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Stage Is Set For Largest Graduation

Cut In University Funds Forces Tuition Increase

University of Maine students this week faced the fact that, starting with the fall semester, they will pay \$75 more a year in tuition and fees.

The increase, announced last week end, was voted by the Board of Trustees "as a result of the failure of the Legislature to appropriate \$300,000 per year (the amount provided for each of the past two years) in addition to the Mill Tax."

Memorial Day To Be Observed Sunday, May 29

L. Felix Ranlett, Bangor Public Librarian and a veteran of World War I, will be speaker at the annual Memorial Day Assembly, Dr. G. William Small, Chairman of the Memorial Day Committee, has announced. The services will be held on the steps of the Library at 11 a.m., Sunday, May 29.

Mr. Ranlett received an A.B. degree from Harvard in 1921 after an outstanding war record. He is a well-known civic leader in Bangor having served as President of the Rotary Club. He has been active in other civic organizations and in the affairs of the American Legion. He has written several books including "Let's Go," a story of his war experiences, and "Book of Honor," dealing with the lives of the 112 Bangor men who lost their lives in World War II.

Chaplains of the Protestant, Catholic, and Jewish faiths will also address the assembly. Music will be provided by the combined glee clubs and the R.O.T.C. Band. The R.O.T.C. Department will provide a marching unit comprised of advanced military students.

Dr. Arthur A. Hauck will preside at the assembly. Mr. James G. Selwood and William E. Bodwell will conduct the glee clubs and band respectively. Major Richard W. Healy will command the military unit.

Starting Saturday, May 28, and continuing through Memorial Day, the University "Memorial Book" will be on display in the library. The book, consisting of two volumes, was compiled by Professor Walter R. Whitney. It contains a picture and brief biographical sketch of those from the University who were killed during the recent war.

Journalism Dep't Moves To Fernald

If present plans work out, the *Maine Campus* will be in new quarters next fall.

The newspaper will share Journalism laboratory facilities on the second floor of Fernald Hall. Space used will be that vacated by Geology, which will move into the new Engineering Building.

For the first time in its history, the *Campus* will have a full-scale newsroom, with city desk, rewrite battery, and copy desk.

Under the new rates, residents of Maine will pay \$300 a year tuition. Nonresidents will pay \$425 tuition.

The University, however, may receive only about \$150,000 a year through the increase.

Veterans Are a Factor

That is because the amount which the Veterans' Administration will continue to pay for the education of approximately 2,000 war veterans will probably be about the same as it has been.

Therefore, the University will have to save another \$150,000 through "rigid economy," the trustees said.

Individual war veterans studying under the G. I. bill will not be affected by the increase.

Scholarships Established

The trustees voted to establish a limited number of scholarships "to relieve cases where undue hardship may result" from the tuition increase.

"We certainly hope that no student now doing good work at the University will be forced to withdraw," President Hauck said. "The scholarship committee will do all it can to provide aid for worthy individuals."

Complete Statement

The complete statement issued by the trustees after their meeting, which was held Friday, follows:

"As a result of the failure of the Legislature to appropriate \$300,000 per year in addition to the Mill Tax, which sum would have provided the same state support for the University as for each of the years of the current biennium, the Board of Trustees reluctantly announce an increase of \$75 per year in tuition and fees to become

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JOHN WENTWORTH, Valetorian



GEORGE STATEN, Salutatorian

Baccalaureate Ceremonies In Memorial Gym June 5 Open Graduation Exercises

John Wentworth And George Staten Win Top Scholastic Honors In Class

By KEN ZWICKER

Exercises for the largest class that ever graduated from the University of Maine will get under way on Sunday, June 5, at 10:30 a.m., with Baccalaureate services in Memorial Gymnasium. Rev. Fred H. Thompson of the class of 1928 will deliver the address.

Valedictorian of the record-breaking class is John W. Wentworth, Augusta, an electrical engineer.

Salutatorian is George LeRoy Staten, Flushing, L. I., a modern languages major.

For the Baccalaureate ceremonies, the class of more than 700 students will assemble on the Mall in front of the Gym at 10:15 a.m., if the weather is fair, or in the Field House, in case of rain. A rehearsal for Commencement Exercises, which all seniors must attend, will be held immediately after the Sunday morning program.

Graduation will continue with Class Day on Friday, June 10. At 10:30 a.m. the senior class picture will be taken on the Coburn Green. At 11 a.m. a class meeting will be held in the Little Theatre.

Exercises in the Oval

Class Day Exercises proper are scheduled for Friday at 1:45 p.m. in the Oval, near Coburn Hall.

John Ballou will read the class history. Paul Ford will give the class ode, and Jack Zollo will be class chaplain.

The President's Reception will be held from 4 to 5 p.m., when Dr. and Mrs. Hauck will be at home to the seniors and their relatives, alumni, and the faculty.

Dance Highlights Class Day

Caps and gowns are worn on all of these occasions.

Class Day will be climaxed at 9 p.m. Friday night at the Commencement Ball, which will feature the music of Glen Gray and his Casa Loma

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Penn Scientist Initiates Local Physics Society

Dr. Stanley S. Ballard, head of the department of physics at Tufts College, spoke on "Some Unusual Applications of Spectroscopy" at the formal installation of the University chapter of Sigma Pi Sigma national physics society last night in the Oakes Room.

Dr. Ballard spoke in place of Dr. Homer L. Dodge, president of Norwich University, who was unable to attend.

Formally Instituted

The local chapter was formally instituted by Dr. Marsh W. White, the national executive secretary of the society and professor of physics at Penn State College.

A banquet in Estabrooke Hall followed the installation.

The establishment of the University chapter of Sigma Pi Sigma is a recognition of the standing of the physics department and the University in the field of science. This distinction is due chiefly to the efforts of Professor Clarence E. Bennett, head of the department of Physics.

Officers Named

The objects of the society are to serve as a means of awarding distinction to deserving students in physics, to promote student interest in research and advance study, to encourage a professional spirit and friendship among those who show ability in physics, and to foster general college interest.

Officers of the local chapter are: president, Fernand F. Daigle; vice president, William True; secretary, William Outhouse; treasurer, Robert Freeman; and chapter Adviser, Victor Coffin.

Students are reminded that June 4 is the deadline for deposits to reserve rooms.

Wives Of Class Of 1949 Graduates Will Receive 'Certificate Of Merit' At Class Day Exercises

Nearly 250 wives who have been struggling behind the scenes in an attempt to pay the grocer and help their student-husbands get a degree from the University of Maine will be honored for their efforts on Class Day.

Dr. Arthur A. Hauck will present the wives of seniors graduating next month with "certificates of merit," signed by him and the dean of the college in which the husband has been registered.

The certificates will read:

"The University of Maine presents this certificate of merit to (wife's name). Be it known that the faculty and administration of the University recognize and appreciate your con-

tribution, expressed in so many ways, to your husband's postwar academic achievements.

"In witness thereof this certificate has been signed by duly authorized officers of the University as a token of their esteem, in the town of Orono, Maine, this tenth day of June, 1949."

Dr. Harold E. Youngs, instructor in forestry, headed a committee, comprised of Earl Ingalls, Walter Hinds, James Hinds, and Roland Morrison, which checked all available records in an attempt to obtain the full names of the wives of students graduating.

The results of this survey show that the marital status of the class of 1949 is as follows:

Of 219 men graduating from the College of Arts and Sciences, 84 are married. Of 107 in the College of Agriculture, 49 are married; of 199 in the College of Technology, 98 are married; and 16 of the graduate students are married. That is, approximately 45 per cent of the men graduating from Maine in June are married.

Since it is possible that there are still some husbands who have not yet been contacted, the committee has requested that any graduating senior who has not been asked his wife's name within the past week get in touch with a member of the committee, or leave the information in the office of Dr. Youngs, 215 Library.

Barnett, Retiring General Senate President, Lauds Organization For Year's Accomplishments; Treasurer's Report Is Included

Ralph E. Barnett, retiring president of the General Senate, has expressed satisfaction with the accomplishments of that group during the school year.

"The Senate has done its best to measure up to high objectives," Barnett said.

Committees Named

At the first meeting in the fall, standing committees for assembly, election, publications, campus citizenship, social affairs, Good Will Chest, and nominations were recognized; these committees worked throughout the year on the duties assigned them by the Senate constitution.

In addition to the work of the standing committees, Barnett's report lists the following special committees and their accomplishments:

(1) National Student Association: This committee recommended that the University of Maine not give serious consideration to joining the NSA until next year.

(2) Help Plan Committee: Following the Trustee approval of the Bowdoin plan, this group was organized and is now processing applications and making arrangements for the proper care and placing of the ten students for which Maine has provided.

Plan Bigger Carnival

(3) The Winter Carnival Committee: This committee is well along on the development of plans for a bigger and better carnival next year.

(4) Health and Accident Insurance Committee: This group completed arrangements for the offering of insurance on an optional basis to students next fall.

(5) Class Constitution: This committee drew up the class constitution approved by students at the spring elections.

(6) The Union Building Plans Committee: This committee met a number of times this winter and spring and after numerous revisions, ap-

proved floor plans for the Union Building.

(7) The Campus Safety and Development Committee: Under the approval of President Hauck, this group has met and made plans for the future.

(8) Cheering Contest: In the hope of developing new cheers and instilling more spirit, a cheering contest was conducted at one of the football rallies.

(9) Final Examinations: No definite report is yet available, but indications point to a better set-up next year, with the probability that seniors may be exempt from finals beginning next year.

(10) As a result of General Senate recommendations, the Trustees voted the installation of automatic washers in the dormitory system.

Cite Maine Day

(11) The General Senate takes pride in the part it played, both directly and through its committees,

in the Maine Day program honoring President Hauck.

Barnett also included a treasurer's report listing an estimated income of \$1,999.66 to be offset by expenditures of \$1,297.60, leaving a balance of \$702.06.

In concluding his report, Barnett expressed appreciation for the support and encouragement given the General Senate by the advisors, Dean Wilson and Dean Wieman, the administration, faculty and students.

Tau Beta Pi Elects

Tau Beta Pi, honorary society in engineering, has announced the election of Theodore S. Whitehouse, president; Warren E. Hammond, vice president; Colby H. Chandler and William True, secretaries; Herbert Harriman, treasurer; and Leland Porter, cataloger.

Reorganization Of MCA Meets Group Sanction

The proposed reorganization of the Maine Christian Association, designed to bring closer cooperation between the three religious groups on campus, was met this week with general approval by representatives of the Hillel Foundation, the Newman Club, and the MCA Cabinet.

Stanley Miller, spokesman for Hillel, said, "Basically, the reorganization plan is a good idea. Something is definitely needed. There are a lot of problems to be worked out yet, which will require the cooperation of all the students. After all, it's for the benefit of the students."

Pasquale Rozzi, president of the Newman Club, stated, "I am in favor of reorganization, but I am not entirely in agreement with the proposed set-up. I can see some changes that could be made."

Charles Barr

Charles Barr, president of the MCA Cabinet, said, "I'm all in favor of the plan because it will get the three religious groups on campus working together more. I believe there will be some changes made in the proposed set-up, but they will be mostly minor details."

The three spokesmen expressed the belief that by next year the necessary changes can be made and certain details ironed out, thereby providing a workable set-up.

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Polio Strikes Fourth Child In Vets' Colony

The University Health Service has reported one more case of polio in the South Apartment area. Robert Paul Lee, three-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. John F. Lee, was taken to the Eastern Maine General Hospital for treatment May 18.

Dr. Byron Whitney, University physician, said that no paralysis had developed.

The only instance of paralysis was in the case of James and William Taylor, and it is not certain that this will be permanent. Dr. Whitney said that the Taylor children will be taken to the Hyde Home in Bath for treatment.

Of the four cases, only the two Taylor children had contact with each other.

According to Dr. Whitney, the quarantine can be lifted only on the order of the local health officer. This is usually done two weeks after the appearance of the last case.

Speech Laurels Go To Butler

Frank Butler has been named the winner of the interclass Speaking Contest, held Thursday in the Louis Oakes Room. Six winners of the preliminary round competed for honors in the finals and delivered original speeches.

Others in the finals were Donald Smyth, Karol Knapp, Ethel Mae Scammon, Dwight Frye, and Lois Murphy, who was unable to attend.

Butler's speech was "How to Reduce Traffic Accidents." The other two winners, Ethel Mae Scammon and Dwight Frye, spoke on "Curses on Required Courses" and "Elements of a Well-Written Play," respectively.

T. Russell Woolley, Therese Dumais, and Mrs. Arthur Stevens of the Speech Department acted as judges.

MAE Pops Concert To Be Held Friday

Mu Alpha Epsilon, honorary musical society, is sponsoring a Pops Concert by the University Glee Club and Symphony Orchestra at 8 p.m. tomorrow in the Memorial Gym.

Lois Ann Nicholson, soprano, will be featured in a solo, *Il Bacio*, from *d'Ardita*. The Glee Club will sing selections from the operas "Carmen," by Bizet, and "The Gondoliers," by Sullivan.

The Varsity Singers will present selections from *Ahlstrom*, Sullivan, and Cook, and the orchestra will play selections from Strauss, Anderson, Ponchielli, Coward, and Schwartz.

Tau Kappa Initiates

Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity, in a ceremony at the MCA Building last Thursday evening, May 19, initiated the following:

Raymond L. Trabold, Clement M. Toth, Winfield S. Tilton, Jr., John R. Shea, Richard W. Noyes, Blair B. Libby, Roy L. Gove, and Robert L. Freeman.

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Deutscher Verein Announces Winners In Goethe Contest

Deutscher Verein, honorary German scholastic society, has announced the winners of the prizes which were offered in their effort to create interest in the celebration of bicentennial of the birth of Johann Wolfgang von Goethe, German poet and philosopher.

The following students received awards:

First prize, a set of the works of Goethe, to Leighton S. Cheney; honorable mention, the "New Directions" edition of "Faust" to Roberta C. Foster, and the Dr. J. F. L. Raschen edition of that book to Richard S. Sprague.

Modern Dance Club To Stage Program

The Modern Dance Club will give a special program tonight at 8:15 in the Little Theatre. The program, which will be conducted by club members and their apprentices, will be a demonstration in the techniques of modern dancing.

The theme for the program is built around the travels of Columbus. Alfred Dumais is writing the continuity.

Numbers on the program include: "Come to the Fair"—apprentices; "The Shakers"—Modern Dance Club; "Jaloscie"—Elaine Lockhart and Barbara Stewart; "Taboo"—Ruth Holland; "Precision Number"—Betty Russell, Jean Tourtillotte, Carol Carr, and Mary Linn; and the Carioca—Morna Kimball, Carol Carr and Alfred Dumais will also do a number entitled, "Saunter on Tenth Avenue."

The public is invited.

Murphy Leads Press Club Officer Slate

John Kemp Murphy has succeeded Joseph Hutchins Cobb as president of the Press Club, according to the results of an election held Tuesday.

James Robert Wheeler was elected vice president; Robert Parker Snowman, treasurer; and Marilyn Mae Wyman, secretary.

Summer Registration

The office of the School of Education has announced that all students who plan to attend the summer session should call at Room 18, South Stevens, immediately and pick up application forms and registration material.

The Maine Agricultural Experiment Station was made part of the University in 1887.

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Stage Is Set For Graduation Of 700 Seniors

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Orchestra. The dance will be formal, with optional dress for men.

President and Mrs. Hauck, Dean and Mrs. Paul Cloke, and Dean and Mrs. Edward N. Brush will be the faculty and administration members of the receiving line.

The \$3 dance assessment, voted by the senior class at spring registration, must be paid by June 6. Unassessed seniors slated to graduate in Feb., 1950, who wish to attend the ball may obtain tickets at the Treasurer's office.

There will be two Commencement ceremonies on Sunday, June 12, in Memorial Gym. Seniors in the Colleges of Agriculture and Technology, and graduate students in the fields of Agriculture and Engineering will be graduated at 10 a.m. At 2:30 p.m. the seniors and graduate students in the College of Arts and Sciences and the School of Education will receive their degrees. Dr. Leonard Carmichael, president of Tufts College, will be the Commencement speaker.

Admission to the Commencement Exercises will be by ticket. Seniors and graduate students will be allocated up to eight tickets each. These may be obtained from the Registrar's Office from May 23-June 8.

Newman Club Sponsors Annual Spring Stag Dance

At the last meeting of the Newman club, Conrad Grondin, social chairman, announced that the annual spring stag dance will be held Saturday, May 28 at 8:30 p.m., Memorial Gym.

Students Honored By Kappa Delta Pi; Officers Elected

Three students have been newly initiated into Kappa Delta Pi, honorary education society. They are: Verne McDonald, Jane Moulton, and Nathan Fish.

Newly elected officers are Kenneth Fobes, president; Elliot Lamb, vice president; Regena Conroy, secretary-treasurer; and Freda Gray, historian.

Other members initiated this year include Thomas Beadle, Roger Peabody, Doris Vollmer, Kenneth Sharp, Lawrence Smith, Frank W. Bartlett, Merle Finley, Owen B. MacKellar.

Earl Coates, Kenneth Vennett, Roy Huff, Aphrodite Floros, Mary Zelenkewich, Edward McDermott, Robert Dione, Carroll McGary, Donald Patterson.

Rosaire Ratte, Chester Willette, Philip Kimball, Reginald Williams, Emmett Stevens, Harold Chapman, Regena Conroy, Freda Gray, Riva Greenblatt.

Harley Flaws, Elliot Lamb, Frederick Hackett, Isabelle Fuller, Herbert Geele, Robert Gilchrist, Kenneth Fobes.

Engineers Honor Alton L. Sproul

Alton L. Sproul has received the annual Maine Association of Engineers Honor Award.

The \$50 cash award, which was presented at a meeting in Bangor by Professor H. D. Watson, president of the association, is given each year to a member of the senior class in the College of Technology on the basis of moral character and scholastic achievement.

Pi Kappa Delta Speech Society Is Instituted

The Maine Beta chapter of Pi Kappa Delta was formally instituted last night at impressive ceremonies held in the President's Room of Estabrooke Hall.

Professor Wofford Gardiner, head of the speech department and a member with the degree of Special Distinction in Pi Kappa Delta, was the installing officer.

Pi Kappa Delta is a national honorary forensic Fraternity whose purpose is to promote forensic activities in the colleges of the country. The Maine Alpha chapter is located at Colby.

Margaret Mollison, chapter president, accepted the charter after she had been formally installed as president. Other officers are Dwight Demeritt, vice president; Mary Linn, secretary-treasurer, and Francis Bean, recording secretary.

Seven other students were installed as charter members of the chapter: Kathleen R. Kennedy, Lawrence S. Jenness, George A. Vardamis, Lawrence C. Smith, Robert D. Moran, Donald J. Waring, and Everett T. Keach.

Tumblers Announce Slate

Officers of the Women's Tumbling Club for the coming year are: president, Eva Stinson; secretary, Roberta Packard; publicity chairman, Jeanne Thompson; and program chairman, Rena Ratte.

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Marjorie Main, Percy Kilbride

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"SMART WOMAN"
Fri., Sat., May 27, 28
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"THE UNTAMED BREED"
Sun., Mon., Tues.
May 29, 30, 31
"COUNTESS OF MONTE CRISTO"
"TULSA"
Wed., Thurs., June 1, 2
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Sun. & Mon., May 29-30
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New Worlds To Conquer

Graduation will this year find the largest class to date in the history of the University receiving diplomas. This group of seniors is composed of all sorts of people, some barely out of their teens, others balding with age.

These people have been trained for varied types of worldly tasks, some of which range from the harvesting of bigger and better potatoes to the building of great bridges and the teaching of other people.

They are, for the most part, very serious concerning their futures, and they all have one thing in common, an honest desire to achieve success.

This abstract goal takes on many different aspects in relation to the different individuals. To some, success is the accumulation of great wealth, and the ability to drive Cadillacs and smoke two-bit cigars. To others, it is to do a good, satisfying job at some task of their own choosing.

But whatever their criteria, these graduates are going to have to achieve that success in an ordinary, work-a-day world.

They are going to have to work just a bit harder than the graduates of a year ago did in order to obtain a job. Many of them will have to take jobs that do not pay very much at the start, accepting employment at the bottom of the ladder.

There has been a lot of talk among persons outside the collegiate world to the effect that college graduates expect too much. They want to make a million dollars. They're shooting too high. They want the dessert before the dinner. All these things have been said many times in the past, and they might have been true in the past, but they are not true now.

Prices and wages are dropping, jobs are very scarce, and these seniors are not blind. They realize this and appreciate the problems they are facing. Most of them are chafing at the bit, so to speak, eager for the chance to get out and compete and prove themselves.

Tomorrow is theirs. What they do with it is their problem, and they are ready to face it. And, given the confidence of their peers, they will solve it.

Along this line, *The Campus* wishes to say that it believes firmly and strongly that tomorrow will be much better than yesterday or today. Members of the class of '49 will help make it that way.

—LARRY PINKHAM

University Sets Pace

The University of Maine is presenting certificates of merit to the wives of all the men graduating in the class of 1949.

The husbands and wives will laugh about it in years to come, because people have a way of forgetting the lean years and remembering only the fat ones. But beneath his chuckle, John will still recall the days when Mary mended his socks when there was nothing left to mend... when she planned the meals so there would be enough left over for red-flannel hash... when someone thoughtlessly pronounced a lowering of skirts, dating all of Mary's knee-length ones.

To the 250 Marys who are being honored, we can only say, humbly... "Thanks, girls." Gertrude Franklin Atherton tells the whole story in a few words:

"No matter how hard a man may labor, some woman is always in the background of his mind."

We look upon the presentation as more than the awarding of "certificates of merit" to student-wives. As far as we have been able to determine, no other college in this part of the country has done anything of this kind. This action on the part of the University of Maine is another example of the commendable manner in which the Administration constantly struggles to set a progressive pace in the state... an example of its willingness to try something new.

—KEN ZWICKER

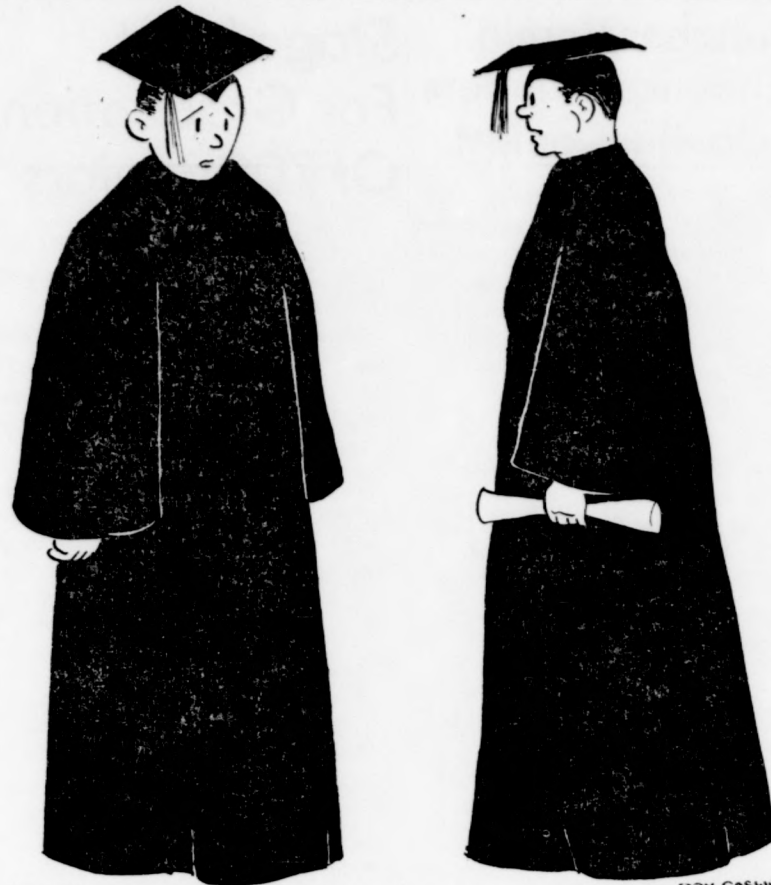
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CHEER UP, JOHN, PERHAPS YOU'LL GET YOUR'S IN THE NEXT SHIFT.

MAINE-LY MUSIC

By Bob Slosser

It is very encouraging that the senior class has elected to have a name band for its Commencement Ball. It shows that the students are beginning to realize that they deserve good bands for their important dances, and it also shows that there is a way to get good bands if the demand is strong enough.

It may be that Glen Gray hasn't the best outfit in the country, but it is more than probable that he will be worth listening and dancing to.

The facts and figures concerning the group are not too well known in these parts, but if it is as good as it was when Bobby Hackett, Walter Robertson, and some of the other greats were present, it should be fine.

The junior class and the senior class have shown that they are waking up. Let's hope that next year the other classes will follow suit.

This week end brings the end of another school year. It is highly probable that these two ends will bring about another—that of Maine's leading band, the Maine Bears.

For three years now, Jim Sprague

and his boys have led the field in Maine (often in New England) as far as good, modern music is concerned. It will be a shame if the group is forced to disband.

What will we have for big band music in the future? There have been no signs of anything promising.

We'll have good small groups like Ray Downs and the new up-and-coming (?) bop group, but who's going to replace the 14-page aggregation?

Sprague and his performers, which include such mainstays as Charlie Ellis, Otto Knowles, Oscar Davis, Johnny Godsoe, Artie Tsomides, Willie Kenyonson, Ed Stoddard, and Bob Ordway, have done a good job of representing the U. of M. throughout the state.

Just as a good football team or a good basketball team spreads good feeling for the University, so does a smart musical group.

If Jim is forced to drop the leadership of his crew, let's hope that there will be enough interested people around to see that someone picks up where he leaves off.

PETTICOAT ANGLES

by Marilyn Wyman

The final appearance of *Petticoat Angles* for this school year aims to deal with a few suggestions gleaned from other schools.

To begin with, the mayor campaign which Bates recently witnessed (with only two candidates, incidentally) was a little different from the exhibition staged at Maine. The aim of the election was not to vote for the candidate but for the campaign. This made the campaign the focal point of attention and necessitated a good campaign. Bates also followed through by having as the electors only the coeds and the veterans' wives.

From Boston College comes a plan under which a student athletic pass book is issued to each student at registration. The pass book contains coupons to be exchanged at the athletic office for tickets to specific football, hockey, basketball, and baseball contests, either at a reduced rate or without charge. This eliminates the reserving of seats for people who do not plan to attend, as the present

Maine system allows.

Then there's the B.U. Date Bureau, an organization which has been functioning for some time, in an effort to promote acquaintances between coeds and men who might not otherwise have a means of meeting.

Colby college has forwarded another idea following much the same thinking as has the intercollegiate senate in promoting relations between the college campuses and the source of our future citizens of those same campuses—the high schools of Maine. The Colby plan, as the *Echo* has devised it, would offer assistance to high school newspapers. Maine has already worked out a program under which high school speakers and debaters are encouraged but a great deal more could be done in the fields of sports, dramatics, and numerous activities to bring together high schools and colleges.

Having filled up the space graciously allotted me, I say "have a real vacation in the next few months."

Mail Bag

Bill Mincher Lauds Campus Efficiency

To the Editor: For the first time since I began attending the University in 1946, the *Campus* has been arriving at my home in Bangor the same week it is distributed in Orono. Your staff—especially the circulation department—has been more on the ball than any other staff I know of.

Your adjustment of the center section has, to me, made the paper more efficiently made up. In short, the *Campus* has made several strides which I, for one, heartily approve of.

Congratulations on an efficiently run organization, and more power to you next year.

—BILL MINCHER

Ed note: This bouquet should land squarely in the lap of Virginia Stickney and the members of the circulation staff, and also in the laps of editorial staff members. It is they who have made possible any improvements.

No, Five Cent Cigar Isn't What We Need

To the Editor: What this university needs is not a good five cent cigar but two clocks that can agree as to the correct time.

It would seem that an institution the size of the University would have its clocks synchronized, but that is not the case.

Take the Bookstore clock, for example. Usually that timepiece is ten or twelve minutes off the beam. What, may I ask, is its value under this condition? If it is to make certain that those who are running for the buses will not miss them then perhaps the idea is a good one.

Again the toll of the bells has a watch that does not agree with those of the students. Maybe the difference is due to the time it takes sound to travel through the air but I doubt it.

A possible remedy is for the University to use Chinese water clocks if the more modern timers can not be depended upon.

CLOCK-WATCHER

Correction

In last last week's *Campus* we ran a page one picture of Mayor Bob Fletcher with a charming young queen on his lap. Unfortunately, however, the identifying line was omitted. To those readers who have been wondering who the girl is, we hereby state that she is Charlotte (Fatima) Alex.

Faculty Facts

This week we give you new authors in the College of Technology. Professor Joseph M. Trefethen will have published this summer by D. Van Nostrand Co., "Geology for Engineers," and Professor Walter J. Creamer has recently had published by McGraw-Hill, "Elements of Electrical Engineering."

Some cynic has said that a professor puts all that he knows into a textbook and then proceeds to call it the "Elements" of something or other. We know that this is not the case with Professor Creamer because he is now preparing another book, this time on electrical communications.

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University Society - Spring House Parties

The grand finale of the semester spring houseparties, was held last weekend by 15 of the 17 frats. Beautiful weather, plenty of co-eds, and good entertainment were only a few of the elements which placed the houseparties among the most enjoyable affairs of the year.



MARILYN

A.T.O.

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. John Lyman.

Orchestra: Bill Stetson.

Saturday: Bar Harbor.

T.K.E.

Penobscot Country Club.

Chaperons: Lt. Col. and Mrs. Chester Glassen.

Mr. and Mrs. Julian J. Conroy, and Mr. and Mrs. John Gronouski.

Orchestra: The Collegians.

Saturday: Green Lake.

Phi Eta

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Norman Suarez.

Orchestra: Maine Bears.

Saturday: Camden and Pushaw.

Sigma Phi Epsilon. Held at Lucerne.

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Bogan, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas King, Dr. G. William Small, and Miss Kathleen Chambers.

Orchestra: Howard Gordon.

Saturday: Sandy Beach.

Sigma Chi

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Hill.

Orchestra: Parker Leonard.

Saturday: Echo Lake.

Kappa Sig

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Edward Smykay, Mr. and Mrs. Paul Rogers.

Orchestra: Maine Bears.

Saturday: Franklin.

Sigma Nu

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. William Gorrell, Mr. and Mrs. Nathan Rich.

Orchestra: Bob Jones.

Saturday: Informal vic dance at the house.

S.A.E.

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. T. Russell Woolley, Mr. and Mrs. Reginald Murphy.

Orchestra: Watie Akins.

Saturday: Camden Snow Bowl.

Phi Gam

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. George Clifford, Mr. Francis Sullivan.

Orchestra: Bob Brochu.

Saturday: Holbrook Pond.

Theta Chi

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. J. Robert Smyth, Dr. and Mrs. Robert York.

Orchestra: Ray Downs.

Saturday: Oakland Park.

Alpha Gam

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. John Manchester, Mr. and Mrs. Roland A. Struchtemeyer.

Orchestra: Norm Lambert.

Saturday: Sunset Park.

Phi Kappa Sigma

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Mawhinney, Mr. and Mrs. John Anderson.

Orchestra: Jack MacDonough.

Saturday: Southwest Harbor.

Phi Mu Delta

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Richard Gerry, Dr. and Mrs. Byron Whitney.

Orchestra: George Fisher.

Saturday: Webb Pond.

Lamba Chi

Chaperons: Mr. and Mrs. Sam Sezak, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Tuttle.

Orchestra: Wayne Drinkwater.

Saturday: Northeast Harbor.

Delta Tau

Chaperons: Dean and Mrs. E. E. Wieman, Major and Mrs. Myron D. Smith.

Orchestra: Sammy Saliba.

Saturday: Informal vic dance.

Among the highlights of the formal Friday night were the crowning of Gennette MacNair as queen of Delta Tau, Betty Harriman as Sweetheart of Sigma Chi, and Ruth Berglund as Sweetheart of Sigma Ep.

Engaged:

Rita Robinson, Fort Fairfield, to Doc Southard, Phi Mu Delta; Betty Harriman, Balentine, to Bud Larson, Sigma Chi.

Pinned:

Winnie Hilton, North Estabrooke, to Windy Perkins, Lambda Chi; Peggy Knight, South Estabrooke, to Stan Christianson, Phi Kapp; Connie Lincoln, West Hall, to Dick Sweetser, Sigma Chi.

Cut In Funds Forces Raise In Tuition Rates

(Continued from Page One)

effective at the beginning of the next academic year, 1949-50. The Trustees feel compelled to take this action in order to maintain the present level of quality of instruction offered to its 4,000 students.

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Educational Conferences And Short Workshop Courses Will Be Included In University's Summer Session

Five educational conferences and short workshop courses will be held at the University as part of the Summer Session program, July 5-August 12.

The five conferences and short workshop courses are as follows: Public Library Workshop, July 5-9; Driver Education and Training Course, July 11-15 inclusive; Workshop for School Secretaries, August 8-12; Character Education Workshop, August 1-5. An International Relations Institute will be held during the session through a series of assembly programs.

The Public Library Workshop will be held in cooperation with the Maine Library Association and the Maine State Library. It is planned especially for librarians and library assistants.

St. Onge And Elliott Take Prism Offices

Walter St. Onge and James Elliott are the editor and business manager of the 1951 *Prism*.

Under the provisions of the new Sophomore class constitution, the president and the executive committee of that class are empowered to appoint three apprentice editors from whom future editors of the *Prism* can be chosen.

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New General Senate President Has Established Enviably Record

This is the last of a series of biographical sketches of the new leaders of student government organizations.

By BOB MORAN

The new president of the General Senate, James A. McBrady, has established himself as an outstanding leader both on the football field and on the floor of the Senate.

McBrady, a business major, might well have campaigned as "the businessman Maine needs." His efficient manner and business-like methods have won him acclaim as a man who gets things done with a minimum of delay.

McBrady's leadership qualities have come to light this year as president of the class of 1950, and as southern fraternity representative to the General Senate.

As a result of this prominence and active leadership in shaping student activities, he was recently selected for membership in the Senior Skulls. McBrady also holds membership in the Newman Club and Phi Mu Delta fraternity.

All who know Jim say, without exception, that he has the ability and determination to succeed in virtually

any endeavor he might attempt. When an untimely accident last fall forced him to retire from the football team, McBrady turned his attention to other campus activities.

He made an excellent record as president of the largest class in the history of the University and contributed very much to the success that the General Senate has enjoyed this year.

Because of his qualities of leadership, common sense, determination, and his business-like manner, his many supporters are unanimous in predicting a great year for next year's Senate.

VA Personnel Cut Drops University Contact Man

As a result of the cut in Veterans' Administration personnel, the University contact representative will no longer call at the University Thursday afternoons.

All veterans who desire information on insurance and medical benefits are asked to contact the Bangor VA office.

Mr. Pike will remain as consultant to P.L. 16 students.

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Don Brown, the state interscholastic champion Monmouth.

With his victory in the major letter for sport, golf.

According to the Athletic Board, letters may be awarded to the winner of the intercollegiate golf tournament or runner-up.

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Bear Facts

By JOHN MURPHY

Don Brown of the University won the state intercollegiate golf championship Monday afternoon.

With his victory, Don earned a major letter for himself in a minor sport, golf.

According to the rules adopted by the Athletic Board last spring, major letters may be awarded in golf to the winner of the state or Yankee Conference golf title and to the winner or runner-up in the New England tournament.

A major letter may also be awarded to the man who, in the opinion of the coach, has contributed the best performance of the season. A major senior service letter may also be awarded to any individual who has scored consistently for the team in three years but has failed to qualify for a major award.

It seems to me that these rules should be changed.

Our golf team meets larger schools on its schedule than most of the so-called major sport outfits on the campus. True, the track members compete in the New England and the IC4A's but usually only a few individuals enter, not the entire squad.

At present, awards are made only upon individual performances. Last year Gene McNabb, who won the New England golf crown, was the only golfer to get a major "M."

Yet, this past season, the golf team finished in fourth place in team score in the same tournament, a single stroke behind third place Wesleyan. That was the best showing that the team, as a whole, had ever made in New England tourney play.

Regardless of this showing, there is no provision for awards to members of this team.

Letters are not given in football only to those who score touchdowns. In baseball, it is only the winning. In baseball, it is not only the winning is this true in golf?

Just what is this difference between a major and a minor sport. The only difference apparent to me is that of letter awards. A minor sport team member receives a minor letter unless he can answer to one of the previously mentioned qualifications.

Members of the golf team practice every day. They are forced to miss classes to compete in matches and tournaments. This is what the major sport teams do.

They may not bring in any revenue to the University but how many sports do.

This is not only written in favor of the golf team, but is also true for members of the tennis and winter sports squads—the other minor sports here at Maine.

Just stop and think of the sports played here at Maine that will be of use in later life. For recreational value, football, baseball, track, and basketball have little to offer to the graduate.

Yet, golf, tennis and winter sports—the minor sports—are among the few participant sports that an old grad can enjoy. Very few of us will engage in any football, baseball, basketball, or track after leaving this campus.

The requirements at present in these sports are pretty stiff for earning a letter. For instance in the New England tourney, the winner must play better golf than over 150 other contestants. That is quite a feat.

The golf, tennis, and winter sports teams should be recognized as teams, not as individuals.

Kenyonmen End 1949 Season With 2 Games

Maine's varsity baseball team closes its 1949 season this week-end with a Yankee Conference game at Durham against the UNH Wildcats, and a crucial State Series contest at Brunswick against the Bowdoin Polar Bears.

The Bears go into the weekend games with a season record of four victories and eight defeats. Three of the wins were made in state action. Connecticut split a twin bill at Orono to give Maine its only outside triumph.

Lost to New Hampshire

New Hampshire defeated Maine at Orono in a loosely-played contest which saw Maine take an early lead and then lose it in the late innings by defensive lapses.

Bowdoin socked the Bears, 12-9 at Alumni Field last week. Maine held a 6-1 edge after four innings, but the infield fell apart at the seams and Bowdoin rallied for nine runs in the final three frames to win.

3-2 Record

Maine will enter the Bowdoin game with a 3-2 record and a chance to tie for the state crown. Colby has a similar tally, and the Polar Bears lead the pack with the same number of wins and a single loss. They have not played Bates yet.

Coach Bill Kenyon has not announced the pitchers for the weekend clashes, but it is expected that Vic Woodbrey and Marty Dow will be the mound selections.

Kappa Sigma Leads In All-Point Race Among Fraternities

With all sports reported with the exception of softball, Kappa Sigma is leading in the race for the interfraternity all-point trophy with 377 points.

Assured of at least second place in softball, Kappa Sigma has a sufficient margin over its nearest rival, Phi Eta Kappa, to assure the return of the title to its house for another year.

The standings:

Kappa Sigma—357, Phi Eta Kappa—354½, Phi Mu Delta—327, Phi Kappa Sigma—327, Sigma Alpha Epsilon—264, Beta Theta Pi—262, Sigma Nu—251½, Sigma Chi—240, Theta Chi—231, Lambda Chi Alpha—188, Alpha Tau Omega—185½, Phi Gamma Delta—174½, Delta Tau Delta—170, Tau Kappa Epsilon—156, Alpha Gamma Rho—155½, Sigma Phi Epsilon—144, Tau Epsilon Phi—143.

PGD Edges Out KS For Ping Pong Title

Phi Gamma Delta won the interfraternity table tennis title by defeating Kappa Sigma in the finals.

The Phi Gam team of Jack Hussey, Robbie Hanson, and "Red" Norwood won two singles matches and one doubles match against a singles match win for the Kappa Sig team of Ed McDermott, "Buzz" Feeney, and Aaron Nelson.

Kappa Sig entered the final matches by defeating Beta for the northern title while Phi Gam topped Tau Ep for southern honors.

New football head coach Dave Nelson played halfback on the 1940 University of Michigan eleven. His backfield mates were Tommy Harmon, Bob Westfall, and Forrest Evashevski.

Athletic Award Banquet June 2 In Cafeteria

The spring athletic award banquet will be held Thursday, June 2, at 6:45 p.m. in the New Cafeteria.

Members of all athletic squads are requested to meet in the lobby of Memorial Gymnasium at 6:30 p.m. to elect honorary team captains.

The program at the banquet will be shortened due to exam week.

Me., Bowdoin Play For Title

Despite its failure to win individual titles in the recent state matches at Colby, the University of Maine tennis team will be playing for the state team title this afternoon when it meets Bowdoin at Brunswick.

Coach G. William Small's netsters have beaten both Colby and Bates this season. A win over the Polar Bear squad will give the state series team title to Maine.

The state matches at Colby were originally scheduled to be played Monday at Bates but the courts were too wet. The matches were shifted to Colby in order to take advantage of the hard courts at the Waterville school.

Each college entered one man in the singles and only one team in the doubles matches in order to run them off in a single day.

Fred Hermann, Maine's entrant in the singles, was defeated by Fleming of Bowdoin, 5-7, 7-5, 6-4. Fleming was defeated by Everts of Colby for the singles title.

Van Peursem and Thoits of Maine downed Stevenson and Bailey of Bates in the doubles, 6-4, 6-3. The Maine duo lost to Foster and Hebb of Bowdoin in the finals, 4-6, 6-4, 6-1.

Intramural Tennis Tourney Completed

Theta Chi and NorDorm #4 emerged from the intramural tennis tourney wearing the crowns of their respective divisions last week.

Dick Savage and Bob LePage defeated Phi Kappa Sigma's Paul Turner and Ed Waldon to give TC the fraternity championship. Phi Kap reached the finals by edging out Phi Mu Delta, and Theta Chi gained the championship encounter by beating Phi Gam.

In the dormitory division, where tourney play was hampered by a large number of forfeits, NorDorm #4 defeated New Dorm #3, Team 2. Jim West and Harv Sawyer were the victorious North Dormers.

Ty Cobb of the Detroit Tigers was the American League batting champion for 12 years, nine of them in succession.

The race of the century will be held Monday afternoon at Alumni Field. The contestants will be members of the varsity baseball squad, and the result will determine who is the fastest runner of the five slowest men in the team.

Mike Cherneski, Roy Dieffenbach, Ed Woodbrey, Les Botka, and Clyde Douglas will compete in a 100-yd. dash for the title.

The prize has not been announced.

State Golf Title At Stake In Bowdoin Matches Today

Fresh from the state intercollegiate golf matches where all six men finished in the first ten, the University golf team traveled to Brunswick yesterday for the final match of the year with Bowdoin College.

A victory over Bowdoin would give Coach Charlie Emery's team the State Series crown to go along with the individual title won by Don Brown at Augusta last Monday.

The Black Bears have already defeated Colby and Bates in State Series play and were favored to down Bowdoin.

The team for the Bowdoin trip was composed of Don Brown, Andy Bunker, Phil Bickford, Dick Smith, Bob Webber, and Warren Wilson. These men are the same who finished fourth in team score in the New England tournament.

The Junior Varsity golf team also made the trip to Brunswick yesterday to meet the University Annex squad.

Brown State Titlist

Last Monday, Don Brown edged out team mate Andy Bunker by one stroke to win the state title. Playing on his home course, Brown shot a 75-76 for a total of 151. Bunker nearly caught Brown in the afternoon round when he shot a 73 for the lowest 18-hole score of the day. This combined with his 79 in the morning round gave him 152 and second place.

Gene McNabb of Bowdoin, New England champion while attending Maine last year, was third with 153. Dick Smith of Maine came in fourth with 155.

Bickford and Warren Wilson tied for the sixth spot with 162's. Bob Webber took the tenth position among the 21 entrants with a 168.

Women's AA Elects Slate Of Officers At Annual Banquet

The Women's Athletic Association at its Annual Recognition Banquet elected Betty Friedler as president. It also elected: Phyllis Osgood, vice president; Lora Moulton, treasurer; Nancy Knowles, secretary.

Seal Award:

Thelma Crossland '49, Betty Arnold Smith '50, Mary Zelenkewich '49, and Shirley Deacon Johnson '50.

Class of 1949:

Class Numerals: Barbara Hastings, Madelyn Webber, and Romona McLaughlin.

University "M": Julie Shores.

Class of 1950:

Class Numerals: Dorothy Briggs, Beryl Lyons, Ruth Holland, Beverly Spencer, Marilyn Seavey, Jo-Anne Sullivan, Barbara Wright, Jean Thompson.

University "M": Eva Burgess, Ann Dibblee, Elizabeth Marden, Lora Moulton, and Roberta Packard.

Square Dance Emblem: Ann Dibblee.

Modern Dance Emblem: Ruth Holland, Beverly Spencer, Margaret Millington.

Class of 1951:

Class Numerals: Isabelle Burbank, Carol Andrews, Mary Littlefield, Betty Richardson, Paulina Robbins, Shirley Smith, Ann McKiel, Miriam Bull.

University "M": Joyce Chipman, Rena Ratte, Carolyn Rowell, Liza Zaitlin, Miriam Bull, Edith Curtis.

Square Dance Emblem: Joyce Chipman, Miriam Bull, Edith Curtis.

Class of 1952:

Class Numerals: Connie Berry, Joan Blanchard, and Martha Pratt.

Maine Blanked In Boston Meet

An unusually weak Maine track squad failed to place in the New England Intercollegiate track meet held last week in Boston, an event which Coach Jenkins' teams have won seven times in past years. Brown University upset the favored Rhode Island trackmen to win the meet.

Only two Pale Blue runners qualified, Blaine Beal in the hurdles and Wally Brown in the quarter-mile, but neither was able to get by the semi-finals.

Other Maine cindermen who made good showings against stiff competition were hammerman Steve Orach and Bob Parsons, a sophomore mile prospect.

Bowdoin was the only Maine school to score. Joe Vacchiano took a first in the discus and several other Polar Bears placed.

The meet represented the last action of the year for the Black Bear squad. Last year Maine had two entrants in the IC4A meet in New York, George Marsanskis, who won a second in the hammer throw, and Bob Emerson, who tied for third in the pole vault, but Coach Jenkins announced no Maine men would compete in the New York meet this season.

Intramural Softball Near End; Favorites Enter Into Finals

The favorites continued to forge ahead in intramural softball play as the tourney swung into its semi-final and final rounds this week.

In the fraternity division, at the time of writing, highly rated Kappa Sigma and a good fielding Phi Mu team had survived the semi-final round. Kappa Sig had to work hard to squeak by Phi Eta, 5-4, while Phi Mu blanked Phi Gam, 2-0.

Kappa Sigma, paced by "Buzzer" Feeney and Nundi Romano, had to come from behind to edge the stubborn Phi Eta crew. Sandy MacKenzie went the route on the mound for the winners.

Airtight fielding was a feature of the Phi Mu—Phi Gam clash. Perry, Leiper, Graham, and Barnard played good ball for the winners, while Bob Taylor turned in a good hurling job in a losing cause.

In the dorm league four teams remained in the race. East Oak rolled over Center Oak 12-4 behind the pitching of Bob Fowler, but Corbett 3-4, South Apts., and New Dorm 3 Tm. 2 had to go all out to capture close victories from the Trailers, New Dorm 3 Tm. 1, and Austins.

Babe Ruth struck out 30 times in 10 world series.

All athletic equipment must be turned in the day after the last athletic contest in each sport.

ROTC Battalion Is Reviewed By Army Officers

A military review by the ROTC unit was presented during the special assembly Tuesday morning.

The battalion passed in review before a committee representing Lt. Gen. Walter Bedell Smith, Commanding General of the First Army.

The inspecting officers were Col. Edward H. Metzger, GSC(FA), Lt. Col. Edmund T. Bullock, Signal Corps, and Lt. Col. Richard F. Jeffers, GSC(Inf.).

The unit was also reviewed in the two-day inspection period in the fields of tactics, technique, material, method, and physical development. As a special feature, the cadets held a mock court session demonstrating application of military law.

Mincher Named Director

William Mincher, a junior English major, has been named the new production director for the Radio Guild. Mincher, who will assume his duties next fall, will be in charge of scheduling the Guild productions for 1949-1950. He will also rewrite scripts and work with the faculty advisor, Mrs. Phyllis Williamson, in the production of all Guild shows.

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Wyman Heads Campus Group For UN Service

Plans for transmitting information about the United Nations to the citizens of the state of Maine were considered last week at an organizational meeting of the United Nations Information Center recently established on campus.

Marilyn Wyman was elected temporary president of the group, which is composed of representatives of interested organizations. It aims to serve as a contact point between the United Nations Information Bureau and groups within the state desiring such information.

Plans call for the filing and listing of bulletins, articles, and other material received regularly from the UN information service, in order that it may be accessible to civic, fraternal, and other organizations throughout the state.

Other officers elected at this meeting are Vaughn Bishop, secretary; and Richard Saunders, librarian. Dr. York of the history department and Dr. Foster of the School of Education are the advisors.

Maine Alumnus Gets Assignment In Japan

Captain Joseph H. King, class of '44, has been assigned to the 49th Fighter Wing at Misawa Air Force Base in Japan.

Society Names Wm. Cormalt New President

William Carmalt is the new president of Kappa Phi Kappa, education society.

Other officers elected at the organization's banquet and initiation of new members last Wednesday evening in Balentine Hall were Clifford Hillier, vice president; Philip G. Flagg, secretary; Colby Walker, treasurer; and George W. Gross, Jr., corresponding secretary.

New members initiated at the banquet were: Carl Bache-Wiig, James Palmer Libby, Newman Pelkey, Thurston A. Porter, Philip G. Flagg, Roger C. Nadeau, James G. Schaadt, Kenneth S. Savoy, John Bouchard, Chesley Husson, Walter A. Borkowski, and Clayton Gardner.

Albert Weymouth, Jr., Carlton L. Smith, Roland Scribner, Edwin F. Smith, Terrence C. McAloon, Robert Russell, George W. Gross, Jr., William Carmalt, Robert M. Poulin, and Calvin Gross.

Ernest M. Frost, dean of the education department at Husson College, was the guest speaker.

Two Movies Tonight

Two technicolor movies, "Across Canada" and "You Take the High Road," are being shown without charge today at 7:30 p.m. in the Oakes Room. The films are sponsored by Kappa Phi Kappa, educational society.

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University Calendar

THURSDAY, MAY 26

4 p.m.—Women's Forum, No. Estabrooke (B).

7 p.m.—"Pops" Concert rehearsal, Memorial Gym.

7 p.m.—Tumbling, Women's Gym.

7:15 p.m.—Glee Club rehearsal, Carnegie Foyer.

7:30 p.m.—"Across Canada," "You Take the High Road," films, Louis Oakes Room.

7:30 p.m.—"Fishing," film, 15 Co-burn.

8:15 p.m.—Dance Recital, Little Theatre.

FRIDAY, MAY 27

3:45 p.m.—Record Concert, 101 Carnegie Hall.

7 p.m.—Hillel Service, Louis Oakes Room.

7 p.m.—Bridge and Chess clubs, MCA building.

8 p.m.—"Pops" Concert, Memorial Gym.

SATURDAY, MAY 28

12:35 p.m.—Classes End.

8 p.m.—Newman Club stag dance, Memorial Gym.

SUNDAY, MAY 29

11 a.m.—Memorial Day service, New Library steps.

4 p.m.—Music Program, Carnegie Hall Foyer.

MONDAY, MAY 30

FINAL EXAMINATIONS.

TUESDAY, MAY 31

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WEDNESDAY, June 1

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"Home Of The Brave" Presented By Lab Group

Playwright Arthur Laurent's "Home of the Brave" was presented by Director Herschel L. Bricker's Theatre Laboratory group, in the Little Theatre Tuesday evening.

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