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Bates, Colby, Bowdoin Join Summer Sessions

The administration announces that this school will participate with Bowdoin and Colby Colleges in a summer session for men on the Bowdoin campus. Agreement was reached on the program at a recent meeting of President Phillips, President K. C. M. Sills of Bowdoin, Dean Ernest C. Marriener of Colby, and Colonel Earle A. Reed, head of the Veterans' Administration for the State of Maine.

Although all three colleges now have large numbers of veterans as students, many of them have decided not to accelerate this coming summer. For example, at Bates out of 233 returned veterans, only 92 wish to accelerate. Consequently it seemed wise to establish a single summer session rather than for each of the three colleges to operate with a smaller group. Bowdoin was the logical choice since, not being co-ed, it has a greater number of men students who wish to accelerate than either Bates or Colby.

The summer session will just fit in between the regular semesters here. The Spring Semester will (Continued on page two)

Stu-C Adds Mayoralty Campaign To Roster

Joseph Laroche '47, president of the Student Council, has announced that primary elections for class officers and Student Council members will be held Thursday, March 28th, in the chapel. The winners of the primaries will make their final try for office in the May 15th all-college elections. Laroche also announced another electoral campaign—one that ex-Bates men will remember very well—the campus mayoralty campaign. The last one that this reporter remembers—in the fall of 1941—was won by those two eminent statesmen, Don and Harold Marr, who were supported by the mayor of Lewiston in a dashing ceremony on Garcelon Field. It is to be hoped that Stu-C plans to revive this meet with success.

Laroche also announced the formation of a new committee to handle men's activities in Chase Hall, with the exception of the Saturday night dances. The new group will work in close harmony with Stu-G and the Student Activities Committee. In addition, plans are now under way to enlarge the Chase Hall Committee in order to render their fine work even more effective and relieve them of the burden of an under-manned staff. In the case of both these committees, the Stu-C is hoping for full cooperation from all students—an essential to their future success.

Capt. Avery Features Kodachrome Slides

This Thursday, March 28, Captain Avery of the U. S. Navy will be on campus to show pictures of Mt. Katahdin and the Appalachian trail. He has developed a hobby of making kodachrome slides in connection with his work in these regions, and his collection is an extensive one.

Students and townspeople are invited to attend the showing of these pictures, in Chase Hall at 8 o'clock.

C. A. Announces Members Of The Freshman Cabinet

The Christian Association announces the Freshman Cabinet. The group was chosen on the basis of interest and ability in C.A. As in former years, the function and activities of the group will probably depend for the most part on the general and specific ideas and attitudes of the group.

There have been religious study groups in the past which have helped to plan and assist in student conducted worship services and also have participated in other projects under the leadership of C. A.

The C. A. commission meetings are usually held on the last Friday evening of every month, but "Pygmalion" is being presented on Friday the 29th of this month, so the commissions will not meet until April 26.

Tonight (Wednesday) the C. A. Cabinet and the Freshman Cabinet will become acquainted with each other at a cabin party at Thorne crag.

The members of the Freshman Cabinet are: Bill Stringfellow, Bob Williams, Ken Crosby, Glen Kume-kawa, Steve Fienberg, Art Bradbury, Dona Golder, Marion Ingraham, Evelyn Kushner, Elinor Kraupner, Jan Bowie, Lois Montgomery, Laverne Tate, Helen Papaioanou, Dolores Kapes, Arroyln Hayes, Anna Condos, Jane Harrigan, Barbara Duemmling, and Emery Flavin.

BCC Examines New Campus Problems

Though everyone has heard the initials BCC, and some even know what they stand for, the majority of students have no idea of the myriad jobs and problems the Bates Conference Committee handles in a week. Acting as representatives of the whole college body, they act as a sort of clearing house for college problems, re-orienting those which are to be taken care of elsewhere and taking over the jobs which don't seem to be covered by any other organization.

In answer to the request of the girls in Smith Hall for a place to sunbathe, the committee found that though the roof will be unavailable because of its tar substance, the backyard will be cleared for them.

They are working on the problem of a room for another smoker on the girls' side of campus as the union will not be large enough to accommodate all the girls when they evacuate Smith Hall.

Recently they have investigated the book shortage in the library, attempting to relieve that situation. Also they have appointed a committee to aid Dr. Zerby with programs for music day in chapel.

A great contribution was their assistance in bringing about donation of half of the Bates saccharine supply to the Central Maine (Continued on page two)

Robinson Players' Third Production Opens Tomorrow



STAGE CREW CONSTRUCTS SET FOR "PYGMALION"

Tomorrow evening in the Little Theatre, Robinson Players will present George Bernard Shaw's "Pygmalion". The play, which is scheduled to run for three nights, is the third major production of the season.

In December, the group presented "Soldier's Wife," a play dealing with the problems confronting the returning veteran, and, in February, Shakespeare's "As You Like It". The fourth and final production is as yet unannounced.

For the past month, the Little Theatre has been the scene of hectic activity. Director, cast, and back-stage crews alike have been hard at work making the present production live up to the high standards set by past performances.

Every night this week, the lights in Little Theatre have blinked out not long before midnight. Every night, after a three-hour work-out, a tired but enthusiastic group has gathered on stage for the traditional "feast" of coffee and cookies.

Costume rehearsals, beginning Sunday evening, found Josephine Ingram and her crew literally snowed under piles of costumes, aprons, and pins and needles.

Last night found the cast, plus their proper costumes, pink rosy complexions, frown lines, and white hair as applied by the make-up crew headed by Paul Weiner and Florence Furley.

Tonight will find the entire group, directors, cast and back-stage crews, in their final dress rehearsal before the opening performance tomorrow evening.

Members of the cast include Joyce Lord as Eliza Doolittle; Stanley Moody, Henry Higgins; Jane Gumpwright, Mrs. Higgins; Mandy Ryon, Mrs. Pierce; James Cronin, Colonel Pickering; Floyd (Continued on page two)

Dr. Fisher Shares Letter From Battle-Scarred Yank

The letter that I have been sending out to Bates men in the services is rounding out its third year. This letter is usually made up of five pages, mimeographed on both sides. The news contained in the letter is news that Bates men in Service have sent in to me. During the lifetime of the letter more than 2500 letters have been mailed to me. There were days when 10 to 12 letters arrived. Today the rate of daily arrivals is slowing up. The men are slowly but surely coming back. Many have already returned. But the letters continue to arrive. One of the recent arrivals was a real gem. It revealed the man — his feelings about the service — his feelings about Bates. We thought that other Bates people should have the right to enjoy the humor of this letter and so we

use it as our contribution to the Bates STUDENT. The name of the sender must forever remain a secret.

"I belong to the United States Forces in Austria. We are known in our weaker moments as General Clark's Terrible Typewriter Commandos, fighting the battle of the red tape of occupation against an enemy equally as vicious and infinitely more cunning than the wily Hun or Jap. I can't imagine who in the world thinks up some of the asinine reports we have to submit but when I do find out that he gets (Continued on page four)

Convention Ratifies Hillel Constitution

Holding their first convention at Colby College in Waterville, the Hillel societies of the four large Maine colleges gathered on Sunday, March 17, with their adviser, Rabbi Gerald Engel of the University of Maine. Approximately thirty members of the Bates organization attended.

Two delegates, Dorothy Lichter and Frances Sudhalter, attended the morning session and assisted in drawing up the constitution.

In the afternoon, the four groups ratified the paper. There was a general business meeting, and then the group heard an address by President Bixler of Colby. He spoke on his experiences with the peoples of the Far and Near East.

The B'nai B'rith, or women's group, served the delegates a buffet supper. The evening was strictly a social affair with exhibitions of hypnotism and ventriloquism, and a short skit was presented.

Hobo Dance Features Rags And Tatters

Veterans — here's your chance to wear your old civilian suit again. Girls — here's a chance to dig out your dungarees and floppy shirts. On Saturday evening, April 13, the Chase Hall Dance Committee is sponsoring another Hobo Dance — that unique dance where "rags" and "bags" are welcome.

For the benefit of any newcomers let us say no "holes" are barred. The only ticket of admission will be the garb of reasonable facsimile of that of a tramp. The baggier your trousers, the holier your scivvies, the more wilted your skirt, the more chance you stand of winning the grand prize. In the course of the evening, Miss Duffee will call a square dance. So break out that tattered attire and be in the style at the "Dance of the Tramps".

Red Cross Drive Tops Quota Again This Year

President Charles F. Phillips, chairman of the Bates College division of the Red Cross, on Monday morning, March 25, turned over \$821.08 to Deane Quinton of the Red Cross.

On campus, the drive was conducted by the members of the Bates Conference Committee, the Men's Student Council, and the Women's Student Government.

Since the college quota for this year was \$500, the amount turned in came to 165 per cent of the quota.

Last year, the college also substantially exceeded its quota, the total amount turned in at that time being 113 per cent of our \$900 quota.

Chase Committee Increases Staff

A Student Council Chase Hall Committee, made up of men only, will be established by Student Council to plan and carry out men's activities in Chase Hall. It has been suggested that the committee as a whole serve as a central planning committee for men's activities in Chase and that each member become the chairman of a specific function for the year.

The Saturday Night Chase Hall Committee, already established, is to expand its membership to include ten men and ten women, who will elect their own chairman. This committee is responsible for operating Saturday night activities, whether dances or open houses, in Chase Hall. One member of the committee will be appointed to serve as liaison with the Activities Committee.

Both Chase Hall Committees will clear their programs through the joint Faculty-Student Activities Committee. Student representatives on that committee are Penny Gumpwright and Parker Hoy, chosen by the presidents of the five all-campus student organizations.

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Acknowledgement . . .

One of the most industrious groups that is present on our campus and without a doubt the least noted is the Bates College grounds crew. That hard-working assemblage of men that we see every day, whether it be cutting trees, shoveling snow, etc., is the complement of the grounds crew. With the coming of spring and the accompanying thaw the campus was in a sorry state for a few days, but as we all know it was only a few days. Waterways were dug to get rid of the superfluous water, and as a result we could dispense with our hip boots. Those men that were seen swinging in the trees were not trying for roles in the Ringling Bros. combine, not in the least; they were trimming our stately elms in preparation for their summer foliage.

As you are walking along on our campus walks the next time look down at the amazing cleanness that is before you. That isn't a product of nature by any means, no it is the result of the ever present diligence of the grounds crew. We all can give these men a lift by refraining from tossing our cigarettes just anywhere, and also hanging on to our candy wrappers until we can deposit them in a suitable container. Let's all try to be a little more careful, and also take a little personal pride in our campus when we know that we have had something to do with its upkeep.

We certainly appreciate the work that you put in every day, in all kinds of weather to keep our campus the beautiful thing that it is, and we offer to you a hearty WELL DONE!

Earle W. Albee '48

Commons . . .

Perhaps the American people have to complain about food for it seems to be a fairly common gripe. That it goes on here at Bates is very evident particularly if anyone has been listening to the students who frequent Commons. Judging from the extensiveness of the comments, there must be some cause for the discontent with the present conditions existing there. One complaint which presents itself as being particularly valid is the frequency of cold food. It seems that for this there should be some remedy. Many of the other gripes as to amount and types of food served, and the rushed conditions would probably be lessened if all the students really understood some of the difficulties involved in the feeding of more people than the plant is meant to accommodate.

The best way to cope with this problem would seem to be a conference between student representatives and the administration officers concerned with the dining room. Here the complaints of the students could be presented and discussed from both sides. Some improvement would surely grow out of such a meeting. That which was impossible to remedy would at least be understood, and the cause for most of the griping removed. This type of action presents itself as a good opportunity for a joint Stu-G and Stu-C program.

M. E. Holden '46.

Directory Supplement

For the convenience of the college, the STUDENT is printing below a supplement to the Directory. The names and addresses of all new students on campus will be printed in successive issues.

SENIORS — 8th Semester

ANTUNES, GEORGE EDWARD, JR. 6 Cutler St., Wakefield, Mass.	Chase Hall
DAY, DONALD SHELDON 98 Gamage Ave., Auburn, Me.	
GILMOUR, WAYNE JESSE Elm St., Barton, Vt.	Roger Williams
HARRINGTON, PATRICK HENRY 155 Linden St., Fall River, Mass.	Roger Williams
JOSSELYN, CARLTON A. Broadway, Hanover, Mass.	West Parker
LARCHIAN, GEORGE ARAM 190 East Ave., Lewiston, Me.	
MARR, DONALD IRVIN 9 Highview Ave., Barrington, R. I.	John Bertram
MURPHY, PAUL EDWARD 345 Sabattus St., Lewiston	
PERSKY, AVRON ISAAC 71 Sabattus St., Lewiston	
TOULUMTZIS, MICHAEL GEORGE 9 Oswald St., Roxbury, Mass.	West Parker

7th Semester

CARD, ARNOLD FRANCIS 292 Main St., Auburn, Me.	
CROWLEY, HARRY LEROY, JR. Beals, Me.	West Parker
DAGGETT, MALCOLM FRED 167 Holland St., Lewiston, Me.	
DUNN, EDWARD PAUL 146 Hinckley St., Northampton, Mass.	Roger Williams
EMMERLING, GEORGE 21 Myrtle St., Leominster, Mass.	Chase Hall
TYLER, EDWARD JACKSON 25 Vine St., New Britain, Conn.	Roger Williams
SMITH, ELBERT 319 Highland Ave., Winchester, Mass.	Roger Williams

JUNIORS — 6th Semester

BALDWIN, RICHARD LEE 97 Bellarm Road, Oakville, Conn.	East Parker
GIBBS, DANIEL WILSON, JR. Oak St., East Auburn, Me.	
HARRIS, ROBERT LAURENCE 2 Clifton Park, Melrose, Mass.	West Parker
HUSTON, NAHUM AUGUSTUS, JR. 68 Loring Ave., Auburn, Me.	
KELLER, A. SAMUEL 17 Evelyn St., Mattapan, Mass.	East Parker
LEAVITT, WALTER DAVID 118 Lyons St., New Britain, Conn.	East Parker
MENDALL, CLARENCE TRAFTON 18 Forest St., Middleboro, Mass.	Roger Williams
MULLET, FRANK EMERSON 83 Main St., Spencer, Mass.	East Parker
RICE, ARTHUR VICTOR, JR. Nanepashenet St., Marblehead, Mass.	Roger Williams
TEMPLE, NORMAN JOSEPH 263 E. Albert St., Rahway, N. J.	Roger Williams
TOOKER, EDWIN WILSON Robinson Rd., Littleton, Mass.	Roger Williams

5th Semester

ACKERMANN, JOHN 14 Fuller Brook Rd., Wellesley, Mass.	East Parker
ADAIR, ROBERT EARLE 20 Crosby St., Portland, Me.	Roger Williams
BISHOP, ERNEST HENRY 59 Alton Rd., Quincy, Mass.	West Parker
BOOTHBY, DANIEL CHASE 226 College St., Lewiston, Me.	
DION, HOWARD STANLEY 128 Pine St., Lewiston, Me.	Roger Williams
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CLASON, WESLEY IRVING 325 Lincoln St., Worcester, Mass.	John Bertram
GAFFNEY, JOHN Cambridge Rd., Burlington, Mass.	Roger Williams
GOULD NORBERT 58 Grace St., Cranston, R. I.	

(To be continued)

... Professors' Corner ...

Lanx Satura

By Dr. Mary Louise Carlson

"Harsh winter is loosening its hold with a pleasing turn of spring and of the west wind." Solvitur acris hiems grata vice veris et Favoni. Even when I would begin by a comment on the weather, an ancient bard peers over my shoulder and graciously guides my pen. As my thoughts continue along seasonal lines, Horace smiles knowingly and dictates (permitting me occasionally to paraphrase), "Now let the campus, the quadrangle, and gentle whispers be claimed under cover of evening at the trysting hour." Nunc et campus et arae leneque sub noctem susurri composita repetantur hora.

At this point Cicero, upon Solon's venerable authority, sternly intervenes, "But your students ought to grow up learning something new every day" — cotidie aliquid addiscentes. My retort is that Cicero too would be discouraged if he had to correct their papers. Horace, meanwhile, glancing over a blue book, shudders and murmurs that he is provoked to repeat his remark about Lucilius, when the latter's style flowed in a muddy stream, that he was "too garrulous and lazy to endure the labor of writing, that is, of writing well" — garrulus atque piger scribendi ferre laborem, scribendi recte. Only seldom does an instructor encounter the rare bird (rara avis!) who knows that "you often use the eraser if you hope to write things

worthy of being read a second time." Saepe stilum vertas, iterum quae digna legi sint scripturas.

Yet, doesn't the professor also sometimes nod? To his regret, he learns that "a word once uttered cannot be taken back." Nescit vox missa reverti. In spite of his most jovial efforts, he seems "hard to please, full of complaints, and a praiser of the good old days" — difficilis, querulus, laudator temporis acti. When he tries to finish a sentence after the bell has rung, he finds that "he who detains a man against his will as much as murders him." Invitum qui servat, idem facit occidenti. Yes, "even while we are talking, envious time will have fled." Dum loquimur, fugerit invida aetas.

My equanimity is restored when I remember Cicero's comforting dictum that "no teachers of the liberal arts are to be thought other than happy" — nec ulli bonarum artium magistri non beati putandi. Thus, joyfully and confidently I repeat to my classes the soundest pedagogical advice, "Study Greek examples night and day." Vos exemplaria Graeca nocturna versate manu, versate diurna.

If any student desires further information concerning the meaning or source of the quotations used herein, he is earnestly invited to attend the sessions in Hathorn 5.—Mary Louise Carlson.

Calendar Of Events

Wednesday, March 27—C. A. Cabin Party at Thorncrag, 5:30-9:00.

Thursday, March 28—"Pygmalion" at Little Theatre; Outing Club Kodachrome Slides, at Chase Hall, 8:00-9:00.

Friday, March 29—"Pygmalion" at Little Theatre; Honors Committee meeting, 4:30-6:00.

Saturday, March 30—"Pygmalion" at Little Theatre.

Monday, April 1—Movies in Physics Lab, 7-8.

Tuesday, April 2—Freshman Prize Debate, 7:30; Hacker House Party at Thorncrag, 5-9.

B. C. C.

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General Hospital, which was unable to obtain adequate supplies for their diabetic patients.

The committee is anxious to make aturday nights on campus more lively and interesting, and to work up some interdorm competitive spirit. The committee appeals to the students to bring their complaints and their suggestions to their representatives, for they are willing to listen to any case.

The student body is represented by Patricia Wilson as president of Student Government, Joseph Laroche as president of Student Council, Ruth Asker, Muriel Stewart, Ronald Reicker, and Raymond Hobbs. The faculty representatives are Dr. Rayborn Zerby and Miss Miriam Schaeffer, and the representatives of the administration are President Charles Phillips, Harry Rowe, Norman Ross, and Dean Hazel Clark.

Robinson Players

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Smiley, Alfred Doolittle; June Duval, Mrs. Eynsford Hill; Ruth Moulton, Clara Eynsford Hill; and Trafton Mendall, Freddy Eynsford Hill. All are prominent Little Theatre figures.

A few tickets for the production are still available at the bookstore.

Rafnell Will Play At Stu-G Tea Dance

Tickets for the "Easter and Spring" Tea Dance sponsored by the Women's Student Government were almost completely sold out in two days, according to the chairman of the function, Marcia Wilson. The affair, which is to be held in Chase Hall on Saturday, April 6, from 3:30 to 6:00, will feature the music of Lloyd Rafnell and his orchestra and not the Bates Bobcats as previously announced. A large attendance is expected, if the enthusiasm shown thus far is any indication.

The committee including Marcia Wilson, Jane Scheuermann, Charlotte Bridgman, Jean Patmore, and Roxane Kammerer are now engaged in efforts to make this social event sound the proper note for the entrance of spring.

Summer Sessions

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end June 20th and the summer school at Bowdoin will start on June 24th. It will end on September 27th, the same day on which this school will open for the Fall Semester.

The course will be broken down into two seven-week sessions. The students may take only one of these, and as few courses as he desires. By taking three courses one session and two the next, he may do a full semester's work this summer and get 15 hours of credit. Catalogues will be available on May 15th.

In addition to Bates, Bowdoin, and Colby men, some Swarthmore students will also be on the campus. Insofar as possible, men from the various colleges will have their separate dormitories and their own proctors. There will be no formal transfer of students to Bowdoin, they will be guests of the college and not considered as part of the Bowdoin student body. The married veterans who live in Lewiston will have to provide their own transportation and will probably use a car-pool system.

INSIDER....

By Earle Albee '48

Last week "Ducky" Pond cut the list of varsity baseball candidates down to a tidy sum of twenty-four. Many hopefuls were requested to turn in their suits and forget about playing ball for another year. If you have the time, walk over to the cage some afternoon, and there you will find the makings of the 1946 Bates ball club.

Unorganized batting practice has stopped now, and for the last few practice sessions there have been a couple of real ball games, minus the outfield of course. "Ducky" has requested that the mound men stay away from throwing curves, and our sluggers have been murdering the ball which has been coming up to the plate looking like a basketball. It seems to me that the team would be a little more advanced if the batters could get a look at a few hooks. The main trouble with the cage is that the batters do not get a chance to take a swing at a ball with a little stuff on it, as a result when the team finally does get outside the pitchers are way ahead of the batters and can make them look like grammar school kids the first week or so. The first game of the season will be with Bowdoin, and if our men don't get a chance to see something besides a straight ball I'm afraid that we will be on the short end of the score.

To get down to casing the team, it really looks as if Bates is going to have a good diamond crew. The problem at the beginning of the season, namely pitching, looks as if it were solved. "Julie" Thompson is back in his prewar form, and looks to me like a constant game winner. With another starter, Southerland, and two very good relief men, "Ducky" shouldn't have any trouble in developing a good club. First base is all sewed up with the clever "Kyper" Josselyn, who always did a fine job before he answered the call to colors. "Kyper" looks better than ever this year, that is to say when he shows up for practice. Lou Hervey with his non-breakable spectacles looks like a cinch for the keystone position. The opposing batsmen will have a difficult time in getting any balls by Lou.

"Stubby" Jo-Jo Laroche is doing a bit all right for himself in that space between second and third, but he seems to have a little trouble in getting the ball over to first base. As I was standing by watching practice one day last week when Joe was having quite a bit of trouble with his throwing, I overheard someone say to a friend, and I quote, "Well, what can you

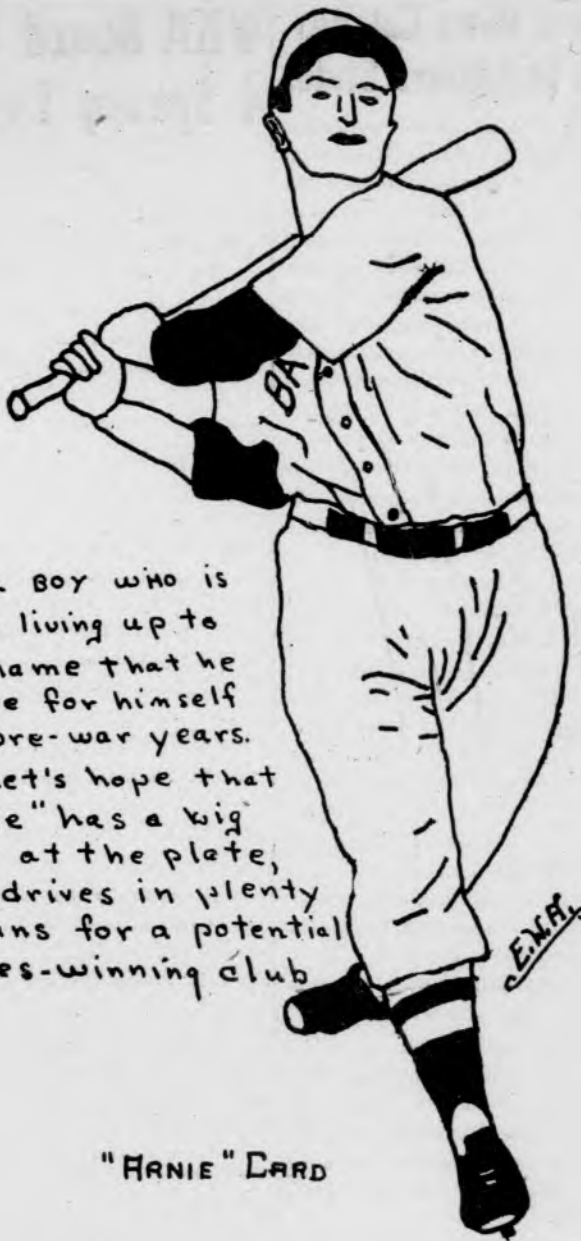
expect from a fellow as little as that?" I couldn't help but laugh, for I heard the same comment passed at the beginning of the basketball season, and everyone knows how well Joe did on the court. We all know that Joe will overcome this pre-season difficulty in time to give us a fine bit of ball playing down in that shortstop position.

As yet third base is open, but there are some very promising candidates for the position, and "Ducky" shouldn't have any trouble in finding a classy third baseman. Up to this time the decision has been quite hard, for each candidate for the position has been trying to outdo his opponent and we have been seeing a good job of third basing. In case anything should go wrong with these infielders there is a man ready to walk into any of the before mentioned positions. Have you ever heard of "Babe" Keller? Well, if you haven't just wait a while and you will, for "Babe" is as fine an infielder as there is.

The outfield has several men that like to take that long walk every inning, and two of them we know very well. Bob Adair has played before and is a natural ball player. In addition to being a good fielder, Bob knows how to pound out those base hits. "Arnie" Card is the other gardener. "Arnie's" ability as an outfielder is no secret, as he was with the Bates club on the field back in 1942. In case "Ducky" can't find another outfielder suitable to his taste he always has "Julie" Thompson to fall back on. "Julie" likes to play the field as well as pitch, and is a good man for the job. He is truly a long ball hitter, and it will be a shame to have his ability wasted on the days when he is not toiling on the mound.

Lewiston has given the team a very good backstop in the person of Norm Parent. Norm has the build for a catcher and anyone that is familiar with high school teams of a few years back knows what he can do. He is a fine man to have in back of the plate and is a powerful man when he gets that piece of ash in his hands. It looks as if Norm will have a big year, and all of us certainly hope so.

While I was strolling through the gym last Monday I saw a notice on the bulletin board that made me feel pretty good. If you remember that last week I raised the question of a tennis team at Bates this spring; well, I am glad to report that we are going to have one. Let's hope that they have a very successful season. It is a little early for me to have any dope on that now, but as soon as I can put my finger on some I will get it into print.



LOCAL BOY who is really living up to the name that he made for himself in pre-war years. Let's hope that "Arnie" has a big year at the plate, and drives in plenty of runs for a potential series-winning club.

"ARNIE" CARD

Undefeated Senior Five Remains On Top In W. A. A. Basketball

As the W.A.A. basketball sponsoring intramural class competition rolls into its final week, an undefeated Senior team holds the leading position. Edging out their closest rival, the Freshman Atoms, in a one-point victory last Wednesday afternoon, they strengthened their hold on first place. The freshman team was in the lead until the last period when the senior guards tightened their defense holding the Atoms to three baskets while the senior forwards opened up with a barrage of counters.

The summary:

Seniors	G	FG	Pts
Stillman, rf	5	0	10
Cleland, lf	3	0	6
Leavitt, lf	1	0	2
Van Wyck, cf	3	0	6
Sherman, rg	0	0	0
Wilson, lg	0	0	0
Sunn, cg	0	0	0
Thompson, cg	0	0	0

Freshmen	G	FG	Pts
Dean, rf	1	1	3
Papaioanou, rf	0	0	0
Hansen, lf	5	0	10
Bisland, cf	5	0	10
Cargill, rg	0	0	0
Porter, lg	0	0	0
Whitelaw, cg	0	0	0
Odegaard, cg	0	0	0

Other games this week saw the

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Off-Campus Men Defeat E. Parker

Off-Campus defeated East Parker by a score of 50-44. It was the first defeat of the season for East Parker. Howlett and Hodsdon paced the way for the Off-Campus team with 15 and 13 points, respectively. Lano was top man for the East Parker men with 12 points.

The loss dropped East Parker into a tie with Off-Campus for second place, and left undefeated West Parker ruling the contenders.

Today West Parker will meet Roger Bill, and on Friday the Off-Campus men jump off against John Bertram.

On Monday East Parker, smarting from their unexpected loss, will engage West Parker in what promises to be one of those "kill or be killed" affairs.

Summary:	G	FG	Pts
East Parker	5	0	10
Ienello, rf	5	0	10
Carmen, rf	0	0	0
Green, rf	0	1	1
Lano, lf	6	0	12
Heckler, lf	1	0	2
Hansen, c	3	0	6
Sparks, c	0	0	0
Silva, rg	1	0	2
Allen, rg	1	1	3
Johnson, lg	3	1	7
Baker, lg	0	1	1
Totals	20	4	44

Off-Campus	G	FG	Pts
Merritt, rf	4	0	8
Mikailonos, rf	1	2	4
Howlett, lf	5	5	15
Sullivan, lf	1	0	2
Hodsdon, c	6	1	13
Driscoll, rg	2	1	5
Newton, rg	1	0	2
Sturgis, lg	0	1	1
Totals	20	10	50

Referees: Haines and Mansfield.

East Parker Team Wins Another Tilt

East Parker took a 54-34 decision over Roger Williams in the Intramural Hoop League. Freddy Ienello was the heavy scorer with 14 points for the Parkermen, while Mendall scored 13 for the losers.

East Parker is in the league sunspot with two wins and no losses, while the Roger Williams team is now scraping the basement with no wins and three losses. West Parker has one win and no losses, while the Off-Campus men and John Bertram each have a one-win loss record.

Summary:	G	FG	Pts
East Parker	4	0	8
Lano, lf	4	0	8
Carmen, lf	1	0	2
Ienello, rf	6	2	14
Gerry, rf	2	0	4
Hansen, c	4	0	8
Sparks, c	1	0	2
Silva, lg	3	0	6
Flavin, lg	0	0	0
Johnson, rg	3	0	6
Castonillas, rg	2	0	4
Baker, rg	0	0	0
Totals	26	2	54

Roger Williams	G	FG	Pts
Donenfeld, lf	2	1	5
Mendall, rf	4	5	13
Milton, c	3	0	6
Temple, lg	2	0	4
Houston, rg	2	0	4
Buchanan, rg	1	0	2
Totals	14	6	34

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John Bertram Team Bows To West Parker

The West Parker club defeated the John Bertram club 34-13 in the Intramural basketball league to tie up the leading spot in the league. Both the Westerns and the Easterns of the Parker dorm, have won two games and lost none. In yesterday's game Viler was high scorer with 12 points, via five floor goals and two charity shots.

The Off-Campus team is in third position in the League with one win and one loss, while the J-B team has won one game and lost two. The Roger Bill team are as yet to win a game, although they have tried to do so on three occasions.

Summary:	G	FG	Pts
West Parker	5	2	12
Viler, rf	3	0	6
Hammond, lf	0	0	0
Johnson, c	0	0	0
Baird, c	0	0	0
Flanagan, c	2	1	5
Levine, rg	3	0	6
Valoris, lg	2	1	5
Totals	15	4	34

John Bertram	G	FG	Pts
Williams, rf	2	0	4
Horn, rf	0	0	0
Strong, lf	2	1	5
Clayson, c	1	0	2
Smiley, rg	0	0	0
Marr, rg	0	0	0
Connors, lg	1	0	2
Decker, lg	0	0	0
Totals	6	1	13

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Mr. Clarence Chatto Explains Springfield Plan At Lecture

Mr. Clarence I. Chatto, graduate of Bates College in 1912 and co-author of "The Story of the Springfield Plan" lectured at the Bates Chapel Monday evening, March 25, at eight o'clock. Mr. Chatto, presented by the George Colby Chase Lecture Series, discussed "Achievement of Democracy Through Education."

Mr. Chatto is a native of Sargentville, and attended Bluehill-George Stevens Academy, before entering Bates in the fall of 1908. He received his M.A. from Harvard in 1923. He has been teacher and administrator in the high schools in Island Falls and Orono, and in Danvers, Fall River, and Springfield, Mass. Currently he is principal of Classical High School in Springfield.

Mr. Chatto has lectured all over the country on the Springfield Plan, the educational program designed to teach democracy to boys and girls of various nationalities by showing them how to live together in peace and mutual appreciation.



Mr. Clarence Chatto '12

Radio Class Will Hold Auditions March 28

For those interested in participating in one of the Bates-on-the-Air broadcasts, here is an important announcement. On Thursday, March 28th, auditions will be held in the radio room in Chase Hall. Voices will be tested for quality and will be typed and classified. The Radio Class is expecting to put on some original scripts in the next few months and there is a chance for those interested to gain experience before the microphone. The scripts call for a variety of voices and types. These auditions will be held from 1 to 2 p. m. and from 7-8 in the evening. Watch the bulletin board at Hathorn for further notices.

Dr. Fisher

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paid for it, I shall stop buying War Bonds immediately — I'll let the bum starve to death. He's spilling what would be an otherwise easy existence for me.

"... and I want to be sure I'll be able to get into Bates in the fall. I'm ready to pitch a tent if the housing shortage proves too acute. I'm 21 now (positively senile) and frankly, I shudder at the thought of another college for undergraduate work. I'd look pretty silly walking around the Bowdoin campus singing the Bobcat.

"I, with three of my buddies,

took the bull by the horns and decided to stay in the army until June 30. We are Class IIB volunteers. None of us could sit around for five months doing nothing and the G.I. Bill of Rights or no, an extra 400 bucks would come in pretty handy. (If I had a nickel for every guy that calls me nuts for the decision I made I would have Rockefeller worried.) Anyhow, I'm stuck till June 30th doeth us part.

"But, a slight hitch developed in my plans. Battalion headquarters suffered untold casualties — tired wrist, worn out finger tips, and shiny pants, so the colonel called up his reserves, and reserves here mean me. I was ordered to pack up schnell. (Consult Prof. Harms for liberal translation. This will prove to him that I didn't spend every German class looking at Betty Morse and Myrt Holden.) After the colonel told me I was his new personnel sergeant I said to myself 'Bates has taught you to prepare for the battle of life. Not only that, but it taught you to spell. Brother the time has come to fight that battle. If you stay in this same building with this old gent until June you'll be occupation happy and end up with a bunch of psychiatrists picking your subconscious apart like a flock of vultures. What do they have speech classes at Bates for? Apply what they endeavored to pound into your thick skull'.

"Those were noble words that

Alumni News Catches Grads In Eastern States

Robert J. Cote '43 is employed with Eastman Kodak, Rochester, N. Y. He was discharged from the Navy last month, having served as a Naval aviator in the Pacific. A chem major at Bates, in his new job Cote will gain experience in the department where the work pertains to his major interest and will receive a course in photography.

Melvin Day, brother of Donald Day who is on campus at present, is to be one of those to view the coming atomic bomb experiments.

Three Bates alumni have recently received their M.D. degrees after having studied under the Army program. Norman E. Johnson '43, formerly a first lieutenant in the Medical Corps, is to interne at Fordham Hospital, New York. Benjamin Motzilevich is to interne at Boston City Hospital. Robert J. DuWors is the other recipient of an M.D.

Arnold L. Berenberg '43, a former first lieutenant, is interning at Grace Hospital in New Haven, while Charles Howarth is at the Naval Hospital, Newport, R. I. Norman Marshall is with the Boston Public Health Service.

Jean E. Graham '45 is receptionist for the Purchasing and Exports Departments, Remington Rand. She has joined two orchestras, the symphony at Teachers' College, Columbia, and an opera company's.

Mrs. John W. Stone, the former Gracie Hall, is a research chemist at the Naugatuck Chemical Co., Naugatuck, Conn. Mildred Lever does chemical work in the research and development lab, Ballellite Corp., Bround Brook, N. J. Phil Jones is a proof-reader for the General Education Board of the Rockefeller Foundation.

Esther M. Longfellow '45 did graduate social work at Smith College. At present doing field work with the Family Service Society, Milwaukee, Wis., she plans to return to Smith for further work in June, her goal being the M.S.S. degree.

Miriam J. Dolloff is now completing training in medical technology at the C. M. G. Hospital. Edith Jones is biologist at the Maine State Forestry Lab.

ran through my mind, Doc, Bates men were never known to yield — but, did you ever tell a superior officer to jump in a lake? I did not falter. I gave the old college try the chance. I pleaded. I threatened (har, har, was he afraid of me). I did everything but hit him over the head. I said, 'Colonel, you don't want me here, I'm no good, I'm lazy, I'm inefficient, irresponsible, negligent, and extremely careless. The dumb cluk didn't know I was telling the truth — but YOU know I was — so would HARRY ROWE — but the Colonel (he used to drive a milk wagon in Boston) — he didn't know. He realized he was losing out. He realized I was too good for him. Then he took unfair advantage of me. He pulled his rank on me and snuck over a compromise when my back was turned. We (meaning him) decided that I would stay up here on detached service for a few weeks, until I could break in someone else for the job. Finally, with a great big silver oak leaf staring me in the face, I saw that he had a very good solution and so I agreed to stay with him. I say oak

WAA Board Plans 4 Spring Events

The Betty Bates parade, a hare and hound chase, and an old and new banquet are among the events leading the roster of WAA plans for the remainder of the year.

Supper will be among the rewards for the treasure seekers in the hare and hound chase on April 14 which is under the direction of Roxanne Kammerer.

The Betty Bates parade will be held April 30 in the Women's Locker Building at 7 p. m. At that time seven girls from each of the three upper classes will be in the parade. One of them will be chosen Betty Bates. The judges are two faculty members, the president of WAA, and the audience. Betty Bates is the coed who typifies good health and good grooming.

Some time in May there will be a dinner party at the Union for the Old and New Boards.

June 1 is the traditional June day breakfast which is served with the cooperation of the Christian Association on top of Mt. David. This is under the auspices of the new board.

The early spring season offers hiking, biking, bowling, batball, and swimming. The late spring season will offer new sports.

leaf and not eagle — he is a Lt. Colonel.

"Now I am still frantically trying to break in some poor replacement from the states who hasn't been in the army long enough to find out how to take the tags off his clothes. Ironically enough I stay overseas a while longer to make a little more money and then do my best to talk my way out of a job that calls for higher rating. But, gee whiz, Doc, how was I to know that if I stayed here there would be WORK involved? I hadn't bargained for anything like that.

"Thanks for listening."

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Hasten, Jason, get your tickets for "Pygmalion" at the bookstore from Jeanie or Bernie (the wittle wabbit). If you thought Ploener on stage was something to write home about — wait until you see Cronin. Zum!

Let a word to the wise be sufficient. The activities of Co-ed Union parties must be limited to food, dancing, and playing games — not those naughty things, fellas. Tsk, tsk, Bates frowns.

Amazing the power of love — even restores your eyesight. Isn't that right, Danny boy?

New discoveries . . . one brunette — the son of the owner of the Qual, just back from the wars . . . one blonde — Don Sutherland (and if you don't think so, just ask him) . . . and another Hanson in answer to our maidenly prayers.

Ships' Arrival lists have been eagerly scanned by a good many gals on campus, and Charlotte Bridgman and LaVerne Williams were lucky enough to have their ships come in last week. Skeezi Keith had hers sail right up to her doorstep Tuesday with the arrival of Ed Broadus from Ohio. (Many thanks, Beeps 'n Pug.)

To get serious for a moment, kiddies. We have the plan for the Library-Commons, we have the Bates Plan for new Curriculum changes, but we can't seem to find the plans for bigger and better social activities. If we can't recapture the Old Bates Spirit (which seems to elude us all), how's about launching one of our own. This is not a plan for the future, but a plea for the present. We have the girls, we have the fellows, we have Chase Hall, and we have seven days in the week. Let's make these days count! . . . Here, now, lighter, and brighter. Let's go!

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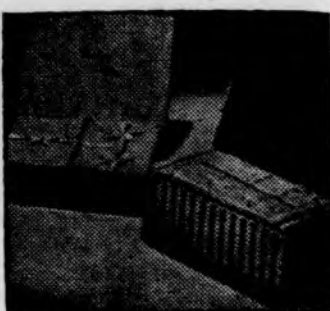
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