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Program Of Nineteenth Annual Winter Carnival

- THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 9
- 6:00 p. m. Coed Banquet; Commons and Fiske Dining Hall.
 - 7:10 p. m. Dinner Dance and Open House at Chase Hall.
 - 8:30 p. m. Entrance of the Queen.
- FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 10
- 8:00 a. m. Skiing, snowshoeing, tobogganing in forenoon for those who want it and game rooms in Chase Hall will also be open.
 - 10:00 a. m. Interdorm Competition.
 - 1:00 p. m. Skiing events; Rand Field.
 - 2:00 p. m. Cross-Country Ski Meet with the University of Maine.
 - 3:00 p. m. Basketball game with Bowdoin Independents.
 - 7:30-11 p. m. All-College Skate.
- (Chase Hall will be open until 11:45)
- SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 11
- 9:30 a. m. Downhill and Slalom Competitions.
 - 10:30 a. m. Interclass Tug-of-War; Rand Field.
 - 11:00 a. m. Lollypop Race up Mt. David.
 - 1:30 p. m. Ski Meet with the U. of Maine and Bowdoin.
 - 4:00 p. m. Judging of Snow Sculpture.
 - 7:45-11:45 Carnival Hop; Alumni Gymnasium.
- SUNDAY, FEBRUARY 12
- 2:00-5:00 p. m. Open House at Thorncrag.

Roberta Smith And Robert Morris Co-Directing Carnival



Co-directors of the nineteenth annual Winter Carnival, Roberta Smith, of Bangor, and Robert Morris, Greenfield, Conn., both seniors and members of the Board of Directors of the Outing Club.

Putting out a carnival is just another task for the pep-raising Roberta turns in a good job for the Robins Players... also official Song leader for rallies and games... a

veteran member of the Outing Club, and a woman athlete if there ever was one.

Bob, a Government student... does a good job governing an organization that has one large body of active members... knows his business; business manager of the "Buffoon" a member of the Varsity Club... a pipe, a good snow, and a pair of skis... Bob's set.

Winter Sports Fervor Marks Carnival History

Relief for the aching mind and the ardor of enthusiasm for winter's outdoor sports is the annual goal set by the Bates Outing Club officials as they prepare the program for the nineteenth Winter Carnival, which each year follows the period between the end of mid-year examinations and the beginning of the new semester.

This year, as they prepared for the 19th consecutive carnival presented by them, they no doubt looked into the past back to 1920 when the Outing Club was first established and when over half the student body voluntarily subscribed to membership and paved the way to the 100 per cent student body enrollment that it boasts today.

In the very first winter of its existence, the Outing Club decided to spread as widely as possible, an enthusiasm for winter sports, and sponsored its first Winter Carnival. With the exception of the Dartmouth Outing Club, Bates now has the oldest and largest Outing Club in the country. Without doubt, it has the most extensive program. The Club was modeled on the Dartmouth Club by its founder Ernan Woodruff, a graduate of Dartmouth, who in 1920 was an instructor at Bates.

The first carnival was held February 26, 1920, and featured a varied program of ice tennis, relay races on snowshoes, skis, and skates, as well as hockey games with Bowdoin and Tufts Colleges. The first queen was not elected until 1930, but since that time the queen has come to play an important part in the Carnival program, as she now presides over all the events.

The piece de resistance of the first annual Winter Carnival was the showing of the moving picture "Freckles", followed by a social hour of singing around the piano, exchanging glances with the coed sweetheart and sipping fruit punch. At that time dancing was

Queen Kendall Reigns Over 19th Carnival

President Names Two New Faculty Members

Miss Charlotte Parrott and Mr. Joseph M. Conant have been chosen to fill vacancies in the women's physical education department and the Greek department, respectively, according to an announcement made last night by President Clifton D. Gray.

Miss Parrott will fill the position left vacant by the marriage of Miss Elizabeth Baker. She is a graduate of the Sargent School of Physical Education, a division of Boston University, class of '38, and holds a B.S. degree in physical education from that college.

Mr. Conant is a native of New York City and a graduate of Columbia University. He has received his A.B. and A.M. from that university and is now working on his Ph.D. which he expects to receive in June. He is twenty-six years old.

Mr. Conant has specialized in classical languages and graduated

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Pres. Gray Officiates At Chase Coronation

HER MAJESTY... THE QUEEN



BARBARA KENDALL '39

Heralds Proclaim Royal Court

Subjects, Spectators Applaud Dramatic Entrance To Hall

Barbara Kendall '39 ascended the Throne of the Bates Outing Club's nineteenth Winter Carnival when she was officially revealed and coronated by President Clifton D. Gray during last night's Open House and Dance at Chase Hall. The opening festivities of the four-day program were initiated with the investment of regal power in the new Queen.

Shortly after 8:30, the curtains at one end of Chase Hall opened to the blare of trumpets from trumpeters Stanley Smith '42 and Dexter Green '40, and the Queen entered, dressed in an evening gown. After a brief but effective ceremony, the crown was placed on the Queen's head by President Gray, who conducted the coronation in true courtly fashion. Her Majesty then read the program for the remainder of the 1939 Winter Carnival.

Queen Kendall, who succeeds ex-Queen Mary McKinney '38, was attended by her ladies-in-waiting: Dorothy Harms '39, Dorothy Adler '39, Lois Wells '39, Kay DeLong '41, Frances Wallace '41, and Barbara Fish '41. They will again serve in attendance on the Queen at Saturday evening's Carnival Hop in the Gymnasium. The Queen will perform her other regal duties unattended.

Miss Kendall was elected to the throne by secret ballot of the Board of Directors of the Outing Club last week. She is a sports enthusiast, and has had leading roles in campus dramatic productions.

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Carnival Hop Climaxes Activities

The nineteenth annual Carnival Hop, with Queen Kendall reigning supreme over approximately 200 couples, climaxed the Winter Carnival program tomorrow evening from 7:45 to 11:45 o'clock in the Alumni Gymnasium Saturday evening. The swing for the occasion will be provided by the popular Bobcats.

The Queen, attended by Dorothy Harms '39, Dorothy Adler '39, Lois Wells '39, Kay DeLong '41, Frances Wallace '41, and Barbara Fish '41, will make her entrance at 8:45 with a special regal procession. During intermission she will award the prizes to the winners of the inter-dorm sports competitions, to the snow sculpture prize artists, and to the individual "best performers".

The Alumni Gymnasium at present is being transformed from its atmosphere of "Blue Books" to a true Carnival Hop motif. The theme of the Hop has not yet been determined but it will touch on a carnival spirit.

Arrangements, although tentative as yet, are being made for putting the Hop on the air from WCOU. If plans develop, the affair will go into the ether at 9:30 and will be broadcast for about 15 minutes, Robert Hulsizer '40, chairman of the Carnival Hop committee, announced.

The Bobcats have been working on special features for this winter highlight. Special dance programs and refreshments are being arranged as well.

The guests and chaperones include Dr. and Mrs. Arthur N. Leonard, Miss Mabel Eaton, Professor Emeritus Grosvenor M. Robinson, Dr. and Mrs. Gray, Dean Clark, Mr. and Mrs. Rowe.

Chairman Hulsizer is being assisted by Dorothy Pampel '40, Maxine Urann '40, Grace Halliwell '40, Eleanor Stockwell '41, Lynn Bussey '40, Ralph Caswell '41, Marcus Urann '41, and Frank Coffin '40.

Max Lerner Speaks On Political Outlook

"Political Prospects for 1940" will be the subject of a lecture by Professor Max Lerner of Williams College, to be presented in the Chapel Monday evening at 8 o'clock, it was announced last night by Professor Buschmann, lecture series head.

Professor Lerner was formerly editor of "The Nation" and relinquished that position in September, 1938, to become professor of Political Science at Williams College.

He is the author of the recent work "It is Later Than You Think", and a volume of his essays and articles is scheduled for fall publication under the title, "The New Liberalism".

Student of Social Problems

A graduate of Yale, Lerner studied law at the Yale Law School, but in the midst of his law course he became interested in what seemed the more pressing social problems and applied himself to the study of economics and politics. He then studied at the Brookings Graduate School of Economics and Government, and received his Ph.D. in 1927.

After spending several years on the editorial staff of the "Encyclopaedia of the Social Sciences", he accepted a position as instructor in politics at Sarah Lawrence College and directed consumers' activities in Washington.

He was a lecturer in the department of government at Harvard and went from Harvard to "The Nation" in 1936.

Max Lerner has written extensively on law, politics, and public affairs, and particularly on the increasing role of government in the control of industrial activity.

Garnet To Appear On Campus, Feb. 15

The first edition of the "Garnet" will appear on campus Wednesday, February 15, it was announced last night by Richard DuWors '39, editor. Prominent among its features will be several examples of skilled photography by Lewis Mills '39 and Montrose Moses '41.

"A Portrait" by Rebecca Finnie '41 and pen and ink illustrations by Cynthia Foster '41, Katherine DeLong '41, Geneva Fuller '40 and Edwin Edwards '39 will also add color to this issue.

A treatise on Edward Arlington Robinson, "The Man and the Mountain", by Barbara Norton '41; "Choked on Oyster Shells", by Luella Manter '39; and "An Introductory Essay on Some of the Peculiarities of the English Spoken by German-Americans, and Some Possible Reasons Therefor" by Harold Roth, '39 reveal some promising talent.

Albert Pierce '39, in "Deutschland Uber Alles", defends the thesis that one cannot, in practice, distinguish between the German government and the German people.

A carefully selected group of poems by Frederick Preble '40, Ruth Robbins '39, Roland Martone '39, and Phyllis Chase '39 will round out a magazine designed to appeal to the student-reader.

Curtis Takes Colored Movies Of Carnival

Color movies of the highlights of the Winter Carnival will be taken by Jack Curtis, it was learned last night. They will be added to the growing film library of the college and will be used in student promotion work as well as for display before the various alumni groups.

Queen To Rule Skate From Regal Ice-Throne

The All-College Skate starts at approximately 8:30 tonight on the rinks adjacent to the Gymnasium, Richard Martin '40, chairman of the Skate committee, announced.

A throne made entirely of snow will be erected at the rinks, and the Queen will reign over the festivities from that regal seat. Music will be furnished over an amplifying system, and dance numbers will be supplied a la victrola recordings.

Hot dogs, hot chocolate and other refreshments will be on sale throughout the Skate.

The committee has decreed that persons bearing Athletic Association tickets only will be admitted to the Skate. Guests or friends of undergraduates do not need A. A. tickets, but should enter the rinks in the company of an A. A. ticket holder. Persons without athletic tickets or not in the company of someone with an athletic ticket will be barred from the Skate.

Chairman Martin is being assisted by the rest of the All-College Skate committee, composed of Jack Morris '41, Carl Andrews '40, Robert Langerman '42, and James Ferrin '42.

Carnival Ends With Open House At CRAG

Excellent skiing and tobogganing at Thorncrag have been promised by Chester Parker '39 and Eleanor Smart '39, co-chairman of the annual Open House at the Thorncrag Cabin Sunday afternoon.

Bates has come to regard the informal Open House as somewhat of a fixture, the last event of the crowded Carnival week-end. The plan of the committee, which also comprises Kathryn Gould '40 and Hasty Thompson '40, is to provide an entertainment which will allow everyone to do whatever he or she pleases in the line of winter sports without any special program or schedule.

A light lunch and something hot to drink will be available during the afternoon at the Cabin. It is generally the custom to have informal singing, and that is the extent to which the committee will attempt to direct the activities. Those in attendance will ski, toboggan, snowshoe, or simply watch, just as they may desire.

Parker says that he has been down the Thorncrag run recently and feels that as soon as the trail has been well broken there will be some very fine skiing available.

Coed Banquet Opens Weekend Festivities

Approximately 500 coeds, coeds, and guests met over the supper table in a mood of after-exam serenity last evening as the Winter Carnival got under way with a "coed banquet". Attractive decorations and flickering candlelight added greatly to the affair.

Bertha Bell '40, at Fiske Dining Hall, and Earle Zeigler '40 at the Commons provided piano music for the enjoyment of the diners.

Chaperones for the affair were President and Mrs. Clifton D. Gray, Dr. and Mrs. Paul Sweet, Dr. and Mrs. Anders Myhrman, and Dr. and Mrs. William Sawyer.

Patricia Atwater '40 and Earle Zeigler '40 were co-chairmen of the committee of arrangements. On the committee were Raymond Gove '39, Virginia Copeland '41, Loyd Chaisson '42, and Anne McNally '40.

Boston Club Sponsors Mid-Winter Round-Up

Maxwell Wakely '28 will be the main speaker on the program of the Annual Mid-Winter Round-up of the Boston Bates Club this evening.

Wakely, while in college, captained his track team and was a member of the 5th and 6th consecutive Bates relay teams to annex the Penn relay title. This same team won the 6th and 7th consecutive mile relay races at the BAA's of 1927 and 1928.

Representing the college at this banquet will be Ernest M. Moore, physical ed head, Coach C. Ray Thompson and Coach Dave Morey. Coach Morey will show movies of the past football season.

The three relay teams to compete in the BAA Meet on Saturday night will also be the guests of the club.

Approximately 65 fathers, 67 alumni, and 90 prospective students in the Boston area have been invited.

Collegian Features Carnival Celebrities

Carnival Queen Barbara Kendall '39 and Co-chairmen Roberta Smith '39 and Robert Morris '39 will be featured in an interview on the weekly "Bates Collegian" program out of WCOU this afternoon.

A general free-for-all discussion of the Carnival, its objects, and the duties of Her Majesty the Queen will be presided over by Chris Madison '39.

The program for the Carnival will be outlined and other campus news of interest will be aired.

Debaters Oppose Bucknell Tuesday In Little Theatre

The varsity debating team will oppose Bucknell University in the second of a series of three league debates Tuesday evening, Feb. 14, at 8 o'clock in the Little Theatre.

The proposition for discussion is: Resolved, that the Federal Government should cease to use public funds for the purpose of stimulating business. Donald Curtis '39 as witness and Frank Coffin '40 as lawyer will represent Bates on the negative side. This will be the only home appearance of this team.

Having won decisions from both MIT and Bowdoin, Bates College is at present leading the league. Curtis and Coffin were the same representatives who defeated Bowdoin a short time ago by a two-to-one decision on the question of the Ludlow Amendment.

Dorms Clash Today In Winter Sports Meet

Interdorm competitions in skiing and skating have been planned for this afternoon between 2 and 4 p. m. by Co-chairmen Helen Martikainen '39 and Robert Ireland '40.

Skiing events will include slalom, dash and obstacle relay competitions. Dashes, longer events, relay races, and obstacle relay races will be included in the skating events.

Those planning to enter should sign up immediately and dorms planning to enter relay teams should let the committee heads know at once.

Assisting Co-chairmen Martikainen and Ireland will be Katherine Curry '41, Barbara Norton '41, and Harold Beattie '41.

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Intermission

One of the greatest lessons supplied from the realm of psychology, it would seem, was long ago expressed in the homely proverb: "All work and no play makes Jack a dull boy". We have all been under some sort of a strain — some wondering whether or not we would flunk out, others wondering whether or not we would qualify for the second half of some scholarship. Those little blue books have all been handed in, nothing can be changed — we've either flunked out, or lost our scholarship, or survived everything that came our way in the Gym during the past two weeks. Nothing more can be done about the past, the future doesn't start until Monday — and we now have four days of mental rest.

The freshmen, who have completed their "introductory" semester, still have the worry of collegiate studies facing them; the seniors, who are entering their last semester, have the worry of the Post-June looking right at them from out of the future. But the problems of today do not exist. Even the worries about a better Chapel service, or the problems of getting up a good petition for something are dropped. The Gym, the rink, and Rand Field claim us all. For those who remain we say "May your success continue"; for those who leave, we exclaim "Good luck — and no college kid is too old to try again."

Thanks

"They doubly serve who bravely stand and freeze!" That applies directly to the hard-working bunch of undergraduates known officially as the Bates Outing Club. From blazing a trail through the Appalachians to clearing a landing plane for a ski-jumper, the B.O.C. has yet to dodge anything in the form of mental or physical work. For the nineteenth consecutive year this body has planned, engineered, and effected a Winter Carnival to rejuvenate tired, exam-weary minds. Boat trips, including a cruise and several canoe jaunts, are conducted by the organization in warmer weather, and mountain trails, cabins, and shelters are built by the industrious members.

Careful government of activities predominates. The wonder of it all is that so few injuries and accidents have accompanied the various activities that are conducted by the B.O.C. Government of another sense is evident as well — and this year sees the omission of the usual football game on skis and snowshoes, dropped because of too great a financial loss from damaged skis and snowshoes.

Cooking and dish-washing is not below the level of these "governors", however, and a party has often owed its success to the industry and thoughtfulness of the B.O.C.

Yet it is a thankless job — the term applies to them by more than one underclassman is "Just a buncha suckers!" Maybe they are "suckers", and maybe again the ones who call them so are wrong — very wrong.

The desire for service to others seems to have degenerated since the Good Samaritan last helped a stranger in need; and any organization based on service for the enjoyment and benefit of a general group has performed an invaluable act if, at the least, it continues to reveal a desire for service.

A thankless job it is, we have said, and our offer of thanks would be puny. Yet it may be expressed herein that the least any one deriving benefits from this organization can do, in the form of offering thanks, is comply with the requests of the Club for good order and carefulness in conduct during any part of the program.

The opportunity of enjoying an organized schedule of activities of a varied nature is offered by the B.O.C. Whether or not this opportunity is accepted by the undergraduate depends upon the intelligence of the individual undergraduate, but gratefulness for the offering of the opportunity should be felt by us all — and it is in respect of that same sense of gratefulness that we owe, in deeds if not in speech, a thanks to the B.O.C.

Garnet Editor Explains Material Selection Policy

By Richard DuWors '39

The "Garnet" staff has followed two guides in selecting material. First, is the material "good of its kind?" Second, is the "kind itself" good? In this way we have to combine the relative and absolute claims of literary schools. Further, we have also considered the value of a paper in terms of either its form or contents. One may object to this mechanical division, but it has been our experience that a less well written paper may deal with an interesting topic, or a paper may use good writing or an interesting form to deal with an old subject.

Sir Arthur Quiller-Couch has developed this idea in his "Art of Writing", a book any prospective "Garnet" writer would do well to read.

Freedom of Form In "Garnet"

The greater freedom and variety of forms found in the first issue of the "Garnet" grows of those guides. They have not been uniformly followed in the past; although I would say at once that this "Garnet" is a continuation of the experiences of Dodson '36, Kenseth '37, and Kennedy '38. Other beasts, however, other customs.

Some staffs have had a blanket rule against free verse; others have insisted on a content taken from the subject matter of literature courses; others have insisted on classical forms and Aristotelian unities.

We do not reject any of these other aids to selection, nor do we disregard the values of classical forms, but we do think that new ways of saying old things have been found since Addison and Steele wrote the Spectator Papers.

If one keeps his attention on the structure and purpose of a literary form, even the revived Mother Goose rhythms of Ruth Sukow, Sherwood Anderson and the other simplissimi can be effective. A short story in this "Garnet" demonstrates that again. One must keep both these guides above to avoid a chaotic freedom that would forbid selection.

Authors Unknown To Staff

Less important, but continued to meet criticism of the past, is the custom of submitting material to the staff anonymously. The member receiving the material removes the name and the rest of the staff reads it without the benefit of the author's name. This applies to all the material including that of the staff.

The freshmen may be more interested to hear that their material is judged relative to other freshmen. But the "Garnet" has to maintain a minimum below which material cannot go. There is no point in rejecting good material for bad even if a freshman did write it. That is why freshmen do not usually appear in a "Garnet" until the June issue. It takes a year of college to get away from the outworn phrases and facile ideas of high school.

College Men Oppose Foreign War For U. S.

If the nation went to war today for other reasons than the defense of the country, the United States government would find less than two ready volunteers out of every ten college men.

A poll just conducted by the Student Opinion Surveys of America among the male collegians of the nation reveals that although they are willing to defend their country, it will take several good reasons to make them volunteer for some other form of warfare. The Survey does not attempt, of course, to predict how many would actually enlist under future circumstances, for it is possible that many would act like a student interviewed in one of the West Central states who declared, "I might now say that I won't volunteer, but when the time comes perhaps I'll go anyway. It will depend on the propaganda."

However, the poll indicated clearly that students are not at present in any mood to have the United States dipping into the European or Far Eastern war pots. Representative portions of the nation's student bodies, excluding women, were interviewed with this question: "If the United States went to war for other reasons than the defense of the country, would you volunteer?"

Those who said they would amount to 19.7 per cent; no 80.3 per cent.

Most of those who are willing to fight had reasons for their answers. Mentioned the greatest number of times were "to perpetrate democracy", and "make the Monroe Doctrine respected". A good number also mentioned that they were in the ROTC or the National Guard and would have to enlist. "To stop Fascism", "to help England or France", "to protect American property abroad", "to keep the balance of power"—those are other reasons. And there were those who would join any conflict, like the Dartmouth sophomore who declared, "I'd follow the U. S. anywhere—my country right or wrong." Opinions from students on the opposite side ran from wild comments on the foolishness of war to emphatic statements such as a Texas student's, "I'd rather sit in jail than fight in any war."

By sections, the affirmative vote was like this:

- Far Western31.7%
- Southern21.5%
- West Central17.8%
- Middle Atlantic17.4%
- New England15.4%
- East Central14.7%

The effect of the proximity of Europe to the Eastern states is shown not only by this Survey represented in the above tabulation, but also by another recent poll in which the different sections favored rearmament in almost identical order.

Collegiate Review

Plans for a Liberal Arts exhibition of the same type as the approaching science exhibition are rapidly taking shape under the direction of Henry Farnum '39.

Committee members and the dates for its presentation will soon be announced. The idea of the exhibition is to permit each of the arts courses to present a display or other representative program highlighting its work and its place in the college picture.

News that Roberta Evans '41, who has been waging a battle with a streptococcus infection of the lungs, is showing improvement is welcomed here on campus. Bert was taken seriously ill a week ago Monday, and is at present at the C. M. G.

We don't know how these figures would compare with the records made here on campus during the past two weeks, but an over-ambitious University of Texas student has figured out that Longhorn students (10,103 of them) used 20,000 pencils to write approximately 13,000,000 words a day during the recent 10-day mid-year examination period. They studied 130,000 books for 200,000 hours in preparation for 45,000 examinations. Whew!

With all the talk and worry concerning the "state of the world" the following bit of satire strikes home. At Emporia, Kansas, State Teachers College, undergrads have founded a "Committee for the Investigation of America's Minding its Own Business in the Japanese-Spanish-German Situations". Every member must develop a definite "ho-hum" to be used in ignoring foreign atrocities. Said one of the founders: "We do not intend to respond to anything in the way of anything except what we think ourselves. We support nothing. We are against everything. We do not feel that we have sufficient information to justify anything, especially effort."

(Maybe a little over-stressed, but definitely worth thinking about!!)

Letter To The Editor

Editor of the STUDENT. I have been requested to correct an error in fact in my recent letter to the STUDENT.

No available source of information reveals any connection between Lord Beaverbrook and the Manchester Guardian.

Thomas Knowles '41.

Following Footprints In The Snow

One of the chief joys of a Carnival, and one not appreciated by undergraduates as yet, comes when one mashes down the old snow trail through memories of former winter festivities . . .

The 1935 Winter Carnival Queen . . .

rode masked from Hathorn Hall to the Outing Club rink in a sleigh . . . that Wizard of Words, Joy Dow, was Master of ceremonies . . . off came the mask . . . and Her Highness Gladys Webber was coronated by Dr. Arthur N. Leonard . . . and the show went on . . .

Frye Street House put out a basket of fruit . . . in snow . . . so tempting that the judges gave it the prize . . . West Parker and Cheney House copied the Interdorm competition . . . the Queen occupies her Snow Throne in the accompanying pictures . . . Joy Dow in his realm . . . amplifying his words of wit and wisdom . . . and his echoes come back . . .

Mush Along The Trail To '36 . . .

Priscilla Walker—"Happy" we called her . . . crowned by Prexy Gray . . . Rand Hall turned out a Puritan Woman . . . frozen visage and all . . . copped the prize . . . Hacker and Roger Bill made it a clean sweep of throwing over former rulers in Interdorm contests . . . fun from lollypop race. 1937 . . .

Elizabeth "Betty Bates" Stevens inherited the throne . . . Prexy couldn't resist . . . kissed the Queen's hand . . . Dotty Adler, Luella Manter, and Fran Carroll broke into royalty . . . made perfect Ladies-in-Waiting . . . West Parker again champs . . . Lambda-Alpha carried the coed prize off campus . . . Hope Flanders and Art Danielson, now Mr. and Mrs. and even Ma and Pa, won the Treasure Hunt . . . "Cot" Hutchinson and "Red" Canavan pushed a famous "Dirty-Six" squad to a win over Martin's Senior Roustabouts . . . Mickey Mouse won the sculpturing contest for the Town girls . . . a bunch of West Parker inmates really did the dirty work though—the "bribe" for producing the winning statue, a rum cake, was never paid—females fickle even then . . .

1938 . . . coming up to Yesterday only . . .

Mary McKinney crowned by "Dutchy" Leonard again, while Prexy thought of Winter Carnivals in Los Angeles . . . Fran Carroll, Bunny McCray, and Ruth Gray members of Reginald Retinue . . . no snow was the theme song; usual snowshoe races, skiing forced out of the calendar because of the lack of a lot of those little white flakes . . . art will find a way . . . and the "snow" sculpture enthusiasts turned out statues of soap.

The "King of the Hill" — Coach Win Durgin of the ski team — deserves a lot of credit for the thrilling jumps off Mount David . . . trains the boys to do tricks on long, long wooden shoes . . . has helped make past carnivals successes . . . but doesn't often get the pat on the back he deserves . . . a cheer for the coach . . . even did a good job the year there was no snow!

Hockey games galore . . . moans and more moans over the fact that Bates lacks a varsity rink team are worked up as undergrads make stellar plays on the ice . . . "If they're that good without practice, they'll be champs with practice" . . . plenty of pluck as the play goes on . . . goalies try to check everything . . .

The trail leads on . . .

. . . the footprints in the snow become clearer . . . more recently made prints become visible . . . fewer prints seen in the snow . . . Queen Kendall ascends the throne in 1939 . . . Dotty Harms, Dotty Adler, Lois Wells, Fran Wallace, Boo Fish, Kay DeLong add more footprints to this year's addition to the trail . . . another Chase Hall Dance hits the snow . . . Carnival Hop coming up . . . Interdorm competition crashing through the flakes . . . the trail leads on . . . new footprints every day . . . for Tomorrow to recall . . .



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SPORT SHOTS

By George Lythcott '39

If they knew that this was the observance of Bates' Annual Winter Carnival, the Gods of the Winter have almost outdone themselves in giving us everything, in the form of ideal conditions, with which to work. And in full cooperation with the Bates Outing Club and its usual well-balanced program, all should go in making this nineteenth renewal of Winter Carnivals quite a week end. This year the Inter-dorm competition on Garcelon field should be especially keen, as the Carnival Committee in conjunction with several of our Lewiston and Auburn merchants, is really offering some worth while prizes, for individual and high-point winners in both the men's and women's events.

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Three Relay Teams Enter B.A.A. Meet

Bates will send a varsity two-mile relay team and a freshman one-mile relay team and, possibly a varsity one-mile relay team to the fiftieth running of the B.A.A. meet which will be held in the Boston Garden, Feb. 11.

Coach Ray Thompson, when interviewed regarding the meet, stated that Bridges, Wallace, Rollins and Shepherd will probably be the men who will run the two-mile relay for the varsity. However, he added, that Al Pierce '39, who is the most improved man on the squad, may edge out one of these fellows for a spot on the team. Pierce, because of his fine work, will make the trip anyway.

Thompson is rather undecided about the varsity one-mile relay team. Quigley, who is now ineligible, will not know until the end of the week whether he will be eligible for the meet. If he is not eligible, the team will probably not be entered. If on the other hand, he should become eligible in time for the trip, Shepherd will be switched from the two-mile to the one-mile team and Pierce definitely will run the two-mile event. In case of Quigley's eligibility, the remaining two members of the team will be Morris and O'Shaughnessy.

Freshman Team Already Chosen

The members of the freshman one-mile relay team have already been chosen. Paine, who is a short dash man but who is trying to stretch out to a quarter mile, is one member. The second man is Sigsbee, who is ordinarily a weight man but who has proved that he is a good man in any event in a pinch. The other two men on the team are Mabey and Nickerson, and a quarter mile is a good distance for them. They both have made good time at this distance.

Coach Thompson stated that he could make no definite predictions as to the outcome of this meet. He did remark though that the two-mile team will do better than they did last year. All of the men running in this event have had considerable experience and are in better shape than they were last year. Thompson is hopeful that they will be able to slice six or seven seconds from last year's time at the B.A.A. Meet.

Coach Thompson stated that the one-mile team is not a strong team. If they do go, it will merely be for the experience. The freshmen are not expected to break any records, but they also are going for the experience.

It is interesting to note that Coach Ray Thompson ran in the B.A.A. Meet in 1911, 1912 and 1913 and has attended most of the meets since that time. He said that the B.A.A. meet is good experience for the boys and has back from the meet with a more serious view toward track.

The team will leave the campus Friday afternoon. Friday evening they will be the guests of the Boston Bates Club at the Huntington YMCA.

day night. A varsity mile and two-mile relay team and a freshman mile foursome comprise the Garnet entries.

B.A.A. Games In Boston

Bates trackmen leave the campus Friday to participate Saturday in the 50th running of the annual B.A.A. games in the Boston Garden. Friday night the boys will be the guests of the Bates Boston Alumni Club at an annual banquet in the Huntington Street YMCA. Besides Coach Thompson and his proteges, Coach Dave Morey, and Ernest "Monty" Moore and Jack Curtis will be guests. Bates, at least in numbers, will be well represented at the Garden Saturday night.

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It has been the custom for the last four years to hold an interdorm basketball tournament for the girls in Rand gym during mid-years. These games, played often by inexperienced and unpracticed teams, are purely for relaxation and enjoyment during the exam period. They are opened to an audience from both sides of campus directly following the cocoa served in Rand reception room.

Whittier-Wilson Open Tourney

The games this year have been comparatively slow, most of the teams winning by long margins. The opening game held Monday the 6th, between Whittier and Wilson went to the former by a 32-17 score. Day, for the losers made the highest individual score while McNally and Moulton were high for the winners.

In the second game, held Tuesday, Milliken won 24-10 from Chase. Fuller and Williamson, forwards, showed a good playing combination that stood them in good stead for the following games. Chase's team, though taller, was unable to keep up with the speed of the winners.

Rand beat Hacker 26-7 in the third game of the series. Hacker felt the loss of Evelyn Copeland when she twisted her knee. Experience showed with the seniors who had played together off and on for four years.

Cheney Defeats Town Girls

Cheney started her way to the finals by beating the Town Girls 22-11. A tall team with a particularly good combination in forwards Matloch, Gould, and Potter, and a strong guard section dominated by Alice Turner, the Cheneyites took their first game only after a good fight. Mary Dexter, was influential in holding down the winners' score.

In the second round, Milliken defeated Whittier in the closest game of the series, 22-21. Fuller and Williamson again showed up for the winners while Brown, McNally and Moulton did well for the defeated team.

Cheney took Frye by a margin that was not indicative of a really close game 22-9. The score at the half was nearly even, but the second period saw the Cheneyites gain a large margin. This game put the winners in the final.

Rand Proves Superior

Rand also made the finals by beating Milliken 25-10 in a slow game. The superior experience of the Rand team stood them in good stead against the Milliken combination.

Barbara Rowell '40 was in charge of the annual tournament this year held under the auspices of the W.A.A. The games were refereed by Professor Lena Walmsley and Miss Margaret Fahrenholz, aided by Anne McNally '40 and Patricia Atwater '40.

Improving J V Basketeers Travel To Bridgton Wed.

The junior varsity basketball team will journey to Bridgton Academy Wednesday evening to meet an experienced and star studded prep school quintet.

This same Bridgton team defeated the freshmen recently and the J. V.'s will be out to avenge that defeat. Although they have had little opportunity to work as a unit, this J. V. team has come along fast. Particularly pleased by the work of Perry Jameson '41, Tiny Boothby '41, and Bob Braddicks '39, Coach Buck Spinks has high hopes for his team's turning in a real game.

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Hoopsters Meet Bowdoin Tonight

By John Robinson '42

Resuming play after their temporary lay-off for exams, the campus cagers open a week of all-state play by meeting the Bowdoin Independents at the gym tonight. The game comes as a high spot of the Winter Carnival program and promises plenty of thrills to carnival fans.

The invading basketeers offer a fast five, led by Johnny Cartland, former Edward Little High School star. Cartland will be ably assisted on the court by Fairchild, a consistent point collector. Also among those present on the team's danger line are several of the lads who also star at hockey, the official sport of the campus. These boys are unable to make the trip because of conflicting schedules between the two teams. The Independents are not sponsored by the college officially, although the boys are subject to certain rules that apply to the other teams, eligibility rules, for instance. Prior to the Bowdoin exam period, the Indies established themselves with a court record threatening to all future comers.

Still Seek Win

The Spinksmen, who have been practicing wherever possible for the last two weeks, are still trying for their first win. In spite of defeat at the hands of both Maine and Colby in breath-taking games, the Bobcats are only trailing their opponents by three points. Thus the Garnet gamesters prove to be a constant threat.

The game marks the return of Johnny Woodbury to the courts. Woodbury was benched for the last few games due to a hand injury which made it impossible for him to play. The team may however be weakened tonight by the loss of Brud Witly, who came out of exams with the net total of one cold and stomach trouble. If Witly should be unable to play the Bates offensive will be weakened greatly. Brud is one of the outstanding guards in the state today, according to the boys from Maine and Colby. Leading the Bobcats' attack this evening will be Harry "Deadeye" Gorman, the leading tally totaler on the squad at present. Others who have proven themselves as threats to the pleasure of mind of their opponents so far are Howie Kenney, fast, clever-passing guard, and Bing Crosby, famed for those one-hand shots. Also to be counted on for scoring points are that dependable duo, Ray Cool and Vic Stover.

Twin-City Merchants Donate Prize Awards

The following group of local merchants has given a number of prizes to be awarded to winners in the various events of the Carnival. Their cooperation in making this year's festivities a greater success deserves the appreciation of all:

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Lollypop Race Winners Receive Huge "Suckers"

A pair of monstrous lollypops, for the winning ed and coed, will be the prizes in the annual Lollypop Race to be run up the side of Mt. David Saturday morning at 11 o'clock.

The "all-week-suckers" will be placed at the very summit of the mountain, according to Elizabeth MacGregor '40 and Charles Crooker '40, in charge of the race, and a real lung-bursting struggle should result.

To Orono Monday

Monday evening the campus cagers will begin the second semester by journeying to Orono to meet the Bears on their own court. Three weeks ago the lads from Maine came to Lewiston to win a one-point victory over the Garnet five. Since that memorable evening, the Pale Blue has lost an outstanding player of the team in Kent, center. Kent was high point man for the invading forces when they attained their victory here. In the previous Maine game, Johnny Woodbury was missing from the Bobcats' line-up. With all these things in mind the Spinksmen journey to the University anxious for revenge.

The basketeers return to the campus to pass Wednesday by combatting the Mules from Colby. In the first meeting with these boys from across the tracks, the final score gave the Mules the game by two points. Howie Kenney was not in the line-up of the Bobcats on their visit to Waterville. His presence now and the fact that the game is to be played on their own floor should give the campus lads the advantage. This is the last home game of the season.

The starting line-up for the Maine and Colby games will be fundamentally the same as that of tonight's match.

Faculty Members Of O. C. Aid Carnival Directors



Professor Lena Walmsley



Dr. William H. Sawyer, Jr.

Professor Lena Walmsley and Dr. William H. Sawyer, Jr., Outing Club faculty advisers, have contributed greatly to the success of this year's Winter Carnival and in fact to the progress of the Club since its organization in 1920.

Professor Walmsley is the active women's faculty adviser. Since she came here in 1927, Miss Walmsley has included winter sports in her curriculum of physical education. One of the first things she teaches the girls to do on skis is to fall down properly. An enthusiastic mountain climber, she is also more than eager to be of help in the women's annual canoe trips, held each spring.

Dr. Sawyer, professor of botany, is the present men's faculty adviser. Interested in hiking and winter sports even as an undergraduate, Dr. Sawyer has been affiliated with a boys' camp where he has been interested in nature and guide work during recent summers.

He was the active director of the "C" Bluff trail trip on which several Bates men blazed a route to summit of "C" Bluff from main Appalachian Trail. Besides his interest in the Outing Club, he is a Boy Scout leader here in Lewiston and has recently been instructing in leaders' courses.

Rand Hall Captures Interdorm Hoop Title

Rand Hall annexed the women's interdorm basketball championship Wednesday afternoon in defeating Cheney House 27-19. In a game much closer than the score indicates, the all-round play of experienced Rand proved the margin of victory.

The winning banner will be awarded at the Carnival Hop Saturday evening.

The members of the winning Rand team were Barbara Buker '39, Helen Martikainen '39, Frances Carroll '39, Dorothy Weeks '39, Lucy Morang '39, Elanor Smart '39, Fannie Longfellow '40, Barbara Leonard '39, and Sarah Bushnell '42.

Undefeated Swimmers Meet Strong Hebron

The undefeated Bates swimming team makes its fourth start tonight when the boys will try to make it two straight over Hebron in Hebron's own pool.

In their first meet the boys swam against Edward Little for competition practice and then they went on to take the Portland Boys' Club over. This same outfit had handed the Bates boys a couple of setbacks last year. Then against Hebron over in Auburn the Bates swimmers made it three straight.

The big question in the minds of the supporters of the team is whether they can come through again. And there must be some doubt when you stop to think that mid-years are just over and most of the boys have done little swimming during that period while at the same time burning a little midnight oil. Coach White had no comment to make when asked what he thought the chances of a victory were other than he could not tell what effect mid-years might have on the boys. But he hastened to say that he wasn't trying to make an alibi for a possible defeat. Jim O'Sullivan, star diver, probably expressed the feelings of the squad when he calmly announced that nobody had a chance to take the team unless it might be Bowdoin.

This year, the second of swimming competition at Bates, has seen a big improvement in the team from last year and from meet to meet. All that was needed to make a successful team was competition and experience which was amply furnished last year. It shows up this season. Furthermore with more interest stirred up among the student body more candidates have reported to the team that remained in seclusion last year. It looks like swimming is here at Bates to stay and if the boys keep up their successful season there can be no doubt of it.

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Queen Kendall

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With last night's coronation marking the starting point, the remainder of the Carnival offers everything from athletics to art, concluding with the Open House at Thorncrag Cabin Sunday afternoon. Interdormitory competition, skiing events on Rand Field, and skating events at Carcelon will be the usual activities today, with a varsity cross-country ski meet with the University of Maine, a basketball game with the Bowdoin Independents, and an All-College Skate being the highlights of the day's events. The cross-country skiing meet should finish at about 2:45 on Rand Field, the basketball game will start at 7, and the All-College Skate will begin at 8:30, shortly after the court contest ends.

An inter-class tug-of-war, on Rand Field at 10:30, starts Saturday morning's festivities. The tug-of-war replaces the usual football contest game on skis and snowshoes. The football contest has been discontinued due to excessive damage to Outing Club skis and snowshoes. The Lollypop Race up Mount David completes the morning's program.

Saturday afternoon, the Garnet skiing squad will compete with the University of Maine's varsity at 2 o'clock on the Bates jump. The judging of the Snow Sculpture contest starts immediately after the meet.

The Carnival Hop at the Alumni Gymnasium climaxes the entire week end, with a terpsichorean delight being furnished from 7:45 to 11:45. The Thorncrag Cabin Open House from 2 to 5 p. m. Sunday completes the 1939 Winter Carnival.

The carnival arrangements have been made by a cooperative and active committee headed by Co-Directors Roberta Smith '39 and Robert Morris '39 and composed of:

Coed Banquet: Co-chairmen, Patricia Atwater '40 and Earle Zeigler '40; Virginia Copeland '39, Dorothy Dole '41, Ann McNally '40, Raymond Gove '39, Orrin Snow '41, Lloyd Chaisson '42.

Dinner Dance and Open House at Chase Hall: Co-chairmen, Joan Wells '40 and Hamilton Dorman '40; Marilyn Miller '41, Daisy Puranen '41, Donald Pomeroy '40, John Haskell '41.

Inter-dorm Competitions: Co-chairmen, Helen Martikainen '39 and Robert Ireland '40; Katherine Curry '41, Barbara Norton '41, Harold Beattie '41.

Open House at Chase, Vic Dance: Co-chairmen, Lois Wells '39 and Roger Jones '39; Patricia Miller '41, John White '39.

All-College Skate: Chairman, Richard Martin '40; Jack Morris '41, Carl Andrews '40, Robert Langerman '42, James Ferren '42.

Lollypop Race up Mt. David: Chairman, Elizabeth MacGregor '40; Charles Crooker '40.

Ski Meet: Chairman, Tom Reiner '39.

Judging Snow Sculpture: Helen

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Any sophomore or freshman is eligible to compete in the annual prize debate contests to be held Thursday afternoon, February 16. The exact time for the contests will be announced later, but each contestant should be prepared on that date to deliver an extemporaneous speech, argumentative in nature, on a topic of his own choosing.

Each speech will be three minutes in length, and not over four minutes. At the end of the speech each candidate will be asked a question on his or her topic to give each an opportunity for refutation. The questions will not be brain-teasers, but will be merely for the purpose of taking the place of rebuttal.

If enough candidates compete successfully, there will be debates for each class with prizes of ten dollars for the best speaker and five dollars for the individuals of the winning debate team. These contests will also determine those who may make the varsity debating squad, Freshman team, Freshman squad, or varsity team.

Those selected to compete in the prize debates will meet and divide into teams to debate selected topics to be announced later on the bulletin board.

New Faculty Members

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from Columbia with honors in Latin and Greek. A member of Phi Beta Kappa, he received the only Classical Language Awards made at Columbia and was the recipient of a University Fellowship in 1937-38.

Languages have definitely been Mr. Conant's field. He reads Latin, Greek, French and German, speaking French fluently, and numbers the semantic languages, Sanskrit and Arabic in his repertoire.

He lists golf and swimming among his athletic interests.

The new Greek professor will take over all the courses of the late Professor George M. Chase with the exception of Classical Civilization.

Cary '39, David Saunders '39.

Carnival Hop: Co-chairmen, Dorothy Pampel '40 and Robert Hulsizer '40; Maxine Urann '40, Grace Halliwell '40, Eleanor Stockwell '41, Lynn Bussey '40, Ralph Caswell '41, Marcus Urann '41, Frank Coffin '40.

Open House at Thorncrag: Co-chairmen, Eleanor Smart '39 and Chester Parker '39; Katherine Gould '40, Hasty Thompson '40.

Carnival Queen Committee: Chairman, Hazel Turner '40; Virginia Yeomans '40, Carolyn Hayden '40, Katherine DeLong '41, Beatrice Wilson '42.

Jeff Lynn Appears On Air With Crosby

Jeffrey Lynn '30, recent recipient of a long term Warner Brothers contract, was the guest of Bing Crosby on his famous Music Hall broadcast last night.

Lynn, whose first starring vehicle, "Four Daughters", pointed the way to fame, is currently appearing in the movie, "Yes, My Darling Daughter" with Fay Bainter.

Alumna Are Honor Guests At New York Alumni Tea

Mrs. Emma Clark Rand of 867 East 18th street, Brooklyn, N. Y., the oldest living alumna of Bates College, and Dr. Ezra Kimball Sprague, medical director of the United States Public Health Service, also a Bates College alumna, were the honor guests and speakers at the bi-monthly tea of the New York and New Jersey Alumni Association of Bates College, held at Hotel Astor, Sunday, Feb. 5.

Howard Thomas of Brooklyn, president of the alumni association presided. Mrs. A. D. F. Stearns was chairman of the committee.

Speakers Bureau Plays Active Part In Twin Cities

The Speakers Bureau sponsored a series of discussion groups at the Auburn Y on Sunday evening, Feb. 5, at which Professor Peter Bertocci, Coach Leslie Spinks, and Judge Manser presided. Milton Nixon '39 and Donald Maggs '40 of the Bureau spoke on the Light of Education.

During the week of January 30, Eugene Foster '39 was delegated by the Speakers Bureau to judge a series of interclass debates held at the Lewiston High School.

Harriet "Peg" White '41 recently spoke before the Thalian Club at the High Street Congregational Church also as a representative of the Bureau.

Bowdoin Professor To Speak Wed. Night

Professor A. Daggett of Bowdoin will be the speaker at a forum held in the Little Theatre Wednesday evening at 6:45 under the auspices of the Peace Commission of the C. A., it was announced last night by Patience Hershon '39, chairman.

Professor Daggett will speak on the "Foreign Policy of the United States" and will include in his talk a discussion of several important bills now before Congress dealing with our neutrality plans.

The commission sponsoring this talk includes Alice Morrill '41, Betty May Scranton '41, Gertrude Libby '41, Paul Farris '41, James Walsh '41, Basil Hanscom '40, Rose Warabel '42, and Thomas Hayden '42.

Ice-Art Judges Seek Originality, Expression

Originality, suiting of the subject to the medium, and expression will be the main points on which snow sculpture will be judged, it was announced last night by Helen Carey '39, in charge of that Carnival feature.

Judging will be done at four o'clock Saturday afternoon and the length of time the art has been on display will also be considered.

Sculpturing should be done as early as possible so that it may be enjoyed throughout the Carnival, Helen suggested.

Two Seniors Admitted to Tufts Medical School

Maurice Barney '39 and Dwight Wood '39 have been admitted to Tufts College Medical School. Several other biology majors have arranged for interviews before receiving final word on admission.

Science Exhibit

The examination period has caused a temporary lull in active work on the Biennial Science Exhibit to be held Feb. 23 and 24. Invitations have been mailed to many of the surrounding high schools and preparatory schools, along with descriptions of the exhibition.

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Dr. Paul Tillich Addresses C A Advisors At Conference

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"Oh, just a theologian!" says the average American, and turns to something significant, like the sports section. But for those who listened to this friendly, rather homely man, the impressive fact about his theology stood out more and more: for him and for thousands of other Germans, theology is the unbreakable spring that keeps feeble men from breaking under the pounding of the ruthless Nazi machine. His theology is by no means just a dogged hold on an obscure traditionalism, but rather the mature conviction of a modern man that a study of the whole of human psychology and of the course of history reveals God as a reality taking an active part in the affairs of men. And since he feels God to be a real Force, working for all that men consider most precious, he feels that a real man will cooperate with God, even though that man's role may be that of an obscure

seed, apparently forgotten in the ground.

So he is quietly optimistic, this man who served in the German army through the World War, who worked for years to promote Christian Socialism, only to see it smashed by Hitler, who suffers the moral torment of seeing Germans guilty of all the brutality of the Nazi regime, and who foresees the possibility of a fascist rule in the United States. The religion of such men is no "opiate of the people", but an invigorating food, giving more courage and energy than human often have.

In conclusion, he appealed for help for the German refugees, more for the half of whom are Christians. He had little hope of seeing a change in immigration quota, but pointed out that Americans can often help the refugees who get here, by direct financial aid and by finding jobs. (Many of the Germans are specialists of one sort or another who do not displace Americans.) Many American families can take German children, and individuals and groups can aid students in our colleges.

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