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"Often the cockloft is empty in those whom Nature has built many stories high" - Fuller on the Head.

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Athletic Facility Update

by Gary Jones

New athletic facilities may be in the works for the Bates campus. But, the construction of the new jock palaces is at least four years away, so the present crowd of Batesies won't be around to appreciate them.

But, in case you're still interested, there are preliminary plans which include the construction of a swimming pool, a major field house, and an ice arena. The swimming pool would go in back of Roger Bill where the tennis courts presently are located. The pool would be a combination 25 yard and 25 meter facility to accommodate a varsity swim team. As part of this structure there would be additional squash and handball courts and a room for activities such as modern dance. Before all the tennis fanatics out there start screaming, you should know that there are plans for twelve new outdoor courts along Bardwell Street (across from Smith and Adams). This gives a net gain of three new outdoor courts. The practice field would be relocated on the new campus property.

This new land, sixteen acres in all, is located across Central Avenue, behind J.B. and the Marcotte Nursing Home. This land is the proposed home for the ambitious project of a new major field house and ice arena complex. The new cage would contain an eight lap oval track, straight tracks, facilities for the various track events, and four indoor tennis courts. The ice arena would be located next to the field house in a separate building sharing common utilities. Also on this land would be a new baseball diamond plus room for practice fields.

As for the old facilities, these plans would have the old cage transformed into an exhibition basketball court. The old court in the gym would be used for intramurals. All these plans are only tentative, but they do suggest what might eventually happen.

The only way any of this will happen, of course, is if the many friends and alumni of Bates decide to be very generous in supporting the plans. It is possible that a major fund-raising effort, the like of which fathered the library, will start in about three years. By that time, most of us will be alumni, which means a nice chunk of the money will have to come from us. But also, we will have some input, hopefully, as to what will be built or if anything *should* be built. At any rate, maybe we'll get to try out the swimming pool some Alumni Weekend — who knows?



Cloakroom Kleptos Run Rampant in Ripoff Ritual

by Dick Rothman

The Chase Hall cloakrooms are two seemingly insignificant enclaves into which Bates students regularly deposit personal articles which they do not care to carry into Commons. Through the years, these rooms have also been the dens of immorality for an assortment of dishonest Batesies who regularly crawl out from beneath the coats (bearing gifts) and attend classes with you and I.

Victimized students have always been painfully aware of this problem, as has campus security. And about every time a skateboard craze noisily rolls over America (the last one was about 10 years ago), the school administration also tends to become aware of the trouble.

The man who spoke out about the problem is a Smith South proctor by the name of Cliff White. Angered and upset by the robbery of his jacket and several books within two days, he alerted Dean Isaacson of the crimes and asked that something be done not only to clean out the cloakroom scum but also to make sure that all other unsuspecting students (and potential victims) are aware that a similar fate would befall them.

As soon as she learned about the crookery, the Dean of Students set out to notify the student body that their belongings could unexpectedly change ownership. Posters warning Batesies to watch out were posted throughout the college and proctors were ordered to speak to students about the problem, both personally and at dorm meetings. The bookstore was urged to keep on the lookout for thieves who might try to return fairly new stolen books for cash. In addition, the campus book emporium is now requiring sales slips for all returns and is asking students to leave their already-bought books outside the Bookstore before entering

the premises. They feel that this is necessary because many students have taken older books into the store and switched them with newer copies.

Much of the problem with jackets is that students mistakenly take the wrong coat and then never return it. This situation may occur with texts, but to a much smaller extent. The most active season for book grabbers is during the first two weeks of classes, when students buy books but do not mark their names in them because of the possibility of changing courses. Without the names, there is no sure way of matching a stolen book and its owner.

It must be emphasized that money or valuables should NEVER be left in a cloakroom. Students who practice such a policy are begging to be ripped off. All valuables should be either carried into Commons by their owners, or left at the Concierge, CSA office, or in one of the free lockers across from the P.O. boxes downstairs. If a student is robbed, he should immediately report his loss to the Security office. All other articles which are taken by mistake should be left at the Concierge, which is the lost and found.

Dean Isaacson feels that there may possibly be one or more mentally ill kleptomaniacs on campus who are responsible for most of the robberies. She urges that any student who knows of an active kleptomaniac should see to it that that person talk to the chaplain or psychiatrist, for therapy, and not punishment, is what a kleptomaniac needs.

Regardless of the situation, however, the Dean is "very optimistic that this problem will be cleared up."

Chet Emmons, head of campus security, does not discount the klepto theory, but points out that the level of

Booze in Chase?

by John Blatchford

The Baptist Founders of Bates would probably roll over in their graves if they heard of the new proposals coming up concerning alcohol ("Lord save them from SIN!"), on campus. Last Friday (9/26/75), *The Student* went to Dean Carignan to see what was going on as far as new rules or proposals on alcohol.

Dean Carignan told *The Student* that last winter and spring the Residential Life Committee studied the problem of alcohol consumption. In doing this, the Committee surveyed the policies and situations of other institutions and talked to the proctors here. As a result of this study, the Committee sent two recommendations: one to the President of the College, Thomas H. Reynolds, recommending to take whatever steps necessary to open a "pub" on campus, and one to the Faculty, recommending a change in the regulation of alcohol on campus. The change that was recommended to the faculty at their September meeting (9/9/75), was to pass a legislation allowing (by permission of the Dean of Students, Judith Isaacson), the use of alcohol for special events (receptions, small group parties and meetings, etc.), in the special seminar room and private dining rooms (Rowe, Ramsdell and Costello) in Chase Hall, and in areas immediately adjacent (outside) the dormitories. There was considerable discussion at this faculty meeting on the subject. According to Dean Carignan, the tone of the meeting was to transfer the responsibility to the administration to decide where alcohol could be consumed.

In light of the tone of this meeting, the Residential Life Committee revised the legislation that will be presented to the next Faculty meeting (10/6/75), recommending: "Regulations regarding the restriction of the use of alcoholic beverages on College property and in College facilities be established and administered by the Office of the Dean of Students. These regulations shall be published for the College Community." Dean Carignan said that he didn't think the Faculty's tone on the idea would be that much different than at the September meeting. (The Faculty meets once a month, on the first Monday.) The reason the Faculty preferred to have the specifics of the regulation of alcohol in the hands of Dean Isaacson is because they don't want to be consulted on every single question that may arise on the regulation of alcohol. Unfortunately, the Residential Life Committee's proposal will not be able to be voted on in the October meeting, but it will be put

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Stats on the '79ers

by Brad Fuller

Did you know that for every three freshmen you bump into on campus, one is bound to be from Massachusetts? Also, two of these three will hail from somewhere in New England.

Despite the dominance of New England students, the geographic distribution of this year's freshman class is fairly widespread. Almost half the states are represented along with thirteen foreign countries.

Forty-two percent of the men who applied were accepted, along with fifty-four percent of the women, and final number enrolled was two-hundred and sixteen men and one-hundred and seventy-six women. But about four-hundred more men applied to begin with. So take heart, girls — for every one of you there are 1.2 guys.

Of the high schools which had ranking systems, forty-five percent of

the enrolled freshmen were in the top ten percent of their graduating class. S.A.T.'s for the class of '79 were as follows:

VERBAL (# of students)	SCORES	MATH (# of students)
13	700-800	40
40	650-699	70
86	600-649	94
110	550-599	82
94	500-549	56
30	450-499	29
10	Below 450	12

Twenty-six percent of the entering freshmen are on financial aid, and seventy percent are from public schools.

So if you happen to meet a guy from a Massachusetts public school who was in the top ten percent of his high school class, is not on financial aid and scored between 550 and 650 on his S.A.T.'s, you have met the typical Bates freshman.

Socially Unacceptable

by FONZE

This column will try to keep students abreast of what's going on at Bates. By reviewing student and administrative (Lane Hall) activities this column will hopefully be informative, amusing and if need be critical. Truthfully, the tone of this column will depend on my condition, which gets more enjoyable every Wed., Fri., and Sat. nights and sometimes on Sun., Mon., and Tues.

DREG OF THE WEEK: Sab, no competition

Congratulations to Pierce House for their image change, it's about time. Wednesday night's a good night for a party, too bad your lounge is so small. If there was any social competition with Milliken, you sent them out to pasture.

A note to all you freshmen beauties; if you're having fun now, wait till this week's home football game — your

dream football player will be at that Sat. night party. Who knows, maybe a little flinky?

Quinzo we like your two wheel car, lets go for a ride through Lane.

JOCK OF THE WEEK: "Rosa" Boucher for interceptions in two consecutive games.

THIS WEEK'S FOOTBALL FORECAST: not too good. BD picks Trinity 25-7.

ACKNOWLEDGED: the fine cocktail party Dave and Charlie put on in Fiske Foster's "Frat" party, instant horror show.

EDITORIAL: One of the finer traditions at Bates is that any excess profit goes back into the party for more beer and not into ones pocket! Let's hope Bates students live up to this tradition this year.

P.S. Be cool, if you're not cool you're a knurd!

BATES DEMOCRATIC CAUCUS

Campaign work in the New Hampshire and Massachusetts Presidential primaries, affirmative action in Maine, involvement in the state convention and political action on the Bates campus will all be discussed at the first meeting of the Bates Democratic Caucus.

The Caucus, dormant so far this year, consists of those who are interested in becoming involved, be they Democrat or otherwise. Students, faculty, maintenance workers and administrators are all urged to attend and discuss what types of political action will be taken by the group. No committees will be formed. The first organizational meeting will be held Monday, October 6, at 7:00 in Libbey Forum, Room 1.

Both state party officials and organizers for Morris Udall (Arizona Democrat running for President) have already expressed hope that the Caucus will be active in the coming year. New faces and ideas are needed. For further information contact Geoff Law in Libbey Forum or Steve Stycos, Box 687, room 4 Leadbetter House.

Thanks Fans

To the Student:

The Bates College Cross Country team would like to express their deepest appreciation to those who attended the meet a week ago Saturday. Your support makes the running much easier and adds to the team's spirit. It is a great feeling to know that our efforts are recognized and applauded by the studentry. Again, thank you very much.

The Pack

Oft times at night I light my pipe,
 And watch the glowing grates;
 The shadows fall while I recall
 Each dream of dear old Bates —



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Your Library

by June Peterson

The vast potential of the Bates College Library cannot be overpublicized. Many of the services offered are listed in *Genesis* (a guide to the facilities, issued earlier to all students). One not mentioned, however, is a micro-reader-printer which is presently being operated three days a week. The library staff is hoping that the demand for this service will grow, and intend to proportionately increase the hours of its accessibility. The micro-reader-printer makes copies of newspaper and journal articles that the library has on microfilm — *New York Times*, *Lewiston Evening Journal*, *Times Literary Supplement* or Ecological monographs. There is a fifteen cent per copy charge for this service. Having this equipment on campus can save many trips to the Lewiston Public Library.

The Bates Library has recently become a member of NELINET (New England Library Information Network), which is a computer-based system. This facilitates the rapid processing of books through the library.

The library staff reminds students of the existence of a display case where projects and/or events can be exhibited. They point out that the "in" places to be (in the library) are by the new book shelf, which contains many bestsellers, and in the audio department, which is acquiring some real topname material. The Silent Librarian notebook is available for those questions and comments that students don't feel they have the audacity to express verbally to a library staff member.

Repeatedly emphasized by the library staff is its desire to serve students and its openness to suggestions. The staff is hoping that more students will become aware of just what the library has to offer and will begin to use it.

CA Reports

On October 11th, Bates is hosting a New England conference for disturbed children. To encourage more parents to attend, the Community Services Commission of the Campus Association is providing a babysitting service for parents who must bring their children. Some of these children will be autistic and schizophrenic, requiring constant one-to-one care, the rest will need one babysitter for every two or three children. If you are interested in volunteering for a two hour shift (the conference runs from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.), please contact one of the following people by Friday, Oct. 3rd: Sally Barbee, J.B. 5; Don Burch, Page 320; Larry Block, Hedge 312; Dave Enright, Adams 201; Steve Coursey, Adams 201 or Jody Cranmore, R. W. 109. To enable us to run two hour shifts about fifty volunteers are needed, so please get in touch!

Short Frosh Orientation Flawed

by Barbara Braman

This year freshman orientation ran two full days and then carried many of its activities on into the first week of classes. In the past it has always lasted four days (Saturday, Sunday, Monday, and Tuesday), before classes began again on Wednesday. This shortened period was not entirely the result of complaints heard in previous years, the consensus then being that orientation was too long. In fact, next year we will be back on the more traditional four day period.

The length of orientation depends upon the Calendar, Dean Isaacson explained. It is a matter of fitting it in after Labor Day weekend so that we start neither too early nor too late and so that it doesn't alter the length of the semester nor interfere with either Thanksgiving or Christmas vacation. Also it must begin on a Saturday, which

makes it easier for the freshmen's parents to drive them up here. The Freshman Orientation Committee, which is headed by Dean Carignan, chooses the dates, but these have to be cleared by the Curriculum-Calendar Committee which checks to see if there is any interference. This year they were confronted by several problems of interference and the decision was made to try a shorter period of time. Only two major changes were made in the scheduling. First, the department meetings were held during the first week of classes, at four o'clock in the afternoon. Secondly, there was an "Activity Fair" to replace the lectures given by the heads of the various organizations on campus.

After questioning several freshmen it was evident that the general consensus was that orientation was too short and too rushed. They spoke somewhat wistfully of "a day to settle in", free days, and opportunities to meet more freshmen on a more social level. Suggestions for improvement ranged from an Orientation Dance for freshmen only, to a field day with some planned activities, something which has been a part of orientation in the past, but was not a part of this year's proceedings. Generally, it was felt that the event should be longer and more social.

The Departmental meetings were felt to be quite worthwhile. "I got to know



photo by Steven Wice

the teachers' faces", one frosh reports. But the scheduling was less than perfect: "It kept you awful busy in a week when you were busy enough anyhow." It was felt that scheduling department meetings after classes during the first week made them more difficult to attend. There were some suggestions for less formal meetings with the professors — departmental Coffeeshouses, perhaps.

The Activity Fair came into being because there was literally no place to hold the sort of lecture program that there has been in the past. The freshman class has grown too big for Chase Lounge. Dean Isaacson wished to retain a certain measure of informality and so

the idea of having an Activity Fair was born.

It was not overly successful. Most of the freshmen we spoke with didn't really know what was going on, or what they were signing up for, or even that such an Activity Fair had existed. Perhaps greater publicity would help or maybe it would be better if it were an integral part of orientation, like the old lecture program.

But all is well that ends well, and it seems that for all its flaws freshman orientation succeeded in making people feel "much better." "Basically," one girl said, "I really enjoyed freshman orientation."



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FEMINISM AT BATES?

"We need a drastic reshaping of the cultural image of femininity that will permit women to reach maturity, identity, completeness of self, without conflict with sexual fulfillment. A massive attempt must be made by educators and parents — and ministers, magazine editors, manipulators, guidance counselors — to stop the early-marriage movement, stop girls from growing up wanting to be "just a housewife", stop it by insisting, with the same attention from childhood on that parents and educators give to boys, that girls develop the resources of self, goals that will permit them to find their own identity The key to the trap is, of course, education. The feminine mystique has made higher education for women seem suspect, unnecessary and even dangerous. But I think that education, and only education, has saved, and can continue to save, American women from the greater dangers of the feminine mystique."

Betty Friedan

An Overview

by patricia weil

feminism at bates seems as unlikely as caviar in commons — i.e., a decidedly improbable happening with a hint of possibility. after all, not many years ago there was an active women's awareness group on campus which sponsored fairly well-attended films and lectures. why this enlightened group has disappeared (graduated? lost interest?) is a mystery to me, as it seems that now, more than ever, women must claim their equal share of the pie, whatever pie it may be. only after the realization that we are *not yet* getting that share because of the inherent sexism that is still present in our predominantly male-oriented society (please address all mail to box 767), will women demand to be considered for their own merits and intelligence, and not for their child-rearing and home-making capabilities.

we all know about the head of last year's women's awareness group who left bates and got married. we know too about that much-heralded annual occasion, *sadie night*, when women are given the chance to ask the men out, instead always the reverse. it seems to me that bates is full of contradictions and paradoxes when it comes to relationships between the sexes, and i think this partially stems from fear, anxiety and previous "conditioning".

from what i've heard, some women at bates become scared, or "ring-hungry" as the term goes, if they are not engaged or somehow tied to a man by the time they are seniors. why is this? did they come to bates to find a husband, or to get an education? it seems to me that this is just another example of the long way women still have to go to become

emancipated from the ideas which have been thrust upon them for centuries. sure, we *should* get an education, we are now told, but remember, your prime function in life is to be a good wife and mother. the saddest part of it is that so many women still believe this doctrine, unaware of their potential and of their fulfillment which could be had. i would like to ask all the women and men at bates to seriously consider their attitudes towards the opposite sex. are you, women on campus, depressed and upset when you're not going out with a guy on a saturday night? do you feel secure only when you have a steady relationship with a male? do you, men, feel awkward when asked to dance by a woman, or when a girlfriend consistently gets higher grades than you?

it's been said that bates is an ivory-tower college, that it's not indicative of reality. well, i propose that we do defy that reality out there, and question whether we are really a college of non-sexist, non-male-oriented individuals. i don't believe we are, *yet*, but as i said before, there *is* that possibility. it is up to every one of us to make that step in the right direction, to question our ideals, the reasons why we are here, and what we are going to make of ourselves. i have a feeling that the greatest percentage of us, both men and women, are here for the same reasons — and i hope that, regardless of sex, we can get it equally and in an environment conducive to the education and fulfillment of *both* sexes. who knows, maybe some day we'll walk into commons and find caviar on the salad bar

Where We Stand

by Carol Mamber

Archaic regulations, such as the ones listed above, are not so far in the past as you would like to think. It was only ten years ago that the eating facilities were segregated, and only last year that the men's and women's Proctor's Councils were separate.

Now there is no aspect of college life that is legally closed to either men or women. Some of the apparent differences are a matter of money and facilities rather than discrimination. It is obvious that girls sports receive short shrift, but the problem will be alleviated with the construction of the new athletic complex. (It is in the planning stages.)

People are under the impression that all men or all women houses represent the "old-world" attitudes of the administration, but how many students would be willing to make Pierce or Whittier co-ed? Any new houses will probably be mixed.

The college is especially pleased that society's attitudes have changed in regards to a woman's place in the work force. Before, the career counselors could not realistically advise a woman to apply to the same schools as a man, or to tell her that the same job opportunities were available. Now, the career counseling office can treat women on an equal basis with men, and they are only too happy to do so.

At Bates, equality may be a legal entity, but much remains to be said about the social situation. When a man is charged \$2.00 at a keg party, and a woman only \$1.00, or not at all, then you know that people's attitudes are not as the law claims. This is the situation that Women's Awareness will deal with. We want to explore woman's expanding role in the world, people's attitudes about these changes, and what lies ahead.

Women at an Earlier (Sexist?) Bates

by Gretta Hogan

Would you have caught Betty Bates smoking, wearing patent leather shoes, jumping over puddles, sitting on men's laps without newspapers, or attending a public dance off campus? Not if she had existed in the early part of Bates' history.

Perhaps it would be a good idea to explain to all of the illinformed just exactly who Betty Bates was and where she came from. Back in the late 1950's, a health week was conducted every year to remind the coeds that good health was an important psychological as well as physical factor in getting the most out of school. During this week, fresh fruit was sold in the dormitories and colorful posters telling the benefits of good health saturated every blank wall on the Bates campus. The climax of this week occurred after the annual freshman fashion show. Following that came the selection of Betty Bates herself. Betty Bates must be a junior, have a pleasing personality, good health, participate in the Women's Athletic Association, demonstrate ". . . poise, carriage, and grooming" and be voted in by the students and a panel of judges.

Still, the question is not answered as to why Betty Bates wouldn't be caught doing the aforementioned atrocities. The answer is simple: they all were against the regulations. In the very beginning of Bates' history certain guidelines were set up for proper women's conduct. No lady would dream of either wearing patent leather shoes or walking over a puddle for the blatant reason that a gentleman might be watching who could see the reflection of her undergarments in the shoes or the puddle.

One of the essentials for a woman to carry in her pocketbook in the late 1800's would be some newspapers. No woman was allowed to sit on a gentleman's lap without some newspaper or magazine to place between her skirt and his lap.

In the 1930's, the constitution was changed and allowed women many new freedoms. Of course, there were still many restrictions. Women were still absolutely forbidden to smoke. Permission for attendance at public

dances was unheard of, although special permission could be obtained for attending private off-campus dances. Swimming, canoeing, leaving dormitories after ten o'clock, and entertaining later than regular calling hours (which were from 10 to 12 AM, 1 to 5:30 PM, and 7:30 to 10 PM Monday thru Friday) also required special permission.

Women were obviously very restricted during the early '30's, but you may ask, what about the men? The men (except for Freshman men), according to the 1931-1932 constitution, had no guidelines at all. Freshman men had a few restrictions, but then again, Freshman women had a few restrictions besides the ones imposed on all women.

Of course the '30's were a long time ago. Things were different then. The constitution must have changed with the times, right? On the contrary, the constitution remained exactly the same up until the late '50's, along about the same time that Betty Bates began to show her face.

From the late 1950's up until 1969 the changes continued, slowly but surely. Women were now allowed longer calling hours. Smoking on campus was allowed, although restricted to designated smoking areas. Women were allowed to stay out until 12 PM instead of 10 PM on weekend nights. Men still had no restrictions whatsoever.

In 1970 a drastic change was undertaken and many of the discrepancies between the rules for men and women were abolished. No longer was there a separate men's council and women's council. Smoking was permitted in everyone's room. Calling hours depended on the individual dorm. There were still some unfair rules, such as allowing men to be proctors for two years and women for only one and the allowance of squatter's rights for men and not for women. Equality is an evolving process, and during the last one hundred and ten years Bates has changed favorably in its search for equality between the sexes, but to make the change complete, Bates must continue to evolve and change.

There will be an organizational and informational meeting of the newly established and revitalized Women's Awareness group on Thursday (tonight!) at 8:00 p.m. in Hirasawa Lounge in Chase. Come with ideas, enthusiasm or just plain curiosity. We need your support and interest to become a really active campus organization. This year we hope to sponsor films, lectures, discussions and whatever else YOU can think of! For further information, please contact Gretta Hogan, Box 467.

Reynold's Announces 1975 Bequest Figures

President Thomas Hedley Reynolds has announced that in the recently completed fiscal year Bates College was the recipient of \$1,763,175 in gifts, grants and bequests. This represents an increase of \$325,000 over the 1974 totals, and is the highest figure ever reached in the history of the College.

Bates College operates with a balanced current budget, President Reynolds stressed, and has done so in all but two of its 111 years. The College uses current revenues to support current operations, but as an independent, non-denominational institution, Bates looks to alumni, friends, corporations and foundations for long term institutional support — the renewal and expansion of the physical plant and capital assets.

This year, alumni support of the College totalled \$925,428, of which \$205,000 represented the unrestricted contributions to the Annual Giving Campaign. In all, some 40% of the 9,700 Bates alumni participated in the Annual Giving Campaign.

A majority of the total giving took the form of bequests, foundation grants, and individual gifts. Bequests and individual gifts totalled \$1,143,462, among them the receipt of \$452,000 from the combined estates of Harland, Sarah, and Catherine Little and \$191,000 under the terms of the will of Ruth E. Smith, an alumna of the class of 1913.

Other significant supporters of the College in the past year were The Andrew W. Mellon Foundation of New York, which granted \$190,000 for faculty and curriculum development, the Braitmayer Foundation of Massachusetts which made a grant in support of new programs in the Office of Career Counseling, and the General Mills Foundation of Minnesota, which supported equipment for the first visual/interactive computing classroom in the State of Maine.

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cloakroom stealing reported to him has been nearly the same every year. He feels that in institutions such as Bates where there are a large number of students congregated together "you get a certain number of people who think it's cheaper to lift a book than buy it."

In his opinion, a guard at the cloakroom on duty at all hours would be too expensive, and that basically if the problem is to be solved, "it has to be done by the students themselves."

It is clear that the robberies may never end, but they can be greatly diminished if the student body would co-operate towards its own welfare. A Batesie who leaves the door to his room unlocked and is then robbed need not complain, for he was enflaming the passions of a consciousness mind. A student who knows of a thief and does not get help (which many victimized students would call a fast and hearty knuckle sandwich) for him, is doing the entire college a great disservice. Thus it is urged:

1. Watch out for your own and your friends' belongings.
2. Don't be lazy — leave all valuables with the Concierge, CSA, or in a locker.
3. Immediately take all mistakenly picked up jackets, etc. to the Concierge.
4. Immediately report all stolen items to the Security office.
5. Mark your name inside books, jackets, etc. If you are unable to mark an item, DO NOT leave it in the cloakroom.

6. Immediately report any suspicious persons to the security office. (No, this isn't the FBI.)

7. If you know any thief, either report him to security or see that he talks to the chaplain or psychiatrist.

Remember — the book you lose may be your own. At least I hope it is.

JUNIOR YEAR ABROAD

There will be a meeting of all SOPHOMORES interested in the possibilities of JYA for 1976-77 in the Skelton Lounge, Chase Hall, on Thursday, October 9, at 7:30 p.m. All sophomores interested in JYA are expected to be at this meeting.

\$33,500,000

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Lose Again

Cats Break Continental Streak

The Bates Football team traveled this past Saturday to Clinton, N.Y. to take on Hamilton College. Hamilton had lost 22 consecutive games and the experts figured they were about due. They were.

The story of the game, as last week, was Bates' inability to establish a ground game. On a very sloppy field, the Continentals out rushed the Cats 139 yards to 40. Hamilton freshman Bill Romaine accounted for over 100 yards of their total.

The first quarter was marked by a lack of offense by both teams. The Bates defensive secondary, which looked good during the game (except for two lapses) intercepted the ball twice in the first period. Tom Wells picked off a deflected Ken LaFountain toss to stop a Continental drive on the 21, and Peter Boucher intercepted his second pass in as many games.

Hamilton scored first, with 11:09 left in the second period. Quarterback LaFountain engineered a drive that started on the Hamilton 23, and ended when Romaine threw a halfback option pass to a wide open Dave Pisanelli. Bill Finan added the kick, and the score stood Hamilton 7, Bates 0.

The Bobcats got their only score of the game in the middle of the second quarter after Bates got the ball on the Hamilton 30 as the result of a bad punt. A 14 yard pass from freshman quarterback Chuck Laurie to senior Co-captain Mark Shapiro and a personal foul penalty gave Bates a 1st and goal on the Hamilton 10 yard line. After a 3 yard

run and a pass incompleteness, Laurie hit Bill Jeter in the endzone for a touchdown. A fake-kick attempt which ended in a Shapiro to Gary Page pass gave Bates the lead 8-7. That score stood at halftime.

Hamilton had a good scoring opportunity at the beginning of the fourth quarter, but an interception by Mike Lynch stopped the Continentals on Bates' 13 yard line. The Bobcats, however, were forced to give the ball up four plays later. After a 42 yard Sparky Godiksen punt, Hamilton took over the ball on the 50 yard line. Four plays the Continentals had a first down on the Bates 20. Then, on second and 6, a pass interference penalty gave the ball to Hamilton on the Bates 1 yard line. One play later, Pete Scavangelli plunged through the middle for the touchdown. A Hamilton 2 point conversion sealed the victory, Hamilton 15, Bates 8.

Although the game cannot be considered one of the high points of the season, several Bates players do deserve mention for their fine efforts. Chuck Laurie had a good game at quarterback for the Cats in his first start. He passed for 122 yards and a touchdown. Mark Shapiro and Jim Geitz also had good games for the offense. Mike Lynch, Tom Wells and Peter Boucher each intercepted a pass, and linebacker Kevin Murphy also had a fine game.

Next Saturday, Bates will take on Trinity in its first home game of the season. Trinity will field a fine team, but the Bobcats will be looking for an upset before the home fans.



Spikers Set for Opener

by Sue Peillet

Do you want to see some *action*?! Some real action?! Friday at 4:15, a team of athletes will give all you Batesies the chance to show your school spirit. What, a cross-country meet... a Football game on a Friday? Uh, uh. The girls are in the limelight this time and are taking to the courts with them a highly conditioned power-game plan of bumps, digs, spikes, and sets. Power Volleyball starts this weekend for the Bates Varsity team and its weeks of intensive training assures Coach Gloria Crosby of an even higher goal than the solid record of last years champs (3rd place in the state tournament) New to the Bates College Athletic Department, Coach Crosby managed to shock even a few of the veteran players as well as influence some other Womens' teams on the importance of conditioning (rumor has it there were a few jump ropes out on the tennis courts). Proficiency in all positions is fundamental in the specialized game of Power Volleyball. It was within this framework that Coach Crosby initiated her 2-hour non-stop sessions. The best spiker on the team has to be able to set-off a drilled spike from the opposite team — and when you're playing schools like Presque Isle, and U.N.H. and Orono where the girls on the team are Phys. Ed. majors, the 5-5" Bates Bio. major has to know how to retaliate. We did it last year despite a tough competitive schedule, losing to only 2 teams in the entire league Tournament. Through the '75 season, Bates will be up against Machias, Farmington, Augusta, Portland-Gorham, Univ. of New Hampshire, Orono and Presque Isle. Fridays' game (4:15!!) will be a 5 game tournee with Farmington, Machias, Presque Isle, Orono, and U.N.H. Co-capt.'s of the team, Allyson Tricco ('76) and Candace Stark ('76) have worked through the 2 hour sessions assisting Coach Crosby with various series drills. The 1975 Varsity Volleyball Team is comprised of seniors Pat Bremner, Pam Nelson, Candy Stark (capt.), Allyson Tricco* (capt.); Juniors Jackie Harris, Pat Madore; Sophomores Susan Bauldaulf, Val Paul, Sue Peillet and Freshmen Karen Davis, Cindy Loftus, Lori Smith, and Alice Winn. Debbie Atkins ('79) will be traveling with the team as manager.

The whole fall season will be played away from home . . . in enemy territory!!! Friday is the one and only chance you'll get to see the Varsity

players in action. Tomorrow the Alumni Gym will host the only home invitational. Take a study break (ha!) and come on over to witness a real team in action!

Intramurals

In the men's double elimination softball tournament only four of the original twelve teams remained in action at the end of last week's play. Two of the teams are unbeaten and are paired in a Tuesday afternoon contest. They are Pierce House, the defending champ, and Howard-Herrick Houses. A combined team from Roger Bill and Smith South outscored Chase House 16-14 Thursday to stay in the action while Hedge Hall was downing J.B.I. by the count of 15-10. These last two winners also played Tuesday for the right to meet the loser of the unbeaten teams. (See accompanying diagram.) The championship game (or series) will take place on Tuesday and Thursday (if necessary) at 4:15 on Rand Field.

In the opening games of the new women's soccer league, Cheney House defeated Rand 1-0 on a goal by Jody McDevitt on assist from fellow proctor Sarah Emerson. By the identical score, Page blanked J.B. on Martha Rice's lone tally.

Other intramural action just getting started includes men's six and eleven-man soccer and men's touch football. Soon to be held will be the Fall Intramural Cross Country Race. If interested, please watch for notices.

Many people are probably in the dark about how the intramural programs are run at Bates. Both the women and the men have intramural councils which are responsible for all intramurals and which are under the direction and assistance of Bates Intramural Director Russ Reilly. The president of the Men's Council is Bob Cedrone and the dorms are represented by Les Crane (Chase), Fred Clark (Hedge), Rich Goldman (Herrick), John Ciullo (Howard), Dave Plavin (JB), Mark Gorham (Milliken), Ken Bero (Page), Jim Lawenda (Pierce), Glenn Bacheller (Rand), Doug Caracappa (Small), Steve Powers (Sm. North), Tom Goodwin (Middle), Pat Durning (South), Bill Sweat (Turner), Wayne Rasmussen (Adams), and Tom Wellman (Wood). The Women's Council is presided by Claudia Turner and Joyce Hollyday and its members will be printed next week.



Laurie chucks one under heavy pressure.

Photo by Joe Gromelski

Harriers Outdual Bowdoin

Last Wednesday, the Bates cross country team, coming off of its first loss in two years, took on the always dangerous Bowdoin Polar Bears. Bowdoin, who had done some good recruiting, was saying they had their best team since the 1972 State Champs. Bates, however, was in complete command from the gun.

Bruce Merrill and Bowdoin's Jeff Sanborn battled for the lead during much of the race on Bowdoin's muddy 5.1 mile course. In the last mile, Merrill, Rick DeBruin and Paul Oparowski pulled away from Sanborn, and to the shock of Polar Bear Coach Frank Sabasteanski finished 1-2-3. Merrill, not meaning to add insult to injury, broke Sanborn's course record by .7 seconds.

Bowdoin freshman Roland L'Heureux, last years Maine High School mile champ, finished 5th, with Tom Leonard 6th. Jon Harris, a consistant and much improved sophomore was the Bates fifth man, finishing 9th, a place ahead of Jim Anderson. Doug Spring, 11th; Rick Johnson, 12th; and Bob Chasen, 14th, finished out the Bates pack. The final score of the meet was Bates 21, Bowdoin 36.

The meet was significant to the Bobcats in several ways. First of all, it was a fine team effort, with the lowest 5 man time spread of the season. This means that the important 4th-7th men on the team are finally shaking some of the nagging injuries which have kept

them from training properly and has caused Bates some middle level depth problems. Secondly, the race marked the return to form of Rick DeBruin, who will be an important man in the big meets to come this week and next.

Bates also swept the Sub-Varsity meet held immediately after the Varsity contest. Because of the NCAA ruling which limits the Varsity Cross Country traveling squad to only nine, Bates had some good talent in the race. Freshman Kim Wettlaufer won easily in a finetime, with Paul Grabbe and Chris Callahan finishing 2nd and 3rd.

Yesterday, too late to make this week's issue, the team traveled to Orono to take on Maine. Maine does not appear to be too strong this year, as Bowdoin took the first four places against them in a meet a few weeks ago. However, as most track fans know, Maine is led by Jerry LaFlamme, the reigning State X-C champ, who has never been beaten by a Bates man. You can be sure that Merrill, Oparowski, DeBruin and Co. will be gunning for him.

Saturday, the team travels to Holy Cross for what surely must be one of the toughest regular season athletic events in Bates history. The Bobcats will take on host Holy Cross (7th in New England) as well as Springfield (8th in New England), Brandeis (2nd in NCAA Div. III, 6th in New England) and Boston College. Needless to say, a win in this meet would make the whole season for the team.



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AT HOME THIS WEEK

- FOOTBALL: Saturday vs. Trinity, 1:30
- FOOTBALL, J.V.: Monday vs. Berwick Academy, 3:00
- SOCCER: Monday vs. U.M.P.G., 2:30
- CROSS COUNTRY: Tuesday vs. U.M.P.G., 3:30
- FIELD HOCKEY: Friday vs. Brown, 3:00
- TENNIS: Friday vs. Brown, 3:00
- VOLLEYBALL: Friday, 4:30

LAST WEEK'S RESULTS

- FOOTBALL: Hamilton 15, Bates 8
- FIELD HOCKEY: Bates 3, Colby 0
- CROSS COUNTRY: Bates 21, Bowdoin 36
- TENNIS: Colby 4, Bates 1

Stickers Gain

Second Shutout

by Marty Pease

The varsity field hockey team, after its victory over Colby last Thursday, has a 2 and 0 record. Their game against Salem last Tuesday was rained out.

The Bobcats dominated the game against Colby. Colby played a physical game, which combined with a wet, slippery field, made it a rough game. Outplaying their opponents and attacking a great percentage of the game, the Bobcats were unable to score more than three goals. One goal was scored on a corner shot, where Betsy Williams hand-stopped the ball and Priscilla Wilde flicked it in. Mary Ellen Kelley also was successful against the Colby goalie. In the second half, Priscilla Wilde rushed the goalie and drove the ball in for her second goal of the game. The final score of the game was Bates 3, Colby 0.

The team plays Monday against UMaine, Farmington, away and Friday takes on the Brown team at home.

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on the agenda for a voted decision at the November meeting.

Dean Carignan said of the new measures, "... it's a good step." The specifics of the new regulations will probably follow along the lines of the Residential Life Committee's recommendations. Alcohol will still, according to the Dean, be kept from class buildings and athletic events. So, pending the Faculty's November decision and the policy of the office of the Dean of Students, a welcomed change in the alcohol restrictions on Campus will take place. Cheers!

ATHLETE OF THE WEEK

This week's Athlete of the Week is freshman quarterback Chuck Laurie. Laurie, who got the starting nod after an injury to Hugo Colasante, completed 12 of 27 passes for 122 yards in the Bates loss to Hamilton. This, coupled with his brief St. Lawrence performance, gives him 15 completions out of 33 attempts for 155 yards on the season. Laurie is from Watertown, Mass.



Homeless Brother
Don McLean
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When you hear or see the name Don McLean, what's the first thing that springs to mind? Exactly! It's the platitude established by that song McLean has been bucking these three long years. *American Pie* was a novelty song of sorts, and reaction to the number was as much a surprise to McLean and United Artists as it was to countless program directors trying to figure out if the name was pronounced McLEEN or McLAINE. *American Pie* got McLean onto the charts and into the money. It also had enough impact to carry *Vincent* up the charts as a follow-up song. Ultimately, the deafening roar of *American Pie* from every pocket transistor coast to coast overshadowed McLean's poetic talent and folksy approach. *American Pie* was a one-of-a-kind song... neither before nor since has McLean done anything like it, while songs such as *Winterwood* and *Crossroads* from that same album were passed by.

Two subsequent albums, one simply entitled *Don McLean*, the other *Playin' Favorites* were collections of self-indulgent sludge. Don McLean poised countless stabs at Loudon Wainwright's satirical bite... with dentures. *Playin' Favorites* gave us an assemblage of all those songs we really didn't want to hear... again. After a bit of self-sorting, McLean nabbed producer Joel Dorn (Roberta Flack, Bette Midler), told him what he wanted to do, then proceeded to do it. It's called, *Homeless Brother*.

As the title implies, this album deals thematically with rootlessness and transience, not totally unlike McLean's state of mind through the slump. *Winter Has Me In Its Grip* opens the album, using that well-worn poetic simile - seasons equated to stages of life or mental attitudes. It works well. In similar fashion, *Homeless Brother*, *The Legend of Andrew McCrew*, *Wonderful Baby*, and *Great Big Man* share McLean's fatalistic outlook on belonging, defending, and making do. Optimism begins to surface on *You Have Lived*, and *Tangled (Like A Spider In Her Hair)*. Closing with *Did You Know*, *Homeless Brother* brings the listener, as well as McLean, full circle. From lost love and direction, McLean's home-bred interpretations of desperation, to sharing, self-direction and conviction, McLean has moved from cynicism to tolerance and understanding of those around him. The transition from *You Have Lived* to *Did You Know* is a 180 degree about-face.

Homeless Brother is the best thing Don McLean has ever done. But even Don McLean's best isn't without its low moments. Three songs appear on this album that simply don't belong. *La La Love You* has been groomed specifically as a single, and should have been released that way. *Sunshine Life for Me (Sail Away Raymond)* is the George Harrison song written for Ringo's album of last year... and rates nothing more than the flip side of *La La Love You*. Artie Glenn's *Crying In The Chapel* is contrived and trite in the contest of *Homeless Brother* despite its worthy addition to the continuity of the album. These three tracks do nothing to enhance the real meat of McLean's latest effort.

Despite the flaws of ill-placed material, *Homeless Brother* is one of the most totally enjoyable recordings I've heard in a long time... certainly from Don McLean. This album should put *American Pie* in proper perspective... allowing McLean to get on to both bigger and better things.

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A Column of Consumer Protection News for Students

by Neil Klotz

The Fall Apartment Ritual: Signing a Lease That Lets You Sleep

It's a slow, hot trudge up a long flight of stairs at the end of the first of what could be many days of apartment-hunting. At least the sign downstairs didn't say "No animals or students." Head, feet and hand pounding in unison, you knock on what you've promised yourself will be the last manager's door of the day.

Then, suddenly, there it is: the ideal apartment, a veritable \$100-a-month nirvana to your weary eyes. Out comes the lease, on goes the signature. The landlord-tenant sterility dance is finished before you even notice what legal and financial potency you've lost for the next 12 months. But after all, what are a few rights in return for no roaches? Perhaps only a little peace of mind or no heat until December or a couple hundred dollars or a surprise eviction.

If you've survived or avoided the black plague of mandatory dorms, get ready for the trial by tenancy. With the possible exception of students purchasing an education, no class of consumers are more oppressed than tenants. In 25 states tenants must still pay rent even if their landlord doesn't provide them with a livable apartment. In 30 states a tenant can be evicted in retaliation for reporting a housing code violation.

For info about the specific dearth of rights in your state, see your local tenant's union (or start one: write the National Tenant's Organization, 1346 Connecticut Ave., Room 202, Washington, DC 20036). In the meantime, here are a few basics for your next lease-signing ritual.

1. The ball and chain lease. Contrary to popular belief, you *do* have the right to enjoy your apartment. Even with the current housing shortage in some college communities, you're signing a rental agreement, not a release for involuntary confinement. Nevertheless, you'll probably find clauses which prohibit parties, stereos, guests, pets, air conditioners, repainting, remodeling

and other things people usually associate with a home. At some point the protection of your landlord's property nudges your right to privacy out of the picture.

Aside from signing away your lifestyle, you may also be asked to unwittingly give up other legal rights. Buried in the fine-print legal jargon may be clauses which give your landlord the right to enter your apartment at any time, to lock you out, or to seize your belongings and throw you out for late payment of rent. Under many brave new leases you also agree to pay your landlord's attorney's fees if he sues you or allow him to appoint an attorney on your behalf to plead guilty.

Here's some Orwellian gobbledygook I signed a few years ago, again from a standard lease: "This lease and the obligation of the Tenant to pay rent hereunder . . . shall in no wise be affected, impaired or excused because the Landlord is unable to supply or is delayed in supplying any service expressly or impliedly to be supplied or is unable or is delayed in making any repairs, additions, alterations or decorations. . . ." Translation: you must pay rent even if the landlord doesn't provide heat, electricity, repairs or any other service he promised — quite a switch from the universal consumer axiom that you don't pay for what you don't receive.

2. The insecurity deposit. To prevent your security deposit from becoming your landlord's permanent bank deposit, try to include in your lease a clause stipulating when your money should be returned and requiring an itemized accounting of all deductions made.

So you only pay for your own holes in the wall after finals, make sure you and your landlord inspect the place before you move in and make a written inventory of all damage. If he refuses to take the tour, take along a disinterested witness, have your inventory notarized and give the landlord a copy. Although legally shaky, such tactics have a "don't

tread on me" effect which can prove valuable.

For more clout try using the model inventory checklist and security deposit contract available free from the Sacramento County Consumer Protection Bureau, 816 H. St., Sacramento, CA 95841. The model agreement resulted from a survey of landlords in the Sacramento area which found that of an estimated \$1.7 million in security deposits, over half the money was being withheld illegally. Confirming what many students know from experience, the bureau concluded that security deposits had become "an incredible ripoff."

3. The lease of least resistance. Although negotiating may be traumatic, you should try to change your lease before you sign it rather than rely on long and expensive legal action to vindicate you. In many places, local law hasn't yet caught up with basic human rights or the Constitution. Remember that any lease changes your landlord agrees to, as well as remodeling or repairs he's promised to make, should be written into the contract and initialed by both of you.

One factor in your favor: most landlords don't write their own lease, they just use whatever the local legal form supplier happens to carry. To take a dim view, this means they may know they're gypping you, but not exactly how. With some knowledge of your housing law, you (or better yet a group of tenants) can win back a few rights and survive until feudalism is officially declared dead.

One last tactic or symbolic protest, depending on your negotiating strength, is to present your landlord with your own lease. Try to let him sort through the winding language and fly-speck print. A good pro-tenant model lease is available free from the National Housing and Economic Development Law Project, 2313 Warring St., Berkeley, CA 94704.

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Med and Law Placement

by Dan Lacasse

Unless you are either a junior, senior, or an especially alert sophomore you probably don't know what the Office of Career Counseling in Alumni House can do for you. The Office assists students in finding placement in jobs or graduate schools. Of special interest to *The Student* was the medical and law school placement assistance.

Working closely with the Medical and Legal Studies Committees, the OCC works to get the Bates graduate into medical or law school. Considering the tremendous competition for very few positions, this is no small task. Nonetheless, the record shows an impressive degree of success in the past and Mr. Stephen Johannson of the OCC is very optimistic for this year.

Mr. Johannson, who spoke with me, said that although these types of grad schools are very difficult to enter, a good headstart is very helpful. He emphasized that students should not wait till the last minute and expect to waltz into these schools.

It requires a systematic approach, which includes curriculum guidance, conversation about the "right" school for each student, and a host of other variables which decide whether or not you get past the grad school gates.

Both the Legal and Medical Studies Committees work with the candidate on an individual basis through his years at Bates, trying to develop that in a student which is attractive to law or med schools. This enables the student to develop his abilities and personality on his own, therefore developing the student to his/her fullest.

Each candidate is assigned an advisor from the med or law school committees. During the senior year, this advisor writes a Committee recommendation; which is the product of a discussion involving the entire committee.

Both committees encourage questions from students and try to aid them as much as possible (members are listed in the Bates Catalog.)

The OCC has the usual red tape forms to put your life story on, but from then on they work exclusively for you.

All students interested in these programs should contact the OCC as soon as possible.

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