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Professor Bricker Edits Handbook on Theatre; Experts' Viewpoint Used

Three Years Required To Gather Data For Volume

IN FOUR PARTS

Aims To Portray Drama Not Ordinarily Seen By Audience

Our Theatre Today, a handbook of our contemporary theatre, compiled and edited by Professor Herschel L. Bricker of the speech department, has just been released by its publishers, Samuel French of New York.

The book, a digest of the history, art, craft, and management of the modern theatre, is written in collaboration with thirteen of the theatre's outstanding workers, and covers the growth and operation of the theatre from the standpoints of the experts engaged in it.

Professor Bricker writes two introductions to the book. The first, addressed to the theatre goer, expresses the hope that the book may serve to heighten the interest in and enjoyment of the theatre by taking the reader behind the scenes to see the greater drama which transpires quite beyond the vision of the casual audience. The second introduction is written to the student of the theatre, and outlines the opportunities and responsibilities offered to its followers.

The fourteen chapters of the book are grouped under four major headings. The first section, entitled *History*, consists of *The Theatre's First Three Thousand Years* by Alfred Harding, and *The Present Day Theatre* by Irving Pichel. Part two, *Plays and Production*, is written by Barrett H. Clark, *Playwright and Theatre*; and Arthur Hopkins, *Producer and Play*. Part three, *Stage Direction*, consists of *The Director* by Brock Pemberton; and three chapters on *My Method of Directing* by Melville Burke, Bertram Harrison, and Priestly Morrison.

Part four, *Stagecraft*, includes *Scenic Art* by Cleon Throckmorton and *Technical Methods* by the same author; *Procedure for Lighting a Production* by Louise Erhardt and S. R. McCandles and the *Application of Lighting to the Stage* by the same authors; *Costume* by Aline Bernstein; and *Make-up for the Stage* by Tamara Daykarkhanova.

The work of compilation has entailed over three years of study and research here and in New York and shows marked insight into the mechanism and construction of scenic design and other issues of the modern theatre.

While at the University of Maine, Professor Bricker has been in charge of scenic design, stage construction, lighting, and make-up for the Maine Masque, and has designed such sets as *Counselor at Law*, *Beyond the Horizon*, *Bird in Hand*, *Abraham Lincoln*, and many others.

Brown, Weatherbee In Speaking Contest

David Brown won first place and Artemus Weatherbee second in the preliminaries to the State Speaking Contest held Tuesday afternoon in the Little Theatre. The speeches were original ones on the subject of peace. The other contestants were Ralph Farris, Charles Havener, Robert Hussey, and Philip Temple.

The judges were Dr. Morrow, Dr. Jensen, and Prof. Kirshen. They stated in giving their decision that it was one of the finest contests they had ever heard.

The State Speaking Contest is sponsored by the Intercollegiate Peace Association. The state prizes are \$60 and \$40, given by Mary Ellen Seabury. The contest will be held this year probably on April 22 at 4:15 in the Little Theatre. Mr. Bricker is the state chairman of the contest.

Y. W. Nominations

Nominations have been made for the officers of Y.W.C.A. by a committee consisting of the senior members of the Cabinet.

For president, Madeline Frazier, Barbara Lancaster; for secretary, Josephine Campbell, Julia Moynihan, Betty Reid; for treasurer, Irma Brown, Ruth Currie, Iris Guio.

The election will be held on Tuesday, April 14.

AT SUMMER SESSION



DEAN KARL LEEBRICK

Karl Leebrick Will Teach Here

Dean and Professor at Syracuse University At Summer Session

Dean Karl C. Leebrick, Professor of International Affairs and Dean of the College of Liberal Arts of Syracuse University, has been retained by the University of Maine Summer Session for the six weeks' term opening on July 6, according to an announcement made today by Dr. Roy L. Peterson, director of the session. Dean Leebrick will share the two courses in Contemporary Europe, and Pacific Problems, with Professor W. J. Hinton, of London, whose appointment was recently announced.

Dean Leebrick has taught in the public schools of Arizona and California, was instructor in the University of California, and from 1920 to 1928 he was professor of political science in the University of Hawaii. He comes to the University for the coming summer session well qualified to teach the courses he has been assigned, and in conjunction with Professor Hinton should make these courses high marks in the summer program. The courses are being offered by the University in view of present-day affairs when the Orient and Europe are in a process of turmoil that will affect the world.

Both these men are authorities in their field and it is unusual, according to Dr. Peterson, to get two men of this character to conduct jointly such courses.

Dean Leebrick holds the doctor's degree from the University of California.

New Appointments to Extension Service

Recent appointments in the University of Maine Extension Service announced by Dean Arthur L. Deering, director, include that of Richard C. Dolloff, of the class of 1927, to the position of county agent leader in Maine. Mr. Dolloff entered the Extension Service on July 1, 1929 and served for a short time as 4-H Club agent in Cumberland county. Since then he has occupied the position of assistant county agent for Aroostook county, to which Bryce M. Jordan has been appointed as his successor.

Mr. Jordan was graduated from the College of Agriculture here in 1926. After several years in Cuba, he has been employed in a wholesale produce house in Portland. He is a member of Sigma Nu and of Alpha Zeta.

Evelyn M. Plummer succeeded Mrs. Loana Spearin Shibles as assistant state 4-H Club leader on April 1. Miss Plummer was county 4-H Club agent in Oxford County from 1928 to 1932.

Pres. Hauck Speaks to M.O.C.

President Arthur A. Hauck gave a talk on the Hawaiian Islands at the meeting of the Maine Outing Club last Thursday evening. After President Hauck's talk, Alton Prince awarded the Snow Sculpture Cup to a representative of the Phi Gamma Delta, fraternity. This cup was awarded for the best snow sculpture at the Winter Carnival.

Art Equipment Valued at \$5,000 Given to Maine

For Art Reference Work In Numerous Fields

The University of Maine has received an arts teaching equipment valued at \$5,000 from the Carnegie Corporation of New York, according to an announcement made today.

The gift includes 225 volumes of illustrated books written in English and foreign languages on all phases of art, a collection of 50 colored prints of the French and Mordisic school, and 2250 photographs of the western world.

The collection will be kept in the art history room in the library, and, as soon as it is indexed will be available for reference. Professor J. Homer Huddleston is having the photographs indexed so that they may be used for references in costume, design, and historical work.

The book collection includes references on many subjects besides art history. Information may be found on such subjects as furniture, costume, arts and crafts, ship models, dress design, photography, the art of writing, pottery, and wood carving.

This art teaching apparatus from the Carnegie Corporation was collected by experts and \$80,000 worth of similar sets are given to colleges and libraries in the United States each year.

Tau Beta Pi Names Seven New Pledges

Juniors Are Honored By Engineering Society

Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering society, previous to the spring vacation announced the names of seven pledges to the society for the coming year.

The new pledges are Wendell M. Bagley, Philip N. Bower, Woodford B. Brown, Shirley R. Parsons, Richard A. Plimner, Richard M. Spear, and Gerald E. Stoughton.

An informal initiation for the new pledges will be held Tuesday evening, April 14. The formal initiation will take place the following Tuesday.

Tau Beta Pi was founded to reward those students of engineering who have exhibited distinguished scholarship and exemplary character as undergraduates.

Plans Drafted for Campus Maine Day

Plans have been drafted and committees appointed to arrange for the holding of Maine Day and for the election of a Campus Mayor in the first week of May. John Sealey, Jr., has been elected chairman of all the committees combined and Leslie Hutchings secretary.

Maine Day will come on Wednesday, May 6, with May 7 the next choice in case postponement is necessary. The campaign for Campus Mayor is to last for two days, beginning at 8:00 Monday morning, May 4, and ending Tuesday evening with the election of the campus' choice.

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Dr. Small To Aid in History of Language

Dr. George W. Small of the English department has been selected as one of the scholars who will write a definite history of the English language. This history, written under the auspices of the English Language Section of the Modern Language Association of America, is the first attempt to present the development of all aspects of the English language.

This work will be divided into four parts covering phonology, morphology, syntax, and vocabulary. Dr. Small will write the section on syntax, in which field he has done much research.

As an introduction to this work, the March issue of the publications of the Modern Language Association carries an article by Dr. Small, setting forth the methods of investigation to be used in the preparation of the work.

Dr. Small believes that too much emphasis has been laid to the case endings and inflections in the study of the English language. Unlike Latin or German, English has almost completely departed from the use of case endings and verb inflections. The use of idiomatic English depends upon a person's skill in manipulating and ordering the phrases that have grown to take the place of the lost inflections and endings.

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Arlene Merrill Wins Fellowship At Smith College

To Study German for Her Master's Degree

Miss Arlene Merrill, of Bangor, a senior, has been granted a Trustee Fellowship at Smith College for the school year 1936-37, according to an announcement made last week. The fellowship will pay Miss Merrill's room, board, and tuition at this famous institution for one year while she is pursuing graduate work.

Miss Merrill is a German major in the College of Arts and Sciences, and during her four years here has made one of the highest academic averages ever made by a Maine student. Through the first semester of this year her cumulative average for her University career has been 3.9 or just shy of a perfect grade. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa and Phi Kappa Phi, honorary scholarship fraternities, and is recognized as one of the campus leaders in scholarship affairs.

Under the fellowship at Smith Miss Merrill will continue her study of German as a candidate for the master's degree there. This recognition of her ability by Smith College is rather an unusual honor since most of the trustee fellowships of that institution go to graduates of their own college. Miss Merrill will begin her graduate work at Smith next September.

Eleven Are Pledged To Phi Beta Kappa

Initiation and Banquet To Be Held April 28

Phi Beta Kappa society, the oldest Greek letter fraternity in the United States, has pledged eleven students, according to an announcement made early this week by Mrs. Albert M. Turner, secretary of that organization. An initiation and banquet supper will be held for the new pledges on the evening of Tuesday, April 28, at the Bangor House. The banquet speaker has not yet been selected.

The new pledges to the society are Virginia Nelson, Max Fitch, Faith Holden, Merle Bragdon, Thomas Hill, Junius Birchard, Alice Campbell, George Harrison, and Susan Frost, of the senior class; Alice Stewart, of the junior class; and Miss Marion Bragg, a member of the class of '21.

According to its constitution, Phi Beta Kappa may not elect over ten per cent of any graduating class. Actually, however, the number is much below this figure. Throughout the country, election to Phi Beta Kappa is recognized as the most coveted scholastic award. Phi Beta Kappa was organized in 1776 at William and Mary College. The chapter at Maine was established in 1923.

Initiation Banquet Held by Alpha Zeta

The Maine chapter of Alpha Zeta, National Honorary Agricultural fraternity, held its annual initiation banquet Wednesday evening, March 18, at Spruce's Cabin, Orono. The banquet followed an initiation ceremony at Winslow Hall, which was conducted by the following officers: Chancellor, Malcolm Tilton; Censor, Chester Smith; Scribe, John Dean; Treasurer, Glen Torrey; Chronicler, Norton Keene; and Sergeant-at-Arms, Leslie Hutchings. The following men were initiated into active membership: Chester Bachelier '36, Clyde Higgins '36, Eugene Coffin '37, Richard Briggs '37, Carroll Jones '37, Arthur Crouse '38, Earle Gray '38, Francis Jones '38, and Thomas Owens '38.

The banquet committee consisted of Chester Smith, Paul Garvin, and Leslie Hutchings. Mr. Fred P. Loring, Director of Short Courses in Agriculture, acted as toastmaster. Chancellor Tilton gave an address of welcome to the new initiates, and the response was given by Francis Jones. The speakers of the evening were: Dr. F. H. Steinmetz, who spoke on "Scholarship"; Prof. D. B. Demeritt, whose subject was "Wild Life Conservation"; and Prof. George F. Dow, on "The Future of Alpha Zeta."

Members present besides the officers, initiates, and speakers were: Dean L. S. Corbett, Dr. G. P. Steinbauer, Prof. L. M. Dorsey, Prof. J. H. Waring, Prof. L. P. Gardner, Dr. J. F. Witter, Mr. George Lord, Mr. Roger Gowell, Mr. O. J. Scoville, Smith McIntire, Stacy Miller, William Schrupf, Winthrop Libby, Andrew Watson, Basil Staples, Avery Rich, Lester Smith, Paul Garvin, Gustavus McLaughlin, Carl Worthley,

Dr. Purdy, Psychologist, Wins Guggenheim Award For Year's Study in Europe

SUMMER TEACHER



DR. LUCILE GAFFORD

Dr. Gafford at Summer Session

Will Teach Courses In Theatre and English

Dr. Lucile Gafford, former head of the department of English in the Starrett School for Girls, Chicago, will be the visiting member of the English department at the University of Maine Summer Session which opens on July 6. Miss Gafford is an authority on the American theatre and will offer as one of her three courses "The History of the Drama in America." Her other courses will be "The Teaching of English in the Secondary School," and "English Literature from Chaucer to Milton."

Miss Gafford is a graduate of North Texas Female College and of the University of Chicago. She holds a doctor's degree from the last named institution. She was head of the department of English at North Texas College for Women, 1919-24; instructor at the University of Chicago, 1924-28; extension teacher at Indiana University, 1928; lecturer in English literature and Drama, Sherwood School of Music, Chicago, 1929-32; and an instructor in the Chicago municipal colleges since 1935.

Other members of the English department for the summer term will be Dr. Milton Ellis, head of the department; Professor Royal Ashby, and Mr. Moreland. Dr. Ellis will offer courses in "Shakespeare," "Present Day Maine Writers," and "The Rise of National Literature in America." Dr. Ashby will offer courses in the recent British drama, expository writing and the English novel. Mr. Moreland will offer three journalism courses for the term.

High School Students To Be Tech Guests

The College of Technology will hold open house for high school students Saturday afternoon, April 18, from 1:30 to 5 o'clock and in the evening from 7 to 9 o'clock. In the afternoon the college laboratories will be open to students and teachers of high school science classes and in the evening to parents and any others who are interested.

All high school students will assemble at 1:30 p.m. in the large lecture room in Aubert Hall where they will be divided into small groups with guides to make a tour of the various laboratories. All of the experiment work in the laboratories will be done by the students with special work by the instructors.

In the Electrical department a complete broadcasting system will be set up so that students may talk with other students in another section of the building. Special demonstrations of tests for road materials will be given in the Civil Engineering department. There are to be demonstrations in photography and applied chemistry in the Chemistry department and the Mechanical Engineering department will have special work in heat treatment and analysis of metals and testing materials. The Pulp and Paper department will have set up a complete paper making machine.

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47 HAVE GRANTS

Guggenheim Funds Given Annually Since 1925 By Ex-Senator

Dr. Donald M. Purdy, of the Psychology department, was recently notified that he has received an award from the John Simon Guggenheim Memorial Foundation to study European Functional Psychology.

Dr. Purdy will leave for Europe this summer, where he will study for a year, first at Cambridge University in England, and then at Groningen University in Holland.

The Guggenheim Grants for the year 1936-37 total \$115,000 and have been given to 60 persons whose projects range thru the arts and sciences.

Dr. Purdy, who was born at Corning, New York, March 29, 1900, has had an extensive experience in the field of science. He first received his university education at Cornell University, where he received his A.B. In 1926, he was given his A.M. degree at Harvard University, and in 1930 he earned his Ph.D. from the same institution. Dr. Purdy was a National Research Council Fellow for the year 1931-32.

His experience as a teacher began at Princeton University, where he was an instructor in physics from 1921-1923. From 1929-1934 he served as Assistant Professor of Psychology at the University of Kansas, and then he came to the University of Maine.

Dr. Purdy has written many articles for both English and German journals of psychology. Among these magazines to which he has contributed are the *British Journal of Psychology*, the *American Journal of Psychology*, the *Psychological Review*, the *Journal of General Psychology*, the *Zeitschrift fur Sinnesphysiologie*, and the *Psychologische Forschung*, and he also contributed to *Comparative Psychology* in 1934 and to *Psychology* in 1935.

The persons who have received these Guggenheim rewards for the coming year include 39 scholars, 8 artists, 5 poets, 2 novelists, 3 playwrights, and a music composer. Many of these persons are to do their work abroad, including Dr. Purdy. The size of the individual grants are based upon need.

The Guggenheim fund, which was set up by former United States Senator and Mrs. Simon Guggenheim in memory of their son, has expended \$1,400,000 in similar grants since 1925. The selections for this year were made from more than 900 applicants, men prominent in their respective fields.

Noted Physicist To Give Lectures Here

Dr. Arthur Haas, internationally famous physicist, and head of the department of physics at the University of Vienna, will present a series of two lectures at the University of Maine on Friday, April 17.

The first of Dr. Haas' lectures, a semi-technical lecture entitled "The Fundamental Ideas of Modern Physics," will be presented at 4:15 p.m. His second lecture, a popular one entitled "Is the Universe Infinite," will be given at 8:00 p.m. Both lectures will be held in room 204 Aubert Hall, and students and the general public are invited to attend.

Dr. Haas has held teaching, research, and editorial positions in various parts of Europe; he is the author of several well known physics texts; and at the present time he is the Visiting Professor of Physics at Bowdoin College.

Freshman Banquet, Dance on April 18

The annual freshman banquet and dance will be held Saturday, April 18, in the Memorial Gymnasium, with music by the Maine Bears. Semi-formal dress is suggested. Student Government has granted 12:30 permission for the girls. All class dues must be paid in order to get tickets, which are obtainable at the Registrar's office. The committee in charge is Bud Place, chairman, Lucille Bell, Adrienne Thorn, Virginia Twombly, and George Doe.

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Conscription on the Campus

Objectors to compulsory military training in American universities are fighting a good fight. A campaign now being carried on by some of them to guard against encroachment of militarism on education is worthy of support.

Senator Nye and Congressman Kvale have introduced bills in both houses to amend the National Defense Act so that no Reserve Officers' Training Corps unit shall be established or maintained at any school or college "until such institution shall have satisfied the Secretary of War that enrollment in such unit (except in the case of essentially military schools) is elective and not compulsory."

Insistence on compulsory military training in many American schools has been hard to understand. Parents and no doubt some students have been confused as to the origin of the compulsion, believing it to lie with the War Department, or in government grants to colleges, whereas it seems to lie actually with the directorates of the colleges themselves. In 1924 the Secretary of War wrote to a correspondent:

So far as the War Department is concerned, it is optional with the authorities of the school, college or university whether military training shall be an elective or a compulsory course in the curriculum.

And six years later the United States Attorney General said:

The (federal) statutes nowhere require that the offered course in military tactics must be compulsory.

Compulsory military training thus exists in many colleges apparently because the administrators of those schools find in it some special advantage to the school which maintains it, although it is of doubtful advantage to many students and indeed even to the military units which it is supposed to support. Military men in charge of R.O.T.C. work have declared that voluntary military training is more successful than compulsory drill because of the different effect which each system has on morale. Some colleges which previously compelled their students to study military tactics have since put this study on an elective basis.

Many citizens are convinced that conscription of students for military training is un-American in spirit and a violation of the American tradition. These voters should make known to their representatives at Washington their sympathy with the Nye-Kvale proposal to amend the National Defense Act.

The fight against compulsory training has not been an easy one. Little ground has been gained, and that little has been hard to hold. It is the tenacity of the fighters for liberty of conscience, and the soundness of their cause, both from the point of view of the objector and with respect to the efficiency of the military corps, that promises ultimate success.

Christian Science Monitor

A S U Hears Jensen Tonight

Dr. Arthur E. Jensen, of the English Department, is to give a short talk at the next meeting of the Maine A.S.U., to be held at 7:30 tonight in the M.C.A. reading room. His topic will be "Signs of Fascism in America."

All students and faculty are invited to attend the meeting and to join in the discussion scheduled to follow Dr. Jensen's introductory talk.

NOTICE

All women students interested in waitress positions for next year in Balentine and Colvin Halls should apply at once. Positions are assigned in general on the basis of need, activities, ability, and scholarship. Application blanks may be had from house superintendents or Dean Wilson.

NOTICE

In the belief that many students may not be fully informed regarding the law which makes "hitch-hiking" a misdemeanor, the *Campus* has been requested to publish the state law concerning the matter.

The text is as follows:

"Sec. 11. Page 6. Solicitation of transportation in motor vehicles forbidden; penalty. It shall be unlawful for any person while on the public highway, or the right of way of any public highway, to endeavor by words, gestures, or otherwise, to beg, invite, or secure transportation in any motor vehicle not engaged in passenger carrying for hire, unless said person knows the driver thereof or any passenger therein. Provided nothing in this section shall prohibit the solicitation of aid in the event of accidents or by persons who are sick or seeking assistance for the sick; and provided furthermore, that the exception of sickness shall apply only in cases of bona fide sickness in which an emergency exists."

Japanese Philosopher To Speak In Portland April 21

Toyohiko Kagawa—who is "today Japan's greatest sociologist, philosopher, humanitarian, and author," and who is known and honored throughout the world as a great Christian—will speak in Portland City Hall on Tuesday, April 21.

It will be possible for a limited number of students, who desire to hear Mr. Kagawa, to attend these meetings through the arrangements made by the M.C.A. office.

Kagawa has spent his life working with the people in the slums of Kobe and Shin-kaw. "Out of his experiences in the slums grew the conviction that individual effort was not enough. He enlarged his field to include tenant farmers and laborers, and began to organize consumers' cooperatives which, he believes, are the solution of most of the world's troubles."

NOTICE

An opportunity for a summer position has been received at the Placement Bureau. The qualifications required are professional training and experience in canoeing to head that activity at a summer camp and the possession of a Red Cross Examiner's license. The position is available for either a man or woman. Anyone possessing the qualifications required, please see Mr. Brockway, Room 12, Fernald, at once.

The 1936 Summer Session Bulletin has appeared. Students who are interested in attending the Session may secure copies from the Registrar or from the Summer Session office in 3 North Stevens.

NOTICE

All sophomore men interested in the editorship of the 1938 *Prism* should report to Bill Rowlands at the Kappa Sigma house immediately.

Stations WLBZ and WRDO at Bangor and Augusta, Me. All broadcasts at 7:45 p.m. except as noted

Thursday, April 9

"Studies of Methods of Storing Potatoes"—Fred Griffie, Director, Maine Agricultural Experiment Station

Friday, April 10

Campus News of the Week—Ray Gailey, Editor of the Maine Campus

Sunday, April 12

Interviews—Conducted by English Major Students, Class of 1936

Monday, April 13

"Forest Fire Protection"—R. I. Ashman, Assistant Professor of Forestry

Tuesday, April 14

"What is a progressive school?"—Ernest Jackman, Associate Professor of Education

Wednesday, April 15

"Rodent Plagues"—J. M. Murray, Professor of Zoology

Thursday, April 16

"The Sweet Corn Industry of Maine"—S. M. Raleigh, Assistant Professor of Agronomy

CORRESPONDENCE

(The correspondence columns of *The Campus* are open to the public on pertinent subjects, and letters are welcomed. All letters should be signed with the author's real name, but a pen name will be used in publication of the letter if desired. The ideas stated in these columns are not necessarily those of *The Campus* and should not be so considered. The editor reserves the right to withhold any letter or a part of any letter.)

To the Editor of the *Campus*,

Dear Sir,

In a recent article of the *Campus* mention was made of the "Anti-War Strike" which is to be held April 22. This strike was held last year in many universities and high schools throughout the country. Maine, however, did not hold one. This year I feel that Maine should join in lending its support to this movement among college men and women for expressing their disapproval of war and those forces which are leading us toward war.

The events of the last war have shown us the untold waste in life and property that comes from war. Further, it has shown that those things for which we think we are fighting are merely words. More trouble and confusion in international disputes and economic strife has arisen than existed even before the war. Thus war does not solve problems but creates them and at the same time gorges itself with millions of young men's lives and billions of dollars' worth of property.

I feel that all thinking Maine students realize this and that with that realization they ought to pledge themselves to a disavowal of militarism and its methods. An "Anti-War Strike" affords an opportunity to do this. Therefore, let us stir ourselves and join with the rest of the country on April 22 in registering our determination not to fight.

Aggie Notes

Dean James N. Hart and Maurice D. Jones, Professor of Agricultural Economics, have been interviewing prospective students of secondary and preparatory schools during the past week. Students from Belfast, Camden, Rockport, Wiscasset, Brunswick, Augusta, Hallowell, Gardiner, Bath, Thomaston, Rockland, and Searsport, as well as those from other schools have been contacted.

Roger Clapp, assistant professor of horticulture, now on leave of absence from Cornell University, visited the campus three days last week. While here, in addition to departmental matters, he consulted with the Maine Day Committee and with the superintendent of buildings and grounds in regard to new planting and the care of campus trees and shrubs.

Professor Harold C. Swift, department of Agronomy, and Miss Edna Cobb, Home Management Specialist attended meetings of the Farm Building Plan Service and Rural Electrification held in New York City during the vacation. Professor Swift and Miss Cobb were the representatives from the state of Maine.

Farm and Home Week, which was to have been held on campus during spring vacation, was cancelled because of the difficulty of reliable transportation and the risk which would have been taken by visitors in being away from their homes while flood conditions were threatening the state.

Two farmers and two homemakers who were to have received from President Hauck certificates honoring them as Outstanding Farmers and Homemakers received them by mail. These were awarded to E. Chandler Buzzell, of Fryeburg; Mrs. Ida M. Gibbs, of Livermore; Levi M. Mosher, of Farmington; and Mrs. Bessie H. Urquhart, of Presque Isle, bringing to a total of thirty-seven the rural people who have been so honored by the University in the past eight years.

Patronize Our Advertisers

WHILE BURNS ROAMS

By Robert Burns

DECLINE OF THE VEST

This isn't a takeoff on friend Spengler (who, we understand, has also done a bit of pen-pushing); it comes down to a takeoff though, on the Messrs. Hart, Schaffner & Marx, much, we fear, to their finely tailored chagrin—but they will simply have to chagrin and bear it. The appalling part of it is, however, that this "takeoff" is going to go Hart on sundry haberdashers clean to Mandalay and back and will doubtless leave its Marx on the clothing industry in general (we couldn't do a thing with Schaffner, but then neither could his mother). But before we take off ourselves, we'd just like to pause long enough to opine that the vest (at least as part and parcel of the modern male attire) is quite definitely on the way out. We don't feel that you could simply put it down to spring weather and let it go at that, either, for the pretty good reason that we've been mulling over this knotty little problem in odd moments ever since you first began to grow tired of college meals which brings us all the way back, you see, to the second week of the fall term.

The glaring fact remains, as they say in the law courts (how we do get around!) that more and more young blades are casting aside the waistcoat for town and country wear. We've sounded any number of the better-dressed gentry hereabouts as to the all-perplexing *Why?* of this dilemma, and, oddly enough, every man jack of them sheepishly confessed in the most nonplussed of badinage that he really didn't know. He had just sort of let go of his vest because it seemed vests were being let go of (or words to that effect). There didn't seem to be anything for it but to sit down and figure the thing out ourselves—a nice how-do-you-do we had been valiantly struggling to avoid, realizing as we did that it was going to mean columned chaos on the rampage again.

Came an idea wheeling in and we very craftily put two and two together and got a four-piece suit, or, more specifically, we discovered why the four-piece is now down to three (if it goes to two and a half—sell!). It occurred to us during the flood (for reasons best withheld) that the Gentleman's vest began to lose favor along about the time Repeal was getting a firm grip on things. Beer which, up to a certain point, had remained on the Dean's list pretty regularly at 3.2, suddenly increased in voltage (in cash receipts likewise) and so, we noted, the number of vests being worn declined accordingly. The waistcoat, sad to relate, as a vital factor in the Gentleman's wardrobe, was fast becoming a dead issue. What was even harder to swallow, it appeared that no one was going to mourn its passing, except—maybe, us. It was a case of light whines and bier, if you are still in our wake.

In the matter of trousers, whether you go for suspenders or just a plain belt effect, it is merely a question of give and take—that is, you give when abdominal rotundity shows a tendency to rotund, and take when the situation is reversed. But come what may, there is no getting around a pair of trousers. Now with a vest it is different. There is practically no slack (except in the sleeves), and with the nation consuming we forget how many barrels of super suds *per annum*, there had to be a break somewhere along the line of least resistance. There was. Off came the vest. Thus the tragic solution, and it leaves the ancient firm of Hart, Schaffner & Marx feeling about as much in the picture as Whistler's father. Rud Kipling, we believe it was, who got in ahead of us and expressed the matter rather neatly when he said: *Yeast is yeast, vest is vest, and never the twain shall meet—or something.*

Professor J. H. Waring, head of the department of Horticulture, states that the result of several field trips into orchard sections and reports from orchardists indicate no loss from winter injury this season.

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Pres. of Hartford Sem. Foundation To Be Guest of M.C.A. April 13-14

President Robbins Barstow, of the Hartford Seminary Foundation, will be the guest of the M.C.A. on Monday and Tuesday, April 13 and 14.

During his stay, President Barstow will be glad to discuss with any interested students the opportunities in the field of Religion and Social Service.

While here he will also address the Men's Club of the Fellowship Church, the Advisory Board of the M.C.A., and various other meetings.

Anyone interested in talking with President Barstow can make arrangements through the office of the M.C.A.

Margaret Harriman Chairman W.A.A. Maine Play Day

The Women's Athletic Association will sponsor the annual Maine Play Day on May 23. At the last meeting of the W.A.A. Council, Margaret Harriman '36 was elected Play Day chairman and Dora Stacy '39 was elected invitation chairman. Play Day is sponsored each year to promote an interest in non-competitive sports among high school girls from this section of the state.

CHURCH NOTICES

Saint John's Universalist Church
Easter Service at 10:30 a.m. Sunday. Special music with Mr. Everett S. Hurd as Soloist, and Mrs. W. E. Davies at the organ. Sermon subject: "The Essence of Successful Living."

Methodist Episcopal Church
Easter Program and Morning Worship at 10:30. Sermon, "Our Contemporaries—How Jesus Lives today." Easter Music, Mrs. Wilbur Park, Soprano Soloist; Adult Vested Choir. Professor Harry Smith, organist.
7:00 Sacred Easter Cantata. Adult Vested Choir of thirty voices augmented for the occasion.

Fellowship Church
Easter Service with sermon by Dr. Charles M. Sharpe. Easter Music by Fellowship Choir, Mr. William Cupp, Baritone Soloist, Mrs. Gordon Noyes, Violinist, Miss Stella Powers, Pianist, and Mr. Karl Larsen, Trombonist.

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Maine Loses Court Debate

Sargent Russell and Chester Smith debated with Charles Deedman and John Darrow, of Middlebury College, in the Little Theatre last Monday on the question, "Resolved that Congress should be given power to over-ride U. S. Supreme Court decisions by majority vote." The Middlebury representatives, arguing the negative, were awarded the victory by decision of Herbert L. Prescott, Bangor High School debate coach.

The United States Government is going to confer with Canada about a proposed highway to Alaska, through Canada.

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Kenyon Diamond Tilt Five Letter Form a N For E

By Bill

With five lettermen year's squad, Bill Kenyon, of Kenyon College, is one of the best of Maine diamond tilt sessions in preparation for the exhibition game only a few days away. Kenyon's practice to be held in the Kenyon College gymnasium, and because of this, the Kenyon College gymnasium is a place to go to see the Kenyon College gymnasium. Kenyon College is a place to go to see the Kenyon College gymnasium.

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NOTICE

Because of adverse conditions, spring football postponed until next term. The game will be held, rain or shine, at 3:30 o'clock.

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Kenyon Prepares Varsity Diamond Nine for Colby Tilt Two Weeks Away

Five Lettermen to Form a Nucleus For Bears

By Bill Saltzman

With five lettermen available from last year's squad, Bill Kenyon, newly appointed baseball mentor, is sending his University of Maine diamond candidates through daily sessions in preparation for the Colby exhibition game only two weeks away. Inclement weather conditions have forced practice to be held in the indoor field house, and, because of this, Kenyon has been unable to inspect the fielding abilities of his outer garden prospects.

Innovations introduced by Kenyon to improve the sessions include a new sliding pit and a long white canvas fence that divides the playing field into two parts. By the latter device, battery men and fielders can practise simultaneously. Batting drill, infield workouts, and practice contests have comprised the weekly menu.

Graduation wrecked the entire infield with the exception of the first base post where Hal Woodbury, slugging veteran of two years, holds full sway. One of the leading college hitters in the state, the blond Portland youth seems set for another successful year.

Third base is now in full possession of Dwight Lord, a sophomore from Camden. A natural hitter and a smooth fielder, the last year's Frosh captain appears to be just the one to cover Red Walton's old sack.

It is at second base that the scrap is occurring. Rod Elliott, the all around Canadian athlete, Hal Grodinsky, Bangor sophomore, who has had a great deal of experience in independent ball, and Carl Golding, who played with Milo in the Eastern Maine League, are all potential starters. Elliott was originally a candidate for the shortstop post, but Kenyon feels that he has the speed and natural ability to fill the keystone bag. The way things look now, batting ability will probably determine the regular second baseman.

Frank Tapley, by his superb exhibition in Saturday's practice game, is firmly entrenched in the important shortstop post left vacant by the graduation of Milt MacBride. The Mars Hill soph possesses a very strong arm and is also a capable batter.

A battle is taking place between Ken Pruet, Dick Braley, Red Morrison, Hal Boardman, and Lenny Felberg for the catcher's position with Pruet probably having the inside track at present. There are also possibilities that Grodinsky may see service as a back-stop.

Two veterans, Johnny Greene and Don Kilgour, head the pitching staff. A sophomore quartet composed of tall Howie West, Lefty Shea, Hugh Cary, and Ernie Reidman are expected to be of great aid to the squad. Especially outstanding during practice sessions has been the work of Kilgour. In last Saturday's practice game, the lanky junior did not allow a hit in the three innings that he worked.

Only Alton Bell and Clarence Keegan, the two veteran ball hawks, are of known quality among the outfielders. It will be Kenyon's problem to find another garden man, preferably a right handed hitter, since both Bell and Keegan hit from the portside. Outfield candidates for this post include Francis Smith, Phil Rogers, and Charley Delano.

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Two Maine Men To Compete For Olympic Berths

Woodbury, Keegan To Represent U. of M.

That the University of Maine will be well represented at the Olympic tryouts early this summer was well established when word was received from the United States Amateur Baseball Congress that two Maine players, Harold Woodbury and Clarence Keegan had been chosen for the baseball tryouts. The Maine men were two of the four selected from the collegiate ranks of the State and will leave in June for Baltimore where tryouts are being held.

The selection of these two men for a chance to make an Olympic team marks them as players of outstanding ability. Whether they survive the grueling weed-out process or not, the fact remains that they have been chosen to compete with the best that the country can offer. This is testimony enough of the quality of their game. Should they win a place on one of the two teams, it would mean a trip to the center of the 1936 Olympics, Berlin, and a post-Olympic tour of the principal countries of Europe.

Both Woodbury and Keegan are members of Coach Bill Kenyon's varsity baseball team, being two of the five veterans around whom he is building this year's club. Woodbury has played first base on the varsity for the past two years and will play that position again this year. The blond first-sacker has all the qualifications for his position, being over six feet in height, rugged, hits hard and is left handed. He has been one of the leading hitters in the state during his play for the varsity. The former Deering athlete's ability has not been limited to baseball during his collegiate career, however. Captain of his freshman team, he was chosen this year to lead the first varsity hoop squad to represent the University in six years. Woodbury was a member of the Sophomore Owls and is a new member of the Senior Skulls, the highest non-scholastic award obtainable at the University.

Keegan, the only outfielder of the quartet chosen in Maine, has been a leading hitter in the state since his freshman year. As a yearling, he played third base but was switched to the outfield on the varsity the following year. The Aroostook lad led the Maine stickers last year throughout most of the season. During the summer of 1935 he was chosen to play against the Boston Red Sox in their exhibition game at Bangor. Like his teammate, Woodbury, Keegan has been prominent in basketball at the University. He was a regular on Coach Kenyon's 1934 frosh quintet, a member of last year's Intramural championship team, Phi Eta Kappa and played against Northeastern this year for the varsity. Keegan was a member of the Sophomore Owls.

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Bear Facts

By Harold L. Webb

No word holds for an athlete the magic of the three syllabled Olympics. None have been without the longing to wear the striped Shield. To the average run-of-the-mill athlete, it is of course, a mythical something that just doesn't come true. Only a few out of thousands make the grade. To be chosen as an Olympic candidate places a man in a select group. Whether he realizes it or not, he is, to the rank and file, an honored individual. Because he has attained what each of them, however secretly, has visioned. And they are all with him!

That ancient and time-honored game of Springtime, known to its participants as "Who Will Win" or "Figuring the State Meet" has made its annual appearance on the campus. This curious pastime, this fascinating diversion, becomes a mania with trackmen this time of year. It starts in a simple manner but the symptoms are unmistakable. In answer to a query of some unsuspecting, well meaning person, pencils come out and the game is on. The fervor increases with the approach of the Meet, reaching the point where nerves are on edge and the disagreement of a third of a point may lead to disastrous consequences. The Blacks were the game's greatest exponents.

Word comes by way of rumor from the stronghold of the Bates Bobcat that the college is to be presented a picture of the State Champions sometime after May 9. That was the word of one of the track

men at a recent banquet. Of course that picture was to be of Bates. Or wasn't it? Then again, reports downstate, Brunswick in fact, have it that Bowdoin has it all sewed up. It looks as though the Meet ought to be a good one all right, all right. Try figuring it up. It's a lot of fun.

Thanks to Ted Curtis, the athletes are to get another break in the way of an exclusive room in the corner of the field-house. This room, a former store room, has been cleaned and painted, and is to contain facilities for showing moving pictures to the various athletic teams. The primary purpose of the room is to provide a place for the teams between the halves of their respective games, away from the general melee existing in a locker room at this time. Here the coaches may talk to their teams without interruptions from the general public.

Pick-ups:

Not to be outdone by Lon Warneke, our own Lefty Kilgour takes the mound with a half a cut of Day's Work. Harold Osborn, veteran track star, steals the show from Glenn Cunningham. Osborn, and thirty-six, is high-jumping 5 feet 6 inches from a standing position. A big league pitcher has been declared the proud possessor of an ailment known as "thombosis of the subclavicle artery," oh yes. Why do coaches always bemoan their chances of winning? Why doesn't one come out and say that they think they have a world beater. Just for the novelty of the thing.

Frosh Baseball Hopefuls Report to Coach Wells

About fifty candidates have reported to Bill Wells, mentor of the Frosh baseball club. Because of the bad weather, practise has been held in the indoor field house, and it is impossible, at present, to get a real line on the players.

Yesterday afternoon, suits were issued to a few outstanding men. Batting practise and infield drills have comprised the practise sessions.

Bill Wells Appointed Coach of Golf Squad

William C. Wells has been appointed coach of the University of Maine golf team and adviser to the Golf Club. Wells, one of the leading golf players in this section, is also Frosh baseball mentor.

The golf team faces a busy season, meets being scheduled with Bates and Colby. The state meet is to be held in Waterville on May 25.

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A.T.O. Wins Intramural Basketball Championship

Alpha Tau Omega won the Intramural Basketball League when its five defeated a Theta Chi quintet, 37-29, in a fast game held before the spring vacation began. Holt, scoring seven field and two foul goals, was the outstanding player.

F. Burke, Thompson, Swenson, Dunlevy, Peterson, and Corrigan played for Theta Chi and Halt, Bourgoin, Gardner, Doherty, and Brewster represented Alpha Tau Omega.

Robert Dewick Chosen Varsity Relay Captain

Robert E. Dewick, of Wiscasset, was elected captain of the relay team at a recent meeting of the letterwinners. Dewick, a junior, was one of the leading runners of the group.

Those voting were: Sidney Hurwitz, Johnny Gowell, Johnny Murray, Don Kelley, and Bob DeWick.

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Varsity and Frosh Athletic Awards Out

Theodore S. Curtis, faculty manager of athletics, has announced the numeral and letter winners in athletics at the University. Mr. Curtis announced that 17 varsity M's had been awarded to members of the varsity and relay indoor track teams; that 24 numerals had been awarded to members of the freshman basketball squad; 20 numerals to members of the freshman indoor track team; and eleven minor sports letters to members of the winter sports team.

Letter and numeral winners were as follows: Freshman basketball numerals: (Team A) Robert Cullinan, Kenneth Clark, Philip Craig, Dana Drew, Benjamin Ela, John Foster, Louis Harris, Owen Lynch, Elwood Millett, Raymond Norton, John Perry, Newton Rogers, Edward Stanley, Merrill Thomas, Harry Tourtlotte. (Team B) James Cahill, John Cameron, Robert Farris, Ralph Farris, Lawrence Gleason, Ralph Guppy, Thomas Hall, Stanley Titcomb, Marthon Tolman.

Winter Sports: Philip Bower, Roderick Elliott, Frank Doe, Charles Huntoon, Kenneth Johnstone, William McCarthy, Waldo Hardison, Raymond Morton, Arthur Smith, Shirley Parsons, and Manager Robert Lavery.

Freshman Track: Edward Ladd, Norman Fay, Ralph Higgins, Foster Higgins, John Edwards, Preston Howard, George Sawyer, Elmer Hart, Melvin McKenzie, William McCarthy, Richard Thomas, Dana Drew, Herbert Leonard, Beverly Nason, Harold Dyer.

Varsity Relay: Robert DeWick, John Gowell, Sidney Hurwitz, Donald Kelley, John Murray.

Varsity Indoor Track: George Frame, Robert Fuller, John Gowell, Clyde Higgins, Waldo Hardison, Sidney Hurwitz, Kenneth Ireland, John Lakin, Walter Smart, Edward Stuart, John Murray, Harold Webb, and Alton Bell.

Managers: Football—Francis C. Jones; assistants, Charles E. Dunne and Wayne H. Merrill.

Baseball: Thomas Houghton; assistants, Richard W. Healy and Walter M. Smith.

Outdoor Track: Woodfords B. Brown; assistants, Arthur W. Hodges and Loran R. Fairfield.

1936 Varsity Baseball

Apr. 20 Colby at Waterville (Exhibition)
Apr. 29 Brown at Providence
Apr. 30 Rhode Island at Kingston
May 1 Northeastern at Boston
May 2 Bates at Lewiston
May 7 Bowdoin at Orono
May 13 Colby at Orono
May 14 Bates at Lewiston
May 16 Bowdoin at Brunswick
May 20 Bates at Orono
May 30 Colby at Orono

Intramural All-Team Chosen by Captains

Woodbury and Rogers, forwards, Johnstone, center, and Thompson and Doherty, guards, were the choice of the team captains as the outstanding five in the Intramural Basketball League.

Woodbury, at forward, and Doherty, at guard, are the only repeaters. Both were members of last year's All-team. These two, with Johnstone, center, were members of the 1933 freshman outfit that posted a total of thirteen wins against two losses. Woodbury was captain of his freshman team, and also led the varsity hoop team on March 14, in their first game since 1929. Doherty was captain of the Alpha Tau Omega team, winners of the Intramural League.

Thompson and Rogers were also members of their respective freshman teams, the latter being elected captain at the close of last year's season.

Woodbury and Johnstone are members of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity, Doherty, Alpha Tau Omega, and Rogers and Thompson, Phi Eta Kappa.

Rifle Team in Nationals

The University of Maine Rifle Team has been selected, together with the University of Vermont and the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, to compete as representatives of this Corps Area in the National Intercollegiate Matches on the week ending April 11.

The team, coached by Major V. G. Huska and captained by Alton Bell, of Dennysville, will consist of: Arnold Veague, of Castine; Laurence Gleason, of Bangor; John Miniutti, of North Berwick; Francis Fortier, of Dexter; Maurice Rucker, of Hyannis, Mass.; William Page, of Gorham; Ralph Higgins, of Augusta; Foster Higgins, of Augusta; Ed Pierce, of Portland; Earl Leavitt, of Wytopitlock; Robert Harvey, of New Haven; Elwood Bryant, of Bangor; Hugh O'Hear, of Bangor; and Alton Bell, of Dennysville.

Freshman Baseball

May 4 Hebron Academy at Orono (pending)
May 6 A.C.I. at Orono
May 8 Ricker Classical Institute at Orono
May 15 M.C.I. at Orono
May 19 Madison at Orono
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The German school, while far less popular and imposing than the Italian, surpasses the French school of the same period—namely the last half of the 15th century and the first half of the 16th century. Within this period fell the careers of two of the world's greatest masters, Albrecht Dürer and Hans Holbein, the Younger. These two artists are represented by several copies. A brief visit to the exhibition will be eminently worth while if only for these two painters—the first of whom is the world's premier engraver and an absolutely unsurpassed master of character portrayal; and, of course, everyone knows that it is through Holbein's portraits that we meet the king, Henry VIII, and his domestic entourage. It is from Holbein that we have an opportunity for our first glimpses of the Englishmen of either ancient or modern times. Holbein was court painter and general artistic factotum in London for a generation. Among the portraits shown in the present exhibition are those of Sir Thomas Moore, the famous author of the *Utopia*.

The collection comes from the Germanic Museum, Harvard University, and is sent out through the agency of the Carl Schurz Foundation. Some two months ago there was a collection of German prints loaned to the University of Maine by the Schurz Foundation. The collection is supplied with printed labels and descriptive material that assist in easy orientation.

A few photographs from the University Art Collection have been added to the show for greater detail.

Alpha Omicron Pi held its spring initiation and banquet Thursday, April 2. The initiation took place at the home of Catharine Rowe in Bangor. Those initiated included Catherine Bussell '36, Joan Cox '37, and Lucille Fogg, Josephine Greene, Julia Moynihan, Ruth Pagan, and Adrienne Thorn '39.

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Novel Decorations Feature Soph Hop

By the Roving Reporter

Tomorrow night Memorial Gym will sound to the music of Val Jean and the shuffling feet of three hundred dancing couples. It is the night of the annual Sophomore Hop. Val Jean is widely known as a collegiate band and he firmly believes that collegiate favor is the biggest item in his success. His desire to add to this following enabled the committee to bring such an outstanding band to the college. During the past year he has played at Harvard, M.I.T., Wesleyan, Boston University, Cornell, Radcliffe, Brown, Clarkson, Syracuse, Mount Holyoke, Ithaca, and Dartmouth. Val Jean comes to Maine directly from a tour of the Southern winter resorts. Previously he played nightly over the Columbia Broadcasting System.

A new idea in decorations has been introduced in the construction of a crystal ball (at the cost of twenty large mirrors cut into one inch squares and some adroit carpentry). The ball will revolve in the center of the floor with colored lights playing on it. This will transform the Gym into a rainbow parade of dancing lights. A full ceiling of blue crepe suspended over wires strung from one end of the Gym to the other will make it more compact and will aid in the acoustics. The orchestra platform will be decorated and have as a background a huge blue and white shield with the class numerals emblazoned on it. Chairman in charge of the dance is William Veague. Stanley Dunlap, Mary Hawkes, Francis Jones, and Mary Wright comprise the committee. The reception committee consists of President and Mrs. A. A. Hauck, Dean and Mrs. O. S. Lutes, and Dean and Mrs. J. N. Hart. The chaperons are Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Hitchner, and Mr. and Mrs. S. M. Wallace. Mr. and Mrs. Irving Pierce will be present as guests of the sophomore class in appreciation of the assistance that they have rendered in class affairs.

NOTICE

Intercollegiate Writing Contest
Students who plan to submit short stories, essays, or poems, for the intercollegiate contest should leave the material at the registrar's office no later than April 15.

Chi Omega Observes Founder's Day Breakfast

A Founder's Day breakfast was given by Chi Omega at the Cabin last Sunday to observe Founder's Day. The spirit of the Easter season was present in the large bouquets of yellow and white carnations. The waitresses, who were the Chi O pledges, wore pink and white uniforms and passed baskets of little candy Easter chicks. After a breakfast of fruit juice, pancakes with maple syrup, and coffee or milk, Althea Millet, toastmistress, introduced the speakers. Carol Stevens, president-elect, spoke on the topic "To This Day," explaining Founder's Day and extending a welcome to the freshmen guests. Following the singing of "I Love You Truly," Dorothy Nutt gave a lively history of the founding and development of Chi Omega. A cello solo was played by Marion Hatch, and Bettina Sullivan sang "Indian Love Call." White carnations were then presented to the Chi O members and pledges, yellow ones to the guests. The breakfast ended with the "Chi Omega Parting Song."

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Plans Drafted for Campus Maine Day

Only Junior and Senior men will be eligible for candidacy, and there will be only five candidates, to be selected by the Maine Day committees. The election campaigns will be restricted to the town of Orono.

The four committees arranging for Maine Day, each of which has a separate chairman, are as follows:

MORNING: Lincoln Fish (chairman), Thomas Houghton, Edward Ladd, Clyde Higgins, Althea Millet, Elizabeth Philbrook, Barbara Lancaster, and Prof. M. D. Jones.

AFTERNOON: William Hunnewell (chairman), Leslie Hutchings, Edward Sherry, Thomas Barker, Barbara Corbett, Marie Archer, Mr. T. S. Curtis, Prof. S. M. Wallace, and Miss Helen Lengyel.

EVENING: Donald Huff (chairman), Donald W. Brown, Elizabeth Schiro, Elizabeth Doble, Mary Leighton, and Dr. G. W. Small.

PUBLICITY: Elizabeth Philbrook (chairman), Ethel Bingle, Clyde Higgins, and Raymond Gailey.

For the afternoon of Maine Day a series of competitions between students and fac-

Music Program to be Featured at Vespers

The Easter Vesper Program will be held at the Little Theatre on Sunday, April 12, at 4:10 p.m. Several campus musical organizations, including the University chorus, conducted by Lawrence Mann, the University Trio, including John DeLong, violinist, Marion Hatch, violoncello, Evelyn Adriance, piano, and two vocal offerings by Margaret Homer and Bettina Sullivan.

The program consists of *Barcarolle*, *Offenbach*, by the Instrumental Trio; Chorus from *The Redemption*, by the University Chorus; Solo for Soprano, *Master, I Will Follow Thee*, Ambrose; Solo for the Violin, *Canzona* by Bohn; Chorus and Soprano Solo from *The Redemption* by Gounod; *The Bells of St. Mary's* by the Instrumental Trio; and Chorus from *The Redemption* "Unfold Ye Portals," Gounod.

A musical assembly will be held on Thursday, April 16, at 9:30 a.m. in the Memorial Gymnasium. It is to be given by the Bangor Symphony Orchestra which is conducted by Adelbert Wells Sprague and is made up of 65 persons. The recital is an annual affair on the campus. The program will include: Mendelssohn, "Fingal's Cave" Overture; Tchaikowsky, request group, Andante from Fifth Symphony, Overture Solennelle "1812"; Andante Cantabile from the String Quartet, Opus 11 (for string orchestra); Valse des Fleurs from the "Casse-Noisette" Suite.

ulty is being arranged, and there is to be a new type of mass game between the freshmen and sophomores which is being kept secret.

In the evening a skit will be given by each class and one by the faculty.

John Sealey is appealing for the cooperation of everyone on the campus in making this affair a major success. "It is a worthwhile project," he said, "something we hope will become a tradition at Maine."

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Xi Sigma Pi Pledges Eight Forestry Men

At a recent meeting of Xi Sigma Pi, national forestry honorary society, eight men, all juniors, were pledged. These men were chosen for their high scholastic rank and for their future promise in forestry. They will be initiated into full membership early this month. Those pledged are: Thomas B. Evans, Ralph A. Beisel, Raymond K. Dunlevy, George L. Houston, Willet Rowlands, Edward Stuart, Robert Dinneen, and Robert L. Ohler.

A group of Phi Mus and rushees enjoyed a theater party in Bangor last Saturday afternoon. After the show they met at Jonason's for refreshments.

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Dr. Small To Aid in History of Language

The study of the language on that basis will require a year's work of research in the principal libraries of England and America.

The other scholars who will participate in the preparation of the work are Professor Kemp Malone, head of the department of English in Johns Hopkins University, who will cover phonology; Professor Louise Pound, head of the department of English in the University of Nebraska, who will cover the vocabulary; and Professor Martin Rood, head of the department of English in the University of Minnesota, who will cover morphology.

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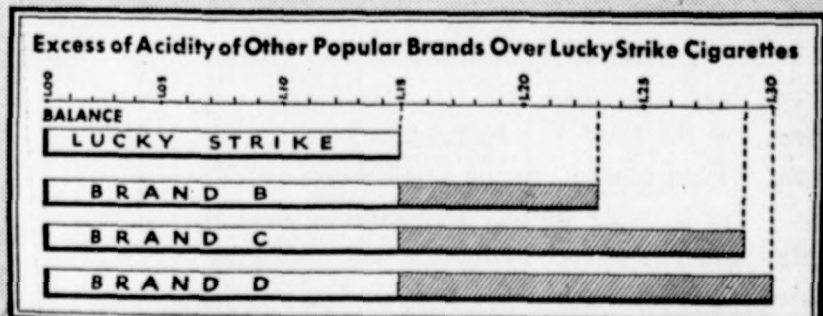
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