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New Student Government Near Ad Board Adopts Motions

The Ad Board meeting Thursday night was mostly concerned with the new Student Union Constitution, drawn up by the Constitutional Committee. After much and repeated argument, most of the document has been sent back to committee for revision before the Ad Board makes its final decisions on it.

On the positive side, the Ad Board adopted three motions in line with the proposed student government:

1. From Advisor Board To The President.

RESOLVED: That the President, recognizing the role of the extra-curricular Activities Comm. (EAC) in the review and recommendations of the student activity fees to the President and the Trustees, redelegate this responsibility to the new Student Government.

2. From Advisory Board To The Faculty.

RESOLVED: That the faculty be requested to redelegate its authority in the areas of review and approval of constitutions of student organizations from the EAC to the New Student Government.

3. From Advisory Board To EAC.

a) RESOLVED: That the EAC recommend to the Faculty that the responsibilities of the EAC in the areas of review and approval of constitutions of student organizations be redelegated from the EAC to the new Student Government.

b) RESOLVED: That the EAC recommend to the President that its role in the review and recommendation of student activity fees to the President and the Trustees of re-delegated to the new Student Government.

by Ted Barrows

The work of the Constitutional Committee of the Ad Board is nearing a close.

During the past few months, a group of four seniors and two juniors have held numerous meetings, in dorms, in closed session, and with various members of the student body, hopefully representing a broad range of opinion.

With the ironing out of a few remaining points, the new Constitution should be ready for presentation to the student body for ratification. The form of government proposed is a representative body of approximately forty members, elected in the dorms. There will be an Executive Board of four members, elected from the campus at large.

If ratified by the student body, the new Student Union will take over all functions currently falling to the Ad Board. In addition, they will have control over allocation of student activities fees, and approval of constitutions for any new student organizations. Finally, the Executive Board will be delegated to represent the student body at faculty meetings. This assumes that the faculty is sincere in its desire to establish better communications with students.

Under provisions of the new constitution, the Executive Board would be elected in the spring to serve for the following year. Dorm and off-campus representatives; at a rate of about one for every thirty-five students, would be elected from the dorms in the fall of the year.

There are very few things in this constitution that are essentially radical or any great departure from Bates tradition. In essence, it is an attempt to make student government more widely representative and more responsive to the student body. The section dealing with student activities fees has been preceded by resolutions to the same effect from the Ad Board to the President, faculty and trustees. The presence of non-voting students at faculty meetings can be nothing but a help to faculty and to faculty-student relations.

When copies of the proposed constitution are printed in volume, read one and think about it. Talk to your friends, then get out and vote for stronger student government.

Federal Grant

Morrison to Study Maine Lakes

Bates College has received a \$35,000 grant from the federal government to undertake a detailed ecological study of five lakes and ponds in south central Maine. The project will be undertaken by three Bates College faculty members headed by Assistant Professor of Geology Robert F. Morrison.

The study will include an analytical evaluation of the variety, extent, and sources of lake degradation and will culminate in a program carefully designed to make local citizens aware of the problems and possible solutions.

The lakes to be studied are Sabattus Pond in Sabattus, Tripp Lake, Thompson Lake, Range Pond, and Sabbathday Lake. These bodies of water were especially chosen for their geographical location and for the variety of physical conditions they represent, including size, depth, and the degree of development around the shores. Professor Morrison will be joined in the study by Assistant Professor of Chemistry James G. Boyles and Assistant Professor of Biology Robert B. Wait.

From March through December of this year, the team will collect water samples and make detailed studies of conditions from around each of the lakes, and this material will be subjected to detailed scientific analysis.

Although this kind of analysis of lakes and ponds in Maine is not new, most of the scientific work has culminated in highly technical reports which are difficult for the layman to interpret. Three years ago a Bates College student under Professor of Biology Robert M. Chute studied the problems of pollution in Lake Annabessacook in Winthrop and Monmouth, and the study report led to preliminary steps in the treatment of ecological problems in that lake. Further studies have been carried on by scientists from the University of Maine in Annabessacook and also in the Belgrade Lakes and elsewhere around the state.

The Bates College team will attempt a unique program in that a major effort will be made to trans-

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Chase Hall Committee

Canned Heat, John Lee Hooker Saturday

The new combination of Canned Heat and John Lee Hooker will be featured in a concert at the Alumni Gym Saturday, March 27 at 8:00 p.m.

Sponsored by the Chase Hall Committee, the concert will include a local New England group, Harvey, the "boogie" sound of Canned Heat, and selections from the new album "Hooker 'N' Heat", with most of the selections written by John Lee Hooker.

Harvey, which plays original music, will appear first on the bill and the performance will be recorded for a future album.

Canned Heat has been turning out hit after hit, including such singles as: "Going Up Country," "On the Road Again," "Let's Get Together," and presently, "Wolly Booly." All their albums have topped best-seller lists, including: "Boogie with Canned Heat," "Canned Heat," "Cookbook," "Halleluia," and "Future Blues."

Canned Heat is known as a blues

band, but they appeal to a wide range of listeners. At different times people have concluded that their music sounds like jazz, blues, or classical. Rarely are these varied sounds successfully integrated.

Canned Heat is a five-musician group led by Bob "The Bear" Hite. "Bob has become a fine interpreter, singer and writer of blues. He has been responsible for many old bluesmen being recognized today and in fostering what has been called by many, 'the rebirth of the blues'."

John Lee Hooker is a well-known musician of long standing, for forty years he has entertained audiences. He is an originator of the "boogie" sound and was known as the Old Black Guitarist. Hooker says, "I was born with the blues, I eat with the blues, I sleep with the blues — Man, I know its just simply the truth."

Tickets are available at the CSA Office for \$3.00 to the Bates community.



Canned Heat

ELECTION RESULTS

The results of last Thursday's all-campus elections are:

CAMPUS ASSOCIATION

President: Martha Geores
Vice President: Gail Colburn
Secretary: Cheri Pierce
Treasurer Kathy Bell

CHASE HALL COMMITTEE

Chairman: Al Southergill

OUTING CLUB

President: Wayne Loosigian
Secretary: Peg Montgomery

Canham's Rhetoric

by Randy Rizer and
Herbert Caraway

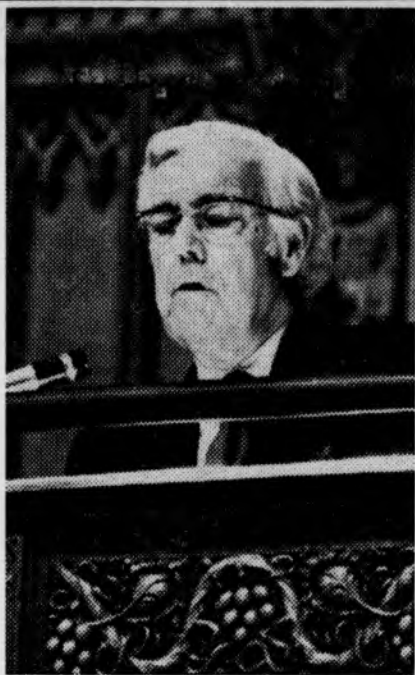
On Tuesday, March 18, an audience consisting of almost as many non-students as students, saw a new face preach the same old line in the Bates College Chapel. The speaker was Mr. Erwin Canham, Editor-in-Chief of the CHRISTIAN SCIENCE MONITOR, and a member of the President's Commission on Campus Unrest. Mr. Canham, who is also a Bates Trustee, has been elected to the French Legion of Honor, awarded the Order of the British Empire, and currently holds honorary degrees from 121 Colleges and Universities.

Mr. Canham began his lecture by citing some of the findings of the Commission on Campus Unrest. From the Commission's report he stated that many of the characteristics of today's youth culture stem from "religious" zeal. He pointed out that values such as the "abhorrence of violence, rejection of . . . institutionalism, concern for others and rejection of materialism" are all of religious derivation.

In continuing, he stated that the goal of the individual today is "to express whatever his unique humanity prompts"; or to put it less rhetorically, "do your own thing." He also lucidly observed that young people place much emphasis on "living to the fullest."

Then focussing his discussion on the "generation gap", he explained that, in terms of the relationship between the older and younger generations, the Viet Nam war generates only a superficial division. In continuing, however, he pointed out that ending the war is a necessary step in "bridging the gap." Other steps deemed necessary to bridge the division were "progress toward full social justice" and "intensive work on environmental problem." He emphasized that the "establishment" and the youthful "counter-culture" must work together to achieve these goals.

Mr. Canham then continued by making several mundane suggestions. He suggested that the country not disarm unilaterally, but rather that it should push arms limitations. He also mentioned that more must be done about waste in the defense department, and that the military-industrial complex should be curbed through reform of congressional (floor) rules. Concerning consumer affairs he advocated consumer strikes to battle rising costs.



Erwin Canham, editor of Christian Science Monitor

On the subject of political involvement, he observed that young people are becoming more successful in participation in politics. He also stated that he would "like to see younger blood among the Trustees."

As it turned out, the main body of the lecture tended toward the general rather than the specific. While many old ideas were paraphrased, few, if any, new ideas were introduced.

Mr. Canham concluded his lecture with a profound: "Anyway, I think we should work at it."

The student contingent of the Maine Philosophical Institute will be at Bates, Saturday, 27 March, 1971. C. A. MacAleer from Bates will deliver the first paper, on Descartes, at 10:00 in the Skelton Lounge. Other papers will be delivered by students from the University of Maine at Orono (1:00) and Saint Joseph's College (1:30) on Heidegger and Sartre respectively. Each paper will be commented upon by a student from one of the other colleges.

The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Men Deny Women's Effectiveness Say Speakers at Auburn YWCA

by Jean Streeter

"Women can still be administrators if they're not too choosy. You have to expect a certain amount of prejudice. There is still prejudice against women because the majority of men don't think women are effective." This is an example of the attitudes that women face today in the working world according to Mrs. Hubert Meriam, a Bates graduate and a prominent administrator in the field of social welfare. Similar findings in the field of medicine were expressed by Dr. Margaret Hannigan Wednesday night, Mar. 17, at 7:30 at the YWCA buildings on Turner Street, Auburn, in a discussion of women and careers and the challenges and problems they face. The mother of 6 children and a practicing dermatologist whenever feasible, Dr. Hannigan disclosed that in her career she encountered little prejudice except for the fact that there was a quota for women—up to 10% from 5%—at Tufts medical school, and a woman "can do just about anything but be president of an organization." Both women dealt with the problem of working a career around the traditional role of wife and mother. Dr. Hannigan noted that it was not until the pill became popular that she noticed that every woman was looked at in the light of married woman and lover, and that the family really limits the height to which a woman can climb, for it is "inconsistent with a woman's nature" to be able to abandon her role as a mother and devote herself to a full-time career.

Both noted that a man is not as emotional and is more free from the opinions of relatives and friends, and a woman is more adaptable

and gets more satisfaction from marriage and children. However, when the question of day care arose both agreed to its benefits, noting it is the QUALITY of the relationship the mother has with the child that is important, not the amount of time spent with the child.

In the field of legislative protection for working women, Mrs. Meriam noted that most laws just "let" discrimination occur. Quoting from the February issue of McCALL's magazine, she pointed out that women are limited in the number of hours they can work in Maine (9 hrs. a day—50 hrs. week maximum). No legal protection for discrimination in hiring, firing, fringe benefits, wages, promotion, job categories, classified ads, training programs and job placement are available for women. Mrs. Meriam disclosed that if a woman felt she had been discriminated against because of her sex in the welfare department and was superior in a number of points she could come, maximally, before the Board of Directors, then again predominantly male. She admitted that there was a slight preference for men now in the field of social work once considered to be an ideal field for women.

In closing, both women expressed optimism for the future of women seeking employment on an equal basis with men. Prejudice against women "should be overcome by changing the attitude of men toward women working. Businesses WILL be more human and liberal as they should be."

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C. A. Advertisement

March 18, 1971

To the Editor:

I am writing on behalf of the Campus Association cabinet regarding the advertisement that appeared in the STUDENT on Mar. 17 concerning the March on Washington. It is my intention in writing this letter to clarify our rationale for placing the ad in the paper and to answer some questions and criticisms about it. It was our intention in publishing the advertisement to make the student body aware of the fact that the march was being held. We felt that this was an important event that should be brought to people's attention, and that this ad was the best way of doing so. This ad was paid for by the Campus Association, however, this does not necessarily reflect the political views of the C. A. cabinet.

It is the purpose of the C. A. to provide information and opportunities so that students may pursue a wide range of interests. The C. A. is open to consideration of concerns of all sections of the college community so that we may provide this service to the greatest number of people.

Respectfully,
 William Lowenstein
 President of the Campus
 Association

Perverse Sadie Calls

To the Editor:

I would like to direct by comments to the anonymous male callers (one in particular) who succeeded in turning the normally fun and humorous Sadie calls on Wednesday, Feb. 17th into a perverted and vicious game, by directing at particular individuals some of the most personal and devastating remarks that I have ever heard. Having been on campus for several years now, I am accustomed to the usual salacious remarks which are made on that fateful evening of Sadie calls, and am quite willing to take them along with everyone else in the spirit of jest and facetiousness. But when the remarks are directed at particular individuals, and personal facts are revealed about people, the humor vanishes and it becomes a game of "who can be most cruel to whom."

Whoever it was who made the comments I am referring to probably has no idea of the psychological damage he may have done, but he deserves to be SHOT. For the sake of protecting those who have already been hurt too much, I prefer to remain anonymous.

Name withheld by request



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Hockey Team in Championship

Last Sunday night, the Batesie Hockey Squad earned the right to play in the Championship Game of the Industrial League by beating Fortin, 5-2.

Bates, which had managed only a tie in its two regular-season meetings with Fortin, never trailed in this one. At 7:20 of the first period, Brian "Bang-Bang" Staskawicz tipped in a Roger Bergeron shot from the right point. Then, with only 1:51 left in the same period, Staskawicz broke in and beat the Fortin goalie to the glove side. "Ding" Comeford got assists on both goals.

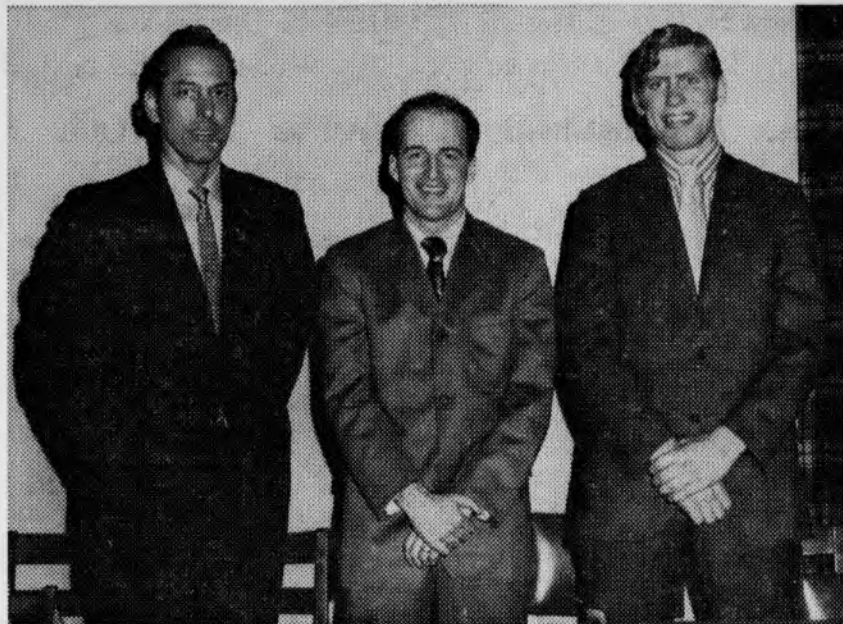
In the second period, Bates outskated the opposition again. At 5:59, Erik Tank-Nielsen took a pass from Staskawicz (via a fallen Dingbat) and put it in from ten feet out. With 7:15 to go, Wayne Loosigian put the game out of reach with a wrist shot from the right wing. "Triple Overtime" West got an assist on this one.

The third period saw a few anxious moments for Bates. At 5:38, Mike Gerard of Fortin beat Schwartz to make it 4-1. Then, at 6:04, Donovan scored and the Fortin team, (which featured more ringers

than a horseshoe tournament was suddenly within two. Unfortunately for them, however, Staskawicz likes hat tricks. He scored his third of the night at 9:04, assisted by Comeford. Equally unfortunately for Fortin, Mike Schwartz was having a great game. He stopped a couple of breakaways, one on a good glove save, and kicked out a number of difficult close-in shots. "The Gumper" made 25 saves in the game.

The Bilodeau Comedy Show (starring Referee Ron) was at its best Sunday. A league rule was recently passed awarding major penalties to anyone who swings a stick. Someone should have told Ron and Rookie Calootch, though, because they ignored a few. (It has been suggested that the men in stripes took their lessons from the Ice-Making Machine.

Tonight at 9:30, the team will meet Koss. A difficult task is ahead for the Batesies, who must beat Koss twice to win the double-elimination tourney. But then, they hadn't beaten Fortin before, either. (Should the team win, and the chances are good, the second game is scheduled for Friday night.)



Co-captains of next years basketball team are Dan Doyle (center) and Erik Bertelsen (left) shown here at the Winter Sports Banquet with Coach George Wigton.

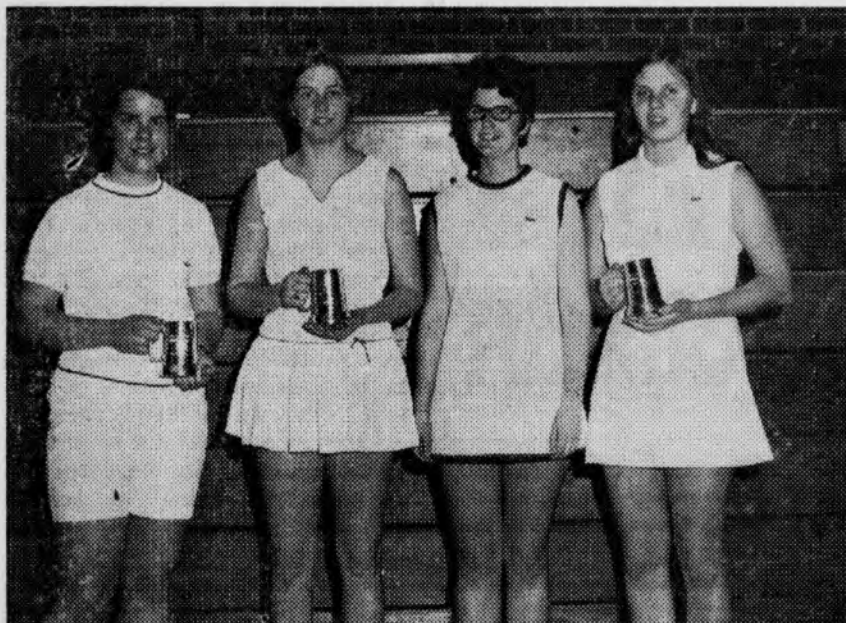
Girls Badminton Team Goes Undefeated

The Bates girls badminton team finished off its undefeated season last Wednesday with its match against Westbrook College. Carolyn Sauer and Sue Oliver easily defeated their opponents Nancy Foster & Karen Amrol in the singles sets, both scoring 11-1 and 11-0. In the first doubles Marilyn Olson and Joan MacDonald won 15-3 and 15-4, to take their set. Kathy Hurley and Carol Lovejoy, the second doubles team, started off well with a 15-2 game, but had trouble during the second game. At 14-14 they called a set, which they won 3-0 to make a clean sweep for the afternoon.

Earlier in the season Carolyn and Sue both left their opponents scoreless in their sets against Farmington. The first doubles gave up a few points during their set but they had a relatively easy victory with scores of 15-2 and 15-4. Joan and Marilyn dropped their first game with Gorham 3-15, but rallied to win the set 15-10 and 15-10. Carolyn and Sue gave their usual performance, both winning their sets in the first two games.

In the Maine State Tournament the Bates girls did exceptionally well. Carolyn Sauer had two easy

victories on Friday, March 12; but ran into stiff competition on Saturday. In the finals, she dropped her first game to Debbie Davis of the University of Maine at Orono 6-11, but managed to keep ahead of her opponent in the next two games by winning the sets 3-2 and 2-0 to take the Maine State Championship. Sue Oliver won her first two sets which moved her up to the semi-finals, but then she lost to Debbie Davis 2-11 and 8-11. The first doubles team had a close set against the University of Maine at Orono by winning the last two of the three games. Marilyn and Joan rallied the last two of the three games. Marilyn and Joan rallied easily over Colby to enter the finals, where they fell to University of Maine at Presque Isle. They earned second place in the doubles competition giving Bates the best showing of the weekend.



Left to right: Place winners in the Maine State Intercollegiate Women's Badminton Tournament are Joan MacDonald, '73, and Marilyn Olson, '73, who won second place in doubles competition; Susan Oliver, '72, third place winner in singles competition; and Carolyn Sauer, '74, who won first place in singles competition.

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late the results of the study of each of the five bodies of water into layman's language and then through brochures, lectures, and other techniques the group will attempt to make the respective property owners and community leaders and state officials aware of the condition of the lakes and to alert them to possible steps to preserve or reclaim these invaluable resources.

At the same time, a formal report of the findings of the team will be made to the scientific community to add to the slowly expanding body of knowledge about the effect of man on his environment. All of the thousands of lakes and ponds in the state of Maine are subject to eutrication—a gradual "dying" caused by natural causes. However, many of the lakes, particularly those which have been developed intensely by the development of summer camps and those which are subject to forms of pollution from industrial and other wastes, have had this process of eutrication speeded up to

the point where a lake whose life expectancy could be fifty to sixty thousand years can be hastened into the span of but a few generations.

The process of eutrication of a lake is quite complicated. The growth of algae is dependent upon the nutrient supply in the lake and its tributary system, and there is a vast need for a systematic controlled technique for the collection of data on this dying process.

The Bates team will attempt to standardize methods of data collection and analysis in order that studies made by different investigators in other geographic areas may be easily and accurately compared.

Total cost of the project is expected to be \$52,500 with the \$35,000 grant from the federal government being supplemented by \$17,500 from Bates College.


Participating with the Bates faculty members will be a selected group of Bates College students working in the fields of geology, biology, and chemistry.

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