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President of the College Thomas Hedley Reynolds speaks to State and Local officials on the social and cultural future of Lewiston. Reynolds was chairman of sub-group of the Commission on Maine's future. Lewiston Mayor Lillian L. Caron is on the left. [Photo by News Bureau.]

Pres. Plans Appearance

By BRAD FULLER

With the hope of fostering better communication between President T. Hedley Reynolds and the student body, an "Evening with the President" is being planned for sometime in early November.

Although the President prefers not to structure this event as a formal press conference, it will take on some characteristics of one. During this planned evening, students will have the opportunity to question President Reynolds on any topic.

Although the questioning will be channeled into certain areas such as residential life, The Student, etc., so the President can cover areas about which he would like to communicate information, there will be an open forum toward the end at which students can ask questions on any

area not covered.

The idea for an "Evening with the President" grew out of this year's Sugarloaf Conference and is being coordinated by the Campus Association under the direction of C. A. Press Secretary Bob Larson. This conference is not being planned by the Administration, but is student-initiated. If the idea is successful, perhaps a question and answer period may be conducted annually between the President and the students.

Cats Claw Victory, Fans See 42-19 Scor

By NILS BONDE-HENRIKSEN

Running back Marcus Bruce rushed for 120 yards and two touchdowns in the first half to lead the Bobcats to a 42 to 19 victory over Union College on Saturday.

A large homecoming crowd saw Bates roll up a 28 to 7 first half lead as the Bobcats scored four touchdowns in just over ten minutes. Bruce scored on runs of 8 and 67 yards as the awesome Bates offense rolled up 337 yards on the ground (tying a Bates record).

Halfback Nick Dell'Erario opened the scoring with a 10-yard run, and before Union could answer back Bates scored three more times; two of them the jaunts by Bruce and the third a

one-yard plunge by fullback Gary Pugatch. With six minutes left in the half Union quarterback Andy Terranova hit wide receiver John Kennedy on a 21-yard touchdown pass.

The second half was highlighted by a 53-yard scoring bomb from Bates quarterback Steve Olsen to split end Tom Burhoe. Burhoe finished the day with five receptions for 100 yards and one touchdown. Olsen ran for 69 yards and completed 8 of 11 passes for 143 yards while leading the Bobcat offense to its best offensive (total offense) showing ever -- 559 yards. The final Bates score came on a 20-yard pass from Chuck Laurie to freshman Tom Denegre.

The Bobcats put on an excellent show for the "back to

Bates weekend" crowd. Quarterbacks Steve Olsen, Hugo Colosante, and Chuck Laurie played well as did the offensive line which opened the holes for the backs. The defense set the tone for the game as they held the Dutchmen to just three first downs in the first half. Freshman Tom Whytock came up with the first Bates interception of the year and linebacker Steve Lancor just missed on another. Captain Kevin Murphy had his usual great game, seemingly being everywhere at the same time.

The Bobcats travel to Hartford this Saturday to take on Trinity College. Trinity gave Bowdoin a sound beating on Saturday and should be a formidable opponent for the Bobcats. Vith this first victory under their

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Dance Planned, First of Season

By OLIVER CRICHTON

For anyone interested in meeting new faces and kicking his heels without having the music forced over his head, folk dancing promises an attractive addition to the existing social life on campus.

With the help of the Chase Hall Committee a group of Bates Students is arranging to bring you weekly square, international, and traditional New England country dancing. It all begins this Sunday, October 3, 7:30 p.m. in Chase Lounge.

Starting you off on the right foot will be Eric Leber, presently director of the Bates Collegium Musicum and seen previously at Bates in his performances with the Red House Circus, a group specializing in Renaissance music. Eric is not only a musician but is also an accomplished caller, and with his group of musicians will be playing and calling traditional New England country dances.

Folk dancing is nothing new at Bates. Back in the 50s and 60s square dances were held regularly and attended by faculty and their husbands/wives. In recent years Dudley Laufman and the Canterbury Chorus have created a campus following for traditional New England dancing.

Such concerts, however have tended to be few and far between in recent years given the price of professional groups. (In fact, the recent release of yet another of Mr. Laufman's records has increased his fame and unfortunately his price.)

This year, folk dance enthusiasts can look forward to expanded opportunities. Every Sunday at 7:30 in the Chase Lounge a different type of folk music will be taught. All the dances will be free and open to the entire Bates Community and general public.

Furthermore, many of the 'teachers' will be local residents -- not to mention Bates students and professors. Potentially, Sunday evenings could serve to draw faculty and students together with local community residents.

Country dancing for the uninitiated, is a form of folk dance particular to Northern New England. Originally, it developed from English dance forms, in particular -- English country dances. Traditionally, English country dances are social dances performed in celebration of holidays. While they ultimately may be traced to the more elaborate and ritualistic English 'sword' and 'morris' dances associated with pagan religious rites, they developed into a distinct type of their own -- the simple expression in movement of a people to whom dance was a spontaneous and important part of the social life of every English village. Performed outdoors as well as in, this gave rise to the expression of 'dancing in the green,' the 'green' being the centrally located area in each village where the people gathered on holidays.



Senior Marcus Bruce gained 120 yards in Saturday's game against Union, leading the Bobcats to a 42-19 victory.

COMMENTARY NOTES

Experience is the name everyone gives to their mistakes.

Oscar Wilde

Guest Commentary:

Carter's Stand "More Sensitive

By JOEL FEINGOLD

People are very interesting, and when two of the most interesting people in the United States (only by virtue of their Presidential candidacy) are matched head to head in verbal confrontation it should be interesting. Right? Maybe sad is closer to the truth.

This campaign is almost a choice between two evils. The incumbent, President Ford, ran the worst primary campaign in the history of the two-party system. His record in office is dismal, particularly with regard to civil rights and environmental issues. And, in addition to breaking the moral precedent of amnesty for draft dodgers and deserters the legality of his decision is questionable.

Now, on the other hand we have a two-term Governor from Georgia, Mr. Carter. He is frank, almost blunt, quite inexperienced and is inclined to twist words about which confuses people. Mr. Carter has however, consistently supported Human Rights legislation and while Governor of Georgia, he saw that the laws were enforced.

The two candidates have very similar convictions. Both are capitalists, and are opposed to the socialization of our industries, and yet their ideas on taxation differ on one important point. President Ford would continue and enlarge his program of tax rebates resulting in lower taxes for families of \$8,000 plus yearly income. More than 50 percent of US. familes stand to gain personally from Ford's rebates. "Hey man! With the \$500 or \$750 we get in that extra rebate we could get a cheap car for me to use at Bates!"

Carter's stand is more sensitive to the needs of our country, and less responsive to the wants of the upper classes. He professes to be in favor of a more equitable system of taxation, graduated so that those people who have incomes above the national mean or median (a question that is not yet answered, but the figures are both in the \$10,000 range), will pay a higher proportion of the taxes. Those people whose family income is less than that amount will pay less tax. "Hey Dad! With the money we can save this year because of the lower tax I could buy a pair of warm boots!"

You want me to get to the

debate? Well, the debate was terrible! Both President Ford and Mr. Carter were equally evasive. Each made some telling remarks in the others argument yet the reporters were the stars. Gannon, Reynolds and Drew consistently exposed inaccuracies and faults in both candidates' policies and earlier campaign statements. Carter was nervous at the opening of the debate and his first two answers concerning the economy

were weak, yet Ford was just as weak responding to questions about the environment, energy, the pardon of Nixon and his hypocracy towards amnesty. The battle of unemployment was one of who could twist equally honest statistics the best.

When the sound system broke down and various people were interviewed, an interesting fact could be observed. Each person was asked which candi-

date they thought won. These responses are paraphrased. The Ford team members always answered, "Well, I think President Ford held a decisive edge. He controlled the debate and responded to the questions well." The Carter supporters responded, "The people were the winners. And Carter was very strong." The differences in the two groups' attitudes is great. The Ford camp is playing a game, and

the sole object is to win; they are unconscious to the needs of our country's suffering people. Carter's organization however, stresses the people. They are aware that poòr people live in our great country too, not only in cities but in rural areas. You and I stand to lose a few dollars from our tax returns, but I have a social consciousness. I'll vote Carter. Do you need that car as much as he or she needs those shoes?

The Issues Are Still Unclear

The first television debate between the Democratic Presidential candidate Jimmy Carter and the Republican candidate President Gerald Ford was not a great success in terms of clarifying the candidates' stands on issues.

The debate had been proposed by some as a definite deciding factor in determining how to vote in November. Some viewers turned off their television sets Thursday, Sept. 23 not knowing precisely how they would vote if the election were held the next day, let alone November.

However, is it accurate to state that the American public seeks specificity in discussing the implementation of the candiates' proposed programs? Most likely decisions will be made in terms of general concepts and political personality rather than on detailed analysis of the issues.

One sign of this is the fact that the most talked about traits of the campaign are still "Jimmy's smile" and "Gerry's little accidents."

One issue which does have a broad base of concern is the immensity of the federal bureaucracy. The same frustration which is experienced in trying to understand "how things get done in Washington" has extended into our grasping the meat of other issues. We are frustrated by the detail which is involved.

Somehow candidates for public office are expected to be able to give profound answers to specific issues, stating them in language that is easily grasped. One need not be an expert in Political Science to know that such a demand is nearly impossible to meet.

Many Americans give up participating at this point, saying that the issues are not understandable; because, after all, "politicians will be politicians;" besides, "my vote won't matter anyway."

Specificity in answering questions is a good goal keep in mind, yet it is not something which can be achieved in a mere one and one-half hour television debate. It is someting which must be developed throughout the primary campaigns as well.

Yet this should not be the time for giving up, but rather a time for becoming involved. One must become active in probing the issues in order to implement any effective change.

One example of the power of involvement is the success students have had throughout the nation in having their concerns heard. One such concern was the need for more student input into the governing of Bates College. Another example would be the relative success of the Ecology movement of the late 1960s and the early 1970s.

The most important long term concern raised by the first debate between Ford and Carter is the need for a better informed, better educated, less passive American public.

A personal and active participation in the political system is a necessity to the understanding of issues; and analysis of our own opinions is necessary to formulate intelligent solutions. This requires involvement not passivity. (J.H.H.)

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Ford "Guardian of the Taxpayer"

By NANCY HOLMES

The Boston Sunday Globe expressed the general opinion of most Democratic and Republican voters that last Thursday's Presidential debate between Jerry Ford and Jimmy Carter was "dismally dull," adding no new ideas or rhetoric. Both candidates tossed statistics and political cliches about the podium in an effort to manipulate the nation's economical situation to favor their

own candidacy. Mr. Carter viewed with alarm while Mr. Ford pointed with pride. Unfortunately the twenty-eight and a half minute break at the end caused many voters to tune out the concluding remarks of the debate.

Yet, several constructive points can be made about last week's debate. The discrepency of statistics offerred by the candidates served to illuminate the distinct differences in both men's domestic policies. Concerning taxes and balancing the budget, Mr. Ford advocated holding back federal spending and programs. Mr. Carter proposed a shift in the tax burden towards the middle and upper classes, corporate taxation and a decrease of business exemptions. Jobs should be encouraged through the private sector on a long term basis according to Ford. Carter favored providing public jobs with government incentives. Mr. Carter linked weak Republican executive leadership with our "runaway federal bureaucracy."

Ford sighting his record of cutting back the White House staff from 540 to 485, pointed out the finger at an irresponsible Democratic Congress. Carter approached economics with a typically Democratic viewpoint that unemployment causes

inflation. Conversely, Ford too the Republican position that inflation causes unemployment.

It became clear that each man represents his own party's platform. Ford came through as the guardian of the taxpayer with the best Presidential demeanor he has ever portrayed. Declaring the U.S. as a "welfare for the rich" society, Carter convincingly

characterized himself as the crusader of the low-income level voter, advocating a "take from the rich, give to the poor" program.

Who won the debate? That's debateable. Traditionally, the Democrats have had domestic issues as their forte. Still, it would seem President Ford had a slight edge. Polls taken subsequent to

the debate bear this out, indicating by a three to four percent margin that Ford was the winner.

This would apparently put Mr, Carter at a disadvantage for the second debate on October 6. The debate will cover the issues of foreign policy. Odds are that President Ford will take a strong lead next time, especially with a weapon like Henry Kissinger.

PRO-CON Issue

Small Concerts - Larger Variety

Big concerts or small concerts -- that is the question. Is it better to risk the entire Chase Hall Committee budget on a couple of huge musical extravaganzas or to satisfy a larger assortment of musical tastes with a greater variety of smaller ones?

What exactly is the advantage of the large concert? The students want to see top-notch entertainment, and the college obliges. GREAT! But with big concerts come even bigger problems. First of all, unlike more populated areas, Lewiston-

Auburn cannot assure sufficient potential gate receipts to cover the high costs incurred in large concerts. As a result, only "super-big" groups would draw in enough income to prevent major financial losses, and the bigger the group, the more

difficult it is for a small college in Maine to book. Also, because the Committee must rely on drawing from the town, the choice of groups is even more critical. What appeals to the town may or may not appeal to Bates, and vice versa. Russian roulette, anyone?

The J. Geils' concert held a couple of years ago was excellent. Nine hundred Batesies attended, and the armory was filled to capacity. BUT, was it worth all the work and worrries?

Before the concert, Chase Hallies were chewing their knuckles raw because advanced ticket sales were so low. Luckily, the door receipts were high, but how many Committee members lost sleep the night before in fear of losing many thousands of

dollars? The Orleans concert last year did not turn out quite so well.

The Committee's successes lie more in the area of the smaller

concert. Who can deny that Leo Kottke or Aztec Two Step were anything but fantastic? True, both concerts were losses financially, but both were well attended by Batesies and the losses were no worse than that built into any concert held in the chapel due to its small seating capacity.

No one expects the Committee to entertain the college community, but they should be a bit more relistic and work within their means, risking as little as possible and still providing as much good quality entertainment as possible. If this means the elimination of the big concert, so be it.

There are plenty of good quality "up and coming" groups. For every one that meets with success, there are at least 20 other decent ones that haven't made it yet. The Committee should consider people like Bruce Springsteen when they are real possibilities, not after they stare

out from the covers of Time and Newsweek.

There is a valid point that obscure performers won't draw large crowds at Bates, but playing a tape at the ticket booth and in Commons would solve that problem. Once people hear just how good the group is, they'll come through. And, maybe if they knew that no big concerts were on their way, they would pay more attention to the smaller ones.

It's not as if Bates would be concert-starved. There are plenty of big concerts in the Central Maine area, and Boston isn't that far away. It's just that the college itself would not be promoting the big concert. Maybe this freeing of the Chase Hall Committee's time and money might lead to more entertainment events in other areas, such as what Disco and Casino Royale have been in the past.

Big Rock Concert - Not a Big Risk

In previous years, the Chase Hall Committee has appropriated its funds to a number of small concerts throughout the school year. This has led to a limited amount of variety in the types of groups scheduled.

The Chase Hall Committee's limited budget has been used as an excuse against the arrange-

ment of a large rock concert. In

appetitie of Bates rock fans unsatisfied.

This is not to say that small folk concerts do not fit the needs of some of the Bates campus, but if they were limited in number or even eliminated for a semester, all of the Committee's funds could go towards one large

concert with a group in the superstar class.

Chase Hall Committee is alloted \$15,000 per year by the college for entertainment purposes. This could be used as a safeguard against the possibility of a large loss which, of course, could be much larger with the one

But with all facts accounted for, the chance of loss with a big

name group wouldn't be any greater than in smaller concerts. For instance, Chase Hall Committee took a built-in loss of \$2,000 on the Aztec Two Step concert because of the limited seating capacity of the chapel.

With a large concert the expenses would be greater in all areas, but with a larger auditorium, the chance for breaking even is increased. Also, a high quality

big name would attract a large non-Batesie crowd, thus increasing sales.

The major stumbling block in the past hasn't been student opposition to big concerts, but the administration's disapproval of the financial risk. As you can see above, the risk involved really isn't all that great provided the group is big enough.

Letter to the Editor

To the Editor:

After reading the comments on athletics at any level at Bates in the last two papers, I felt obliged to continue some thoughts and express some of my own. It is difficult to walk around this campus without noticing certain changes in the scenery. The J.B. field is all planted with new grass and awaiting its fate as the new practice football field, and new tennis courts are also going in there. I 'ore tennis courts are going on the old practice football field. The field behind Page is being excavated for sewerage or some new facility. And I'll say t' at the small gym is now a girls' locker room and leave it at that, for fear of their not completely unrighteous wrath. If there is a pattern here, it would seem to be one that is bent on the

destruction of intramurals here at Bates. This program is the largest on Bates, yet it gets the least attention and is repeatedly stepped on. As a particularly indicative example, consider that the typing of schedules and other notices is given one of the lowest priorities in the athletic office. The irony here is that recruiting notices are given more attention, even though a good percent of the students they are sent to will not even be students at Bates. People in administration expect a class "A" program, and give us a postage stamp to run it on. As it is now, the fields on Rand and Page are smaller than those previously behind J.B. What happens when Page is no longer available? Softball and football in the fall will be out. These are two of the most popular events. Everyone knows ow crowded and over-

used the gym is. It is not entirely unlikely that intramural basketball might be curtailed this year. Mr. Bonde-Henriksen's point about the catering to a few at the expense of many is quite valid. It is becoming increasingly difficult to enjoy low-key sports anywhere on campus. And before any of you on the inter-scholastic teams start yelling, think -- how many of you play intramurals in the off-season to stay or get in shape, or for that matter, just want to work out on your own? The problem is a real one, and something must be done while there is still time. I am a senior and in a position to see that intramurals on Bates are slowly diminishing in space, and consequently in interest, and consequently in participants. How many of you like to relieve stress or blow off steam on a game field or court after a hard test or the

completion of a long paper? There are other ways, but they have proven costly in the past.

STEVE POWERS '77
President of the Men's
Intramural Council

Concert Poli Planned,

More Input Sought

After soliciting contrasting opinions regarding concerts at Bates, The Student has decided to undertake a survey to determine student opinion on a wider scale regarding this issue.

The computer center at Bates will be used to select a random sample of students, matching post office box numbers with the names of 60 members of the student body.

Each student selected in the random sampling will then be sent a survey form with two questions listed, the distribution of the surveys to be done on Friday, Oct. 1.

Boxes will be placed at the beginning of the dinner line and in the C.S.A. office next to the Concierge for deposit of the anonymous answers.

The result of the poll will be published in the Oct. 7 Student, and will also be presented to the Chase Hall Committee to aid them in planning future concerts.

By KEN SABATH

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In 1948, Theodore Laski observed in The American Democracy:

"...that more than two-thirds of the men who have held the American presidency have been lawyers. That is true of over seventy percent of cabinet officers. It holds for fifty-eight percent of state governors since 1865. Since that date, also, seventy-two percent of the Senate and sixty-four percent of the House have been lawyers; and, taking ten states as a sample, seventy-one percent of their legislatures were composed of lawyers. If to these are added the judicial bodies in the federal government, the states and the cities, the attorneys-general, the district attorneys, the legal members of government departments, state and federal, the immense place held by the lawyer in American life becomes clear.

In 1976, the American Bar Association (ABA) concluded that:

By far the largest proportion -more than 200,000 -- of the nation's estimated 360,000 attorneys are engaged in private practice. Of the remainder, about 40,000 are in government service, including 10,000 judges; some 30,000 are employed by private business concerns, and the rest are involved in other fields such as stock brokerage, banking, teaching, and politics. Projections indicate that the total number of attorneys nationally may double by 1985 as a result of currently high law school enrollments.

Such statistics clearly suggest that pre-law preparation is likely to be the single greatest concern of a significate portion of the undergraduate population in the United States today. An exploration of this multi-faceted concern has necessarily resulted in a fairly normative article.

The J.D., J.S.D., LL.M., or other degrees in law come at the end of an eighteen or nineteen year period of formal eduation. The legal student will have important choices of program, e.g., courses, clinical programs, extracurricular activities, to make in his second and third years of law school, but by that time he will have some insight into the kind of legal work that most interests him, and the selections should come readily. In contrast, no formal pre-law curriculum is demanded by law schools; thus, the legal studies candidate is confronted with numerous and seemingly impossible choices throughout his or her undergraduate years.

Commiseration with fellow pre-law students is virtually precluded at Bates. This is due in part to the unstructured nature of pre-law prep, but also because Bates has no Pre-Law Society. The first formal encounter of any kind with law school admissions occurs in the form of a general meeting with the Legal Studies Committee (composed of Mr.

Fetter, Chm., Dean Carignan, Ex officio, Dean Isaacson, ex officio, Mr. Muller, and Mr. Simon) in early September of the candidate's senior year. Much is left to the initiative of the individual student.

Legal educators agree that the development of skills and needed "legal preparation" for the undergraduate only if it animates his or her own natural inclinations, independently of any plans for law school.

The ABA thus suggests that a candidate's courses be geared to the development of "a broad cultural background; habits of

"pre-law preparation is..... the greatest concern of... the undergraduate population in the U.S....."

habits conducive to legal reasoning is more important than subject matter. Indeed, a lawyer deals with literally all facets of society; the establishment of normative rules frequently rests more on a comprehension of the milieu of the issue in question than on legal doctrine.

As Dean Edward A. Mearns, Jr., of the Cincinnati School of Law wrote, "If there are courses you (Dean Carignan) offer at Bates that are designed to help your students become bright, balanced people, I would not recommend that a student forego one of them for the sake of acquainting himself with, for example, accounting principles, on the theory that he might have occasion to 'use' this subject matter in law school or thereafter."

The academic world is already teeming with bored, halfhearted History and English majors, for example, who were euchred into those fields by such sapient droppings as the widely quoted dictum of Sir Walter Scott that "A lawyer without history or literature is a mechanic." The same is equally applicable to Philosophy, Economics, and Government depending on whether the pre-law student was subject to the verbal truncheons of Rawls, Coke, Jefferson, or his lawyer-uncle. well-intentioned Any intellectually rigorous and

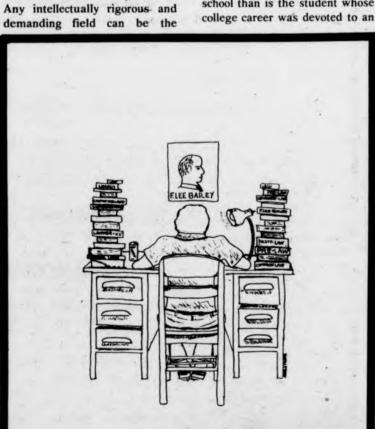
thoroughness, intellectual curiosity, and scholarship; the ability to organize materials and communicate the results; and verbal skills." A scintillating instructor is equally important as the subject matter.

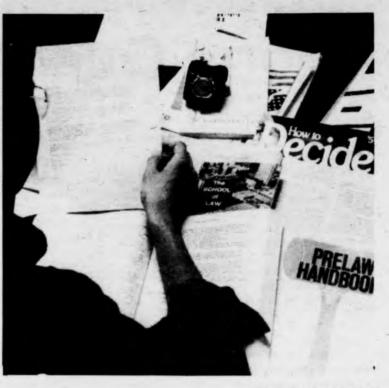
For the same reason that one should avoid "cake-with-icing-onit-and eat-it-too' courses, one should also avoid an overindulgence in introductory studies (usually taken under the pretext of seeking "a broad cultural background"). One author recommended a criterion in this area: "No libel intended, because I'm dealing in generalities, but if you look around the class during the first week in the fall and see too many students with 'Property of Athletic Department' written on their T-shirts, consider switching into a course that is more likely to sustain a mind than a football scholarship.'

As the Dean of the Franklin Thomas Backus School of Law commented, "In twenty-one years in legal education I have found that for most beginning law students the volume of work required in law school comes as a substantial shock." Thus, the student who has engaged in a subtle and sophisticated scrutiny of complex problems in advanced college courses is far better prepared to wrestle with the work volume and methodology of law school than is the student whose college career was devoted to an

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[Photo by Whit Burbank]

eclectic selection of intro courses which merely surveyed the fundamentals of a field.

A heavier program than the minimum number of units necessary to complete one's studies is also desirable in that it will not only result in a fuller education, but will serve to maximize one's studying efficiency.

A recent survey inquired of leaders of the bench and bar which pre-law subjects were most valuable. The following subjects were listed in order of preference: English language and literature, Government, Economics,

covered in law school. Time is too short for duplication; however, uncertainty regarding legal studies may be dispelled by just such an insight. Critics argue that such specifically "pre-law" courses approach areas that t involve changing, malleable policy concepts in terms of rigid, memorizable "rules of law;" more harm than good results. Law schools are thus similar to the golf instructor who would much prefer to work with a rank beginner than with someone who has spent a year or two developbad habits.

"the development of skills conducive to legal reasoning is more important than subject matter"

American History, Mathematics, Latin, Logic and Scientific Method, and Philosophy. The absence of science & humanities courses is notable. But if a candidate has a real leaning toward a field outside of the social sciences, he or she should pursue that interest.

A midwestern law school, for example, recently reported that the highest ranking law student out of 200 had majored as an undergrad in German, the second highest had majored in Psych., the third in Business, the fourth in Journalism, and the fifth in Government. But as Danile S. Kimball, Director of Admissions at New York University School of Law, admonished, Many law schools actively seek entering classes which are academically heterogeneous and therefore may favor the applicant with the more exotic major when choosing between say, a Chinese and an American History major."

Debate and public speaking were recommended extracurricular activities in the survey of bench and bar leaders. Pre-law Batesies have a distinct advantage here in the form of the dynamic Brooks Quimby Debate Society.

Finally, some candidates seek out Government or Sociology courses which draw on legal materials. Intrinsically, such courses are usually excellent, but they may duplicate ground later

In conclusion, the kind of work a successful lawyer may expect to do during his lifetime is almost endlessly varied. Thus, no part of the pre-law student's education -- if it is a truly worthwhile learning experience from whatever point of view -- is poor "preparation" for legal studies.



MASTER POET READS AT BATES

By D. SENSENIG

On September 22, Bates had the very great pleasure of hosting a poetry reading by Galway Kinnell.

A prominent American poet, Kinnell read a selection of his own works as well as some poems by other authors including Whitman, R. M. Ilke, and Pablo

John Tagliabue, a poet and professor at Bates, met Galway when the two were teaching at Alfred University in 1949-1950. Tagliabue takes great pride in having recognized the genius in Kinnell long before the poet was published. Kinnell has also taught at several other American universities and at Grenoble and Teheran. Presently he is professor and poet in residence at Sarah Lawrence. His books include What a Kingdom It Was, Flower Herding on Mount Monadnock, Body Rags, and The Book of Nightmares.

The first thing that strikes one when listening to Kinnell's poetry is its ease and power. Galway treats "deep" subjects with honesty and dignity without playing the literary hide-and-goseek so often employed by contemporary writers. Tagliabue describes his poetry in part by saying, "There is something very unique and special about his poetry in the contemporary scene...poems with a sense of both tenderness and terror...at times easy going, at times with great concentration and intensity..."

In an age where mediocrity threatens to obscure the work of the truly great, it becomes ever more important to hear a poet of such outstanding quality as Galway Kinnell.

Movie Review

DANTE'S INFERNO: The Life of **Dante Gabriel Rossetti**

By JOHN ACKERMAN

Morose, brilliant, sensual, prankish, drunken, Dante Gabriel Rossetti was a poet-painter more concerned with his flamboyant life style than with his literary and artisite output. Rossetti drew into is Pre-Raphaelite circle some of the most eminent figures of his time; the poet Charles Algernon Swinburne; the painter Edward Burne-Jones; the craftsman and typographer William Morris; his poetess sister Christina Rossetti; and their critic-champion, John

In DANTE'S INFERNO, Ken Russell shows his gift for superb re-creation of period atmosphere. The macabre and idyllic settings seem like Burne-Jones canvases. The rooms, the gardens and the dress are precisely Victorian and Pre-Raphaelite. Even the quality of Russell's light seems to recannic the very scenes they painted. But Russell never allows their gloom to dominate. A comic

The Arts



Galway Kinnell [Photo by Whit Burbank]

experience as a painter will

undoubtedly benefit his students.

Feintuch would like to invite

artists to Bates to give informal

talks and lectures. Things here

are very interesting, he says, but

he fells that it is still too early for

located in Room 23, Fine Arts

Professor Feintuch's office is

him to comment further.

In the future, Professor

ASSISTANT PROFESSOR ROBERT FEINTUCH

by Boon S. OOI

"I feel that the students of Bates might be a bit isolated as a result of its geographic location." Thus commented Feintuch, Assistant Professor of Art. He commented that Bates' geographic location is not in the center of things as far as the art world is concerned. This, he thought, could be a disadvantage to the Bates student who takes art

Professor Feintuch was brought up in New York and was a painter before entering the Graduate School of Yale University. This is his first semester as a professor at Bates and he is still in the process of getting settled. He teaches studio art and his



ROBERT FEINFUCH (Photo by Whit Burbank)

thread runs throughout the story. Oliver Reed, the star of Russell's Women in Love, superbly plays the haunted Dante Gabriel Rossetti, as the film weaves together the art and poetry of this fascinating period.

The movie will be shown Wednesday, Oct. 6, in the Filene Room at 8 p.m. and is sponsored jointly by the Film Board and the Art Department.

By BARBARA BRAMAN

ART REVIEW:

Marsden Hartley

Probably the most interesting thing about Marsden Hartley is that he was born and spent his childhood here in Lewiston. As an artist and poet he achieved an international reputation, but he never lost the influences of his original home. When he died he left an extensive collection of his drawings and paintings to Bates.

The Treat Gallery will be exhibiting a portion of this cellection until October 17th. Also on display will be paintings of Hartley's on loan from various individuals in the area.

Marsden Hartley's art ranges from the realistic to the abstract. In this exhibition there are several drawings and one painting, "Aqueduct Provence" which demonstrates the strong influence of Cezanne on Hartley. These drawings and paintings are quite imitative and manage to avoid the almost child-like blockiness prevades the rest of Hartley's work.

This blockiness is occassionally successful as in "Maine Coast at Vinelhaven." Here the ocean, rocks and firs indigenous to the Maine coast are painted in firm shapes of muted greys, greens, and browns. Though there is little grace to such a depiction, it does give one an idea of the imperishability and

strength that , perhaps more fitting to the subject.

The same style, used in "Lifeguard," is less acceptable, and the figures come off looking awkward, stiff and crowded.

The drawings are on the whole, stronger than the paintings. It should be remembered that these are from Hartley's private collection and were never intended for public display. They are, however, stiff and blocky and are mostly line drawings. The landscapes and other "quick" sketches appear less self-conscious than the figure drawings. Using little shading, he allows his lines to do most of the work. There is a boldness to these drawings -- a confidence present in the lines -- that is enjoyable. Perhaps Hartley's most successful is his self-portrait. Growing out of spirals -- like the sort of doodle one might make while telephoning -- it forms the head and shoulders of the bespeckled

This is only a small portion of the Bates collection which has over 200 drawings. Hartley's original bequest to the school was augmented by his daughter. She gave more drawings and paintings as well as mementos of Hartley's life. Some of these, including letters, photographs, and the one-armed tin soldiers that he must have played with as a child, are on display in the glass cases directly outside the gallery.

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PLAY

Act I, scene 1.

(enter Page and Tanqueray with Flourish and Alarm)

Page: On such a fair and foul night as this did young Noilly Pratt seduce thee, good Tanq?

Tang: Aye, t'was an evening bound in jest and chilled dry with a twist.

Page: Verily, wast not you olive tree fruitful?

Tanq: Nay! T'wast but a twist, I tell thee, and yea, we drank in the ev'ning dew, together.

Page: Wast thou yonder, on the rocks?

Tanq: Not so, dear friend, but on a softer bed did my Noilly lay, there, straight up.

(enter Glen Livet, King of the Malts; exit Flourish and Alarm)

Glen: Alack! Alas! Forsooth, I art upset.

Tanq: My liege, thy countenance doth portray and with. What givest thou this lean and hungry look?

Glen: I am weary and I thirst for the sweet company of my dearest Amaretto.

Page (aside) Oh, he longs for his lover, with whom he shares many a glass.

(enter Amaretto and Noilly)

Noil: I bid thee greeting, oh king. Where've you been hiding?

Glen: (stiffly) Ist not proper for us to be in public view together, Lady Pratt. For just as once you were sweet as is becoming an escort to a king, now you are dry, and well fitting the yoke of my attendant, Tanqueray.

Amar: Glen, I've been the feast of Java, where Isd did smooth over the bitter bread of perculation.

Tang: Fair Noilly, I seek tonic, I am ill.

(exit Tanqueray)

Noil: (sobbing) I shall go east to visit Popov, the king of the Spuds.

(exit Noilly, enter Jack Daniels, J. W. Dante, and James T. Beam)

Jack: Goddamn, just came from a mixer. Goddamn, Ah hate them.

Jim: yea, Ah reckon Ah don't cotton to those fizzy knurds, neither. Whar's thet rowdie, J. Doubleya?

J.W.: Here Ah am, pa. Ah done found this crown. Looks good on me.

Jack: Look like one a them fricken faggots, boy.

Glen: I, Glen Livet, King of the Malts, do command thee, thou ruffians, whose blood is but a blend of other worldly adulterations, to unhand my crown, and leave my kingdom.

(enter Galiano, Duke of Puke)

Gali: Thaya, thera, yousa guys. What's uppa?

J.W.: You closet wimp. Ah heard about you and that Ruskie, Popov. Why, Ah thought he was straight befur.

Gali: You bullya. Why donna you shava, you looka lika icky, you bumma.

Glen: (aside) Methinks I wast too rash with these boys, but this Duke of Puke is liken to sicken my whole

(e.ter Ron Rico Barcardi, Vespucci Myers and Jose Cuervo)

Jose: Hail and sleet, with these I greet thee, Scotty.

Gien: A day in April never came gives such uncourteous regrets.

Ron: What?

Glen: You look pale, Ron.

Gali: Only becausa, he standa nexta that nica guy, Golden Josea.

Jose: Who's this drip?

Jim: Don', mind him, he's just a limp wristed, curly haired, dog fondlin' Italian.

(enter Seagrams 7, brothers in common clothing; small, fat castrados who speaks in falsetto)

Sea 7: Hi, we're the Seagrams 7. (stares from all, even Galiano)

What's the matter?

Amar: Tee hee, you guys are wicked strange.

Glen: What, art thou on drugs?

Sea 7: We're off to battle, we have nothing to lose.

J.W.: Who you fightin' fer?

Sea #: Popov, of the Spudian Union. He is soon to follow with his ladies Noilly, the Countess d' Orange, and the 6 THE BATES STUDENT, Sept. 30, 1976

Meet the

Doctors

By MARCIA NYMAN

Dr. Gilbert Grimes, College physician, introduced himself and three other College physicians at a presentation for freshmen held recently in Schaeffer Theater.

Dr. Grimes stressed many important teatures of the College's health care system.

A Bates graduate himself, Dr. Grimes has been working with the Infirmary for two years. He noted that many changes have been instituted in the Infirmary quite recently to better serve the Bates community.

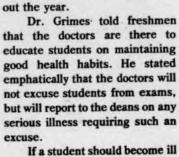
Dr. John James, College gynecologist, spoke next on the College's consultation service for Bates women. Dr. James holds consultations at the Infirmary on Wednesday nights beginning at 7 p.m. and appointments can be made by calling the doctor's office directly.

All types of gynecological services are available for women, including routine examinations, birth control information and treatment of special problems. Dr. James is ready and willing to help Bates women who are in need of gynecological attention.

The College psychiatrist, Dr. Akerberg spoke next. He is available to students to help with any emotional problems and is located at 93 Campus Ave., office number 29. Dr. Akerberg will also see students at his home at 487 Maine St., if the need arises.

He can be called directly at his office through the Infirmary. No records of visits are kept in the Infirmary and all consultations are confidential. He noted that he has dealt with a variety of problems in the past and students have benefited from his services.

For instance, doctors' hours are held every evening, except



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p.m. On Wednesday, the doctor is available from 12 noon to 1

p.m. Three physicians are in

attendance during these hours on

a rotating basis. Drs. Morissette,

Tiongson and Grimes attend to

students' health needs through-

while at home during a vacation, the doctor suggested that he or she seek help at home and not wait until he or she returns to Bates just because it is "convenient." The doctor will be glad to continue to treat the student upon his or her return to campus.

Due to the recent changes, the Infirmary has acquired a very positive image. Students admitted to the Infirmary are permitted to attend classes just as soon as possible. Although "the health of the entire campus must be considered and the spread of contagious illnesses must be kept in check," modern medical techniques often permit an early discharge, even in cases that would have required lengthy isolation in the past.

The College's policy concerning accidents occurring out of town was also mentioned. If at all possible, Dr. Grimes stressed that the injured student return to CMG for any treatment. The College has at its disposal a referral list of area specialist willing to serve Bates students if the need arises.

The College will pay for two visits to Dr. Akerberg per student. The Tri-County Mental Health Clinic on Campus Ave. will also provide counseling at a fee schedule tailored to the individual ability to pay.

The College Health Services are set up for the Bates community and the students should make full use of what is available to



Sweppes sisters.

(Popov enters east, with bevy of beautiful liquids and army)

Popo: Hail, I seek that mad dog Tanqueray.

(enter Tanqueray from south with his troops)

Prepare thy doon, squirt! Noil: Yeah, thou !: h : o faithful grain in you, smuck!

(battle commence:everyone dies save Page)

Page:

Gaze on this sight with horrid fright; Their wicked ways, their tragic plight. The cups have spilt, the bot's drained, This plot of earth now eter, ally stained. Learn you all from these bad graces; Those prosper more who know their places. Heaven shines on mixes well : irred; Taste in selection avoids the absurd. The play now over, yet have I a hunch: Heed not my advice, and you'll blow lunch.

Tutors Needed

By PAUL SKLAREW

Think back to your high school days. Did you graduate from a large, crowded high school? Were there so many people in your classes that individual attention was seldom avail-

Did you ever wish you could have someone explain something just a little differently than had your teacher so you could understand it better? Did you ever need just an extra bit of reassurance that your teacher was too busy to

If your answer is "yes" to any of these questions, then you can probably understand what many of the students at the Lewiston High School are going through. The school, holding over 2,200 students, is crowded.

The classes are large: usually 35 to 40 or more students per class. It is not uncommon for the teachers to not yet know all their students' names by Christmas vacation. In this situation many students are confused, lost, afraid to ask questions, and gradually fall behind their classmates.

These were some of the points brought up at the recent informational meeting on the Bates tutoring program. Present at the meeting were two Lewiston High School seniors who gave a very personal view of what the students there are going through.

Tom Fake noted, "Last year in analysis I was unprepared for the type of teacher I was taught by and I had not received enough background the previous year to be able to understand what was going on. In January I got a tutor and my grades went up. The tutoring program is needed and is effective. Thank you."

Deb Johnson, another senior, added, "I was going to drop Chemistry because I was totally lost and the teacher was moving too fast. And teachers do, not have the time to give individual help. Mrs. Murphy told me about the tutoring program and I said that I'd come to this meeting in the hope that it would save me in Chemistry."

Mrs. Murphy, the coordinator of the high school end of the program, told not only of the tremendous need for Bates tutors but also of the tremendous amount of praise the program is getting at the high school. Over 100 students were tutored last year with fantastic results.

The areas of difficulty in the past have generally been for remedial reasons. Most students missed the basic fundamentals. and due to Lewiston's bilingual culture many also have language problems.

The amount of time involved can be as little as an hour per week, depending on the student and subject matter. Many students only need that little extra bit of encouragement to figure something out themselves.

To get involved in tutoring, Bates students should sign up on one of the sheets, either in Chase or Carnegie. You may arrange to meet your "tutoree" at the high school, in your own room, or in one of the rooms upstairs in Chase Hall.

Tom, Deb, and 100 other students need your help. Think





Booters Take 5-0 Victory

By MARK REINHALTER

The second week of the Bates College Soccer campaign saw the Bobcats experience some misfortune against UMaine Portland Gorham on Tuesday but recover to record an easy 5-0 win over Colby on Friday.

The Bobcats lost more than a game to POGO when they went down to a 3-2 defeat as senior fullback Mark Diters injured his shoulder and will be out for the

The first away game of the year sent Bates to Portland only to have UMPG jump out to a 2-0 lead in the first ten minutes of the game. In an impressive display, the Bobcats fought back to tie the score at two-all by halftime on goals by Claudio lida and Captain Jim Tonrey.

The second half was a complete reversal of the first with Bates applying all the pressure. However, the Maine defense held off the Bates attack effectively and the tide turned when POGO was awarded a penalty kick on a questionable call. They converted the shot and it stood to make the final outcome 3-2.

Friday was a different story as the Bobcats put Tuesday's disappointing loss behind them with a convincing victory over the Mules of Colby in the first CBB contest of the year. Jim Tonrey

opened the scoring by taking a Jim Hill punt on one bounce, racing downfield, and beating the Colby goalie in a great individual effort. Dave Mathes followed moments later with a picture perfect shot, chipped over the goalie's head after a Tonrey pass found him in close.

The rout continued when Tonrey scored again and Manning Herr added a tally before the first half ended. Mike Cloutman booted one home early in the second half to run the count to its final measure of 5-0.

A rather weak Colby team never really threatened with their best scoring bid coming on a direct kick from ten yards out. This chance went by the boards as the shot sailed by wide. Toby Smiles replaced Jim Hill halfway through the second half and preserved the shutout with a nice save on a blast from the top of the area and a grab of a loose ball in front following a corner kick.

The only negative aspect of the game occurred late in the first half when Greg Zabel was forced to leave the contest with a bad ankle. The already deleted defensive corps will need him in the lineup for this week's games as the schedule does not give Bates any breaks. On Tuesday, the Bobcats played host to UMO and on Saturday they entertain University of Hartford.

C. C. Takes Meet

The Bates College Cross Country team had an easy time of it last Saturday as they crushed hapless Colby and S.M.V.T.I. The Bobcats took the first seven places as they shut out both teams. The score was Bates 15, Colby 54, S.M.V.T.I. 74. (15 points, for the uninitiated, is the cross country equivalent of a shut out.)

The meet's winner was Paul Oparowski, who ran his personal best time for the Bates course, a mere 10 seconds off the course record held by the now departed Bruce Merrill. Tom Leonard also ran an excellent race and finished second. Sophomore Kim Wettlaufer was third with freshmen Greg Peters, Tom Cloutier, Chris Walton and Mark Soderstrom close behind in fourth through seventh.

Yesterday the Brbeats took on another CBB opponent, Bowdoin. The Polar Bears are missing last year's top runner Jeff Sanborn, but they are always a threat. The next meet is this Tuesday against Maine. This may well be a preview of the State Meet to be held on Parent's Weekend at Bowdoin. Maine has beaten some fine teams this year and is usually the Bobcat's toughest in-state opponent. The meet begins at 3:30 on Garcelon

ESA to Sponsor Ski Programs

BRATTLEBORO, Vt. - The Eastern Ski Association (ESA), largest of the nine divisions of the United States Ski Association (USSA), has announced the major elements of its schedule of sanctioned events for the 1976-77 season.

Serving nearly 40,000 members throughout the East, ESA is the sole sanctioning body of amateur ski competition from Canada to West Virginia and from Ohio to the Atlantic. ESA provides nordic, alpine, and freestyle programs for skiers of all ages and abilities. Young skiers who succeed in ESA competition go on to compete in national events and may become members of the U.S. Ski Team, representing this country in international competition and the Winter Olympics.

In addition to providing these competition programs, setting rules, training judges, and keeping track of the thousands of ski competitors, ESA offers its members a broad-based recreational skiing opportunity. ESA runs cross country and alpine citizen racing series, wherein thousands of weekend skiers enjoy the thrills of competition without suffering the rigors of a full-time training schedule.

ESA sponsors educational programs for young skiers and adult skiers just setting out to enjoy the healthy winter sport. ESA also runs an amateur instructors program, which trains amateur skiers in teaching techniques and ski theory, then qualifies them as instructors for

In addition to these on-snow services, ESA represents the interests of the skiing population at the local, state and federal level whenever public issues of concern to skiers are being decided. USSA maintains a legal staff in Wshington, D.C., to keep the divisions informed of what type of legislation and regulation, related to skiing, is pending in Congress and in federal agencies. ESA and USSA offer testimony and take positions in discussion of

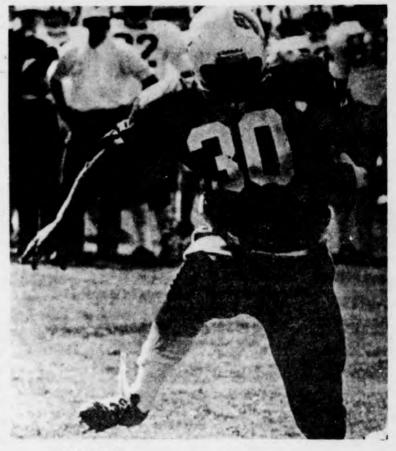
these public issues in order to protect the rights and interests of skiers everywhere and to insure a continuing development of the sport consistent with the ideals of amateur sportsmanship.

The relatively high costs of getting started in skiing are of concern to many potential participants, and ESA offers substantial savings through its far-ranging discount programs.

ESA members realize cash benefits through use of ESA

discount lift ticket sales. discounts on lodging at ski areas, charter flights to areas in Europe and the West, savings on ski theft, accident and liability insurance, and discounts on many other ski-related items.

The schedule of events listed below does not include many of the hundreds of specific events sanctioned or sponsored each year by ESA, but it does include some of the highlights of the 1976-77 season.



Cats Claw: Continued from page 1

belts Bates should be ready for the Trinity squad.

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All women interested in cross country training should contact coach Walter Slovenski in the Alumni Gym as soon as possible.

Olsen Honored After Union Game



CENTERVILLE, Mass. Bates quarterback Steve Olsen has been named to the E.C.A.C. Weekly Team as a result of his performance in the Bobcats' 42-19 win over Union last weekend. In that game, Steve completed 8 of 11 passes for 143 yards and ran for another 69 yards.

This marks the second time that Steve has received E.C.A.C. honors during his Bates career. Last season, he was named Player of the Week for his role in Bates' win over C.W. Post.

The Weekly Teams are selected by a panel of experts from names submitted by member colleges. Approximately 20 players from various schools along the east coast are chosen each week during the football and basketball seasons.



RA Election Results

By TIM LAUNDERGAN

Elections for positions in the Representative Assembly were held last week. Although most positions were filled at press time, several posts remained open where elections had not been completed.

In some dorms apathy appeared to be responsible for the delay, as an insufficient number of votes were tabulated to ensure anyone a victory. Some students appeared to have forgotten about the election and others were not enthusiastic in picking representatives.

Others, however, did vote, and in the following residences the elections proceeded without hinderance. Chase House elected Carl Nielson, Cheney House picked Dana Ferguson and Barbara Rothman.

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Carol Mamber and Debbie Furlong represent Davis-Leadbetter and Frye Houses, respectively. Hacker House's position went to Tom Leonard, while Hedge's are held by Mark Gorhama nd Tod Robinson.

Herrick House selected Wayne Bennett. J.B. picked Peter Stevens, Mike McCarthy, and Peter Loiero. Gary Pachina is Milliken's representative, while Dawn Walker holds Mitchell House's position, and Steven Wice holds Moulton's. Page's positions went to Tarin Anwar, Sharon Bomer, Joe Oaks, and David Stanton, while Parker's went to Francesca Denegri, Barbara Braman, Colleen Stapleton, and Martha McGann.

Jacqueline Harris won the post at Parson House, while Pierce House elected Pat Durning. Other winners were: Lynn Bailargeon and Brian Forsnow (Rand), David Foster, Kevin Soucy, and Sue Schulze (Roger Williams), Steven Dosh (Small House), Jack Meade and Pat Horgan (Smith North), Bill Quigley and Dave Beneman

(Smith Middle), Greg Kechejian and Todd Webber (Smith South). Stillman House elected Kevin Welch. Turner House picked Karen Dorsey. Ed Leslie and John Plotkin won races in Adams, while Susan Pope won in Wilson House.

Women's Union and Wood Street House picked Dana Peterson and Ken Kulas, respectively.

The representatives for off-campus students are Ed Cooke, Peter Brann, and Whit Burbank. At press time, representatives had not been picked to fill positions in Howard House, Whittier House, and Adams third and fourth floors.

JUNIOR YEAR ABROAD

There will be a meeting of all SOPHOMORES interested in the possibilities of JYA for 1977-78 in the Skelton Lounge, Chase Hall, on Wednesday, October 13, at 7:30 p.m. All sophomores interested in JYA are expected to be at this meeting.

Christmas Comes Early to Bates

By BRAD FULLER

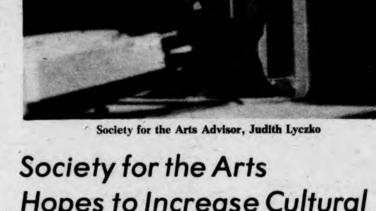
Late last Friday evening a group of students whose spirits were high (or were they just high on spirits?) gave the lawn area in front of Roger Bill a Christmaslike appearance.

Armed with dozens of rolls of toilet paper which were hurled into the air and which landed in the trees and surrounding grounds, this unidentified group of students did indeed usher the Christmas season in a bit early this year.

Besides creating a definite problem in some dorms (if replacement of this necessary product is not initiated soon), the decoration of the grounds with toilet paper caused the maintenance department some headaches.

Maintenance men were forced to rise early Saturday morning and were supplied with long poles to pick these long white streamers out of the trees so that the campus could again regain its normal appearance in time for the arrival of many alumni on Saturday.

Luckily for all, this task was completed before too many people noticed, and life at Bates preceded quite normally, uninterrupted by this sudden change of season.



Hopes to Increase Cultural
Activity at Bates

By MARGUERITE JORDAN

The Society for the Arts, a college-wide organization not associated with any particular department, had its first organizational meeting on Wednesday, September 22.

At the meeting the group's faculty advisor, Mrs. Judith Lyczko, chairman of the Art Department, stressed the need for an organization that could fill the gaps in the cultural experience at Bates. The Society has some very worhtwhile ideas.

It seeks to bring more artists, concerts, films, cinema, lectures, workshops, critics, readings and exhibitions to Bates. These activities could center around anything from basket weaving to ballet. The choice will be left up to the students.

The Society will also support and promote trips to cultural centers like Boston and other areas in New England where special events will be held.

In addition to these ideas, the Society wishes to serve as a supplement to other organizations on campus. This way bigger and better activities can be planned and they would not have to be restricted to one narrow field or study.

All the Society for the Arts needs now is some support from the student body. As part of an effort to reach the students, the group plans to use innovative methods of advertisement, make sign-up areas easily accessible to all the students, and provide a wide area of activities for students to choose from.

If you're interested in the arts, come to the next meeting and express your ideas on how you would like to see cultural activities improved and expanded for Bates students. Everyone, whatever his interest, is welcome.

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