Holiday Spirit Invades Bates

For the past week, the spirit of Christmas has been invading Bates. Notification of an extended vacation has added to the festive atmosphere on campus, and the Bobcats were on hand to provide a well-earned holiday.”

The Christmas dance of Saturday night brought a festive atmosphere to the campus; Sunday’s service and Bobcats program continued the seriousness and beauty and the lighted tree on Cheney Field pronounced that Christmas is not too far away.

Across the campus, all are getting ready for the approaching holiday. The Community Service Commission is trying to find the majority of students gathering in groups for the “Merry Christmas and Happy New Year” at home!

Caroling Groups Spread Cheer

On Thursday evening between 7:00 and 7:15 all those who were passing through the lobby of the Chase Club were greeted by carols sung under the direction of Mr. Graff. There will be a division into seven groups to go to the professors’ homes. This Christmas meditation was the feature for aged people to sing carols. At 8:30, the groups will return to Chase Hall for coffee and doughnuts.

The groups to follow: Charlotte Bridgham, chairperson, Gwen Beddington, Don Wilson, Marilyn Blaas, Thelma Smith, Betty Jane Coderlin, and Gail Morgan.

C.A. Gives To Needy Families

A $16 gift certificate is being given this afternoon to two needy families in the Auburn area by the C.A. Student Council for its Christmas projects to those in need. Miss Patricia Stile is in charge of the donations. Her committee includes Miss Mary Ram- past, Walter Meserve, Kenneth Finlayson, James Dempsey, George Billias, Miss Janet Harris, James Facos, and Miss Rita Shay.

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Bates-On-The-Air

As was previously announced, the two radio programs of the Christian Association were to be a presentation of the Christmas Eve service. The programs were put on, in Chapel, Monday, at St. Dennis and the Carterlon with Dick Smith, Miss Susan DeBartolo, and Miss Roberta Sweeney, the announcers. These programs are to be aired over WAGN at 5:45 and Wednesdays will go over WAGU at 2:00.
Bates is in the midst of a boom in athletic activity and interest at the present time. The great record compiled by our football team during the past year is drawing attention to those who will be interested in this editorial. Our basketball team is on its way to one of the better seasons in the history of the College. Spring football took away the State Series honors. All three sports have registered high attendance marks, even the two gridiron "mud games" with Bowdoin and Colby. The interest of students in athletics has been evident, but only a few of local townspeople seem to have reached an all-time peak.

Considering these facts, we have two points to present which we believe to be entirely valid. First of all, we have an outstanding two-out punch in our present fighting stock—Mike Brosnahan and Robert Dean. Combined talents have been exhibited on the football fields of New England and Ohio this Fall with outstanding success. Individually do we do a good job with baseball and basketball respectively.

Ducky Pond is a big name among contemporary football coaches. This is true not only of New England but of the country in a recent newspaper poll. Since the close of the football season there have been published rumors that Coach Pond, being an expert on college football, has established himself in a great way with his players, in the community, and in the State. We are promised a SHOOTOUT TO LOSE DUCKY POND. No consideration should be given to keep such a fine coach and gentleman on the college staff.

Edward Peters is fast becoming an essential part of our coaching combination. It is entirely possible that his place at Bates will become equally secure with that of Coach Pond.

Our second point may be raised in the form of a question: "What about some suggestions for our two coaches?"

Nearer home, with our schedule regular college games have coaching staffs many times the size of ours. It is our belief that the existing set-up of one coach for each team is not practicing the most efficient use of our talent. A poor team is as good as a good one, but help them to work even more effectively by giving them a winning team from each group.

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By Jane Robinson

Sixty-something most of an average Monday, this week out in rescues Life before another armed service. As a matter of fact, the "Hyatt's" Atlantic beauty's probably about forty. She is usually "Annie" usually and fished, but she is not the only one who is fishing according to the weather. The "Hyatt" is used to get a fresh start in the morning during the fishing season, and she always seems to be on target. She is a very fast boat, and she can feel free to pass the time even if they don't happen to have a catch. 

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Fred Tardif is a caretaker and equipment clerk in the Bates athletic department. He takes a strong interest in the fellows and is an asset to the team during the weekly towel changeovers. While he wouldn’t be considered a star athlete, Fred’s efforts are appreciated by the players.

Fred has been with Bates for over 15 years and is an integral part of the team. He is known for his reliability and hard work, which are qualities that have made him a valuable member of the Bates athletic department.

Fred’s dedication to his role is a testament to his character and commitment. He is a true team player and his contributions have not gone unnoticed.

The Bates hoopsters edged out the University of Maine in a thrilling victory over the Black Bears on Saturday night in the Alumni Gym. The final score was 62-58, with Bates winning in the dying seconds of the game.

Fred Tardif

**Dec. 18, 1946**

**STERNING**

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**MERRY CHRISTMAS**

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ECONOMICS Don't PROFESS With Pastoral Scenes

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Copyright 1944. till 1:36. The party is in addition, to the regular monthly support meeting of the group.

the committee in charge of the affair will be headed by Francis

brings, chairman, assisted by Joyce Hawkins. Also Hammond,

Ann Small, and Geraldine Monitor. Miss Michelle Beck of the Alumni

staff may be a guest and other invitations may be invited by the mem-

ber. The program for the evening will consist of card playing, a Christmas tree and presents, and refreshments. Santa Claus will be for all those present.

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\[ \text{Classroom Quips} \]

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checks and practical jokes of the year. Winning a remark that second
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