowers. Jayne Hanson was toastmistress.

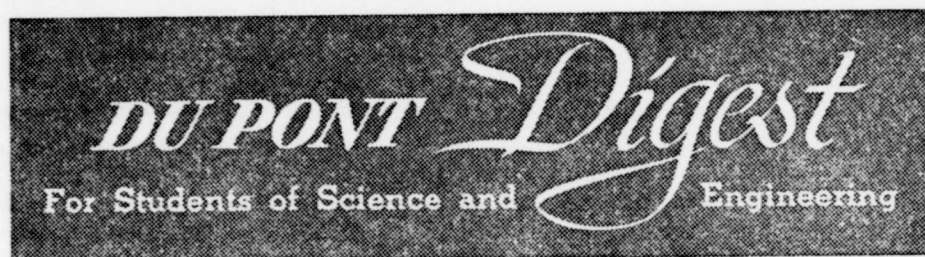
Saturday evening **Phi Mu Delta** held a banquet observing its twenty-fifth anniversary here on the Orono campus. Many of the charter members and alumni were present.

Prevue of next week end's events: **South Estabrooke** will hold a buffet supper, scavenger hunt, and dance Saturday night at the dorm.

Orchids to the frats who have been having Open Houses. This week end **Sigma Chi** will play host to the campus at a Hawaiian Beachcomber Party Saturday night.

Spring, balmy breezes, pinnings, engagements, and marriages. **Pinned** are Connie Brown to Mike Lamereau, Theta Chi; Phyllis Bickford of University of New Hampshire to Jim McNiff, Delta Tau Delta; Mary Hunt to Jim Gilchrist, Phi Eta Kappa. **Engaged** are Jayne Hanson and Bunny Bartley, Betty Pennell and David Morin of Brunswick; Ozzie Perkins and Bob Cool; Esther Freese and Dick Tardy; Marge Waterman and Ray Rideout; Carol Holden of Boston and Philip Sangster.

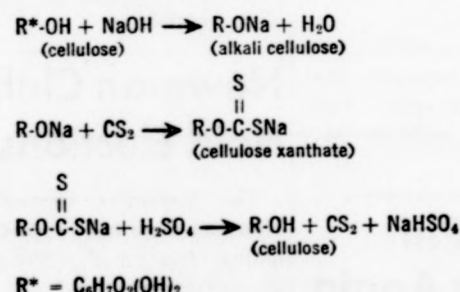
Ruth Butcher and Bob Capers of Phi Mu Delta were **married** last week end. Evelyn Prouty and F. Homer Bennett were also married recently.



Many Theoretical and Applied Studies Behind Development of "Cordura" Rayon

Stronger, lighter tires made possible by teamwork of Du Pont chemists, engineers, and physicists

On the surface, the viscose process for rayon seems fairly simple. Cellulose from cotton or wood is steeped in NaOH to give alkali cellulose, which is treated with CS₂ to form cellulose xanthate. Adding NaOH gives molasses-like "viscose," which is squirted through spinnerets into a coagulating bath of acid and salt to form from 500 to 1,000 filaments simultaneously:



Du Pont scientists were working to improve on the properties of rayon made by this process when, in 1928, a rubber company asked for a rayon yarn that would be stronger than cotton for tire cords. The problem was given to a team of organic, physical, and analytical chemists, chemical and mechanical engineers, and physicists.

Theoretical and Applied Studies

In developing the new improved rayon, a number of theoretical studies were carried out: for example, (1) rates of diffusion of the coagulating bath into the viscose filaments, (2) the mechanism of coagulation of viscose, (3) the relationship between fiber structure and properties by x-rays, and (4) a phase study of spinning baths.

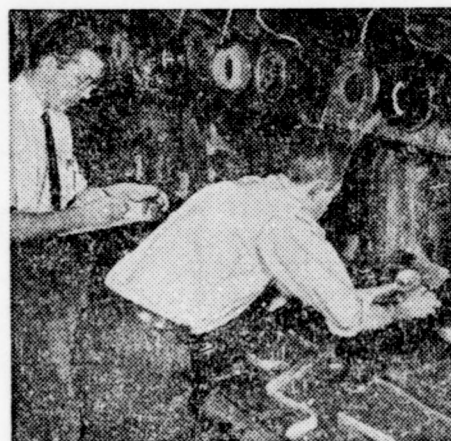
Concurrently, applied research was necessary. This proceeded along many lines, but the main problem was to perfect the spinning technique. It was known that a short delay in the bath between the spinneret and the stretching operation allowed greater tension on the filaments. Du Pont engineers, therefore, designed a series of rollers, each revolving faster than the previous one, to increase the tension gradually.

In addition, a textile finish was developed that combined just the right amount of plasticizing action and lubricating power, allowing the filaments to twist evenly in forming the cord. A new adhesive was prepared to join the yarn with rubber. New twisting techniques for cord manufacture were found, since the usual methods caused loss in rayon strength.

Engineering Problems Solved

Chemical and mechanical engineers were faced with the design and operation of equipment for more than 15 different types of unit operations. Equipment had to operate every minute of the day, yet turn out perfectly uniform yarn. It was necessary to filter the viscose so carefully that it would pass through spinning jet holes less than 4/1000th of an inch without plugging. Some of the most exacting temperature and humidity control applications in the chemical industry were required.

Out of this cooperation among scientists—ranging from studies of cellulose as a high polymer to design of enormous plants—came a new product, "Cordura" high-tensile rayon, as strong as mild steel, yet able to stand up under repeated flexing. Today, this yarn is almost 100% stronger than 20 years ago. Tires made with it are less bulky and cooler running, yet give greater mileage under the most punishing operating



Determination of spinning tension by C. S. McCandlish, Chemical Engineer, Northwestern University '44, and A. I. Whitten, Ph. D., Physical Chemistry, Duke University '35.

conditions. In "Cordura," men of Du Pont have made one of their most important contributions to the automotive industry.

Questions College Men ask about working with Du Pont

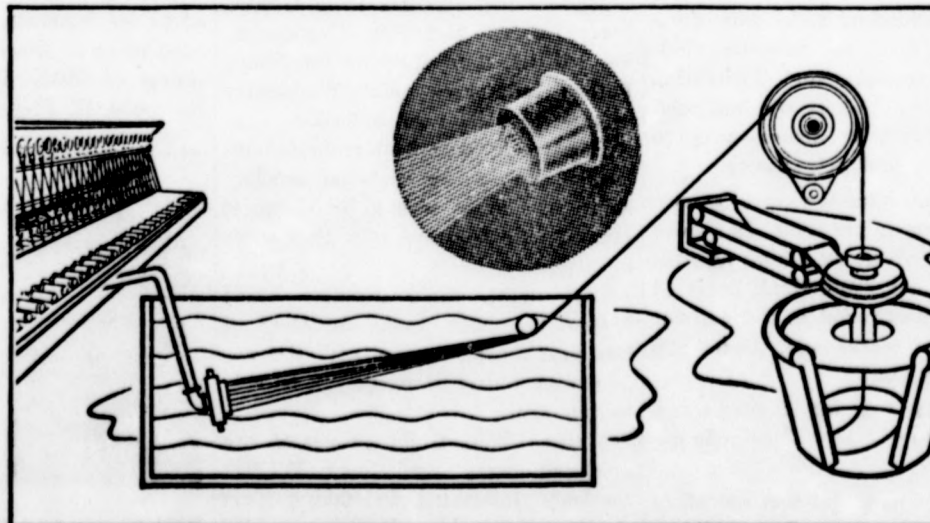
How are new men engaged?

Most college men make their first contact through Personnel Division representatives who visit many campuses periodically. Those interested may ask their college authorities when Du Pont men will next conduct interviews. Write for booklet, "The Du Pont Company and the College Graduate," 2518 Nemours Building, Wilmington 98, Del.



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Greetings

As all good things must change, so this week finds a new staff taking over the *Campus*. For better or worse, the old is out and the new is in. It can only be hoped that enthusiasm may make up for lack of experience.

No doubt some will look for revolutionary changes. Most will probably expect nothing unusual, either good or bad, and will probably not be disappointed.

It is unfortunate that satisfied readers seldom bother to express their satisfaction. The readers that editors ever hear from seldom have much to say in the way of compliments.

Lack of complaints, painful as they may be, can indicate only two things. Either every one is satisfied or no one is reading the paper. Since the first condition is tacitly understood to be out of the question, the second must prevail.

This of course is an unpleasant and unwanted situation. We don't want to feel that we are publishing the paper just to use our spare time. So don't be bashful. Let us know what you dislike. And if by chance you should like something, it would be extremely pleasant, though unexpected, to hear about that, too.

Congratulations, Joe

Maine students and fans were surprised and disappointed last week at the sudden announcement of Joe Zabalski's resignation to take the position of head football and basketball coach at Northeastern.

Joe has expressed complete satisfaction with his relationship with Maine, and declares that he will be sorry to leave.

The opportunity presented him at Northeastern, however, is more than he could turn down. He now has the chance to establish himself more firmly in the coaching profession in the next few years than he ever could as an assistant coach at Maine.

Maine loses a swell guy and fine coach—a coach acclaimed by many as one of the most promising in this part of the country. Maine's loss is all Northeastern's gain; and may Zabalski-coached teams never lose a game—except to Maine.

—CLIFF WHITTEN

A most unusual situation has arisen in local political circles. The annual Mayoralty campaign, the leading feature of Maine Day festivities for many years, may have become a thing of the past.

As of the latest available information, no applications had been submitted for the position.

If interest in the affair has reached such a low ebb that there are no candidates for mayor, the overall effect of the entire Maine Day program will certainly be seriously affected.

CLIFF WHITTEN Editor
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"You and your damned Business Administration"

SCOTCH AND SODA

BY BIFF SHALEK

Just so the people that live outside these fair Ivy walls don't get the wrong impression about Campus Life. I hereby submit this glossary of terms as they apply to the University of Maine Campus Life:—

Joe College: Anyone with two pairs of socks.

Hour Exam: Wisdom of Sanderlin, Strength of Hauck, Courage of Ashman, Power of Zabalski, Wit of Arnold, Speed of McNeary, and thank you Billy Batson alias Captain Marvel.

House Party: Bacchus was a piker.

7:45 Class: The end of a perfect day.

Monday Morning Hangover: See below *

Coed of Maine: Her mother sent her

Her father pays the rent

She yearns for fun and adventure—

Then claims that wasn't what she meant *

24 hour Cutting Rule: Limberger Cheese.

Men's Student Senate: Brennan's Last Stand.

Faculty, Male: Slightly balding, pot-abdomened individuals who have been cud-chewing for many a year.

Administration: Washington's or Andrew Jackson's?

*c/o Alcoholics Anonymous, Box 82, Bangor, Maine.

Don't Believe All You Hear

"Communist" and "communistic" are dangerous words in these trying times. These words have been used by many people with scant regard for their true meaning. They have been used carelessly by some, purposely by others, in an attempt to discredit anything the speaker or writer dislikes. They are "loaded" words; words which immediately set up a definite picture in our mind and which color all our thinking on anything to which they are applied. Whenever these words are used carelessly they do great damage, but when they are used purposely to influence us they are even more dangerous. The words "communist" and "communistic" are probably the greatest addition to the language in the last 100 years—if the viewpoint of reactionaries and extreme conservatives is taken. These words enable them to discredit any liberal or progressive man or movement by an appeal to our emotions

It Can Happen Here

An example of this technique of branding organizations with the name "communistic" has appeared on our own campus recently in a matter that concerns every student. During the present school year the University of Maine was invited to affiliate with the NSA, the National Student Association, which has been formed in the past two years and to which a majority of all students in the U. S. now belong. A committee was formed from the various student government groups and has been studying the proposals. This committee is in agreement that Maine should join the NSA and has now set out to publicize NSA in order that all students will know all sides

before they vote on whether or not to affiliate with NSA. Until recently the committee met only with student indifference; now a new interest is being shown—but from an unexpected direction. Word now has it that the NSA is communistic of communist-dominated and that this situation will obtain

Consider the Facts

Let's take a look and see whether this charge will stand up in the light of hard facts. The NSA is not communist or communist-dominated at the present time. The best proof of this is that even the severest critics of NSA admit that it is not. These critics have carefully examined NSA looking for such evidence and have been unable to find any. They confine their criticism to the fact that such may be the case in the future. Let us, then, take a look at the future. Several facts in the organization of the NSA are important. First, the NSA is made up of whole student bodies and not of any one club or organization on any campus. Thus, delegates from any campus to the policy-making National Student Congress, held each summer, would have to have the backing of the majority of the students on campus. Second, the smaller schools have a greater weight than large schools in representation in the NSA—and small schools have a reputation, at least, for being less inclined toward Communism than bigger schools. Third, in order to control the policy of the NSA Communists would have to have a majority of delegates from all colleges and universities in the USA at the National Student Congress each year.

I'm Usually Wrong But

BY BILL BRENNAN

As much as we hate to do it, it has become necessary that we question the *Pine Needle*; the college humor magazine published four times a school year, selling at two bits a copy, edited by Rip Haskell, put together on the top floor of the MCA building, containing varied articles from the sex life of butterflies to why or why not vote for Henry Wallace, and when do I get my pay for all this free advertising.

Up to this time, our relations with the aforementioned *Pine Needle* (and we went to all the trouble of describing it because we realize it isn't too well known) have been excellent. But we fear things have come to an end.

We love the editors of the *Pine Needle* like brothers or sisters, but sometimes we even attempt to correct our brothers, usually ending up with a black eye for our pains. Dear brothers and sisters of the *Pine Needle*, you just ain't got no right to pick a campus cutie for a nationwide contest without even asking the students.

Paulie Marcous is a lovely, desirable, wonderful, intelligent, personable young lady, and we love her madly and passionately. But gee whiz, as one might say were one to become vulgar, there might be one or two people on campus who don't love her as do we. Perhaps they believe that some other tasty dish has more nutritional value than does pretty Polly.

As a magazine of, for, and by the students here, the *Pine Needle* should, we believe, invite the opinions of the students when picking the most beautiful and personable girl of their institution.

Which brings up another point. *The Needle*, as we affectionately call it, is now conducting a contest to determine the prettiest and most personable wife on campus. The procedure is simple, just send in a photograph. Apparently we've missed the boat someplace. We always thought one had to know a person before judging that person's personality. Tell us, Rip, how's it done?

Last week the athletic department lost a valuable man, who is going to be difficult to replace. Joe Zabalski, admired and liked by everyone with whom he came in contact, will soon be head coach at Northeastern. A definite problem is presented in finding a man who can adequately replace Joe on the field as well as in the hearts of the students.

The New Look

BY TONI AND HELEN

Suits are seeking the votes in the spring primaries. Durability, versatility, practicality, beauty in line and design, and becomingness are all planks in the campaign platform.

At Zaitland headquarters, returns from all districts show Liza's subtly blended brown and white plaid suit to be in the lead. The knife pleated skirt topped by a notched lapel jacket will poll high at the conservative caucus. No "dark horse" fad could possibly edge out this "favorite son" of the people.

Swanton supporters are balloting a straight ticket in favor of June's brown cutaway suit. The double breasted row of self-covered buttons create a graduated effect down to the nipped-in waist. Backers are nominating its roll collar and graceful lines for tops in the liberal party.

A popular candidate in any election is Jean Cunningham's "radical-blue" covert cloth suit. The tuxedo jacket is the main topic of many speeches with its slightly dipped, flared back. The classic straight skirt retains its high spot on the slate of good choices.

Monty Higgins Says:

I was walking toward my wife the other day—just calmly walking toward her—when she started laughing. I was dazed. "What's the matter?" I wanted to know.

"The way you walk," she said. "Your toes point out. You waddle like a duck."

"It is better body mechanics if the toes point out slightly. Balance is better."

"Yeah, but your toes point east and west."

So—if anyone should notice me walking around campus with my toes pointing straight ahead—Indian fashion—please pay no attention.

Women's Sports

All women interested in Red Cross life saving, swimming, and instructor preparation are eligible to join such classes at the Bangor YMCA on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7 to 10.

Women who have not already done so, should register immediately in the office of the Women's Phys. Ed Department. Creditable academic standing is required for enrollment in the class, and a University physical exam must be passed and written permission from home must be on file in Miss Lengyel's office.

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Volleyball Next week's schedule:

April 23, 3:30, Balentine—No. Estabrooke; West Hall—East Hall.

April 24, 9:30, Off-Campus—Colvin; Elms—No. Estabrooke.

April 27, 3:30, West Hall—So. Estabrooke; East Hall—Off-Campus.

April 28, 3:30, Colvin—No. Estabrooke; Balentine—Elms. 4:30, East Hall—So. Estabrooke.

April 29, 3:30, Balentine—So. Estabrooke; Off-Campus—West Hall. 4:30, East Hall—Colvin.

Eleven Initiated Into Alpha Zeta

Eleven men were initiated into Alpha Zeta, honorary agricultural society, Wednesday evening, April 21. Those honored were: Albert P. Bartlett, Leslie Bolstridge, Elmer L. Folsom, Richard A. Andrews, Harold W. Gausman, Hartley E. Marsh, Joseph A. Hamblen, Benjamin Stearns, Carl H. Estes, and James A. Robinson.

ASAE Meets Wednesday

The regular monthly meeting of the American Society of Agricultural Engineers will be held Wednesday evening, April 28, in room one of the Agricultural Engineering building.

Chess Club Will Play

The University Chess Club will play an unofficial match with the Bangor Chess Club next Monday evening at the YMCA.

The Chess Club, recently reorganized, meets every Wednesday at 7 p.m., in the Women's Lounge of the MCA.

Friday Will Be Junior Prom

Jim Sprague and his Maine Bears will furnish music for the Junior Prom, to be held Friday night in the Memorial Gymnasium.

Corsages will be in order at this semi-formal dance, with admission at \$1.50 per couple. Dancing will last from 9 until 2 a.m. Tickets are on sale in the administration building.

Decorative theme of the dance will be violets, big and little, set off by gold streamers.

President and Mrs. Arthur A. Hauck, Dean Edith Wilson, and Dean and Mrs. Elton E. Wieman will be on the reception committee. Chaperons include Mr. and Mrs. Henry L. Doten, and Professor and Mrs. John E. Stewart.

Haldane Will Speak At Vesper Services

Robert Haldane of the Bangor Theological Seminary will be the speaker at this Friday's Vesper Services, held each week in the Little Theatre at 4:45 p.m.

Kenneth Giddings will be student leader. Miriam Kochakian is chairman of the MCA Vesper committee.

Koinonia Will Meet

Does Christianity Pay?

Koinonia members and interested students will discuss this subject at the next meeting of the organization next Sunday, April 25, at 7 p.m., in the MCA building.

According to chairman Jane Sibley, this will be the second meeting of the group on this subject. The first discussion drew many students.

Maine Debaters Meet Bowdoin

Federal World Government was the topic debated in the Louis Oakes room of the library on April 16. This University, represented by Margaret Mollison and Doris Vollmer, upheld the affirmative of the question. Richard Van Orden and John Good of Bowdoin, debated the negative side in the non-decision debate.

Another debate on the same question at the same time was held in South Stevens. Maine debated negative with Robert Moran and Francis Bean. Bowdoin affirmed with John Mullone and Robert Hart.

Before the debates, all the teams accompanied by Mr. Wofford Gardner, had dinner at Spruces. It was decided that the opportunity to meet your opponents before the debate had an extremely satisfactory effect.

Brunswick Campus Will Raise Funds

The Student Senate on the Brunswick campus has voted to sponsor a campaign to raise funds for the Memorial Union Building to be erected on the Orono campus. Burton DeFrees of Glen Ridge, N. J., has been named chairman of the campaign.

DeFrees is a graduate of Deering High School in Portland and of the Maine Maritime Academy at Castine. He is president of the Student Senate and represents the *Prism* on the Brunswick campus.

Last year Brunswick campus subscriptions for the proposed memorial building totaled \$20,188, and more than 86 per cent of the student body pledged its support. There are 740 freshman men registered this semester.

Faculty Sets \$10,000 Goal

Under Chairman Irving H. Prageman, the Faculty Committee on Union Building Fund are renewing their campaign to raise a minimum of \$10,000 for the War Memorial. Already \$7,560 has been subscribed by University non-alumni faculty and staff members.

By voluntary action a committee of fifteen faculty members expressed a desire to join with alumni and students in helping to make possible the much needed Union Building. Plans for the drive among faculty members have been made by this committee. In commenting upon the campaign, Prof. Prageman said, "The response to date has been highly encouraging. We are optimistic about reaching at least the \$10,000 goal, and hope to exceed it substantially."

The captains of the six teams are Thomas Pedlow, Himy Kirshen, Frank Taylor, Edith Wilson, Geddes Simpson, and Ernest Jackman.

The other members of the committee are Marion Sweetman, Robert Ashman, Albert Turner, Benjamin Speicher, Esther Comegys, Irwin Douglass, Louis Ibbotson, Stanley Wallace.

Wood Displayed In New Library

A collection of nearly 200 finished wood samples are on exhibit in the display booths along the corridor of the first floor of the New Library.

The samples, which were prepared by Fay Hyland, Associate Professor of Botany, include figured woods, furniture woods, dyed woods, laminated blocks, plywoods, and others.

Dairymen Will Study

The College of Agriculture will hold a short course from May 17 to 22 to train prospective supervisors of Dairy Herd Improvement Associations. Anyone interested should apply to the nearest county agent of the Extension Service by the first week in May.

Instructors will include Dr. Howard C. Dickey, Llewellyn M. Dorsey, Howe W. Hall, Ralph F. Evans, and Dr. J. Franklin Witter, all of the College of Agriculture.

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Bear Facts

By JERRY ROGOVIN

Kappa Sigma looks like a cinch at this point to win the interfraternity all-point race. The Kappa Sigs have racked up a total of 274½ points to hold a commanding lead over second-place Phi Eta Kappa. Phi Eta has scored 176 points, and Phi Mu trails in third place with a 166½ total.

Joe Zabalski's new job as head coach of football and basketball at Northeastern may be considered a fine boost for the popular former Maine line coach. The Northeastern setup is ripe for a new man, and with a little more cooperation from the school administration, Huskie teams could be a real threat in the future.

Football news is in the air in Orono with the announcement that spring practice will begin next week for centers and backs. If the weather gives Coach Allen's crew any k dniof Coach Allen's crew any kind of break, outdoor drills will take place on Monday, May 3.

The baseball, tennis, and golf teams journey south this week end to take on new opponents representing Connecticut, Rhode Island, Northeastern, and Boston University.

It seems criminal to me the way the floor is waxed up in the Memorial Gymnasium. Spare-time basketball enthusiasts are in danger of breaking bones in a skating session throughout the week. It's a real hazard!

Coach Bill Kenyon unfurled his baseball team on Monday afternoon in weather which was more suitable for gridiron play. Starting pitcher Joe Archibald impressed with a pretty fair stint. He pitched well enough to have but a few runs charged him, but poor luck and some sloppy fielding hurt his chances. In addition to his pitching talents, Archibald starred at the plate.

The Colby exhibition was the stage for the age-old hidden ball play. Bill Walker was the goat of Colby's first baseman, Spinner's alertness.

The new uniforms that the Bear diamond outfit is sporting resembles the traveling suits of the New York Yankees. Here's hoping that the team resembles the Yankee teams of old in more than uniform. Lowell Osgood's game-winning triple in the Colby game was a great reminder of the Bronx Bombers.

Intramural softball, with an approving nod from old Jupe Pluvius, is scheduled to begin on Monday. Hal Woodbury, in charge of this year's schedule, announced that the two new fraternities on campus, Theta Rho and Chi Rho Sigma, will compete in the elimination tournament.

Coach Chester Jenkins faces the tough proposition of beating Bowdoin this spring to win the State outdoor track title. Bowdoin is strong where Maine is weak, and vice-versa, so that the Bears can't expect to gain the edge in individual contests with the Polar Bears. Jenkins' efforts to round the team into top shape for the season, which opens this Saturday with a home dual meet against Boston College, is hampered by a lack of outdoor drills, and the very important factor that some of his star performers have not been working out with the regularity that is necessary for them to get themselves into condition.

Individual championship teams so far in intramurals include Kappa Sigma in basketball, boxing, and wrestling; Phi Eta Kappa, track; and the Corbett Hall Minutemen in dormitory basketball.

Three Maine Teams Are Heading South

Eagles Win, Give Owls The Bird

The sophomore owls and eagles took over the Memorial gym on Saturday last for a basketball game and dance. The game of course was the feature attraction of the evening. Dean Wilson's Eagles defeated Dean Wieman's Owls, 6-4, after a hectic but hilarious half hour of play.

There were plenty of laughs for the crowd—some planned and others quite a surprise to everyone, including the participants. Dean Wilson, for instance, drew the game to a grand finish by swooning gracefully in the arms of Ed McDermott after receiving an unexpected kiss from that quarter.

President Hauck and "Wally" did a fine job of refereeing, although they found it necessary to refer to their rule books occasionally. Highlights of the game were Dick Watson's harmonica playing, the spectacular tackles made by the eagles, and Dean Wilson's old-fashioned gym suit.

Maine Golfers Play At Brunswick

Charlie Emery's University of Maine varsity golf team placed second in team play Monday in the annual Patriot's Day Brunswick Golf Club Tournament. With Dick Sturtevant, Warren Wilson, and Joe Hammond leading the pack in net scores. The Maine team shot a combined 419 to trail the Martindale team from Auburn five man total of 399.

Playing on the Martindale team are some of the best amateur golfers in the state including Bill Lever, who won the tournament with a gross score of 73, Ray Lebel, last year's winner, Ed and Royce Abbot top flight golfers, and Hugh Bethel, president of the club.

Individual scores for the Maine entrants were:	
Dick Sturtevant	82-70
Warren Wilson	84-74
Joe Hammond	86-74
Dick Smith	84-76
Gene McNabb	83-81
Andy Bunker	89-81
Phil Bickford	88-82
O. B. MacKellar	99-87
Wendall Wilson	No card

Spring football practice will start Monday, April 26, for centers and backs. The rest of the squad will report Monday, May 3.

Finalists Set In Badminton

House finalists in the dorm badminton tournament are now playing off to determine the University women's championship. Matches are as follows: Phil Osgood (East) vs. Marilyn Noyes (Balentine), Roberta Packard (Balentine), vs. Jan Pettee (So. Estabrooke), Morna Kimball (Off-Campus) vs. Julie Shores (Elms), Joyce Chipman (East) vs. Pat Ward (No. Estabrooke), and Gerry Bellefleur (Elms) vs. Jayne Hanson (So. Estabrooke). Sue Dartnell (No. Estabrooke) and Carolyn Beckler (West) drew byes.

Tournament posters are up and all women interested in taking part are urged to sign up now. Games will start as soon as weather permits.



Prexy fouls cozy clinch at the Owl-Eagle tussle, over the basketball? —Newhall Photo

Track Season Opens Here On New Oval With Boston

By JIM BEAUDRY

The Pale Blue outdoor track squad swings into action this Saturday against Boston College here on the new track and field set-up. The afternoon's activities are due to get under way with the weight events at 1:00 p.m., while the running events will begin at 2:00.

Maine has been troubled greatly by lack of opportunity to work outside, having been forced to remain in the field house for most of the work except the longer distances. Another difficulty has been the schedule arrangements which have made it very hard for many of the team's top performers to work out as often as they should. Some of the more hardy and ambitious team members have tried to beat this handicap by taking their work-outs in the late afternoon and early evening hours.

Boston College was beaten by Harvard a few weeks ago but has a large number of individual stand-outs. These men, plus Maine's lack of depth in most events, will cause the Bears a great deal of worry and an extremely close meet is expected. Some of the star runners wearing the colors of the Boston club are King and Parsons, a pair of colored speedsters who won their dash events against Harvard, and

Malloy, the winner of the mile against the Crimson.

Maine's roster for the meet will not bear many new faces. Tommy Johnston, top-notch cross-country runner of the 1946 team which placed ninth in the National run, has been working out for the last month and is regaining some of his old form and ability. He and Arnie Davis, who won the two-mile run in the last indoor meet, may be able to offset, to some extent, the loss of smooth-striding Doug Morton, ace of the squad last Spring. Morton has been hampered by leg trouble for some time now and will not run this Spring.

The hurdles, which seemed so strong this winter, are much weaker now as Blaine Beal is the only top ranking high hurdler who has been working out consistently, and Beal and Ray Humes will have to carry the burden in the low hurdles.

Bob Emerson still is the top pole valuter in the State and is expected to win this event. Folsom and Wallace will have their hands full in the mile with Malloy of the visitors, and the dashes will be closely contested all the way. Morrow, of B.C., has recorded distances of 135 feet in the discus and over 45 feet in the shot put so will bear watching in those events.

Maine Takes Exhibition Tilt From Colby Mules, 6-5

A long triple by Lowell Osgood and an error by the Colby left fielder, permitting a run to score in the bottom half of the sixth inning, broke a 5-5 tie and gave the Maine Bears a 6-5 win over the Colby Mules in an exhibition game Monday.

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	ab	r	h	o	a
Mitchell, 2b	2	1	0	4	1
Osgood, 3b	2	3	1	1	1
Nickless, rf	4	0	1	0	0
Woodbrey, 1b-ss	4	0	2	7	0
Lord, C	4	0	1	6	4
Coombs, cf	2	1	0	4	0
Walker, lf	3	0	1	1	0
Rogers, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Beals, ss	3	0	1	2	1
Diffenbach, 1b	1	0	0	1	0
Archibald, P	2	1	2	1	3
Thurlow, P	2	0	1	0	1
Total	31	6	9	27	11

COLBY

	ab	r	h	o	a
Koines, lf	2	1	1	0	0
Eldridge, lf	2	0	0	0	0
Clark, cf	4	1	1	2	0
Pierce, ss	4	0	0	0	1
Spinner, 1b	3	2	1	1	1
White, C	3	1	0	4	0

Jacobs, rf	2	0	1	1	0
St. Pierre, rf	2	0	0	1	0
Nardozi, 2b	2	0	0	1	2
Hunter, 3b	1	0	1	0	2
Goulet, 3b-2b	2	0	1	0	2
Washburn, P	2	0	0	0	4
Silburstein, P	0	0	0	1	3
*Grant	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	29	5	6	24	15

*Hit by pitch for Silburstein in the ninth.

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Colby	302	000	000
Maine	221	001	00x

Errors: Osgood, Coombs, Beals, Koines, Eldridge, Nardozi. RBI: Jacobs 2, Pierce 1, Woodbrey 2, Beals 1. 2bh: Spinner. 3bh: Clark, Osgood. Sac: Mitchell 2, Goulet 1. Stolen Bases: Koines. Bases on Balls: off Washburn 4, off Archibald 3, off Thurlow 1. Hit by pitcher: White (Archibald) Grant (Thurlow) Osgood & Coombs (Washburn). Strikeouts: by Thurlow 3, Washburn 1, Silburstein 2. Hits off Washburn 8 in 6, off Silburstein 1 in 2, off Archibald 5 in 5, off Thurlow 1 in 4. Left on Bases: Maine 9, Colby 5. Winning Pitcher—Thurlow, Losing Pitcher—Washburn. Time 2 hrs. 15 min.

Baseball, Golf, Tennis Squads Will Play Away

Maine's athletic forces open up the official seasons in two sports, golf and baseball, and continues for tennis, with a three-day tour for each team through southern New England.

Bill Kenyon's baseball squad opens up the 1948 schedule at Kingston, Rhode Island, against the Rams. The game will be the second for the home team. They defeated Vermont last week, 4-1.

The Bears were rained out in their initial engagement of '47 with Rhody, in the third inning. Maine was leading, 6-4, when the game was called.

The second outing for the Bears will be a 7-inning twin bill with Connecticut at Storrs. The Nutmeggers, who swept last year's doubleheader at Orono, won their first game on April 17, blanking Vermont, 5-0. The strong points of Connecticut last year were pitching and tight defensive play, both of which were important in the victory over Vermont.

Northeastern will be Maine's third opponent in the southern swing, in a single game at Boston. The Bears first win in '47 was recorded at Boston, when Dick Preble blanked the Huskies on five hits, 7-0. The home team shut out M.I.T., 7-0, in their first game.

Tennis

Maine's varsity tennis squad left Orono yesterday afternoon for Boston, where it will meet Boston University this afternoon. B.U. will be the toughest of the next three opponents to be played, on a basis of last year's record.

The second stop on the tennis tour will be Kingston, R. I., home of the Rhody Rams, traditionally a court power, and expected to regain the winning from which they lacked last year. The trip will conclude with a match at Storrs against Connecticut.

Coach Small announced that the following are expected to make the trip: Fred Hermann, Lawrence Van Peursem, Owen Southard, Fred Hackett, Robert MacDonald, Harry Allen, and Frank Potenzo.

Golf

The third unit of the Maine traveling contingent will be the varsity golf team, under the helm of Coach Charlie Emery. The team will tee off against B.U., Rhode Island, and Connecticut over the weekend. Five lettermen are included among those who are expected to make the trip. They are Gene McNabb, Phil Bickford, Dick Smith, and the Wilson brothers, Warren and Wendall.

High Schools To Be Entertained Here

The annual high school sports day, sponsored by WAA, will be held Saturday, May 1, in the Women's gym. Schools invited include Old Town, Orono, Bangor, Brewer, John Bapst, and Hampden.

Registration will take place at 9:30 and the activities will continue until 4:30.

Mary Zelenkewich is chairman of the affair, and her committees are as follows: Program, Helen Buzzell, Flo Greenleaf, and Pauline True; dinner, Betty Arnold; registration, Florice Pratt and Ann Diblee; and equipment, Rena Thorndike.

All women students are invited to participate. Sign-up charts will be placed in the dorms this weekend.

Look! No Mayor

As things stand now, the next mayor of the campus will be "the little man who wasn't there." Thus far there have been no aspirants to this esteemed office and applicants are urged to submit their names to Bob Worrick's office or to Ted Cowles on or before April 27.

It is likely that eligibility rules will remain the same as in previous campaigns. Any freshman, sophomore, or junior who is not on probation may throw his hat in the ring.

Closing night, May 10, will mark the end of speeches and a rally will be held in the Memorial gym.

New Art Show Now On Display

A non-objective art display will be opened on May 3, Mr. Vincent Hartgen, head of the Art Department, announced. Twenty-five paintings by Jack and Alice Garver will be shown. There are twenty-three new watercolors and two oils done by this husband and wife combination. The paintings in this group are all new. Critics have mentioned their striking relation in forms and colors and called their work imaginative, creative, and very modern.

Mr. Garver is now in New Mexico, where he is studying at the University of New Mexico. Mrs. Garver graduated from Skidmore College.

Women Apply For Housing

Women living on campus may obtain housing request cards for next year from their house director, the Housing Office has announced. Off-campus women who wish to live in women's dormitories next year should get requests from the Housing Office, New Cafeteria.

All requests must be returned on or before May 3. A room reservation deposit of \$25 should be filed with the University treasury department between May 17 and June 5. Checks should be made payable to the University of Maine.

Deposits made after June 5 will not be considered until after all other requests are acted upon.

Are your Thursday afternoons free? The Campus can use helpers in its circulation department, MCA building.

Beauty Contest Ends May 1

Latest scoop from the *Pine Needle*, headquarters of the Mrs. Maine beauty contest, is as follows.

(1) All entries must be in by May 1. Photos are preferred, but snapshots will be accepted. Return of prints cannot be guaranteed.

(2) Five candidates will be selected from the entries by an impartial board of judges. Judges will be announced later.

(3) Tentative plans call for the candidates, accompanying his honor, the Mayor, on Maine Day, to serve refreshments to the laboring students. This will serve to introduce the candidates to the student body.

(4) Balloting will take place in the lobby of the gym, Maine Day evening, at the time of the faculty skit. Both students and faculty may vote.

Vote for Mayor!

Debaters Will Argue On UMT

The hot issue of Universal Military Training will be debated by teams from Colby College and the University of Maine here next Wednesday afternoon.

The debates, open to the public, will be held at 4 p.m., in South Stevens Hall.

Representing the University will be Robert Russell and Dwight Demeritt, affirmative, and Margaret Mollison and Doris Vollmer, negative.

Three Maine Students On Planning Committee

Three University of Maine students are on the local planning committee for the Northern Maine Area Leadership Training Conference for leaders in student Christian Associations to be held at Orono, May 1 and 2.

The committee consists of Mary Gardiner of Colby, chairman, and Philip Lawrence of Colby; Mary Dirks, Pat Rozzi, and John Wentworth, all of Maine; and Charlie O'Connor and Morla Timberlake.

Maine, Colby, Farmington State Teachers College, Ricker Junior College, Aroostook State Normal School, and Washington State Normal School will participate in the conference.

The Canterbury Club has announced that the annual spring election of officers will be held at 7 p.m. Sunday, April 25, in the upstairs MCA lounge.

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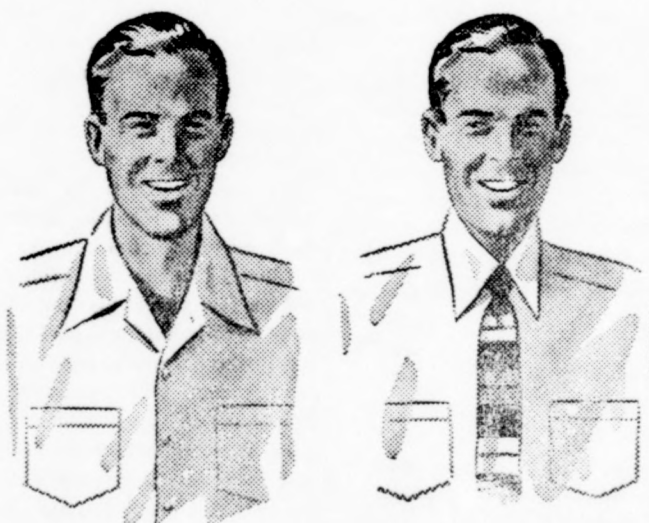
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Maine Day Projects

For the benefit of those people who have been otherwise unable to get the word, the following is a list of the Maine Day projects.

1. Cleaning of debris in the North Dormitory area.
2. Sweeping roads.
3. Raking leaves and picking up paper on campus.
4. Cleaning shrub beds.
5. Planting shrubbery and trees where needed.
6. Development of athletic grounds.
7. Cleaning the Memorial Gymnasium.
8. Development of picnic grounds at Stillwater.
9. Development of picnic grounds in back of Estabrooke.
10. Work in the Botanical Gardens.

11. Planting and cleaning around the Heating Plant.
12. Work at the Elms.
13. Work in the University forest.
14. Work in the forest nursery.
15. Work in the MCA Building.
16. Construction of paths and walks.
17. Women's Gymnasium (W.A.A. Project).
18. Development and improvement of the ski slope.
19. Cutting brush in orchard.
20. Picnic area near the orchard.
21. Work in Carnegie Hall.
22. Parking area near Poultry Building.
23. Picnic area near Great Works.
24. Removal of dead trees.
25. Repair of Estabrooke tennis court.

Six Students Enter Speaking Contest

Six students will compete for \$50 in prizes tonight in the John M. Oak Prize Speaking Contest. The competition, open to the public, will be held

in 6 South Stevens at 7:30. Speeches, to be delivered extemporaneously, are to be 10 minutes in length. First prize is \$25, second \$15.

The contestants and their speeches are: George Vardamis, "American Foreign Policy"; Richard Warren, "Should the Communist Party be Outlawed?"; June Swanton, "Needed—UN Reform"; Leon Gray, "Anatomy"; Everett Dunton, "Lest We Forget"; and Larry Jenness, "Who's Bigger?"

Maritime Graduates Invited To Banquet

All graduates of the Maine Maritime Academy are reminded that the annual Alumni banquet will be held at the Pilot's Grill in Bangor, Saturday evening, May 29 at 6:30.

Men planning to attend the banquet should notify Ed Langlois at Castine. The banquet is stag but a non-graduate friend may be brought along as guest.

The price is \$3.00 a person.

VA Must Certify Vets Planning To Go Abroad

Veteran-students who are enrolled in American colleges during the regular school year and who wish to take a summer course abroad under the GI bill are reminded that they must meet certain requirements to qualify for such study.

The veteran must first obtain a letter of acceptance from the VA-approved foreign school he plans to attend. He must then secure a supplemental certificate of eligibility from his VA regional office.

With these papers as evidence he secures the necessary passports and visas from the Department of State.

Information on foreign schools approved by the VA may be obtained through the VA regional office or from the Director of Registration and Research, Vocational Rehabilitation and Education Service, Veterans Administration, Washington 25, D. C.

The annual Campus banquet will be held next Wednesday, April 28, at 6 p.m., in the banquet room at Spruces Log Lodge.

The banquet is free, but reservations should be made first with Larry Jenness. All members of the staff are cordially invited.

Campus shingles and keys will be awarded, and speech-making will be at a minimum.

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Leeman Heads List On English Exams

Martha Leeman received the highest rank on the four written comprehensive examinations given English majors, according to a recent release from that department.

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The four parts of the test include a test on correctness in the use of English, a critical essay on an author, a test on the general history of English and American literature, and a test on advanced course.

The ten highest scoring seniors were: Miss Leeman, Ruth Preble, Robert Dumas, Barbara Andrews, Lydia Backer, Margaret Gowdey, Sonja Averill, Richard Cutts, Patricia Costello, and Terry Garcelon.

Aggie Club Will Elect

The Agricultural Club will hold its next meeting April 27, in 33 Winslow.

Election of officers for the coming year will be held.

Frosh Debaters Meet At Colby

Four first-year students will represent the University of Maine at the first State Freshman Debate Tourney to be held at Colby next Saturday.

Maine teams will be John Crooker and Everett Keach, affirmative, and Mary Linn and Dwight Demeritt, negative.

Two teams from Bates, one from Colby, and the Maine squad will compete in three rounds of debating. A decision will be announced.

The question for debate is Resolved: that the government should require arbitration of labor disputes in all basic American industries.

Committee Named

Seven instructors in the College of Technology have been appointed to a committee on humanistic studies. They are: Professor Richard C. Hill, Chairman; Professor Waldo M. Libbey and Professor Matthew McNeary, three years; Professor Jonathan Bisco and Professor Edward F. Thode, two years; and Professor Edgar J. Bogan and Professor Frank Taylor, one year.

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Robinson Verrill Will Speak To Maine Students Monday

Robinson Verrill of Portland, a republican candidate for governor, will be presented to Maine students next Monday, as the first meeting of a program to be known as "Meet the Candidates."

The meeting, to be held in the Louis Oakes room of the New Library at 3:30 p.m., is being sponsored by the Politics Club and the Young Republican's Club.

These two organizations plan to bring all the various candidates for political office here to the University to give an address and present their views relative to the political situation

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Tau Ep Elects

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Gerald A. Rogovin, Vice-Chancellor
Milton W. Kline, Scribe
Samuel Strock, Bursar

Education Club Meets Tonight

The Education Club is sponsoring another one of its program meetings on Thursday, April 22, at 7:30.

Guests at the meeting will be Mr. Carpenter, Superintendent of schools in Bangor, and Mr. Leonard, Superintendent in Orono. They will hold

sample interviews with selected students so that members of the group may see what is required of them in an interview. The actual application situation will be set up in a semi-dramatic style. Students will have an opportunity to ask questions after the program.



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