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Social Symphonies

Hazel Turner '40 spent the week end at Massachusetts State College in Amherst attending the New England Women's Student Government Conference.

Hacker House welcomed spring with a house party Wednesday night with Joan Wells '40 as the spirit of spring. Town girl guests included Miriam Vaughn '41 and Elizabeth Winslow '40.

Eleanor Davis '42 entertained over the week end a sub-freshman, Elia Santilli of Charlestown, Mass.

Ginny Copeland '41 attended a C.A. conference in Boston this week end.

Beth Sundlie '41 spent the week end at her home in Roslindale, Mass.

Last night the frosh of Milliken House gave a surprise party at the DeWitt Hotel for Chris Williamson '42 in honor of her birthday.

Bunny McCray '39 was given a surprise shower and birthday party in Rand Hall, Thursday evening.

Brud Witty '41 was the guest of Miss Alice Parkhurst at a tea dance at Colby College, Saturday.

The engagement of Jean Dickson and Fred Kelley, both of '39, was announced during Easter vacation.

The annual old-new board Student Government party was held in the Women's Union, Thursday evening. Dorothy Weeks '39, Patricia Atwater '40 and Frances Clay '40 were in charge.

The vacation was not long enough for Barbara Place '42, Jean Davis '40 and Donald Purinton '39. We saw them heading for Boston again last Wednesday, for a couple of days.

CLUB NOTES

Varsity Club will meet tonight.

Two members of Soladitas Latina spoke at the regular meeting last night.

Ten new members were initiated into Ramsdell Scientific Society last evening.

Last Monday evening the regular meeting of the Camera Club was held.

La Petite Academie met last evening, when Prof. Angelo Bertocci gave an illustrated talk.

There will be a meeting of the Dance Club tomorrow afternoon.

Berkelman Lectures
On French Cathedrals
Art Club: Last Friday Prof. Berkelman lectured on French Cathedrals. The club voted to present David Saunders '39 with the charm he designed for W. A. A.

Hamilton Dorman '40, new president of the Outing Club, spoke at the meeting last Thursday night.

Christian Service Club: Initiation of officers next Tuesday evening.

Jordan Scientific: Carl Andrews '40, newly elected president, presided at the meeting last Tuesday night.

Lieutenant McGraw of the finger print department of the Lewiston police force was the guest speaker. He lectured on criminal methods and their detection. Lieutenant McGraw illustrated his lecture by taking finger prints of some of the members present.

ALUMNI NEWS

'95—Miss Dora Roberts, better known as Ma Roberts, is walking on crutches after having broken her hip. She is convalescing at her home in Brookline.

'37—Ashmun Salley is en route to Mexico City to spend three years working for Eastman Kodak Co. in that city.

'38—Norman Kemp and Emery Swan are holding positions as part-time instructors at the University of California while working for their doctor's degrees.

'39—Jane Martin has been teaching the fifth grade in Yorktown Heights, N. Y., since February.

Seniors Vote For Class Day Speakers

The senior class, meeting under the leadership of President Fred Clough this morning in the Chapel, voted on the following candidates for speaking honors on Class Day to be held during the forthcoming Commencement exercises:

Toastmaster: Christian Madison, Milton Nixon.

Class Marshal: David Howe, Herbert Reiner.

Invocation: David Howe, Lionel Whiston.

Class Poem: Roland Martone, Ruth Robbins.

Address to fathers and mothers: Evelyn Copeland, Lucy Perry.

Class History: Edwin Edwards, Hoosag Kadjiperoni.

Address to Halls and Campus: Barbara Kendall, Eleanor Smart.

Pipe Oration: Eugene Foster, Robert Rimmer.

Class Ode: Walden Irish, Phyllis Chase.

Last Will and Testament: Donald Curtis, Leighton Dingley; Roberta Smith, Lois Wells.

Class Oration: Irving Friedman, George Lythcott.

The Beacon In The Darkness



Letters To The Editor

(The staff of the STUDENT this week inaugurates a policy of providing room in its columns for intelligent student, faculty, and administration discussion of pertinent problems. Ed.)



C. A. versus "Wolves"

Dear Editor:

The current plan of extra-curricular activities, including athletics, self-government, and club organization has been worked out quite successfully here at Bates, and many of us are indeed thankful that we have the privilege of attending an institution where the individual exists as a distinct entity, rising or falling in the social strata depending on his actions, able to express his thoughts with complete freedom, and last but not least may enjoy fruitful friendships.

At this point, I would like to present a possible topic for debate and discussion. We, as a compact group, have developed unconsciously social values by which we judge all of the students around us, thereby forcing many a person who wishes to remain somewhat in public favor, to conform and live up to these social values, regardless of their truth, usefulness, desirability, or efficiency. In order to show no partiality or discrimination, may I give a few examples representing a cross-section of prevalent opinion:

College Stereotypes

Illustration One

"Joe College" has been studying fairly hard for a week. Along toward Saturday "Joe" decides to relax a little and trips the light fantastic down to ye olde Chateau to indulge in a few of the rudimentary activities of Terpsichore and down a little so-called "ratgut". "Joe" returns home that night (maybe) and possibly creates a little stir (if he is discreet he sneaks in), and then awakens the next morning to find himself branded decidedly one of the rabble element of our fair institution.

Illustration Two

"Percy Bookworm" is imbued with an ideal and realizing that many of the men who have made "Who's Who" have been scholars and Phi Betes, decides to forego some of the lighter and more trivial items in this man's college and do a little honest-to-goodness grinding. No sooner has he carried this procedure out to some degree, forsaking various social opportunities, and accomplished some

results (viz. 3.6, 3.8, or 4.0) when he suddenly finds that he is infamous and disgraced—a stigma, blemish, or taint is placed upon his name, and the poor guy is a "bookie", "grind", or what have you?

Illustration Three

"Caspar (Praise the Lord) Milquetoast" comes to Bates saturated and impregnated with some of the higher ideals of life (at least he wants to express them and give them a little exercise and confirmation) and therefore attempts to put a little propriety in his life, abiding by all rules and regulations, attending church regularly, taking an active part in Christian Association activities, and behaving somewhat like a "Little Lord Fauntleroy", who couldn't catch a football with a basket, or possibly even catch a cold. Pretty soon, in the eyes of quite a few people around this h'yar campus, we have a nice little C. A. Boy running around, minding his P's and Q's.

Questions Individual's Right To Criticize

Now what I want to know is, who in the devil are we to criticize and brand any of the people described in the foregoing examples? Who are we to say whether or not they are right or wrong? Are any of us little tin gods who have the right to pass judgment on anyone's actions? Permit me to use an analogy. Let us say that this college group is in a rowboat. It would seem that there is a group in one end of this rowboat trying to lead the craft in a certain direction, while in the center there are a lot of "deadheads" who don't care, even if it sinks.

By now you can readily see what I am driving at. It would seem that the Bates Christian Association has two strikes on it before it starts, because, whether the people who are in charge of it are capable or not, we have a prejudice against a group which we have, in the past, felt was a self-integrated, self-perpetuating group. By the way, that name Bates Christian Association is a hang-over from the name Young Men's Christian Association which we used to have on campus, and the "Christian" was not put there to express what we call purely religious and formalistic activities. H.F.R., prominent senior, expresses this view with a cynical smile and chuckle, "The Christian Association is harmless enough, except for using OUR money to send non-profit delegates to conventions—for the ride." There you have it. An organization which should be regard-

FROM THE NEWS

ROOSEVELT BOMBSHELL

With a suddenness of action unusual in democracy in peacetime, the head of the American government, President Roosevelt, last Saturday in one move dispersed the concentration of the Navy in Atlantic waters, sending most of it to the Pacific, and sent an unprecedented and forceful peace plea to the governments in Europe. It asked for a promise of non-invasion for a period of from ten to twenty-five years of every country in Europe and some in other continents, and tentative on acceptance of this it proposed a conference of all nations to attempt permanent, peaceful settlement of problems confronting the world which would likely lead to war.

THE REPLIES FROM ABROAD

Germany says no go; have no faith in altruistic motives behind it. Rome calls message "most incredible document in whole diplomatic history, almost an insult". France startingly revived, sees United States joining allied front against invaders. Great Britain officially indorses the proposal. Smaller nations in possible danger of invasion by one or more powers greatly pleased and relieved.

PUBLIC OPINION DISTRIBUTED

The public, which hasn't recovered enough from the surprise of this move, has shown widely different reactions. Some rate it in importance with the United States' entrance into the World War. Others called it extremely

tactless, do not think it would amount to any more assurance than the promises made to Chamberlain at Munich, which were kept a very short time indeed.

Just what might it mean? It undoubtedly shows conclusively that the United States is far from any intention of pursuing a policy of isolation. It appears to put the initiative for peace and the blame for a possible war in the near future on those two nations to which it was especially addressed, Germany and Italy; since it is on their acceptance that the peace conference will be called at all. Whether it means that the United States actually expects to lend armed assistance in case of further aggression it is impossible to deduce.

The strategy of the move is clear. It was interspersed at a time when there were no supposed movements of armed forces, but some were expected. It came as a complete surprise; it stole the show for the moment from all others. Most significant is that the President pulled no punches, came right out with some self-evident and fundamental truths that the dictators have not observed, that: "Nothing can persuade the peoples of the earth that any governing power has any right or need to inflict the consequences of war on its own or any other people save in the cause of self-evident home defense"; and that, "It is therefore no answer to the plea for peaceful discussion for one side to plead that unless they receive assurances beforehand that the verdict will be theirs they will not lay aside their arms." It is for these that the Roosevelt plea should be remembered, regardless of its success.

Asks For "Peace Day" Cooperation

To the Editor:

The student demonstration to be held on our campus tomorrow can be one of the most significant actions which the Bates students have ever taken. Its significance, however, depends to a very large extent upon the full, sincere cooperation of the whole student body.

The demonstration will serve several purposes. First, it will let the public know that the faculty members and the student body at Bates are not functioning as erudite particles in a vacuum of abstract ideas and principles. The public will realize that we are really AWAKE to the difficult problem that America's foreign policy presents. More than that we want all concerned to know that we are not imperialistic or selfish war is going to be put over on us as a "War for Democracy" or (God forbid) "A War to save Christianity".

Sense of Unity

Secondly, the demonstration will do much to dispel the hopeless, fatalistic feeling held by so many. "We don't want a war," they say—"but when a guy sticks a bayonet into your ribs what are you going to do?" That's a statement which should come from a man in a dictatorship where some political Svengali holds sway, not in a democracy where there is supposed to be some semblance of self-government. Every one of us can do something to prevent such a situation IF we watch carefully every movement that our government makes, voice our disapproval when the occasion arises, and put men in Congress who will carry out our wishes.

Finally, this demonstration gives to the students themselves a sense of unity. It's a great feeling to know that at the University of California, the University of Louisville, Harvard, Mount Holyoke, Brown and many other universities and college people are banding together in firm determination. That they are not going to be drawn blindly into another orgy of destruction.

All of us should be willing to give up one hour in order to take an active part in the demonstration against war tomorrow at 11 a. m.

.. BILL SUTHERLAND '40.

ed as one of the most vital groups of this college, regarded in this manner.

Urges More Student Participation

Well, here it is in a nutshell. At the recent All-College Election, the students of Bates College elected a slate of officers to the head of the Christian Association, which is to my mind excellent, and then recently the C.A. Cabinet appointed new chairmen to their many commissions, who were chosen, so I understand, because they were thought to be typical and real Bates Students. Now let's give them a chance to show what they can do. Don't unconsciously shun the group because you expect a repetition of the same ideas stressed in the past few years. We are all members of the Christian Association whether we like it or not, and don't forget that we are all paying for this membership on our term bills. So, why not get our money's worth and participate in some of the various activities of this group, and in this way, we will all have a chance to mould that organization as we see fit. If we are all members, therefore, we won't want to criticize ourselves. In order to see that this idea is carried out, I should like to make the following suggestions for the Christian Association officers and commission chairmen to carry out, thus creating a democratic organization and not a ruling democracy:

1. The law in the constitution that says: These officers shall be elected annually from the regular membership at the All-College Election, upon nomination by the Faculty Adviser and the outgoing Senior members of the Cabinet.

I suggest that this be changed to:

These officers shall be elected annually from the student body at the All-College Elections, upon nomination by a committee consisting of the present officers, the entire Cabinet, a "lay" group of fifteen persons not directly connected with the C. A., and the Faculty Adviser, and

2. The law in the constitution that says:

This constitution may be amended by a three-quarters vote of the full membership of the Cabinet.

I suggest that this be changed to: by a two-thirds vote of the entire student body.

EARLE ZEIGLER '40.
P. S.—Comment and discussion on these questions is invited.

Field Conditions Hinder Morey From Naming Outfield

Bobcat Nine Opens With Bowdoin Today

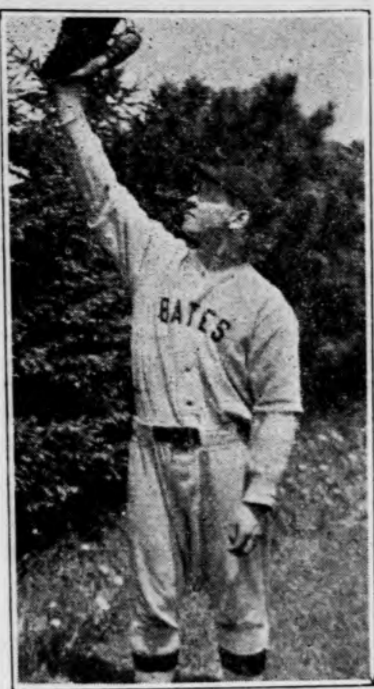
The Bates baseball team will travel to Brunswick this afternoon to encounter Bowdoin in the first contest of the 1939 season. Due to the persistence of Old Man Winter most of the fields in this section are in a super-muddy condition and the exhibition game may be played indoors. On tomorrow, the Garnet pastimers conclude their pre-season exhibition tilts by travelling to meet the battle-wise Colby team.

When interviewed recently concerning the Bowdoin game, Coach Dave Morey stated that he has been handicapped by "not being able to hold practice sessions outdoors and that the starting lineup is still undecided. Since Garcelon Field is a sea of residue snow and slippery mud, the Bobcats have been working out in the cage. The coach as yet has been unable to really look over his outfield prospects. However, he did say that Dick Thompson and Bill Johnson, veterans, will probably be two members of the outfield trio. The other member is still unknown but in all likelihood he will come from the ranks of the pitchers. Austie Briggs, Jay Thompson, Brud Witty and Hughie McLaughlin are all pitchers who can hit and if they show that they can handle themselves in the field they may see some service in the outfield. Tentative Infield

The tentative varsity infield has Stan Bergeron at first, Norm Tardiff and Lou Hervey battling for second, Art Belliveau at short and Hasty Thompson in the hot corner. These men have been showing up well in the practice sessions and although it is not definite, they will probably comprise the starting infield. The so-called junior varsity infield also has several promising men in Pete Haskell and Bill Lever at first, Tom Flannagan at second, Dave Jennings and Mayor Simonetti at short and Doc Fortini at third. Although these fellows have been playing on the so-called junior varsity nine, there is nothing absolute about their status. Morey plans to use as many of these men as possible in today's game in order that he may observe how they handle themselves in actual play.

The catching position is still unsettled and this promises to be Coach Morey's big problem this year. There are no catchers with varsity experience on the squad. Jim O'Sullivan, Perry Jameson, Norm Johnson and Dave Goldenberg are the outstanding candidates for the backstop position and it is from this group that

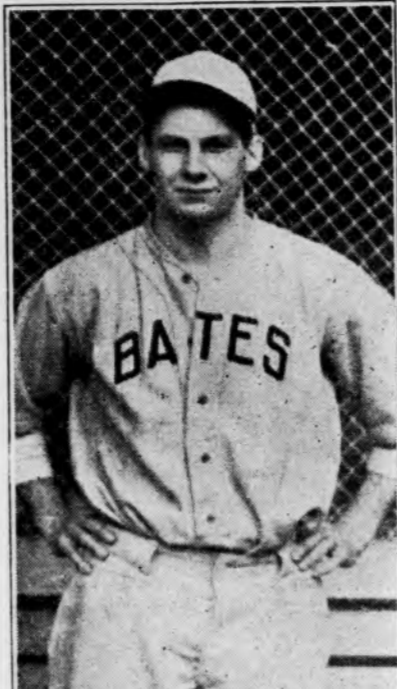
KEY MEN TO LEAD PASTIMERS



Stanley Bergeron

Stanley Bergeron '39 and Robert Malone '39, stellar first baseman and hurler respectively, have been named to lead this year's Bobcat baseball team, it was announced by Coach Dave Morey.

Bergeron was co-captain last year and repeats this year in his fourth year of varsity play with the ball club. He was a letterman at Brockton High School for three years and captained the team his senior year. Bergeron hits from the left side of the



Robert Malone

plate and his fielding has marked him as one of the steadiest first sackers in the state. Last summer he played for a St. Johnsbury, Vt., team.

Malone was one of the mainstays on the Garnet hurling squad last year when he developed fast to team up with Austin Briggs '39 as the key pair of starting pitchers. He is a right handed fast ball pitcher. Malone was a leading hurler with his prep school team in Connecticut.

Favor Juniors To Win Interclass Track Title

Saturday afternoon the class of 1940 will meet the Freshmen, Sophomores and Seniors in an attempt to retain their title as interclass champions which they have held through five meets. The Juniors are again favored to win the title but they will meet strong opposition from the Freshman class.

The weights should go to the Juniors although John Sigbee should score a number of points in his events. The discus should be a close affair between Carl Andrews '40 and Sigbee, unless John Hibbard '40 comes through with a long toss. George Russell '40 should edge Sigbee in the shot put, while Connon '40, Andrews and Stan Bogdanowicz '41 should place in that order in the hammer. The hammer may be thrown outside provided the field in back of John Bertram Hall is dry enough.

Paine, Mabee and Nickerson should do the bulk of the scoring for the freshmen in the sprints and middle distances, while Shannon '41, O'Shaughnessy '41, Morris '41, Pierce '39, Holmes '40, Bussey '40, Shepherd '40, Rollins '40 and Crocker '40 should share points in the 100 and 220 yard dashes and the 440 and 880 yard runs.

Holmes and Maggs '40 should place one-two in the pole vault with the height being around twelve feet for the ultimate winner. Coorsen '41 and Holmes should lead the broad jumpers, while Webster '41 and Coorsen '41 should place in that order in the high jump while Maggs may pick up the extra point.

Dana Wallace '39 and Warren Drury '41 will battle it out in the mile and may finish in that order. Coffin '40 and Wallace will push Don Bridges '39 in the two mile run which may be the feature event of the day as Bridges has a possible chance to break the cage record which stands at 9:59. Although none of the men are in too good condition as a result of their long layoff, it is barely possible that Bridges will shatter that record in his last indoor meet. The meet, however, may be held outdoors.

W. A. A. NEWS

The new W. A. A. board took office at a cabin party at Thorncrag on March 29. The party was planned by a committee headed by Frances Wallace '41. After supper and games the old and new boards held a joint meeting, at which time the retiring president, Eleanor Smart '39, turned over the leadership of the board to the new president, Joan Wells '40. New board members include Barbara Fish '41, Betty Moore '42, Priscilla Simpson '42, and Muriel Swicker '42, secretary.

W. A. A. Modern Dancing has proved very popular and brings out many enthusiasts on Friday at 4:30. The dancing is managed by Elizabeth MacGregor '40 and coached by Hazel Turner '40.

Ping-pong and badminton tournaments are nearing completion with the third round due to be finished by this coming Saturday. Individuals are asked to make a special effort to finish their matches in that round by the date set.

Golfers have nearly completed their preliminary lessons and will be going onto the course in the next few weeks.

SPORT SHOTS

By Bill Howland '40

Another season of sports has rolled around, at least we hope it will roll around after the snow takes its final leave of absence from the diamond, the track, the courts, and the links. Yes, I said links. About a month ago Monte Moore called Gus Clough into his office and asked Gus, "Did you ever coach golf?" When Clough replied in the negative, Monte came back, "Well, you are now appointed coach, manager and captain of the Bates golf team."

On Larry Durgin's sports chat over the radio Coach Thompson made some very interesting comments. With no reservations he went out on the limb to say that Don Webster is the best high jumper in the State. He also went on to say that Ossie Chapman, former half-mile star for the Garnet, could have easily clipped a couple of seconds off the world's half mile record, running on that famous Dartmouth indoor track where Glen Cunningham cut down the mile record. Coach Thompson named the Bowdoin "blue clay" track as the fastest in Maine.

That's hidden talent in them, maybe. We mean the hills, maybe bunkers, in New Jersey (if there are any hills in Noo Joesey). This talent lies in the person of Frank W. Brown '41 who will have a chance to display his wares for the golf team. He has the enviable record of having scored a hole-in-one, no less. This memorable accomplishment happened on July 5, 1937, at the Du-Pont course in Penns Grove, N. J. Frank has a medal to vouch for his deed.

Bowdoin's track team has been heavily hit by ineligibility. Ray Hul-

ing, Johnny D. Marble, Gene Redmond and W. C. Ecklund are the ineligibles. Probably the most serious loss is that of Huling who has been a consistently high scorer for the Magee-coached team. Huling is a hurdler of national prominence and picked up points in the broad jumps and dashes. Mal Holmes and Don Maggs were anticipating a duel with Marble in the pole vault in the State Meet, and Redmond was a capable dash man, while Ecklund also was a pole vaulter. However, there was some gain, as Hank Dolan, high jumper, who was ineligible for the winter season, is now eligible. He should give our Don Webster a great battle as Dolan tied for first in the State Meet last year and leaped six feet two inches in the inter-frat meet this winter. All of which makes us wonder if there isn't a little too much severity in the eligibility rule that is followed in the state.

HERE AND THERE

On his second day of vaulting since spring vacation Don Maggs cleared twelve feet easily. Mal Holmes and Maggs should duel it out between them this spring in several of the meets—it has been long since Bates has had two such capable vaulters at the same time. Coach Dave Morey recently rejected a managerial post in the Cape League — twenty years ago Coach Morey had a manager's job in this league and sent Pie Traynor up to the major leagues — Stan Bergeron and Normie Merrill have played in this league. Coach Buschmann will lead the faculty volleyball players in defense of their title Saturday — then he will journey to Medford immediately, where the tennis team will be playing Tufts. The basketball season never ends for basketball players who are not out for some other sport now — Buck Spinks has a group of players who are working out three times a week in voluntary practice sessions.

Football Schedule Includes Harvard, Four Home Games

Four of the seven football games will be played at home next season with American International College of Boston being added as a new opponent. The "big" game in view of the size school met, is the second game of the season with Harvard University at Cambridge. Of State Series games, only one game will be a home game, that with the University of Maine.

The Freshman schedule is more attractive next year since the freshmen will meet four schools instead of the customary three games. The freshmen will meet four of the most prominent Maine prep schools in Coburn, Kents Hill, Ricker and M. C. I.

Varsity Schedule
Sept. 30—American International.
Oct. 7—Harvard at Cambridge.
(Continued on Page Four)

Bobcat Netmen Start Mass. Trip Saturday

Team Loses Nixon Sutherland And Kenney For Tour

Six members of the tennis squad will leave Saturday for meets with four Massachusetts and Rhode Island teams, but will be playing without the services of Captain Milt Nixon, Howie Kenney and Bill Sutherland. The first two were expected to play the number one and two positions respectively, but all three have decided to give up the sport this season because of the pressure of studies and other activities.

Four men are sure of making the trip and will play in this order, according to the present standing on the ladder. Number one man will be Joe Canavan, number two will be Jim Walsh unless he displaces Joe Canavan from the number one position. The number three position will be held down by Bill Howland, and Mal Holmes will play in the number four slot. Two more men will be selected to make the trip from the trio of Joe Millerick, Al Brown and Fred Whitten. The only doubles team that has been decided upon is the Holmes-Howland combine. Canavan, Walsh, Howland and Holmes are all lettermen and will form the nucleus of this year's team with the addition of a freshman, Paul Quimby, who will join the team after the coming trip. Mal Holmes will spend the major part of his time with track this year but will play in those matches that do not conflict with track meets.

Saturday the team will play Tufts at Medford, Mass. This should be the best team that the Garnet will face, since Tufts has eight veterans this year. Captain Sheldon Rotenberg has been number one man for three years and has only lost one match of varsity competition. After meeting Tufts the team will move to Cambridge and play M. I. T. Monday. The outcome of the MIT match should be a little more favorable than the Tufts match since the Tufts match will be the first outdoor experience for the men this year. Tuesday the match will be with Rhode Island State, and Wednesday the netsters will engage Brown at Providence.

The trip should prove to be good experience and get the players in shape for their matches in the State that follow the trip. The loss of the veterans Nixon, Kenney and Sutherland will seriously hamper Bates' chances in the State tourney, but the team will still have an outside chance to retain the title on points, even if they do not have any individual champions. Colby has been strengthened by the addition of Charley Lord, Middle Eastern interscholastic champion, and has a veteran team. The University of Maine will be somewhat improved as their club will be better balanced but has no individual stars. Bowdoin has lost a number of good men, but Ben Shattuck, co-holder of the State doubles title will still be playing.

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Madison Resigns As Announcer Of WCOU

Chris Madison '39, who has been working on the staff of radio station WCOU since October, has resigned to devote his time to studies. Chris, who has made numerous friends via the air lanes, finished his duties at the local station on April 1. By request he will continue to conduct the Bates Collegian program, which is presented Friday afternoons at 5:00 o'clock.

Wall '41 Appointed Chase Hall Chairman

Richard Wall '41 has been appointed to succeed Chester Parker '39 as director of the Chase Hall Committee, it was announced early this week by Mr. John Curtis, head of Chase Hall activities, and assistant alumni secretary.

Richard Wall, a B. S. major, has been a member of the Chase Hall Student Committee for the past year, and is in addition a member of the Outing Club, Healers, and the Jordan Scientific Society.

Coffin Announces

Council to Sponsor Several New Functions

Secondly, however, there are a number of new functions which have not been fostered by Councils in the past but which it is hoped may be worked on by this year's group. On this list the new Council head enumerated the following:

The advancement of an intra-mural sports program.

The planning of the Chapel program sponsored by the Council every two weeks.

The work of the social function committee which investigates the difficulties met in conducting dances—after hours for girls, money for bands, etc.

The attaining of a better relationship with alumni, especially with the large number of local residents who are Bates graduates.

The very difficult problem of the establishment of a cooperative enterprise which will provide an eating place for those who cannot be taken care of at the commons. This involves a student owned establishment which will obviate the necessity of many seniors walking downtown for their meals.

"Our main objective," says President Coffin, "is to make this Council more than just a go-between for faculty and students. We plan a joint Council-Men's Assembly meeting in the near future to present our policies and our work accomplished. We hope also to have these assemblies more often so that the Bates men may continue to get in contact with their Student Council."

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Heads Of B.C.A

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The new committee has been called the Student Opinion Committee, and has as its chairman, Earle Zeigler '41, and faculty advisor, Dr. Peter Bertocci. If this sub division of the Campus Service Commission proves successful, it is quite probable that it may become an independent Commission next year.

Those who attended Retreat including faculty advisors, and the old and the new Executive Board and Commission Chairmen—Cabinet members—were: Professor and Mrs. Seward, Dr. Peter Bertocci, Luella Manter '39, Leonard Clough '40, David Howe '39, Bertha Bell '40, Joanne Lowther '41, Orrin Snow '41, Donald Pomeroy '40, Earle Zeigler '41, Ruth Brown '39, Leslie Warren '41, Carol Stuffer '40, Ernest Johnson '42, Harry Shephard '40, Dorothy Pampel '40, Ernest Oberst '41, Barbara Abbott '41, Ralph Child '40, Barbara Boker '39, Charles Crocker '40, Priscilla Hall '40, William Sutherland '40, Harriet White '41, Dorothy Dole '41, Selma Bliss '40, Chandler Baldwin '42, Lois Philbrick '39, Janet Bridgman '40, Chester Parker '39, Richard Wall '41.

Football Schedule
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Oct. 14—Northeastern.
Oct. 21—Arnold.
Oct. 28—Maine.
Nov. 4—Bowdoin at Brunswick.
Nov. 11—Colby at Waterville.
Freshman Schedule
Oct. 13—Kents Hill.
Oct. 20—Ricker Classical.
Oct. 27—Coburn Classical.
Nov. 3—Maine Central Institute.

Rockland High School Wins President's Cup

Rockland High School won the President's Cup for having the highest first semester combined average of any group of three or more students, graduates of the same high school, in the present freshman class at Bates College, according to a special honors announcement in the Bates Chapel Monday morning.

Students representing Rockland High at Bates this year include: Marion Ludwick, Dorothy Frost, and Doris Borgerson.

Honorable mention went to Newton High School, Newtonville, Mass. Other schools which ranked high during the first semester included: Malden High School, Malden, Mass.; Classical High School, Springfield, Mass.; and Naugatuck High School, Naugatuck, Conn.

Stu. G. Welcomes New Board At Dinner

As a farewell to the old board and a welcome to the new, the Student Government new-old board party was held in the Women's Union Thursday evening, April 13.

Immediately following, the retiring president, Helen Martikainen took charge of an informal meeting. She called on various members of the old board to give reports on such activities as Freshman Week, the Student Government Banquet, and Mother's Weekend. She also called on the guests Dean Clark, Mrs. Foster, Mrs. Bisbee, Mrs. Chase, and Miss Metcalf who expressed their appreciation for the cooperation the girls have shown during the year and made helpful suggestions whereby an even closer relationship between faculty and students and Bates traditions might arise.

U. B. College Club Elects

The College Club of the United Baptist Church has elected officers for the coming year, it was announced last night by Robert Ireland '39, outgoing president of the group.

The new officers are: Frank Bennett '41, president; Irving Mabee '42, vice-president; James Doe '42, social director; Thomas Knowles '41, director of worship; Paul Wright '41, organist. The Rev. Percy L. Vernon, pastor of the church, will again serve as adviser.

Social Justice Groups To Confer On Co-ops

Co-ops will be the main theme of a three-state conference scheduled to be held on campus April 29 under the sponsorship of the Bates Social Justice Commission. Representatives from the Social Justice groups of colleges in Maine, New Hampshire, and Vermont are expected to attend according to tentative plans announced by Chairman Harriet White '41.

The Bates chose the main subject, feeling that it is one chief problem confronting the campus at present. The one day conference will present, in the afternoon, Dr. Leo Vernon of Harvard as the main speaker before the entire group, following which there will be a series of short discussions. Following supper at the Women's Union, the conferees will again assemble to hear a discussion of labor and its problems presented by Don Curtis '39, who has made an exhaustive study of the Lewiston-Auburn Shoe Strikers of two years ago. All meetings will be public.

The committee announced by Miss White includes: Maxine Uraan '40 and Barbara Barsantee '42, Women's Union; Milton Nixon '39, Helen Cary '39 and William Sutherland '40, discussion group leaders; Sumner Tapper '40 and William Worthy '42, Publicity; David Weeks '41 and Dorothy Matlack '42, Thornecrag breakfast.

"Information Please" Alumni Reunion Feature

An unrehearsed version of "Information Please" will be featured at the fifty-fifth annual reunion of the Bates Alumni Association of Boston and vicinity to be held Saturday, April 29, at the Hotel Lenox, Boston. The board of experts judging this contest will be made up of Professor Brooks Quimby, of the debating department; Prof. Robert Berkelman of the English department; Mr. John L. Miller '26, superintendent of the Brockton schools; and Arnold Kenseth '37.

This program, arranged by Mrs. Margaret Hoxie Adams '35, will feature questions concerning Bates. Students and faculty members are cordially urged by Mrs. Adams to submit questions and answers to her—8 Clark Road, Milton, Mass.

W.A.A. Ski Club Travels To Pinkham For Skiing

On Sunday nine co-eds of the W. A. A. Ski Club accompanied by Miss Walmsley, Miss Fahrenholz, Miss Parrott, Dr. Mrs. and David Sawyer, Mr. Ross, Mr. Curtis and Mr. and Mrs. Durgin journeyed to Pinkham Notch for a day's skiing. The group left campus at nine in the morning and arrived in the notch around noon, there to eat lunch and start up the Fire Trail. After a few hours of skiing, part of the group returned by way of the more hazardous Sherbourne Trail, and part went up to the headwall where they witnessed the Harvard-Dartmouth Inferno race, one of the big events of the year.

All the skiers were impressed by the beauty of the mountain surroundings and those who enjoyed their first taste of mountain skiing were particularly enthusiastic. There were several casualties on that day as the trail was covered with ice in spots, but the Bates group escaped without injury.

The trip was planned by a committee headed by Frances Coney '40, and the committee expressed its thanks to Miss Walmsley, Dean Clark, Mr. Ross and Mr. Curtis who made the trip possible by offering their cars for the occasion. This trip, a project of this year's skiing season, marks the climax of the activities of the W. A. A. Ski Club, a new club on trial this year.

Yale Divinity Head Attacks Conceptions At Final Vesper

The last vesper service of the year was held Sunday, April 16 in the Chapel. Dr. Halford E. Luccock, of Yale Divinity School was the speaker. His talk entitled "Let me Finish", attacked the popular, piously sentimental conception of Jesus. He used Jesus as an example for present-day Christians, who, he said, must have penetrating judgment and a keen mind not easily deceived by shams.

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