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Seastone Discusses Post War Bargaining Trends

Presenting the nature of post-war trends in collective bargaining, Dr. Don A. Seastone, instructor in the Bates economics department, spoke before the Chapel assembly Monday.

Dr. Seastone obtained his doctorate degree in economics from the University of Oregon and was then connected with the Department of Labor in Washington.

Regional Views Vary

Prefacing his remarks with the observation that there are interesting contrasts in regional mores, he noted that New England opinion on labor unions and collective bargaining differs from the temper on labor unions and collective bargaining differs from the temper of opinion in the western United States.

In Washington he was characterized as "anti-labor", while in Maine he is considered "violently pro-labor". He noted that "this abrupt transition has not resulted from a change of my own opinions but only from a geographical move. New England is still a very suspicious territory."

Bilateral Decision Making

The nature of collective bargaining is bilateral decision-making. Management and legally designated representatives of labor unions operate through this means. Their earliest discussions were concerned with wages.

Labor unions asked for more income for the individual laborer, a larger national income, no arbitrary treatment from employers, bet-

Carnival Keynote!

The Outing Club is sponsoring a contest for seal designs for Flahooley's Winter Carnival Weekend. Entries should be approximately 4"x4" and drawn in ink. All designs must be submitted to Jill Farr or Rafael Becerra by January 6. The winner will receive a ticket to the Carnival Dance.

ter hours, and higher social status. How do the post-war trends reflect these goals?

Labor is still concerned with these basic areas. Since 1945 they have sought to establish three considerations: 1) escalator clauses, 2) employee pension plans, and 3) guaranteed annual wages.

"Escalator clause" is the term for wage adjustment in accordance with the standard of living that the Department of Labor presents. United Steel Workers Union was one of the first to formulate this demand.

Employee pensions would provide for those unable to work a provision which would be helpful to our economy. If the consumption goes down, so does the profit for all business, witness the laws of supply and demand.

The third demand is the most widely discussed. "This sets up a new variable in employer-employee relations. Individuals were dissatisfied with existing standards, and since 1944 guarantee of payments has emanated from organized labor," observed Dr. Seastone.

Murray Demanded Guarantee

There were two periods of interest in this matter. The concern over mass employment which was expected in 1944-45 caused Philip Murray, President of United Mine Workers and the CIO, to demand

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Flahooley Pitches OC Big Top For Three Ring Carnival Stand

By Sybil Benton

Flying trapezes, growling animals, clowns and cotton candy, will all be a part of the 1955 Winter Carnival, as the Outing Club brings the circus to Bates, under the chairmanship of Jill Farr and Rafael Becerra.

All these, plus the other elements that make a circus of gaiety and laughter, will be presented by Flahooley, a fun-loving clown. Flahooley, representing the gay circus spirit, first appeared in a musical of the same name a few years ago. He will preside over the winter carnival for four days of skating, skiing, dancing, and music.

Ice Show Begins Festivities

The circus will begin with the tolling of Hathorn Bell on Thursday evening, February 4. The first event will be an ice show, complete with acts in the three rings, clowns, and a circus parade. Flahooley will present the queen and her court, who will reign over the weekend.

Following the ice show, there will be a skating party, and an informal dance at Chase Hall. Prof. John A. Tagliabue will present his puppets in an original puppet show which he is writing for the occasion.

Play Softball On Skis

Friday morning will find outdoor enthusiasts on Mt. David and the Rand field. Ski exhibitions and games will be on the agenda. Ski scooter races and a softball game, played on skis of course, will be part of the fun.

The faculty and the men's intramural All-Stars will play basketball on Friday afternoon. Thorn-

crag will also be open for those who want to get outdoors.

Dumbo Comes To Bates

Two hours of side show entertainment will be part of Friday evening's program. Flahooley promises the best in campus entertainment at the variety show, including a showing of "Dumbo", Walt Disney's story of a circus elephant.

Saturday morning the circus moves to St. Dom's Arena, where Colby and Bates will meet in a hockey game, followed by general skating.

Skaters Compete Saturday

The skating rink on campus will be the scene of skating events on Saturday afternoon. W.A.A. and the Men's Intramural Council are planning dorm competition, as well as some competition between coed teams. Flahooley also promises to bring his battery of clowns and stars for antics and races.

For those who missed the first showing of "Dumbo", it will be shown again Saturday afternoon. Also, on Saturday afternoon, Ted Herbert will present a five-piece band in a Dixieland concert.

Gym Becomes Big Top

The Carnival Ball on Saturday night will be in the gym converted into a giant circus tent. Students will dance under the Big Top to music provided by the "Battle of the Bands," Ted Herbert's and Bob Batchler's. The combined bands present twenty-five pieces plus two vocalists.

On Sunday there will be an all-day outing to East Madison. Skat-

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Ski Group Plans Trek To Special Jay Sport Films

The newly formed Ski Group is providing an opportunity for interested students to see the John Jay movies. The group will provide busses at cost to the students, to travel to Augusta January 5.

John Jay, internationally known for his movies, has prepared films of skiing, both in European and American ski centers. Humorous commentary by Jay accompanies the film strips. They are popular not only for skiing interest, but also as travelogues.

Sign-up Tonight

Sign-ups will be taken tonight in the Hobby Shoppe from 9-10 o'clock. Admission price will be 50 cents, plus the transportation cost, as yet undetermined.

Students who signed up at the last meeting are asked to sign up again tonight in order to be sure of a reservation.

Provide Some Equipment

The ski group officers wish to remind students that, although the Outing Club can provide students with skis and poles, ski boots are not available.

The next meeting of the group will be held at 1 p. m. January 8, in the Little Theatre. All those who have not attended previous meetings, in addition to those who have attended regularly, are invited.

Stu-G Holds Christmas Open House, Coed Coffee

Brenda Buttrick, chairman of the Stu-G open house which followed "Candy Christmas", called the project a great success. She estimated that over 100 couples attended the affair held in the Women's Union.

Paul Steinberg entertained the group at the piano with popular music and traditional carols. Committee members Catherine Parker and Ruth Haskins prepared refreshments, assisted by Gilberta Morris and Marcia Rosenfeld, Union proctors.

Replaces Dorm Parties

Miss Buttrick and Miss Parker served punch and cookies to the attending faculty members and students. The open house replaced the individual dormitory parties usually held after formal dances.

Sunday afternoon students once again gathered at the Union for the semester's first coed coffee. Chairman Diane Felt announced that approximately 100 persons attended the successful affair.

Senior Stu-G Board members

Lauralyn Watson, Priscilla Hatch, and Elizabeth O'Donnell poured, with Miss Rosenfeld, Miss Buttrick, and Miss Morris assisting in the kitchen.

Gaily colored Christmas cookies and coffee were served to those who came as they talked, played bridge, and were entertained by Lois Ginsberg at the piano.

Colby Singers Entertain

The annual formal banquet held Monday night in the Men's Commons was also carried out along a Christmas theme. Tiny candle-trees decorated the tables, in addition to the Stu-G trimmed Christmas tree.

Featured entertainers for the banquet were the "Colby Eight", directed by Pete Merrill, who made their initial appearance on campus at the Rand-Whittier open house several weeks ago.

Banquet committees included Darlene Hirst, general chairman; Miss Felt, decorations; Gail Molander, programs and invitations; Miss Parker, entertainment.

Sponsor Carols Tomorrow Night

The Chase Hall Committee and the CA will co-sponsor the annual Christmas carolling tomorrow evening.

Students interested are invited to gather in the Den at 7 p. m. There the groups will split up and follow different routes planned out by the CA to include the homes of many faculty members.

After the singing, the groups will return to the Chase Hall basement where refreshments will be served.

The Christian Association's Community Service commission is sponsoring a Christmas party for 30 children this afternoon from 3:30 to 5 p. m. in the basement of Chase Hall. Ranging in age from five to ten years, the youngsters were recommended to the group by the Lewiston Welfare Bureau.

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Jimmy Hanson's soloist (left) entertains couples dancing at Saturday's Christmas formal in Chase Hall. Soph chairmen Marion Glennie and Ted Freedman carried out the "Candy Christmas" theme with tiny candy cane favors and traditional decorations in creating a Christmas atmosphere in the ballroom. Featured entertainers were Hanson's musicians and the J. B. chorus.

(Photo by Bryant)

Editorials

After The Ball

"Candy Christmas", from blue-lighted trees and tiny candy cane favors to Jimmy Hanson's music, can only be called a success; for that we can thank sophs Marion Glennie and Ted Freedman and their hard-working committees.

But the grand finale came in the Women's Union when couples crowded into the spacious house for punch and cookies and to find out what was going on.

They Came And Stayed

Whether they came for refreshments, to satisfy the ever-present element of curiosity, or to get that automatic one o'clock, they came; and what's more, they stayed.

The initiators of the Union open house plan can take a much-deserved bow for really putting over the kind of "after-dance affair" Bates has been needing. Despite the past success of individual dorm parties, the one big meeting place proved more effective.

Operation "Union" Successful

While the front hall became a little jammed — what with so many people coming and going and so many swishing skirts — no one seemed to notice. The general opinion seems to be that we should have done it before.

Instead of worrying about not having accomplished something along this line sooner, let's try to do it more often in the future. Let's not save it just for after-formal evenings, but try for some informal affairs where anyone can drop in, stag or drag!

God Save The Queen!

Last week's letter to the editor concerning a queen for a day project planned by J.B. brought further comment from two freshmen this week. We decided to look into the reasons behind the veto and present them, along with our ideas.

In the Bates Blue Book, on page 25, a brief note on popularity contests states that no activities coming in this category will be permitted on the campus.

Many students cited this as the reason for refusal of the plan, but the administration did not call the J.B. project a popularity contest. They couldn't, because nowhere in the plan submitted for approval was there any reference to such a contest.

Pure Chance!

Choosing a girl's name from a hat in Rand gives each coed an equal chance to be queen. A popularity contest comes from a vote, and this involved no voting.

The administration necessarily must view each campus idea with a look to the future which students who remain here for only four years do not always have. It is well to see things in perspective; it is imperative that the administration do so.

Our outlook, as students, is never so objective as theirs must be in running the college. Yet we feel that even looking at this thing objectively, it could have been passed without trouble.

Snowball!

While in itself the plan was considered fairly harmless, it was felt such projects could snowball should each men's dorm decide to similarly honor a particular coed.

Most of the men's dorms would not want merely to imitate an idea already carried through by some other group. If more original ideas should extend into the popularity contest category, we think that is the time to veto them.

Whether such a celebration would detract from the campus carnival queen remains open to question. Perhaps it would not be right to have a bevy of "little queens" appointed, selected from a hat, or whatever. But we feel the whole thing would not prove that significant.

Scene-Stealer?

The coed involved would be queen for a day only. She could not possibly steal the carnival queen's stage, particularly if the event were planned for a time not falling near the carnival date.

This is the kind of thing which can be done during the mayoralty week as a very successful campaign device. It would also provide entertainment for the campus, in a small way, at some time during the year.

It is good to think of the future. Every idea must be weighed on the scales to determine whether it could become too much of a good thing. But this would stimulate a little sadly lacking dorm unity; it would have been fun for the men and for the "queen".

It might not have led to anything else anyway, and if it did, why not regulate future projects as they come up? If they were all as harmless as this one, the only result would be fun.

Den Doodles

Engaged: Warner Lord '55 and Joan Smith '55. Marni Field '55 and Bill Boucher, Bowdoin '52. Dick Chick '57 and Carolyn Greenwood of Monmouth.

A new tradition is now gestating at this New England college of tradition. Every Friday morning after chapel, once this program gets underway, there will be inter-dorm pogo-stick races from the Stanton Elm to the steps of Hathorn Hall.

Get On The Stick; Go Pogo!

The pogo-sticks will soon go on sale for \$2.95. This unusually low price is due to the slumping pogo-stick market. Imagine hundreds of co-eds dashing eagerly out of the chapel in hopes of getting the best spots along the walk from which to watch the thrilling races. Watch for further details in the STU-DENT.

One of our Bates practice school-marms received this definition from an eight year old: "A bumper is something in front of the car so that when you hit another car you have something to hook with."

WLAM played the following requests from Bates College recently: "Steam Heat" dedicated to Al Johnson, "Money Burns a Hole in My Pocket" for Norm Ross, "Crying in the Chapel" for D. Robert Smith, for the boys in J.B., "This Old House," for the co-eds, "Naughty Lady from Shady Lane" and "Mother Never Told Me."

A Frye House girl who answered the phone with "This is Frye House, which can do you wish to speak to?" was dismayed to discover that a dignified faculty member was calling her. "Out of the frying pan and into the fire?"

Genius burned down to an ash as a Cheney House bard composed the following epic by the light of a flaming Christmas tree.

'Twas the week before Christmas, and all through the school, Not a Batesman was studying, just playing pool.

The exams were given by the profs with glee

While everyone packed and hoped for a C.

The kids in the dorm and those in the Den

Were thinking and dreaming of home again.

When out on the campus there arose such a clatter

We sprang from the "wreck room" to see what was the matter.

Out of the dorm we flew like a jet But we all signed out, we didn't forget.

The moon shining through the Androscoggin dew

Gave to those on Mt. David an unobscured view.

When what to our wondering eyes should we spy

But a Bobcat sedan gliding by.

With a little old driver so lively and deft

We knew in a moment it must be Charles F.

As he drove through the street so debonair

He shouted to all a cheery, "Hello there!"

While the faculty plodded lagging behind

He called to them in a voice, oh so kind,

Now Berky, now Brooks, Deans

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Letters To The Editor

Sportsmanship

To The Editor:

In the past issue of the STU-DENT, there was an article under the sports column, 'Cat Tracks', written by the sports editor, which highly perturbed us. In our minds, we don't think that the group of boys in the stands, of which we were loyal members, was a dark spot in the basketball picture of the first two games.

We thought, along with many others, especially the team, that we were doing a good job keeping things going and letting our team know that we were behind them, win or lose. To us that is what a team needs, support from the stands no matter how the game comes out.

Not Sub-High School

None of our classmates seemed to be ashamed of what we did. The only comments we heard were "great job"; "keep it up"; "tremendous show of spirit"; "you guys really helped us"; and many more to that effect.

We don't intend to stop this — may we quote from the editor — "sub-high school-attitude". We think that he has his words mixed up. To us it was nothing but school spirit, something that Bates needs.

Signed by two loyal members of the class of '58,

Al DeSantis
Tom Vail

To The Editor:

In reference to the article in your paper called 'Cat Tracks', I would like to express my opinion of what Mr. Towse called "sub-high-school", in relation to the attitude displayed by certain Bates students at the two home basketball games.

To me, the spirit displayed by this group of men, most of whom are members of the freshman class, is something to be commended,

not ridiculed. Perhaps Mr. Towse would prefer to have us applaud politely each time a basket is scored, instead of cheering our players to victory as has been the case so far this season.

This group of men has been primarily responsible for starting, after what appears to have been a long relapse, a renewal of something called school spirit, of taking pride in seeing representatives of our school besting our rivals in a hard fought contest.

Continue The Spirit!

Naturally tempers flare in such contests, especially in such close games as those of the third and fourth of this month, but I can hardly call such ardent support of the team a "sub-high-school attitude."

I hope to hear and see a continuance of this support of our teams throughout the year and if Mr. Towse is ashamed to admit they are his classmates, let him!

Bill MacKinnon '58

To Bill MacKinnon, Tom Vail, and Al DeSantis:

In reply to your letters, I would like to clarify my criticism of recent Bates sportsmanship as follows:

1. The controversial statement in 'Cat Tracks' last week was not directed specifically toward the freshman class, but toward the entire group of demonstrators, most of whom happened to be freshmen.

2. It is not the spirited cheering of the team to which we object, but the organized attempts — by hissing, sounding of cymbals, and beating of the drum — to rattle opposing players; the disrespect shown the referees by booing their decisions, waving handkerchiefs, and shouting such slogans as, "the ref beats his wife".

3. To express approval at the

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Woods Hole Houses Students In Summer Of Oceanographic Study

By Joyce Yacker

"How deep is the ocean?" is a question which might easily be asked of Bam Morse, Carolyn Gove, and Fred Beck. All three spent their summer working at the Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution. WHOI (pronounced "hoey" by the employees) is an institute of research, established by the Rockefeller Foundation in 1930, and located in Woods Hole, Mass., on the Atlantic seaboard.

Bam, a resident of Woods Hole, worked on a project concerned with the gulf stream, but did not limit herself to this field. She worked in the fields of physical oceanography, chemical oceanography, biological oceanography, and in her spare time was a glassware technician ("dishwasher" to the layman).

Sprinkled Mishaps

Bam had a few mishaps which helped to enliven her summer. While analyzing seawater, the sulfuric acid which they had been using, exploded leaving gaping holes in walls and ceiling. However, it gave them the opportunity to try out the water sprinkler on the ceiling, which had never been used before. Luckily — it worked!

Scientists Are Human

Another time while sitting upon a desk she accidentally tipped over a jar of very costly mercury. She tried to recapture it, but succeeded in coating her ring and watch instead. There was also the danger of getting mercury poisoning, which causes loss of hair and teeth. Bam was pretty scared for a while, but her crowning glory and pearly

white dentures have remained intact, so far.

Ever wonder how it might be to work in a scientific institution with a group of noted scientists from all over the world. Pretty formal job, wouldn't you say? The opinions of those who did is just the opposite. There were no definite hours, frequent coffee breaks, and they became accustomed to observing scientists wandering in and out garbed in sneakers and Bermuda shorts. Most of them were doing independent research work and had their own hours.

Bam's only gripe about her job was the rule which prohibited women from going on board the At-

lantis, the 142 foot ketch which was used in going out on cruises and bringing back samples of marine life. After a summer's work, Bam is convinced that she'd like to go into Oceanography, and is interested in attending Scripps Institute of Oceanography in La Jolla, California. As she says, "Since I can't go out on the boats, that would be the nearest thing to it."

What project would be more appropriate for a girl than one concerned with underwater sound? This was the department in which Carolyn Gove worked in connection with the Oceanographic Institute. One of the most interesting

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Mirror Progress

Dennison Reports On Book

According to Editor-in-Chief Beverly Dennison, the senior and faculty sections of the 1955 *Mirror* are being sent to Tufts Brothers in Lewiston for printing this week.

Changes in the '55 edition of the yearbook include a difference in sectional order, the addition of addresses, and an increase in the number of pages. The new section of the yearbook consists of informal snapshots, some of which are being contribute by seniors themselves.

Ads Are Reaffirmed

Business Manager Eleanor Brill announces that approximately two-thirds of the advertisements contracted last year have already been reaffirmed for the '55 edition of the *Mirror*.

Assisting Miss Dennison on the editorial staff are Ellen Conron and Susan Ordway, senior section; Joan Davidson, faculty section; Joy Teachout, activities section; Donald Smith and Edward Ward, sports section; Leon Stover and Peter Packard, organization section; Claire Poulin and Helen Anderson, informal section.

Announce Business Staff

The business staff includes Eleanor Brill, business manager; John Towse, advertising manager; Sylvia Perfetti, circulation manager; Elizabeth Dunn, Richard Jasper, and Norman Levine.

The staff appreciates the prompt return of the senior activity blanks and suggests that more informal snapshots be turned in.

Photographers for the *Mirror* are Ashmund Salley of Lewiston and Richard Bryant.

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Christmas Quartet



Sunday's Christmas Vespers' soloists are pictured prior to their two appearances with the Choral Society and String Ensemble in Chapel at the afternoon and evening performances of Christmas carols and holiday favorites under the direction of Prof. D. Robert Smith. Left to right are Wasil Katz, baritone; Ann Pinksen, soprano, Lauralyn Watson, mezzo-soprano; and Carl Nordahl, tenor. (Photo by Bryant)

Announce Scholarships For Grad School Women

Pettigrew Crew Expects To Lay Floor This Week

Work has been progressing efficiently on the latest wing of the Fine Arts Center, Bursar Norman E. Ross announced last week.

A small crew has worked steadily all semester and expects to lay the floor this week. "We won't go in until it's all done," Ross declared, hoping for an early opening.

The new wing is the second of three units, the first of which was Pettigrew Hall, completed in 1953. It will contain radio stations for WVBC, and an exhibition hall for works of art.

Bates Bobettes

After three years as the Bates Swim Group, the synchronized swimmers voted last week to adopt the name "Bates Bobettes". The Bobettes, directed by Catherine Parker and Ione Birks, will present a two-night show in the spring.

Advised by Paula Drake, physical education instructor, the women meet each Tuesday at the Auburn YMCA. This year's Bates Bobettes include Ann Akehurst, Gail Baumann, Alice Clough, Cecilia Dickerson, Kay Dill, Janet Gustofson.

Alice Hilterhaus, Mary Hudson, Kay Johnson, Judith Kent, Judith Larkin, Joan McGuire, Joan Middleton, Nancy Nichols, Carol Nickerson, Eleanor Peck.

Mary Sinnott, Margaret Perham, Jane Taylor, Joanne Trogler, Audrey Wass. Secretary of the group is Judith Kent.

CA Caroling

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The CA committee, headed by Jordan Holt, is planning entertainment to be followed by refreshments. The highlight of the afternoon will be the grand entrance of old St. Nicholas, alias Robert Wait, with gifts for each of the kiddies.

Esther Crane, Director of the Graduate Education Program of Goucher College, announces that scholarships running as high as \$1800 are available at Goucher college for senior women interested in attaining a Master of Education degree for elementary school teaching.

The new one-year course in elementary school teaching is open to women who are graduates of liberal arts colleges. No professional training in education is necessary.

Endeavoring to meet the needs of the national teacher shortage, the Goucher graduate program in elementary school teaching was initiated in 1953. Miss Crane states, "The members of our first class are now teaching in schools from California to New Jersey at salaries ranging as high as \$4150 a year."

Applications for the class entering in September, 1955, are now being accepted.

Seastone

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an annual wage guarantee. When the dreaded unemployment did not occur, they retreated to traditional areas.

Then in 1952, Murray was again ready to demand payment of wages for 52 weeks, guaranteed. Walter Reuther of United Automobile Workers is also outspoken on this subject. "What do the unions want?" asked Dr. Seastone.

"They want to be paid for at least 30 hours of work a week for 52 weeks, if there should be a drop in the nation's economy. But they will put an upper limit on a company's liability." When the money that was put into a trust fund to make these guaranteed payments is exhausted the company is no longer liable to make the payments.

Politics enter into the picture, since advocates of this point gain popular favor with the laborers. MacDonald, new president of the United Mine Workers, and Reuther of the Automobile Workers are rivals. It is possible that each might run for a higher office, and support of guaranteed annual wages would prove a campaign asset.

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Drops From The Pen . . .

By Ray Zelch

The greatest bit of news that we've heard in many a day was the addition of William J. (Chick) Leahey to the Bates coaching staff. According to reports, Chick will serve as varsity baseball coach, head the junior varsity basketball squad, assist Bob Hatch in football, and instruct in the physical education program.

Chick is not a newcomer to Bates College. After serving with the Marines during the second World War, he played a couple of seasons in professional baseball in the New York Yankee farm system.

In 1948, he entered Bates and was graduated in 1952. Unfortunately, due to his professional status, he was unable to compete in intercollegiate athletics, which didn't help Bates any. But he was a big help to the varsity coaches as he imparted his knowledge to freshman teams, and was a standout performer in the intramural leagues.

He is one of the finest second basemen ever to show his wares around these parts. He played for the semi-pro Auburn Asa's in the Down East League, and still holds many of the club's hitting records. He also served as player-manager of the club, and undoubtedly the experience gained with them will be a big asset to him as he assumes his new job as Bates baseball coach.

His many friends and admirers in Lewiston-Auburn and on the Bates campus wish Chick the very best of luck as he returns to Bates. We can't think of a better man for the job!

The adding of Leahey to the Bates staff in no way reflects on the work done the past few months by Joe Romo. Joe was signed on as trainer on a temporary basis after the illness of C. Ray Thompson. With the return of Coach Thompson, it has become necessary for Romo to make his departure.

There are many people on campus who would like to see Joe stick around. His work and cooperation have been highly regarded by the players and his associates. Unfortunately, however, under the present circumstances, the athletic staff is at its full capacity.

We'd like to take this opportunity to commend Joe on his fine job. We hate to see him go — and can only wish him the very best of luck in his future endeavors.

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The major sports topic of downtown Lewiston these days is the Bates basketball team. Fans who haven't been in Alumni Gym since the days of Bill Simpson in the late '40's are now making preparations to take in some of the forthcoming games. If last Friday night is any indication, we may soon be seeing bleachers on the stage once again.

It is a pleasure to see the type of basketball being played by the Addison men this year. The team at the end of four games has an average of 58 points, which is comparatively low for college ball. The boys have yet to get rolling on all cylinders. Watch out when they do!

The Bobcats almost made it against Bowdoin, but just fell short. To say that both clubs were off in their shooting is the understatement of the year. We anticipate a high scoring encounter the next time the two clubs meet.

The truest words ever spoken by blatant Lee Williams of Colby were that Jackie Hartleb would be the outstanding sophomore player of the state this season. For once, we agree with the personable Mr. Williams.

However, it's evident that he didn't figure that Bob Dunn and Don Smith would be tremendous off the backboards, that Kent White would be a great ball-hawk, and that Johnny Manteiga would develop into a front-line scorer.

We think that Lee would like a Christmas present from Bates this year, and the best one we can think of is having Williams return to Waterville tonight mulling over a defeat. A victory over Colby would be a great way to start the Christmas spirit. How about it, boys?

Cagers Take Series Starter At Orono, Edge Black Bears In Close 63-59 Duel

By Ed Gilson

The Bates Bobcats initiated State Series play in fine style last Wednesday night, defeating the University of Maine at Orono 63-59 for their second straight win.

Hartleb High Scorer

Jack Hartleb was high scorer of the night with 19 points, including 6 long shots from the floor. Freshmen John Manteiga and Kent White contributed much towards the victory with Manteiga drilling

18 points through the hoop and White again exercising his canny defensive work.

Captain Bob Dunn, Don Smith, and Ted Ward also contributed to the victory with their all around team play and experience. Smith hit double figures, scoring ten points.

Folsom Paces Bears

Maine, paced by guard Ken Folsom with 16 points, led throughout the majority of the contest although constantly pressured by the scrappy Bobcats.

Play in the first half was extremely close as Bates and Maine matched practically point for point while keeping the score relatively low at the same time. At halftime Maine led by a scant 28-27.

Tempo Increases

Second half play resembled that of the first half except that the tempo of the game increased. The closeness of the battle coupled with Bates' fine defensive work began to take its toll on the Pale Blue.

With seven minutes to play in the second half, Bates after a long haul by the point ladder, finally made its move and came from behind to capture the lead 50-49.

Bates Stems Rally

The score in the final stages of the game reached 60-51 in favor of the Bobcat. With but precious time remaining, the Pale Blue of Maine put on a last ditch surge which Bates stemmed to make the Bobcat victory a reality.

The victory proved that Bates can come from behind to win. It also served notice that Bates is out

to gain revenge for the nine straight State Series losses suffered last year.

The State Series race is still on including tonight's game with Colby. Fine performances, win or lose, are still in store for Bobcat fans this season.

Bates			
	fg	f	pts
Hartleb	6	7	19
Dunn	1	3	5
Manteiga	8	2	18
Smith	2	6	10
White	1	0	2
Ward	4	1	9
	22	19	63
Maine			
	fg	f	pts
Dana	2	7	11
Cooper	2	2	6
Houston	2	0	4
Polese	2	0	4
F. Smith	2	2	6
Folsom	4	8	16
Danick	2	2	6
Jones	0	0	0
Kostocoupolos	2	2	6
	18	23	59

East Emerges As Unbeaten Team In Trophy Race

In the final week of the volleyball season a strong East Parker emerged as the sole undefeated contender for the trophy. Their toughest opposition in the tournament to be held after vacation will probably come from the Rand team whose only defeat came from East.

Last week saw Rand prove they were very much in the running for top honors by soundly whipping the Hacker-Frye combination 41-23.

Stage Comeback

Twice-defeated Cheney staged two comeback victories by upsetting Milliken-Town 42-24 and walking away from West Parker 47-19. Making up for their lack in numbers by good teamwork, Cheney easily left West's determined, but green, team behind.

Battling it out on the Rand court, East and Cheney played off their tie game in what turned out to be a duel between center netmen Margie Connell for East and Ellie Peck for Cheney. Both teams played well, but East came out on the top side of a 7-4 score.

East Beat Combo

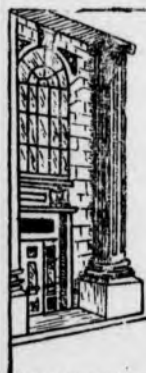
Wilson-Chase, again plagued by too few players, managed to give East a good fight. Although trailing by only a few points at half time, Wilson-Chase couldn't keep up with the second half attack; the final score saw East in front 33-26.

Community Theatre

WED. - THURS.
"BLACKBEARD, THE PIRATE"
(technicolor)
Robert Newton, Linda Darnell
PRIDE OF THE BLUE GRASS
Lloyd Bridges, Vera Miles
FRI. - SAT.
"THE EGG AND I"
Claudette Colbert, Fred MacMurray
"BUGS BUNNY CARTOON JAMBOREE"
SUN. - MON. - TUES.
"THE HITCH-HIKER"
Edmond O'Brien, Frank Lovejoy
"CLEOPATRA"
Claudette Colbert, Warren William

Ritz Theatre

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"THREE COINS IN THE FOUNTAIN"
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Maggie McNamara
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Sun. - Mon. - Tues. —
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John Bertram Takes Lead In Intramural Contests

John Bertram leads the intramural athletic competition as of the end of the football season.

Taking into account the points awarded for touch football standings, the teams are also given a bonus of three points for each varsity letterman and two points for each varsity squad member.

B. Leads Intramurals

J.B., holding a total of 138 points in the first place spot, is followed by Roger Williams teams

who have garnered 107. The J.B. men gained 116 points with its second consecutive championship A League football team. They also took second and third places in the B League.

Roger Bill placed second in the A League and captured first honors in the B circuit for 82 of its points. Bringing up the rear in scoring are Smith South in third place with 58 points, followed by North with 49, Bardwell 47, Mitchell 36, and Middle 22.

Intramural Notice

All intramural dorm managers must submit basketball team rosters to Dr. Lloyd H. Lux's office no later than noon Friday, December 17.

Official team entry forms are available at the athletic office. Managers are requested to indicate in which league (A, B, or C) each team is entered.

No late entries will be allowed, as the schedules are to be made up during the Christmas recess, and competition will begin January 5.

State Series

Results

Won	Lost
Bowdoin 55	Bates 53
Bates 63	Maine 59
Colby 76	Maine 59
Colby 64	Bowdoin 63

Standings

	Won	Lost
Colby	2	1
Bates	1	1
Bowdoin	1	1
Maine	0	2

Bobcats Lose Early Lead As Bears Tie For 2nd In Series, Win 55-53

By Norm Levine

Bowdoin's basketball forces invaded Alumni Gym last Friday night and came up with a 55-53 victory over the Bobcats. After overcoming a twelve point deficit late in the first half, the Polar Bears were never headed, although the 'Cats stayed within five points all the way.

Starting fast, the Bobcats piled up a 19-7 lead midway through the first half and seemed to be off to a romp. The 'Cats at this time worked as smoothly as any team

we've seen this year with Jack Hartleb leading the way with three long set shots.

With the Bobcats leading 19-12, Hartleb drew his fourth foul and was removed by Coach Addison to

return later in the game.

At this point, Bowdoin was forced to use a close man to man defense in an effort to stop the Bates attack. The move paid off for the Bobcats' offense was effectively squelched, and the Polar Bears began grabbing the ball for fast breaks which clicked for 24 points in the last 11 minutes of the half. During this time, the Cats were able to gather only four points toward their cause.

When the second half started, the Bobcats fought vainly to regain the lead. With freshman John Monteiga hitting on his jump shot and a couple of sweeping hook shots, the 'Cats closed the lead to 50-48 with only three minutes left to play.

Bowdoin then countered by putting Captain John Kreider back in and the Polar Bears pulled away to 55-48.

White Closes Gap

After some time had elapsed, Kent White was fouled, and made good on both shots, the two-minute rule being in effect. This closed the gap to 55-50.

Then Monteiga missed on a one-hand jump, Bob Dunn took the rebound and passed to Jack Hartleb, who faked a one-hander and drove in for a lay-up that was good for two points.

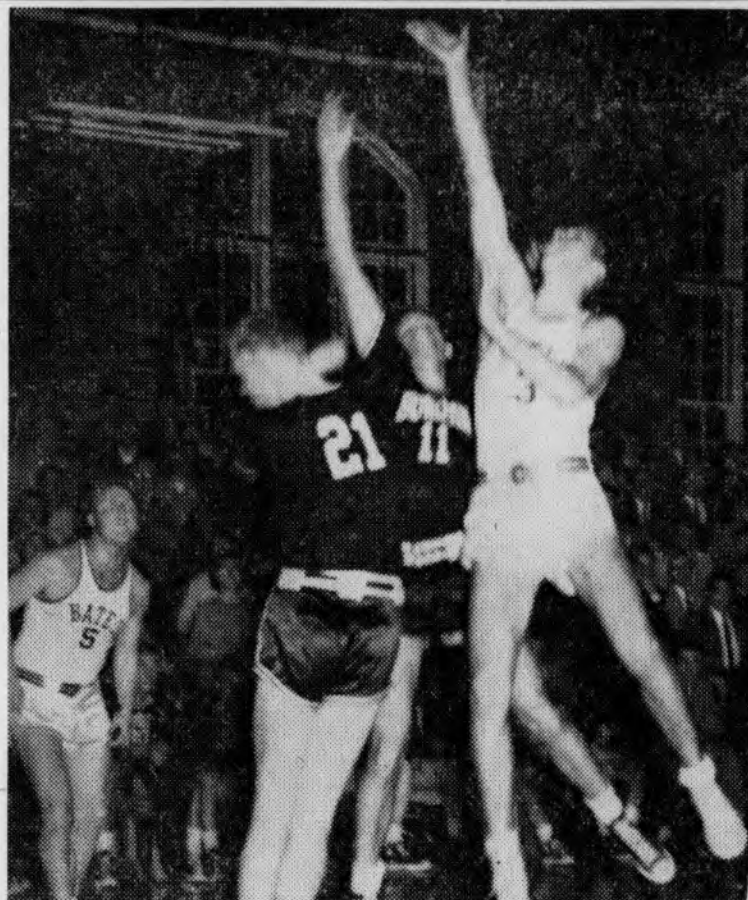
Fouled in the act of shooting, Hartleb took a foul shot and made it. The score stood at 55-53 with ten seconds left to play.

After the Polar Bears brought the ball down to their end of the court and missed a shot, Bob Dunn came down with the rebound. As the buzzer sounded, Hartleb missed a wild shot from the floor and the game ended with Bowdoin on the long end of the 55-53 score.

Hartleb Leads Scoring

Once again, Jack Hartleb led the Bates scoring with 15 points, followed by John Monteiga who scored 13. Kent White made good on eight fouls to become third high.

Although the Bobcats' field goals were few and far between, the 'Cats managed to stay within a shooting range by making good on 17 of 25 foul shots.



Bobcat freshman John Monteiga (number 3) leaps for a shot in Friday's State Series battle with the Bowdoin five. The Polar Bears emerged on top 55-53.

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