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The Office of the Dean of the College announced its intention to inaugurate a different structure for college residences next year. In making the announcement, Dean Carignan stressed that the Office was "encouraged by the generally positive response received from students consulted." He noted that consultations had begun in December and had included: Head Proctors, Proctors, The Representative Assembly, and the Resident Life Committee. The Residential Life Committee, the Faculty, as well as an open Dean's Forum, for all students. The Representative Assembly was consulted on February 6, and they voted support for the proposal. Many of these groups were consulted on a number of occasions. Dean Spence indicated that one of the primary goals of the new structure was "the creation of forums within houses and dormitories for the discussion of the salient issues which affect the way in which students interact and live." These new structures, probably to be called House Councils, would make it possible for the residents of the various dormitories to make their wishes known and to have their ideas discussed. Under the leadership of elected officers, the House Councils would be charged with insuring that issues contributing to harmonious relationships, the protection of minority rights, etc., are discussed and positively resolved by the residents. These issues include noise, special study circumstances and the use of facilities. Naturally, the deans will continue to be interested in and will participate in the resolution of these matters, but the main thrust of the reform is to encourage students to articulate their positions and participate actively in the open resolution of differences.

Dean Carignan emphasized that a second major goal of the new structure was "to place the College more directly in the role of helping students accomplish their goals." To this end, resource persons, to be appointed by the Dean's Office, in numbers appropriate to need, would work with the residents. Commenting that "our sense of smallness deludes us as into assuming that everybody knows everybody else and more importantly that we know who to see or where to go in order to get things done," Dean Carignan noted that a primary purpose of the resource person would be to assist residents in resolving their goals and get answers to their questions. The resource person would also be a sensitive participant in the affairs of the House Council ready to serve in a mediating capacity to help students resolve their differences and disputes. Available as an advisor to individuals as well as being responsible in encouraging situations, the resource person's position will be a demanding one. Dean Carignan stressed, however, that the position will afford individuals an opportunity to play a significant role in influencing the quality of life on this campus as well as providing myriad opportunities for their own personal growth and development.

Both Dean Spence and Dean Carignan emphasized that the first resource people to be appointed would be intimately involved in defining and developing their roles. "Pre-packaging" of the new resources, the method to be used, as well as the exact form and amount of compensation, would be made known to students in a letter inviting them to apply for the position.

Dean James Carignan announced today that the Freshman Center in Smith Hall would be continued next year. Commenting that "evaluations by residents were generally positive," the Dean also observed that this had been learned this year about the functions of Junior Advisors and that they would be helpful next year. Virtually all of this year's residents commended very positively on the effectiveness of the new faculty advising structure as it exists in the Center. They also praised the effectiveness of Junior Advisors in helping them become acclimated to life on the Bates Campus. The residents of the dormitory expressed some dissatisfaction in that they were not meeting as many upperclass students as desirable. Dean Carignan noted that this problem was being addressed by requesting that each section of Smith select two representatives to sit on an advisory council to work with Dean Gatto and himself to deal with this situation. The Dean said, "he felt confident that with the residents, the Office was aiming to get things done," so that he could be effective in helping to get them resolved. He also noted that the Office was anxious to anticipate this year's lottery system in this first year. He pointed out that the Dean's Office was aiming at the third week in March as the time for the lottery - after resource persons have been selected and assigned.

Focusing on the potential for increased student activities, Dean Fitzgerald expressed his belief that the "House Councils, possibly with elected Social Officers, would serve as structures generating increased social and cultural activities in cooperation with existing extra curricular organizations." He also noted that the House Councils could serve as a catalyst and for increased student-faculty contact in informed ways such as having dinner with invited faculty in the new dining facility.

The Deans noted that the time-table for selection of the resource persons, the method to be used, as well as the exact form and amount of compensation, would be made known to students in a letter inviting applicants for the position in the near future. See P.14 for more info.

FRESHMAN CENTER TO CONTINUE

Student Pay Raise

As of July 1, 1974, the federal minimum wage was increased and at the same time under the Fair Labor Standards Act, private colleges were included under its jurisdiction. To encourage colleges to employ its students, they also signed into law, the sub-minimum wage provision. One of the provisions of this act is that the student minimum wage will be 85 percent of the current federal minimum wage. This is why the student rate has changed each time the federal rate changes, right up to and including this most recent change, as of January 1, 1978, from $1.96 to $2.26. The next scheduled in the federal minimum wage will be as of January 1, 1979, and will go from $2.26 to 2.47. When the law went into effect, during the summer of 1974, Bates applied for and received authorization to pay the sub-minimum rate. It was not until this past summer, in August 1977, that we discovered that this had to be applied for each and every academic year. Although its issuance is merely a formality, it cannot be issued retroactively. Bates therefore, computed the difference between the sub-minimum and the federal minimum wage for the 75/76 and 76/77 years, and sent an adjustment check to each student affected.

We applied for and received the certificate to cover the 77/78 academic year. This certificate is posted in the Library, Commons, Maintenance and Lane Hall.
EDITORIAL

In my opinion, the purpose of a college newspaper is to inform its readers in every possible way. In order to do this, the subject matter reported on must be varied, and an attempt must be made to include material such that the reader will see or hear what he should not appear on the Dean's List. My most important consideration before publishing the Dean's List was a good amount of hard work and diligence. I feel that this effort deserves mention, just as the high scorers in a basketball game are distinguished in the sports section. The Dean's List does not attempt to order people in respect to their grades, but only separates those students receiving a 4.0 average — the athletes of the week. A 4.0 average is incredible, especially under the new grading system, and no credit may be taken away from the hard work of the nine superior students who achieved it.

I also considered those students with a 3.2 or over average who, for some reason, would not want their names to appear on the Dean's List. I am of the opinion that at the age of 18 or 19, an individual should be mature and emotionally stable enough to realize that some students receive higher grades than others. This is not to say that someone with a 3.5 average is smarter or better than someone with a 4.0 average, but making this assumption severely tarnishes my opinion of 19-22 year olds. I also find it hard to believe that any college student would be seriously distressed by becoming aware of the accomplishments of others. The notion of increased competition or the 2.5 student refusing to leave the library for a month after seeing the Dean's List is a distant one.

In conclusion, I offer no defense for the morality of publishing the Dean's List. I do not feel that this is even an issue. The only relevant issue is whether or not a college newspaper should be an informative and very good idea to the student body at large, especially since this has not been done in the past to my knowledge. The new Student Staff has introduced some worthwhile knowledge, especially since this has not been done in the past to my knowledge. I am curious as to how the decision to print the Dean's List was reached, and by whom, especially since this has not been done in the past to my knowledge. The new Student Staff has introduced some worthwhile knowledge, especially since this has not been done in the past to my knowledge. I am curious as to how the decision to print the Dean's List was reached, and by whom, especially since this has not been done in the past to my knowledge.

Robert Cohen

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Chute Speaks On Tenure

TO THE EDITOR

Your lead story for Feb. 3 concerned the Coffee Hour Dis- cussion of tenure. As a member of the Personnel Committee I am, reluctantly, about to go public with some of the problems which are the more it is discussed. Since I am attempting to com- ment on something about which people feel strongly, I feel that I must say as little as possible, this may be one of the least informative letters you receive this year.

There is really only one answer which a member of the Personnel Committee, an officer of the university, can give for the reason behind any tenure decision - "no comment." It is the responsibility of all committee members not to discuss commit-
Recently, the Federal Trade Commission proposed a series on regulations regarding the manufacture and sale of mobile homes. In reviewing the proposed rules, the Office of Advocacy criticized them as "unreasonable, unnecessary, unwieldy, and economically burdensome to small businesses." The FTC has scheduled additional hearings on the proposed rules. If all such regulations were submitted to the Office of Advocacy for comment, we would have a much better idea of the impact on small businesses, and of whether or not the regulations were really necessary.

Another section of the Small Business Impact Act requires the regulatory agency to investigate the effect of proposed regulations on competition among small businesses and between the small and large business sectors. This provision would allow us to consider the effect of government regulations on the ability of small businesses to survive and compete in today's marketplace. In view of Small Business Administration estimates, "it is particularly valuable. Let me cite an example of how this consultation would benefit small businesses.

Most people have by now received their 1977 federal income tax forms. The forms contain some changes, and those changes have prompted some Maine residents to ask me for an explanation. Here are brief descriptions of some of the changes:

- Itemized Deductions: Some changes have been made in itemized deductions which might make it appear that more taxes have to be paid than under the old system. This, luckily, isn't the case.

- Under the old system, we added up our legal deductions and subtracted from them our gross income. If we consulted the tax tables to see how much tax we owed on the remainder. This year it works a little differently. Those who itemize must first subtract the standard deduction, which amounts to $2,200 for a single person and $3,250 for married persons filing jointly, from their total itemized deductions. The amount that's left is then subtracted from the gross income to determine taxable income.

- This change was necessary because the tax tables were changed to simplify the tax computation for those persons who take the standard deduction.

- Line 45 Tax Credits: Some may be puzzled by the instructions. Line 45 of the 1976 income tax form which says "see page 12." This line as added in anticipation of enactment of an energy tax bill by Congress. The bill has been to begin printing the forms in October, and the energy tax bill was not, and is not, approved.

The bill, which still is in conference, contains provisions for tax credits to homeowners who invested in energy saving improvements after April 20, 1977. If enacted, taxpayers who qualify could be entitled to tax credits of 20 per cent of the first $8,000 in expenses for such improvements as new insulation, efficient heating stoves, insulation or replacement of furnace.

But no one can take advantage of the credit until it is signed into law. This poses a problem if you like to file your returns early. You can delay sending in your returns and hope the bill will be passed soon, or you can file your return now and file an amended return later. It's up to you. Reprinted from The Portland Press Herald.

**CONSERVATION CAPSULES**

**LIFE-SAVING CARRIERS PIGEONS**

Devonport Hospital in Plymouth, England foregoes taxi service for convalescent blood and tissue samples to the central laboratory two miles away and instead employs carrier pigeons. Saving valuable time and money, the birds are valuable — and hopefully more limited — government regulation of our country.

With the upcoming senatorial election in the State of Maine, the "Student" feels that it would be beneficial to present the views of the two office candidates for the State of Maine U. S. Representative William Hathaway and U. S. Representative William Cohen. These columns have been written weekly by the candidates and will be printed with absolutely no change. Any comments on the views expressed in these columns is welcomed by the "Student" and should be submitted to Box 309.

**1978 SENIOR CITIZENS TAX CHECKLIST:** We have obtained a copy of the number of the popular Senate Aging Committee's "Checklist of Items to be Included in Your Income Tax Return" designed to help the elderly avoid overpayment of income tax. Copies of the checklist, an easily readable large print are available at my Maine offices in Hallowell, Fairfield, Fort Fairfield, Lewiston and Portland.

The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency has launched a research project to determine the effects of the toxic TCDD, a manfac- turing contaminant sometimes found in certain herbicides and related chemicals, is accumu- lating in animal tissue and human breast milk. Although the report presents any danger to public health, nursing mothers living in parts of western Washington and Oregon, Continued on Page 9
Always Sign Letters

To the Editor:

My concern stems from a somewhat alarming policy you have chosen to endorse: that of allowing unsigned letters-to-the-editor to appear in The Student.

Past editors have frowned upon this and for good reason. If a person has an interesting letter to write, he will want to sign it, regardless of what other people may think. He should not be allowed to spew forth volumes of opinionated hogwash, while hiding behind the phrase: "Name withheld upon request."

Anyone with a point of view of general interest should never hesitate to express it in The Student, signed or unsigned. The only exceptions to this would be those Select Few who want to avoid having their real names identify them. I would suggest the latter should not be allowed to be published unless it has been signed.

(Name withheld upon request)

College Quips

See, I"d like to take your word on whether marketing yourself, but would you be good if I'll say I'm not?”

Good? Why let's say this chalk is your convinced. And we'd off it in the beaker of colored water...

THINK

1. A well is 10 feet deep. A frog climbs up 5 feet during the day but falls back 4 feet during the night. Assuming that the frog starts at the bottom of the well, on which day does he get to the top?

2. A man has invested $1.15 made up of 6 American coins. With these coins, however, he cannot make change of a dollar, nor of a half dollar, quarter, dime or nickel. Which 6 coins does he have?

3. One hundred applicants applied for a certain job. It was found that of those 100, 18 applicants had had no mathematics training and no biology training; 70 had some mathematics and 82 had some biology. How many applicants had had both mathematics and biology training?

ANSWERS

1. The frog reaches the top on the 25th day.
2. 1 quarter, 5 dimes.
3. 2 applicants.

Caution in Commons

On Friday, February 3, at approximately 7:08 P.M., potentially-dangerous foreign debris was discovered in the farrethermost corner of Commons. Concealed behind the last table, on the left side of the salad bar, was discovered what is believed to be a portion of the wreckage of the Soviet Cosmos 954 satellite, lately discovered demolished in Canada.

This debris was in the unlikely form of an ossified, desicated, spaccware. This debris was in the unlikely form of a change of a dollar, nor of a half dollar, quarter, dime or nickel. Which 6 coins does he have?

The problem is now considered to be under control, but students are cautioned to check tables and chairs, as well as footstuffs, for anything resembling Soviet spaccware.
**Professor Kingsbury to Retire**

by LeV Taylor
and Laurie Croft

Professor Kingsbury cited "getting old" as one of the reasons for his retirement at the end of this year. When asked if he retired early because of the failure to grant Ron Reese tenure, the Physics Professor replied that it was true, but not in the sense that he was retiring to protest the decision.

Originally, Professor Kingsbury planned to stay at Bates for an additional year. When the tenure been granted, Professor Reese would have taken his sabbatical next year, and Mr. Kingsbury would have remained. Then when Reese returned, Kingsbury would have retired. In this manner only one new Physics teacher would need to be hired, and as Kingsbury said, this would result in a "smooth transition."

However, since Reese was not granted tenure, Kingsbury felt he may as well retire now. He felt it would be best to make a "quick break."

But Kingsbury did say he was "disgusted" with the decision not to tenure Ron Reese. The fact that the whole Physics Department would be tenured is not valid, insists Kingsbury. Since he would retire when Reese returned from his sabbatical, the department would hire a new professor thus creating a new problem, he explained, and as being entirely tenured. He called the decision a "poor mistake" on the part of the committee.

Although Kingsbury is retiring a year earlier due to the denial of tenure to Ron Reese, it is not a protest move. We at Bates wish Professor Kingsbury the best of back in the future.

**WCBB Suggested Viewing for the Week 2/11 - 2/17**

Saturday, February 11, 1978
4:00-5:00 DAVID SUSSKIND SHOW - Russian Spies are Everywhere
6:30-7:00 LORDEIRS - "Lake Rudolf" An area of superlative wildlife.
5:30-6:00 TURNABOUT-CAPTIONED - "Hi-Vic: How Fit Are Most Americans?"
11:30-12:00 MONTY PYTHON'S FLYING CIRCUS

Sunday, February 12, 1978
1:00-4:00 SPRINGFIELD INTERNATIONAL TENNIS CLASSIC - This $75,000 tournament is a Colgate Grand Prix event. The tournament will be held live from the Civic Center in Springfield, Mass.
4:00-6:00 GREAT PERFORMANCES - "Live From Lincoln Center: Luciano Pavarotti" A recital of Luciano Pavarotti at the Metropolitan Opera.
7:00-7:30 LIFE AROUND US — "The Sun Watchers" How man's understanding of the sun and the solar system has evolved from myth with some of the most exciting sun shots ever made.
8:00-9:00 EVENING AT SYMPHONY - Colin Davis conducts the Boston Symphony Orchestra in three works: Mendelssohn's overture to "A Midsummer Night's Dream", Wagner's "Forest Murmurs" and "Symphony No. 3" by Sibelius.
9:00-11:00 MASTERCYPIECE THEATER — "Anna Karenina" The contrast between the lifestyles of the Russian aristocracy and the common people is made evident as Levin--by having a alcoholic brother. Anna is the toast of Moscow and attends a gala ball where she pays an inordinate amount of attention of Count Vronsky.

**Professor Maier**

By Lori Bortt

In its quest to bring new professors to the attention of the student body, "The Student" takes this opportunity to introduce John R. Maier, new to the Spanish department.

Professor Maier earned his B.A. from Ohio-Wesleyan and studied in Spain at the University of Madrid for his junior year. He went on to receive his M.A. from the University of Minnesota and is presently working on his Ph.D. at the University of Wisconsin.

Before coming to Bates, Professor Maier worked for five years as a teaching assistant at both the University of Minnesota and the University of Wisconsin.

Teaching has been Professor Maier's goal since at least his undergraduate years. He enjoys teaching at the college level and plans to continue in this profession.

In the Spanish field, Professor Maier's major interests lie in literature--especially that of the medieval and Renaissance periods. Contemporary Spanish culture and Twentieth century writings also hold a special interest for him. In his classes, Professor Maier combines the study of the language with the culture and the history of the country from which the studied literature originates.

When asked why he came to Maine and to Bates in particular, Professor Maier remarked that the thought of the woods of Maine conjured up images of an exotic culture. As a college, Bates pretty much fulfilled Professor Maier's expectations--by having a good staff, an intelligent student body who challenge their professors as well as vice versa.

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Germany, in hotels in available as well as jobs in Switzerland. Germany, on construction in the meaning and value of a Students at Bates may question country, you just might gain a little knowledge about yourself. country, and on your own the person. And while gaining a main learning experience will in a foreign country, but the Y. A. ia the answer. You'll still Bates is a good place to spend be gotten easily enough at Bates (hopefully) for J Y A is chance to leave Bates and still have been waiting for daring Bates College. valuable experiences offered by the J. Y. A. informational was abroad last year. Freshmen, has virtually everyone travels to certain country or area. London where virtually everyone travels in their own car, Europe has from abroad. Each hostel tries. "Student" from various countries, including Poland, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Hungary (Russia is not a member - the 17th). There are hostels in North and South America, Western Europe, New Zealand, India, the Philippines almost everywhere in the world! However, hosteling is just not catching-on "South of the Border," and only a few hostels exist in Argentina, Chile, and Uruguay. In the USA we presently have some 200 hostels, most of which are in the Northeast and Midwest sections of the country. But lately more and more hostels are being added from Colorado and farther West, and many are springing up in the Southern states. Some hostels are in cities, but for the most part they are located in scenic, historical and recreational areas like those on Cape Cod or on Martha's Vineyard. Groups of hostels are located in the famous Penn-Dutch country, around the Great Lakes and throughout Colorado, so the independent hostelier can easily make his or her way from one to another in a chain. HOW CAN I GET A LIST OF HOSTELS? Since 1955, the American Youth Hostel Handbook has been published each year. Once you join AYH, you will receive a free copy of the American Youth Hostel Handbook, which contains a full list of all hostels in the United States, as well as factual information pertaining to each hostel and maps of most areas. It is much like a copy of a guidebook before joining AYH, you can get one for $1.75.

Travel On Your Own

While J.Y.A. affords an excellent opportunity to travel abroad, occasionally it is beneficial in experience and for gaining independence for one to travel extensively on his own. Such has been the case with a member of the farm work, hotel work (limited number available), construction work, and some other more jobs consisting of forestry work, child care work (females only), weeding, and various other work permits) will be strictly the working. The working natural economy and wages will naturally be scaled accordingly. The working conditions (hours, safety, roads, work permits) will be strictly controlled by the labor laws of the countries involved.

Traveling On Your Own

WHAT IS HOSTELING? No matter who you look at it — Hosteling is fun! Hosteling consists of traveling out-of-doors and using hostels (inexpensive, overnight places to stay). Hosteling is the best way to exchange ideas with other people from all walks of life. You might choose to bicycle down a country lane, kayak, raft, or white-water canoe an inland stream or river, or head home on skis in hopes of finding that moment away from the pressures of "civilization." Hosteling is all of these—and more! As President Franklin D. Roosevelt said about it, "Some of the best it is the best education they ever had." Not necessarily educational in the sense of lecture rooms and essays to be written — that can be gotten easily enough at Bates for an academic education, Bates is a good place to spend the next four years. For a broader experience, where the education is hands-on, Bates is the answer. Y. A. is the answer. You'll still have textbooks when you study in a foreign country, but the main learning experience will shift from the books to the environment, from the books to the person. And while gaining a different perspective on another country, you just might gain a little knowledge about yourself. Probably the first thing the J. Y. A. student notices (besides the local language), is a different philosophy regarding education in the country he is about to spend an academic year in. Students at Bates may question the meaning and value of "liberal arts" education. Throw that term at a British student, and he'll have no idea what you are talking about. So try to explain it to him and then you try to understand their system ("You have a student strike every year??) Which may be a bit much to take in all at once, but by the end of the year you've lived it and you understand it. Certainly one of the most obvious benefits of a year abroad is the opportunity to travel. Unlike vacations at Bates, the vacations at foreign universities are long and home work-free. Bates are in December and five weeks at Christmas and five weeks at Easter all of over two months of travel. Safety is a major concern for American students buying special rail passes that provide a month of unlimited rail travel — and visit all those European countries they've always wanted to see. Other Americans prefer to concentrate on a certain country or area. London alone deserves a week at least a week's stay. And unlike our country, where virtually everyone travels in their own car, Europe has trains. And it's quite easy to travel by train — even if you don't know the language of the country you're in you'll be able to find your way. And you might be pleasantly surprised to find just how friendly and helpful people can be. J. Y.A. is an great experience. Ask any returned senior who was abroad last fall. Freshmen, when the J. Y. A. informational meeting is held next year — go! It's worth looking into. And to those sophomores who are in the agonizing stage of waiting to hear from the foreign university they applied to — good luck. It's well worth the wait.

Summer Job Opportunities In Europe

Job opportunities in Europe this summer... Work this summer in the forests of Germany, on construction in Austria, on farms in Germany, Sweden and Denmark, in industries in France and Germany, in hotels in Switzerland.

Well, there are those jobs available as well as jobs in Ireland, England, France, Italy and Holland are open by the consent of the governments of these countries to American university students coming to Europe the next summer. For several years students made their way across the Atlantic through A.E.S.Service to take part in the actual life of the people of these countries. The success of this project has encouraged international interest and support both in America and Europe. Every year, the program has been expanded to include many more students and jobs. Already, many students have made application for next summer's jobs. American-European Student Service (on a non-profitable basis) is offering these jobs. The locations are in GERMANY, SCANDINAVIA, England, Austria, Switzerland, and Scandinavia. The jobs consist of forestry work, child care work (females only), weeding, and various other work (limited number available), construction work, and some other more qualified jobs requiring more special training.

The purpose of this program is to afford the recipient an opportunity to get into real living contact with the people. But of course, the best thing one can do is get out of the familiar environment and see for oneself. If you're ever had to work through an area you usually drive through, you'll have an idea of what life is like in the "hosteling experience." All of a sudden you see eights, birds and animals and hear sounds you never knew were there— even in the heart of a major city. You've been whizzing by a veritable concert of nature, unaware that this key to enjoyment and way to "get into" for even a few moments is there for grasping. (No need to pass on your fellow traveler's "hosteling experience." WHERE ARE HOSTELS? More than 4,500 hostels are located in 49 member countries of the International Youth Hostel Federation. Membership in A.Y.H or IFH.CF country, assures the member privileges in every one. While a large number of hostels are located in Europe and the British Isles, Japan joined the IFH.CF in 1964, presently has over 500 hostels—most of which are also modernized in some of Japan's prime tourist areas. Since hosteling is non-political and non-sectarian, hostels are located in almost all of the iron-curtain countries including Chile and Uruguay. While a large number of hostels are located in Europe and the British Isles, Japan joined the IFH.CF in 1964, presently has over 500 hostels—most of which are also modernized in some of Japan's prime tourist areas. Since hosteling is non-political and non-sectarian, hostels are located in almost all of the iron-curtain countries including Poland, Bulgaria, Czechoslovakia, Yugoslavia and Hungary (Russia is not a member - the 17th). There are hostels in North and South America, Western Europe, New Zealand, India, the Philippines almost everywhere in the world! However, hosteling is just not catching-on "South of the Border," and only a few hostels exist in Argentina, Chile, and Uruguay. In the USA we presently have some 200 hostels, most of which are in the Northeast and Midwest sections of the country. But lately more and more hostels are being added from Colorado and farther West, and many are springing up in the Southern states. Some hostels are in cities, but for the most part they are located in scenic, historical and recreational areas like those on Cape Cod or on Martha's Vineyard. Groups of hostels are located in the famous Penn-Dutch country, around the Great Lakes and throughout Colorado, so the independent hostelier can easily make his or her way from one to another in a chain. HOW CAN I GET A LIST OF HOSTELS? Once you join AYH, you will receive a free copy of the American Youth Hostel Handbook, which contains a full list of all hostels in the United States, as well as factual information pertaining to each hostel and maps of most areas. It is much like a copy of a guidebook before joining AYH, you can get one for $1.75.

connections with famous people, connections for nice places to eat, and eat with European friends of the family, and you don't even have to have the International Hostel Federation to procure a free lift to St. Tropez,™ especially, if as to wake Wanderlust out of his dreamland, a car scootched to a stop about 100 yards up the road. The door hopped, indicating that Wanderlust had a ride. He sprinted to the fancy Citroen, jumped in, and began to say in rather unrefined French, "I wish to go to St. Tropez." St. Tropez, the home of the Continued on Page 8
A new program, combining a liberal arts curricular and opportunities for first-hand learning in a reconstructed nineteenth century maritime community is now available to Bates students. Any one interested in a semester off-campus and who has a strong interest in the ocean should consider the Williams-Mystic Program in American Maritime Studies. Eighteen colleges are involved in sending students to this program centered at Mystic Seaport in Connecticut. Twenty-one percent of incoming freshmen have been invited to send candidates to this program.

In the library, in a room with leather chairs, oriental rugs, and portraits of sea captains watching over us, lending the feeling of the romantic days of the China trade. Because all of us had the same courses we were able to integrate the various disciplines in a way that is impossible here at Bates. This lead to some very lively discussions. Especially in the seminar on Nineteenth Century Maritime Literature.

Undergraduates not making the most of college for reasons of poor motivation, frustration or institutional and parental pressure, might think of the Venture Program as an alternative. Often students return to campus savor of their capabilities and goals for college and the years that follow. College Venture is meant for students taking a temporary leave from college and those who feel that a liberal arts education really is applicable to jobs and current situations, even if that is not immediately apparent.

The work load was heavy, but the interest level was high, and discussions on particularly fascinating subjects continued outside of the classroom at the dinner table or over coffee in the evenings. The living situation was conducive to this active learning process. We lived in three co-ed houses very near to the Seaport. Each house was responsible for its own cooking (excellent and cleaning (Questionable). This gave us more freedom in scheduling our time and activities.

Among the unique features of the program were the facilities and resources open to us. Besides the Seaport Library, one of the finest maritime libraries anywhere, we had access to the libraries at Connecticut College, The Coast Guard Academy, and URI. And beyond libraries, we had the museum exhibits for close examination and the Seaport "interpreters" (guides). These people had a wealth of information and were fascinating to talk to. One man, now aged 93, has worked with ships and shipbuilding for many years following the changes in style and technology that brought the transition from sail to steam. Another Seaport worker is one of the few living men who have gone to sea before the mast in a cargo ship, having made his first passage at the age of thirteen. And yet another worked on the schooners that used to carry bulk cargoes along the Atlantic coast until sailing vessels could no longer make a profit. The reminiscences, stories and anecdotes of these men give life to the often-forgotten days of sail.

Along with academic courses we spent two afternoons each week working on a skills course. It was difficult to choose between boat restoration (e.g. cleaning, Recreation, Environment, Biology Lab work.)

Summer Jobs

Summer Job Research Analyst for the national Opportunity Research Program indicates that summer job opportunities for the summer of 1978 look excellent. Prospects look good for National Parks, State Parks, Private Summer Camps and resort areas. Many new job opportunities exist in support industries adjacent to Parks and recreation areas.

High School graduates and College students will find many opportunities in the recreation areas. Some National Parks hire as many as 3,000 summer employees.

Several hundred private camps throughout the nation will be seeking summer employees in varied capacities as counselors, swimming instructors, music directors, and general activities such as cooking, maintenance, etc. Individuals with special talents and abilities in the area of entertainment, live stock handling, etc. should investigate these opportunities.

Dude ranches and guest resorts are also good opportunities for those who like the out-of-doors, and are willing to work on an operating ranch.

As always, it is emphasized that individuals desiring summer employment in the summer opportunities throughout the nation should apply early.

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City Semester

The Urban Affairs department of Boston University's Metropoli-
tan College, which offers both undergraduate and graduate de-
grees, sponsors a CITY SEMES-
ter program inviting students from a selected number of schools to participate. The CITY SEMES-
ter program provides under-
graduate students with the oppor-
tunity to spend a semester in Boston, participate in an on-going field work program at the Massachusetts State House, Bos-
ton City Hall, or a community program and, at the same time, develop a cohesive academic pro-
gram drawing on the extensive urban studies course work avail-
able at the University. The pro-
gram is intended to aid colleges and students in non-urban areas by helping them supplement their curricula with urban field work opportunities, specialized urban course work, and the experience of urban living in Boston. Stu-
dents in the program are provided with individual counseling in de-
veloping their program.

The program offers an inten-
tive learning experience of par-
ticular interest to upperclassmen majoring in political science, so-
ciology, economics, urban history, and other social sciences and for those wishing to prepare for careers in city planning, law, social work, architecture, public administration and other related fields.

Venture

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Students will find that while some
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salaries, occasionally combined
with room and board arrange-
ments, which easily cover a
student's off-campus living costs.

Washington Semester

By Janet Richards

Upon arriving at American University the last week in Aug-
ust, I felt exactly the same as I had arriving at Bates my
freshmen year — nervous. I wasn't even sure exactly what
the Washington Semester Program was. I found I was in
good company though as I met up with the seven other Batesies
on the program, Debbie Atkins, John Casey, Lee Cyr, Ann
Bushillmer, Carol Mamber and Dave Offenkrunz.

Washington Semester Pro-
gram gives students from
colleges and universities all over
the country a chance to investi-
gate various aspects of govern-
ment. The program itself is
twenty years old and has come
to encompass eight distinct programs: Washington Semes-
ter, Economic Policy Semes-
ter, Urban Semester, Inter-
national Development Semes-
ter, Foreign Policy Semester,
American Studies Semester, Science and Technology
Semester and London Semester.

Each group follows the basic
design of seminars three days a
week and working at an inter-
ship for two days. Above this I can only speak for my
particular Washington Semes-
ter Unit. The semester was
divided into four sections: The
Legislative, The Executive, The
Judicial, and Parties. Interest
groups and the Press. The
seminars, usually two or three a
day, were held in the
appropriate office or department
in downtown Washington.

During the course of the
semester I was able to visit the
General Accounting Office,
Bureau of Engraving and
Printing, White House Press
Office, Office of Management
and Budget and the State
Department, to name a few.

The speakers, be they Representa-
atives or numbers of the bureacra-
cy, spoke about their particular
place in our governmental system
more often than not they spoke off the
record with a frankness and candor that is surprising but succeeded in giving a totally new view of the workings of government. It is portrayed in a textbook or even in the Bates classroom. Some of the more interesting seminars included one time vice
Presidential candidate Senator Robert Kennedy,snobby
Powell — Carter's Press
Secretary, Mark Sagel special
assistant to Hamilton Fish and
Supreme Court Justice
William Rehnquist.

Internting was an important
part of the program. Choice of
internships were limited only by individual students interests
and industry. Although the majority of work was done in
Congressional Offices, people also worked at Commerce,
Department of State, Department of Revenue, Service, lobby groups and even
the White House. The internship
provided a taste of government with the chance to become actively
involved in government, to do
more than stand back and
observe.

Washington, D.C. itself has
something for everyone. A
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History and Technology or a
step into the future at the air
and space museum. There is nothing more breathtakingly
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memorials at night. Nor is
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one can attend the National Symphony, see a Broadway show, or
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Friends don't let friends drive drunk.
What Is Full Human Potential?

Levitation, flying, becoming invisible, walking through walls, mastery over the laws of nature are part of man's full potential. Science fiction? According to Maharishi Mahesh Yogi, the founder of the Transcendental Meditation program, all of these exist and are normal and natural.

These special abilities — called siddhis — are taught to those who participate in the TM-Sidhi program, which has its headquarters in the United States, over 3,000 advanced practitioners, mostly TM teachers, have graduated from the Gardner Training Course at Maharishi European Research University (MERU) in Switzerland, where the TM-Sidhi program was taught. Nearly 100 percent of these graduates have expressed their desire to continue to fly to some degree, and claim to practice it twice a day. More recently the TM to BA program is being offered to the 1 million TM meditators around the world who have practiced the TM technique for a minimum of 6 months.

The TM program has become widely accepted as a simple, effortless mental procedure for achieving stress reduction and gaining a state of profound restfulness. However Maharishi’s vision goes beyond this beginning, nearly 20 years ago, is that the end result of practicing the TM program is to transmute the mind — to expand the mind's potential — fully a state of pure consciousness. To achieve this ultimate development of what is ordinarily considered to be the most valuable quality or value in life. Enlightenment results from the full development of consciousness and awareness upon the harmonious functioning of every part of the nervous system.

The practice of the TM program controls the mind and nervous system of the individual to grow towards enlightenment in a more natural and direct way. During the process of the TM technique the mind's activity systematically settles down to the state of least excitation of consciousness, or pure consciousness — a field of all possibilities. The performance of the TM-Sidhi abilities, or supernormal powers, is based on the development of purer consciousness and a more refined nervous system. In order to perform the TM-Sidhi abilities successfully, an individual must have a purified nervous system with very little stress and possess a high degree of mind-body coordination. The TM-Sidhi program also serves as a test to indicate the degree to which the mind-body system is enlightened. For example, someone using 50 percent of their mental potential can, theoretically at least, perform 50 percent successful in mastering.

It is generally understood that humans use only a small portion, between 5 percent and 50 percent, of their total mental potential. If a person doubled that, he would not even approach the mental ability of an Einstein. But double that, and it goes beyond comprehension.

The systematic nature and repeated successes of the TM-Sidhi abilities have led Scientists at MERU to investigate the phenomena. Initial experiments have found that a high degree of brain wave synchrony, or EEG coherence, is correlated with the performance of the TM-Sidhi abilities. High EEG coherence shows that the human nervous system is capable of extremely precise firing patterns involving literally millions of neurons. Apparently during levitation, all of the parts of the brain begin to work as a single unit instead of separately.

Many more in-depth research on the phenomena of the Sidhis is currently under way. Other research include measuring perceptual, cognitive and perceptual-motor performance, and monitoring hormonal and biochemical changes taking place during the practice of the TM-Sidhi program.

An introductory lecture on the TM-Sidhi program will be held at Bates college in Chase Hall on Weds., Feb. 15 at 7:30 p.m. to discuss the possibilities of full potential of human life.

Understanding the C.A.

by Kirk Thayer

Many a misconception is held for a very good reason. One of these is the belief on campus — the Campus Association. As defined in CA's by-laws, its role is that of Bates' Liberal Arts University' at a liberal arts college. It acquires its strength from the student body and serves as a coordinating community as well as Bates students. In its diversity, the Campus Association is divided into three major services: Socio-cultural, Campus Service, and Community Service. Each is totally involved in its own field, but this does not preclude interaction between the three.

The Socio-Cultural branch of the CA is concerned with bringing humanists to Bates for the purpose of attracting suitable credentials to the campus in order to bring a bit of culture to Bates and the surrounding community. Organizations that function towards this end are the Faculty Lecture Series and the Zerby Lecture Series (a contemporary religious thought lecture.)

Probably no one (save the CA members themselves) truly knows the wide range of activity that Campus Service provides for the Bates campus. From Student Mail to CA Used Bookstore, and The Freshman "No Nonsense Guide" to Bates. The tie between the two is coffee. During final exams, the CA works diligently to serve the needs of students and the results of the programs are planned in order to aid Bates students as much as possible.

Probably, the most praiseworthy of CA's achievements is its Community Service. Through it, Bates students provide a weekend in an older person's nearly, young and old. The Little Brother/Little Sister, and Foster Children programs involve Bates students adopting Auburn children or senior citizens in order to make their lives more enjoyable. It is a very meaningful experience for all involved. Boy Scout (and a new Girl Scout Program this year), a Girl's Basketball Clinic, and a regular Blood Bank are also among the services provided to the community.

The previously mentioned Zerby Lecture is just one of the traditional programs that the CA has provided. It is open to any and all suggestions for new programs, either from students or from the surrounding community. The Campus Association's meetings are open to all audience. All presented proposals will be appraised and considered for inclusion in the next year's plans.

The newly elected cabinet members for the present CA are: President, Rich Fieldhouse; Vice President, Mark Price; Secretary, Cathy Sutton; and Treasurer, John Spence. At this time of year, the administration will have this list in hand for the close of this year at which time CA members hope to install them.

In their consideration of the applicants, the cabinet members judge on leadership qualities, intelligence, and a certain number of other qualities. Any one who feels that they would like to be so considered may contact a cabinet member or any CAB member, find out what a certain commission position entails, and then apply for an interview. One should not let the interview discourage them from applying. The CA needs hard working members. It is an organization working by students and student input. The Campus Association is an integral part of the Bates campus and dedicates itself to serving Bates and the community.

New Chaplain: A Personal View

Peggy Morehead

Garvey Maclean has left Bates to take a full-time position as minister of Statewide Street Congregational Church, in Portland. This vacates a position that of Bates College Chaplain, which is to be filled this fall.

One could question what being a chaplain entails: In the last couple of years, it seemed that the role of chaplain was solely to participate in school activities, to give "official prayers" at convocations, and sermons at Baccalaureate.

The time has come to have a chaplain who is also interested in the personal and spiritual needs of Bates students. Those ought to know who has time, can be found in the office, and has personal interest (beyond the academic level) in Bates Students. We need a chaplain who would be willing to initiate, advise and guide students in the various activities on Campus. Hopefully, the administration will have this in mind when they choose Garvey Maclean's successor.

Conservation Capsules

especially those who think they may have been exposed during an actual operating accident, or have been sought as voluntary to participate in the study, schedule a visit to November near the Olympic National Forest in Washington and the Sundlaw National Forest in Oregon. In addition to the milk samples taken from nursing mothers, EPA

is also looking at soil samples and tissue of birds, fish and animals. The EPA is gathering the information because it is responsible for regulating 2,4,5-T and other related compounds that are chemical family. The herbicides are used to control unwanted forest growth that interferes with timber production or to kill off unwanted shrubbery along roads or powerline rights-of-way. Comprehensive plans for the use of their coastal resources. Unfortunately, only three states—Washington, Oregon, and California—are being developed. The EPA is now responsible for this law. Although several other states are moving closer to having approved plans, a great deal more work needs to be done in this area.
Book Reviews: Kontinent 3, First Fire...

This week's movie was seen at a special preview showing at the Pit movie theater downtown. It was the soon-to-be-classic thriller, *Eve Multiple Mania*, in which the hero (played by Sheky Green) is chased by an escaped insane asylum inmate, who has an overpowering desire to cover Green's ears with cold, unainted Thomas' English Muffins. The action takes place in a number of startling locales, including the bathroom of Jerry Brown's apartment, the subway platform at 59th street in New York City, and winds up for the stunning conclusion at the avocado factory in Bangor, Me.

This flick employs every cliche in the book, copying from such notable films as Shaff, CPA, *Branum Aspin*, and *Citizen Heat*. Equally provocative is the movie's total lack of theme. The closest it comes to anything along this line is its theme song, "Balloons and Raisin*, with its thought stimulating chorus: "Outside its roaring Inside its boring Take your heart Kick out the cat Its the season of colds Your morals are going down The pills are a pain It's rubbers and rain."

For anyone wanting to understand the complex Russian scene, both inside and outside Russia, *Kontinent* is vital reading. It has moved the cause of Russian literature forward a considerable step.

D.J. of the Week

Though he will gladly forge any of these signatures for you, you'd probably gain far more satisfaction from getting his real name, Jason Feiman (a.k.a., Captain Flash). Jason can be heard every Tuesday night on WRJR-91.5 from 6-9, and asks that people drop by at the Petrigrew studios with requests and consciousness-altering hobbies.

Born in Hartford, Ct. On May 7, 1987 at 3 a.m., Jason claims to be on his first journey through life and open to new experiences. Still, he has become jaded enough to disdain "homosexuality, group sex and heroin." Playing guitar-oriented cuts (he himself is a proficient drummer in the style of string bending), his show usually consists of "tasty works of progressive music and old standbys from the days when people smoked in bathrooms. Trying to explain his musical standpoint, Jason says: "Frankly, I'm living in the past at least musically. I don't like many of the new directions in popular consciousness; the teen idol la la a Peter Frampton, and Disco, which probably don't deserve the appellation music. Very few groups are even maintaining the standards of musical quality established after the initial rock rebellion, and almost none have made any real progress since 1970. That was a very bad year: the deaths of Hendrix, Joplin, Morrison, and Altar Wilson, following as they did in the wake of the Altamont disaster symbolized the beginning of the end of as an era. It's really freaky—even the Rolling Stones aren't saying anything."

Jason, the ex-personnel manager of WRJR ("I gave it up because I wasn't an adequate judge of what constituted a person"), claims as his major musical influences - Clapton, the Beatles, Holy Modal Rounders, Unholy Modal Rounders, Hot Tuna, Jefferson Airplane "Jasmin is God", Dylan, Nina Simone, and Frankl Vafi.

Jason's favorite war was World War II ("Iland was eliminated right off the bat"), his favorite foods are "yogurt and cheese." and his favorite criticism is "giving or getting?"

A history major, Jason has several claims to fame, including never having lost at mumbletye, never having been further south than Washington D.C., and never having had crabs. His future plans include "old age and death."

Jason once "tried to grow carrots in my yard to supplement the local supply," and once tried to pass wind on the radio but his "ass got stage fright." His biggest disappointment in life came when he was told "good girls don't do that."

His parting words: "I don't believe that the good have to die young but it usually works out that way."

KONTINENT 3

Vladimir E. Maxnov,
General Editor

Unique in the English language, *KONTINENT* and *KONTINENT* 2 have presented the compelling literature of contemporary Russian and Eastern European dissident writers. Now comes *KONTINENT* 3, a collection of commentary, studies and poems that, in the words of Publishers Weekly, "continues to bring to Western readers material that we cannot ignore."

*KONTINENT* 3 opens with a piece that is at once a reminiscence of the 1968 uprising in Czechoslovakia and as open letter to Leonid Brezhnev. The thoughts are those of Josef Smrkovsky, who rightly saw this era as the culmination of the whole Czechoslovak Communist movement.

The book continues with Joseph Brodsky's moving poem, "Homage to Yalta", beginning: "The story to be told here is truthful. Unfortunately, nowadays it's not just Joe who alone simple truth as well as needs compelling argument and sound motivation... now What's said in 'I agree', and 'I believe', "

*The Sister*, a selection by Mihovan Dijas, deals with familial loyalty against the threat of political harassment. Also included are "Three Poems" by Vladimir Kovalev, an essay on Dostoevsky by Grigory Pomerants, observations on communism by the Hungarian Franz Levev-Varkonyi, and an eloquent selection by the noted Soviet dissident Andrei Sakharov.

"C. B. Prager The New York Review of Books"

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"Ruff, but not a bad issue. It's not like a somber tone to this year's reviews. The reviewer [or reviewer] for the New York Review of Books is not in the habit of devoting an entire review to the work of one author. But in this case, the work of one author has earned the attention of the New York Review of Books." - Publishers Weekly of *KONTINENT* 3

*As with *Kontinent*, the essays, short stories and poems are of high caliber; some are distinguished, most are revelatory." - Publishers Weekly of *KONTINENT* 3

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First Floor Central and South American Indian Poetry edited with an introduction by Hugh Fox.

Prior to their obliteration by the Spanish Conquistadores, the Indian civilizations of Central and South America were vast and varied. Yet, from the complex agricultural cultures upon the altiplanos to the migratory followers of the jungle rivers, a variant form of the same world view existed: THE CENTER OF EXISTENCE IS SPIRIT, THE PURPOSE OF LIFE IS ENLIGHTENMENT.

In *Fist Fire*, Hugh Fox immerses us in this lost world through an intriguing selection of poems and tales from materials gathered either immediately following the conquest, such as the Mayan Popul Yah, or from remote and isolated tribes, such as the highly respected documents by the Villas Boas brothers. Thus, we experience the American myth cycles, histories, moral codes and Everyday seen in Indian myth cycles, histories, respected documents by the isolated tribes, such as the highly

*Dr. Hugh Fox, a Professor in the Department of American Thought and Language at Michigan State University, received his doctorate in American literature from the University of Illinois, and twice was Fulbright Professor of American Contained in Page 11
Johnny Guitar Watson is a really really clever songwriter with a knack for really clever song titles: "Funk Beyond the Dollar Bill." Such wit and the Call of Duty" and "lfs about making people dance, which is really good. I'm really glad that we need to be offensive in our criticisms to get results. So here's the offensive part: this album is absolute tripe, and I wouldn't use it even for a placemat. To think that people like Warren Zevon and Robbie Robertson aren't household names is upsetting; to think this album will probably go gold is demeaning to ourselves as civilized people. One must realize that we are interested in dancing, which is really good. I'm really glad that people are interested in dancing, whose lyrics that challenge the intellect would be so much excess baggage. Bob Dylan, the Band-intellect would be so much excess baggage. The voices of the latter will liven the repertoire of guitar. The two will play songs by renowned french artists like Jacques Brel, George Brassens, Maxine LeForestier, and George Moutaki. For each song, the french words and their translations will be passed out to an audience encouraged to follow and sing. It is hoped that many will come, on the first Wednesday night back from vacation, and enjoy this special intermission. The Second Ring of Power goes far beyond anything Castaneda has yet written. In his great journey towards knowledge and power, he finds himself in a deadly psychic battle with dona Soleda, a female apprentice of don Juan, who turns her power-power she learnt from don Juan himself—against him. Richard Roberts, pianist and chairman of Humanities at West-brock College, will perform in the Bates College Chapel next Wed-nesday evening at 8 p.m. Roberts program will feature works by Haydn, Bartok, and Liszt. The principal event of the evening will be his performance of the Liszt Sonata in B Minor, considered to be one of the composer's major works. Roberts comes to Bates under the auspices of the Concert Lec-ture Committee. There is no admission charge.

French Songs
On March 1st, a short concert of contemporary French folksongs will be given in Skelton Lounge at 9 p.m. by seniors Mike Adams and Sue Pellet. The voices of the latter will liven the repertoire of the former on French songs for guitar. The two will play songs by renowned french artists like Jacques Brel, George Brassens, Maxine LeForestier, and George Moutaki. For each song, the french words and their translations will be passed out to an audience encouraged to follow and sing. It is hoped that many will come, on the first Wednesday night back from vacation, and enjoy this special intermission. Left to right: Dave Schluckebier, Steve McManus (succeded by Dave Bailey this year), Tom Storey, Charlie Briggs, Doug Johnston, & Perry Maynard.

Hubcaps Concert Coming Up
Rob Cohen (with Microphone), Charley Briggs (with guitar), & Tom Storey (background) during a "bizzare" moment.

Once again the carefree and fun life of the 50's returns to Bates! Sunday, February 12th at 8:30 pm in Chase Lounge, the Hubcaps will be entertaining us with such great oldies as "Teenager in Love", "At the Hop", "Heartbreak Hotel", "Calendar Girl", and many, many more.

This is the second appearance of the Hubcaps here at Bates this year. They held their first concert Parent's Weekend, where they played to a lively and responsive crowd of all ages. Since then they have been busy playing at different places around Southern Maine. In December, they played at the Lewiston Junior High and became the heart-throbs of dozens of fainting females, and just barely escaped with their clothes intact. This caused one member of the group to remark, "Gee, aren't we swell?!?"

One may ask, who are these handsome devils, who are winning the hearts of droves of innocent, young Lewiston females? The leader of the pack, Rob Cohen, plays piano and sings. Perry Maynard, Tom Storey, and Doug Johnston concentrate on the vocals. Big boy Buddha Briggs plays lead guitar, while Dave Schluckebier bangs out a brutal base. The wild man in the rhythm section is Dave Bailey who is balanced out by Clarke Porter's mellow sax.

So grab on to your buddy seats and saddle shoes, guys-slick back your hair, put your glad rags on and let's step back into the 50's courtesy of the Hubcaps.
Bobcats Nip Bowdoin

by Bob Simmons

The Bates college basketball team defeated the Bowdoin polar bears last Thursday night in a very exciting game. On Saturday night UMF came in and defeated the Bobcats by a score of 73-68 despite a furious comeback that just fell short. Bates came into the game with a record of 4-8 while Bowdoin was 5-4. Bates jumped off to a quick lead on fine play by Tom Goodwin, Earl Ruffin and Tim Bouvier and Tom Burhoe. On the other side of the ledger, Bates will counter with a strong running team which provided the bulk of the state meet points. In addition to the four event winners, last week's meet included top performances by Bill Blanton (Neptune, N.J.), Tom Ficarra (Brooklyn, N.Y.), and Steve Curran (Athlone, Mass.) in the 600, Tom Cloutier (South Portland, Me.) and Tom Roosenburgh (Saddle Brook H.S., N.J.) in the mile, Gary Pachico (Vineyard Haven, Mass.) in the 440, Jay Ferguson (South Windsor, Conn.) in the 880, and Tom Leonard (Windsor Locks, Conn.) in the middle distance and Jason Tong in the jumps.

Their lead increased to 62-56 before jumping to a 56-54 lead. Their lead increased to 62-56 before jumping to a 56-54 lead. The lead down to 64-62. Barhoe hustled and played a spirited game. He contributed 8 points in the second half and made numerous fine passes to Bouvier who missed very rarely. During the last minute in which they played in the second half they scored a total of 22 points. They couldn't be stopped. With the score knotted at 64 big Led came up with a big lead on a 3 point lead to help give ourselves an 8-79 lead. More Bowdoin hoops helped give Bates an 84-82 lead before the score was once again tied at 86.

The key to the game was the Bobcats inability to score points in the first half. UMF jumped out to a quick 18-7 lead before Bates employed their pressure. UMF once again spread the lead out to the halftime lead of 37-21. This score tells the story of the game since nothing was going in the hoop for Bates. A furious second half comeback turned this game into one of the year's most exciting. For the first time this year the crowd became really involved in the game. Once again it was Earl Ruffin who provided the excitement on offense. Earl's moves are just something to be watched and amazed at. He scored 18 points in the second half and totalled 24 points for the game.

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**Women Skiers Moving Up**

By Sue Pierce

For the past two weekends the Women’s Ski Team has been very successful on the Division Two intercollegiate circuit. The weekend of January 26th the team travelled to Lyndon State College in Vermont where the men’s cross-country team worked hard to put Bates over the top, led, of course, by Ted Stein. Their first place finish. Though skiing is one of the less publicized events. THE STUDENT would like to encourage as many Bates people and lots of luck at Plymouth State College this Saturday.

The Bates Hockey Club rebounded off a tough 3-0 loss to M.I.T. on Saturday to crush a team with an outstanding goaltending performance. Ted Coster from the University of Maine scored its first tournament. Fen

By Karen Fleck

On Wednesday, February 1, the Bates Men’s Ski Team travelled to Middlebury, Vermont in preparation for their entry in the Division I UVM Carnival. Twelve New England teams competed in the Carnival events. The roof caved in for the town team in the third period as the goalie, fattened by forty shots at this point, just couldn’t stand up to the pressure. In addition to Thompson’s completing his hat-trick, Carl Hellings and March Cauchon added to the Bobcats’ lead with a bang when Pat Casey drilled a low slap shot into the back of the net for his first goal in a game played under the lights outdoors in 10 degree temperatures. In a game played under such conditions, by Nancy Ingersoll for her continuing excellence as a skier, and her leadership in the cross-country event, Todd Webby placed 18th for a strong showing to the meet. This upset was expected last weekend, the club will travel to an overall win at Dartmouth to crush a team with an outstanding goalie by the defending netminder.

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Last weekend the team travelled to Franklin Pierce College in Rindge, New Hampshire. On Friday the Alpine team had a fair day at Crotchwood Mountain. Patti Lane placed 2nd in 1st. In the event followed by Anne Brown in 10th and Kathy Stewart in 21st. In the Slalom Patti Lane took 8th, and Ginny Smith, Kathy Stewart and Sue Pierce finished with slightly slower times.

**Freshmen Moving Up**

by Eric Kline

On Saturday, February 4, the Bates College Fencing Club sponsored its first tournament. Freshmen from the University of Maine at Farmington and Colby College were invited to attend. The Colby fencers declined attendance be- cause Farmington had arranged with both the first and third periods but were hurt by penalties in the second when the Heavens pumped home all three of their goals. It wasn’t the first time the season the boys from Lewiston have outhustled the opposition only to come up on the short end of the score. All of the scoring woes and other problems of the past were forgotten on Monday night as the Bates offensive went into high gear. The Cat drove home eleven goals in the third period capping off a good all around effort. The first period started off with a bang when Pat Casey drilled a low slap shot into the net just 25 seconds into the game. But then the game shifted into the same routine which was frustrating the shooters for the past few contests. Despite outshooting the townies by a large margin, no other goals were scored in the period once again because of outstanding goal tending by the defending netminder.

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**Women’s Basketball**

In spite of the team’s 2-4 record, Coach Gloria Crosby still has several reasons to be pleased! With the progress of her team during the first portion of the season, Foremost has been the play of junior center Cathy Favreau (Gardner, Mass.) and freshwoman forward Sue MacDougall (Winston, Mass.). The two have combined for no less than 20 rebounds per game, and give the Bobcats' great strength under the boards at both ends of the court.

**Athlete of the Week**

Honors go to Nancy Ingersoll this week for her outstanding performance in Women’s Cross Country Skiing in Division II Carnival events. THE STUDENT would like to encourage as many Bates people and lots of luck at Plymouth State College this Saturday.

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Later this season, Bates will take on the top competitors in New England at the Holy Cross Invitational. Coach Harrison feels that the meet will be “a good test for his young team, and that the Bobcats will benefit from the chance to compete under championship conditions.

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Spanish Villa

First Beer Free
(with Bates I.D.)

Happy Hour 4-6

Foosball

Straight and Bumper Pool

1 Block from Luigi's at 25 Sabattus St.
(I.D. Required)

Reynolds Meets With New Freshmen

By Marycand McNell

On Tuesday, January 31 President Reynolds met with the January students for a special convocation. Of the thirteen "new" students, only seven met in Dean Carignan's office at 4:00 and then proceeded with him to the President's office. We all made ourselves comfortable and the President introduced himself and explained that every fall he would have programs like this. President Reynolds explained that he is often on trips all over the country on behalf of the college. We then talked about the Afro-Am week coming up and the number of guests that would be on campus. The President showed us a yearbook of the first graduating class at Bates, which was in 1868. Also, he read a quote from Ebony to emphasize his point that it is up to each individual to get the most out of life and especially now at Bates. He urged us to make the most of the facilities, programs, professors, and courses here at Bates. President Reynolds ended the forty-five minute conversation by wishing each of us good luck during our stay at Bates.