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## "OUR TOWN" POWDER AND WIG PRODUCTION TO BE GIVEN IN WOMEN'S UNION SATURDAY

### Exam Schedule

No revisions of this schedule will be made except by the Registrar.

Examinations in all courses except those marked with an asterisk (\*) (see footnote) will be held in the gymnasium, Women's Union.

Students with examination conflicts will notify the Registrar in order that adjustments may be arranged.

#### Mon., 16 June, 9 A. M.

Bus. Ad. 10	Latin 4
Chemistry 2	Nursing 2
*Chemistry 12	Philosophy 2B
English 26	Sociology 6
English 32	Spanish 10
History 12	

#### Mon., 16 June, 2 P. M.

Bibliography 2	*Physics 2
Biology 2	Spanish 24

#### Tues., 17 June, 9 A. M.

Economics 4	History 02
English 18	Music 4
French 14	

#### Tues., 17 June, 2 P. M.

German 2	Spanish 2
German 4	Spanish 4

#### Wed., 18 June, 9 A. M.

*Biology 6	Latin 2
French 10	Phys. Ed. 6A
*Geology 12	Psychology 4

#### Wed., 18 June, 2 P. M.

*Chemistry 6	Sociology 2
English 2	

#### Thurs., 19 June, 9 A. M.

Bus. Ad. 02	Phys. Ed. 6B
Economics 6	Religion 2
German 6	Soc. Stud. 4
History 6	Sociology 10
Latin 6	Spanish 10

#### Thurs., 19 June, 2 P. M.

*English 4A	*Psychology 12
History 16	

#### Fri., 20 June, 9 A. M.

Bus. Ad. 8	Math 20
English 30	Philosophy 4
*Geology 6	Sociology 12

#### Fri., 20 June, 2 P. M.

*Bus. Ad. 20A	French 22
Economics 2	Philosophy 2A
*English 4B	*Physics 4

#### Sat., 21 June, 9 A. M.

*Geology 4	Psychology 2
History 22	Religion 4

#### Sat., 21 June, 2 P. M.

*Bus. Ad. 16	French 24
*Bus. Ad. 20B	Geology 2
*Chemistry 10	

#### Mon., 23 June, 9 A. M.

*English 10	English 22
English 12	

#### Mon., 23 June, 2 P. M.

Bus. Ad. 2	Math 2
Math 02	Math 4

#### Tues., 24 June, 9 A. M.

*Art 2	Greek 2
*Biology 4	Music 8
Bus. Ad. 3-4	Philosophy 6
Economics 14	*Physics 12
French 8	

#### Tues., 24 June, 2 P. M.

Bus. Ad. 6	History 4
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#### Wed., 25 June, 9 A. M.

*Chemistry 8	Latin 10
French 20	Music 2
German 26	Religion 8
Government 8	

#### Wed., 25 June, 2 P. M.

French 2	French 6
French 4	

(\*) Location of examinations not being conducted in the gymnasium, Women's Union:

Art 2	Chemical 14
Biology 4	Coburn 22
Biology 6	Coburn 32
Bus. Ed. 10	Women's Union 100
Bus. Ad. 20A	Women's Union 100
Bus. Ad. 20B	Women's Union 100



### Unique Play Put On By Over Seventy-Five

Over seventy-five students are hard at work this week putting the finishing touches on the Powder and Wig production of "Our Town" which will be presented Saturday evening at 8:00 in the Women's Union.

#### Tozer Has the Lead

The cast, including the numerous members of the crowds and the choir, numbers about thirty-five. Arnold Tozer, a February graduate, plays the part of the Stage Manager on whom rests much of the success of the play. It is he who introduces the audience to the people of Groves Corners, N. H. and carries through the story of those people from 1901 to 1913. Tozer will be remembered by many for his portrayal of the victim of a psychoanalyzing wife in the one-act play "Suppressed Desires" last fall. Rehearsals have shown promise that his performance in "Our Town" will be another very much to his credit.

Costumes for the large cast, including several changes for the leads, presented a formidable job for Arline Burbank and her committee. With the help of Mrs. Cecil Rollins nearly sixty costumes have been made ready. Most of them were taken from the Powder and Wig workshop supply.

#### Elaborate Lighting Effects

"Our Town" is given without scenery or stage furnishings with the exception of a little plain furniture which is explained by the Stage Manager as the play begins. As a result of the bare stage and various unusual aspects of the play, even more than usual depends on the lighting in order that an effective performance be assured. Philip Kearny has been at work for many weeks on lighting. Powder and Wig has four new Klieg lights for "Our Town" and the elaborate plans include the playing of the lights over all the audience at certain points in the play.

Thornton Wilder's play of small town life at the beginning of this century as told primarily through the lives of two families, the Webb's and the Gibbs, ran successfully on Broadway and was awarded the Pulitzer Prize in 1938. Very soon thereafter a movie version of the story was produced; but it is only from seeing "Our Town" on the stage as it was intended, without scenery, that it can really be appreciated as Wilder wrote it.

Tickets can now be purchased in the dormitories and they will also be on sale at the door on Saturday night.

#### Colby at the Mike

Tuesday, May 27 on Colby at the Mike will be your chance to stump the Professors, Stanley Levino, acting as moderator, will ask four of the Colby faculty any questions that the students submit. The program will be a local information please. The questions should preferably be academic, but so long as they "are not of a personal manner and do not violate professional ethics," the Professors shall attempt to answer them.

All questions should be submitted to Jenn Whiston, Mary Low; Shirley Lloyd, Mary Low; or Stanley Levino, West Dorm. All questions must be submitted before Friday, May 23. The names of the Professors appearing on the program will be announced shortly.

## Language Summer School To Open At Colby In 1948

Definite plans to open the proposed Colby-Swarthmore Summer School of Languages in the summer of 1948 are now under way, according to an announcement by Professor John F. McCoy of the Modern Language Department.

#### Planned Since Last Spring

Since last spring a committee, composed of President Julius S. Bixler, Treasurer Arthur Galen Eustis and Professor McCoy, has been working on the proposal. Negotiations have been carried on with Swarthmore through President Nason and Professor Phillips of the Department of Romance Languages.

Courses at beginning, elementary and advanced levels will be offered in several modern foreign languages such as French, German, Russian and

Spanish. The school is designed primarily for undergraduates, but others who are qualified, such as graduates and students who have just finished high school, will be accepted.

#### Encourage Social Activities

Instructors and students will be together not only for classes, but also for meals, and social activities. Emphasis will be placed on the students using and hearing the spoken language.

An opportunity will be offered students to attend the Lakewood Summer Theatre and the concerts at the Oakland Music Camp. Recreation will be encouraged both at the Colby Outing Club on Great Pond, and on the Mayflower Hill Campus.

#### Need More Time

The opening of the Summer Language School has been postponed until 1948 for a number of reasons. Another year's time will be necessary in order to work out a full summer program of additional conferences, institutes, etc., in order to help finance kitchen and maintenance crews. Furthermore, extensive construction work would make the campus unpleasant during the summer of 1947. In view of the results of the recent poll at Colby, additional time will also be needed to promote the plan more widely in other colleges, Professor McCoy said.

Chemistry 6	Chemical 14
Chemistry 8	Chemical 14
Chemistry 10	Chemical 14
Chemistry 12	Chemical 14
English 4A	Miller Lib. 8B
English 4B	Miller Lib. 8B
English 10	Women's Union 11
Geology 4	Coburn 12
Geology 6	Coburn 12
Geology 12	Coburn 13
Physics 2	Shannon 12
Physics 4	Shannon 12
Physics 12	Shannon 12
Psychology 12	Women's Union 15

## Prof. Roscoe Pound Speaks To Class On Chinese Const.

Colby College is indeed fortunate in having secured the services of Professor Roscoe Pound, of the Harvard Law School, for the Government lecture in Roberts Union, on Friday, May 16.

Professor Pound has been active in educational, theoretical, and practical jurisprudence, since his graduation from the University of Nebraska, in 1888. In 1897, he secured his doctorate from that school, and since then has been awarded nearly a dozen honorary degrees by foreign and American universities. He has taught in a number of schools and has been at Harvard since the early part of the last decade. An investigation of his published work will reveal a large collection of volumes on the technical aspects of the American legal system.

Dr. Pound's topic will be "Chinese Constitutionalism." The new Chinese constitution that goes into effect December 25, 1947, is almost completely a product of Pound's genius. "It is a unique, democratic constitution of the most modern type," and although "the new constitution was not considered satisfactory, by any one

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## Lesson In Cooperation . . .

Colby is not, from any point of view, enjoying easy times. We are suffering from the troubles common to every American college as here accentuated by the additional problems which have arisen from the move to Mayflower Hill. The very fact that everything is not running smoothly is a challenge to us as students. It is useless to talk about who is to blame for the conditions as they are. In part the college is to blame, in part the students; but, for the most part, no one can be found at fault. The situation is the inevitable outcome of the war and the absolute necessity of moving Colby. But last week-end there occurred one bright spot in a rather dull picture.

On Saturday afternoon those who happened to enter the gym in the Women's Union witnessed a scene that proved there is hope for all who want to see Colby once again a united college free from the apathy and excess griping which have been so prevalent in the past months. That scene was the preparation for the W. S. S. F. Carnivale. Students from all types of organizations on campus were there working together on their booths and having fun doing it. The one thought that came to the minds of many was that here was co-operation for one worthy cause such as had not been seen at Colby since Arbor Day last year.

Not all the organizations on campus saw fit to join in the united effort but enough students turned out to make the future bright for such ventures. The Carnivale proved it can be done; it proved that there are students at Colby who want to make this college a better place for all concerned. Saturday evening was a big success. It took a lot of plugging from a persevering few to put the plans under way; but it also took the combined work of many to make the Carnivale what it was.

The Carnivale was only one small example of what can be done. Congratulations are in order for those who initiated the plans and saw that they were carried through. Everyone who worked on it knows the satisfaction and college spirit that can grow from such campus functions. We hope the Carnivale was the beginning of many cooperative Colby activities.

R. E. M.

## Aftermath Of Spring Fever . . .

With the coming of true spring, as was evidenced this past week-end, there also come certain obligations that everyone must keep. These obligations are not only to oneself but to the community in which one lives.

Spring gives one the feeling of carefreeness and lightheadedness, the feeling of wanting to float on the clouds. And when we do float on these fictitious clouds we are apt to be a little careless of what we do with our old ice cream cups, our worn out cigarette packs and our empty coke bottles. We throw them about hither and yon for someone else to dispose of.

We romp playfully over the green grasses and in utter oblivion toss our cares and our papers over our shoulders. We have reached that undefinable stage of "We just don't care."

But other people do care. They feel deeply about their college and take pride in its appearance. They like their Spa to look neat and not to consist of a series of cigarette butts ground into the linoleum. They like to be able to show guests nice green lawns free from papers, bottles and such debris. These people take pride in this college they call Colby and their pride is greatly injured when they have to plow through junk en route to somewhere.

Of course, it is taken into consideration the fact that a proportional part of the countenance of the college will have to be marred by construction apparatus and building materials for some years to come. But that proportion of the campus that is complete should stay complete and not be a blight to society with unsightly rubbish on its grounds.

Arbor Day this year will be general cleanup day for the campus and in that respect it is good. But do we need an Arbor Day to make us realize that our campus is unnecessarily messy and that it needs to be cleaned up? We should think before we throw.

## Letters To The Editor

All letters should be sent to The Editor of the Colby Echo. They must be accompanied by the writer's name which will be withheld on request. These letters do not necessarily reflect the opinions of the Editorial Board of the ECHO.

Dear Editor:

In behalf of those students who were in the reading room Friday forenoon, I wish to thank Professor X and Professor Y for a superb oral performance. The acoustics there are perfect, and the stair landing near the switchboard makes a unique stage. They should be happy to know that we were in stitches for several minutes.

We students have perhaps six weeks in which to give our all to classes and studies. Must we be waylaid in this manner?

Can't something be done to quell the major part of the noise? Approximately every hour, lasting for fifteen minutes during classdays, the reading room is rocked at both ends by shuffling feet, jubilant laughter, noise and confusion.

As the reading room cannot be used for a thoroughfare, it seems only reasonable that it should be completely blocked off by walls and doors so that we may have at least a fair chance to study.

In short—WE WANT QUIET!!!

Vehemently,  
Robert H. Cox

## Colby-At-The-Mike Fright

by Robert Rosenthal

I am perhaps a little premature to try and sum up the value of Colby-at-the-Mike at this early date, but the pattern of programs which have been held has been quite regular and enough of the season is past to judge it quite critically and fairly.

Colby-at-the-Mike was started last fall as the re-birth of a series of programs which Colby held regularly before the war. They were heard over the Maine Broadcasting System and were broadcast over three stations. However, the experience and prestige which had been gathered by these earlier programs has been lost since none of the former members of the series are still in school. Therefore this year has been spent in suffering growing pains, which at various times have been interpreted as corn, poor music, and static.

Professor Palmer More Than Adviser

Professor Palmer, as faculty adviser was not able merely to advise. He found himself with the complete responsibility of arranging for all the programs, and in many instances, supervising the programs personally. The responsibility for this year's success, and, by and large, for the first year, is entirely due to him.

However, there have been innumerable mistakes made on many of the programs which can, and should, be corrected for next year's series. Some improvements have already been planned; others need to be.

Programs Too Localized

Perhaps the worst fault of Colby-at-the-Mike has been that the programs are too localized. They have been aimed directly at the Colby students with no consideration of the listening audience. Many of them know nothing about the activities of such clubs as the Colby Dishwashing Association, or Junior Checker Tournaments, and care less. But they would be interested in listening to the programs if they could be made interesting on their own merit. There are several outstanding incidents of this localization. Perhaps the most flagrant example has been the ten minutes spent weekly on "Campus News."

The second of my grievances against the programs has been the lack of preparation. Many scripts have been read over the air although they have hardly been re-read before, and many programs have had their final assembly minutes before air time. Because of this, those programs have dragged and, at times, seemed very amateurish.

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## Inquiring Reporter

Question: Would you be in favor of an 11 o'clock Sunday morning church service when chapel is completed in lieu of evening vespers?

Fred Hubbard '48: No, because the work that students are doing in the Waterville parishes is one of the best and most useful contacts between the town and the college.

Marge Collins '47: Yes. It would bring the students together in one church service, and would have the advantage of varied and outstanding speakers.

Prof. Early: Definitely not! To my mind the teaching and training of people in religion belongs to the churches. It should be the function of the college to cooperate with the churches, but not to take religion away from them, as would inevitably result, if a religious service were held conflicting with theirs. The only purpose that could be served by such a gathering could be better fulfilled by holding college assemblies which, I understand, will be once more feasible when the college is entirely on one campus.

Jean Hall '49: It would be a fine idea. I think the students would attend because it would be strictly for the students who would themselves be a part of the service more than they are in the downtown churches.

Carl Stinchfield '49: Yes. With the majority of students living on the Hill, a Sunday morning church service would be a stimulus for going to church. The evening vesper service has proven to be inconvenient because of scholastic obligation, and, consequently, attendance at that service has been poor.

## busman's holiday

By Philip Africa, English Dept.

George Jean Nathan has observed in a commentary on the function of criticism that, "It is the mark of a very young critic to regard praise as a symptom of weakness." Therefore, one can sustain his opinion with authority when expressing approval of the latest issue of the Focus.

In accordance with its policy of providing a medium for those, "who have ideas to circulate," the staff and contributors have conclusively demonstrated that their interests are manifold and consequently well adapted to the varied response inherent in a student body.

There is some question in my mind as to the sequence of the articles in the spring number. Perhaps, this is of no particular concern to those who are interested in the content rather than the order, but, without wishing to appear unduly critical, "Est-co Possible" (which I enjoyed very much) is too dependent on the previous issue to stand first. It should have been the cross-word reward for the cover-to-cover faithful rather than occupying an introductory position.

For general excellence, I believe that "Journey for a Friend" and the "Kafka Cosmos" deserve special mention in any review of the magazine. The first for its compactness, insight, and simplicity needs nothing but the impersonal tone and scrupulous avoidance of the nature of the mission which Mr. Jackson provides to bring home the painful identity of "a friend."

"The Kafka Cosmos", on the other hand, is a proficient analysis of an author who appears to be destined for a position, as yet undetermined, but none the less deserved, among those who will be accepted by future generations as best posing the questions that have always been timeless and hence unanswered. Because of his adequate portrayal of the man and his works, Mr. McQuillan has rendered a service to all those whose interest in contemporary literature is not bounded by the Book of the Month Club recommendations and the Atlantic Ocean.

The variety and source of reference material used in "Recent Trends in Russian Society" are indicative of a thorough job of impartial investigation. An article of this sort reinforces the breadth of a literary publication, and continues the trend evi-

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## Prof. N. Smith Reports On College Unions' Plans

## National Conference In Illinois Sees Unions Student-Supervised

by Professor Norman S. Smith

On April 10, 11, and 12 I attended a meeting of the National Association of College Unions at the University of Illinois. There were approximately three hundred Union managers and staff members present and a very interesting program was arranged for us. Men and women from all sections of the country were gathered together to exchange ideas and to discuss mutual problems.

I have come back to Colby with the strong belief that we here on Mayflower Hill are very fortunate, more fortunate than we realize. Our problems may seem to loom large from our point of view, but when we compare them with those of other colleges and universities throughout the country, they are quite insignificant. We have a college family of slightly less than one thousand members while many of the colleges, and universities represented at the convention have enrolments ranging from five to twenty-five thousand students.

Cafeteria Situations Difficult

We stand in "chow line" for a matter of minutes while many thousands of students stand in line for over an hour at a time. We have dormitory facilities for all of our students while many of our student friends in other parts of the country are housed in improvised barracks, some of which are located miles away from the campuses. We are restricted to one glass of milk per meal and so are ninety-five per cent of the other students in the country.

Our food is plentiful and can be eaten in comparative quiet, whereas hundreds of students are forced to eat hurriedly in large dining halls in order to make way for other students in line and those who are waiting patiently for a chance to sit down. Our tuition has been raised and so have the tuitions of many other colleges all over the country. We are living in difficult times, but Colby is more happily situated than many of our sister institutions.

Coffee Hours Discussed

The general theme of the meeting was, "How can the Union help to fill (Continued on page five)

## Convention In Asheville Sees Federalists Unite

At a convention held in Asheville, North Carolina from February 21 to 23, six major organizations advocating world government met and merged into one organization known as United World Federalists. Delegates attended from the following organizations: World Federalists, USA, Americans United for World Government, Student Federalists, Massachusetts Committee for World Federation, World Citizens of Georgia and World Republic. General sessions were attended by ten additional world government groups not set up on a membership basis.

Five of the six major organizations (all but World Republic) consolidated and merged into a new corporation known as United World Federalists. The original corporations have ceased to exist. As members of United World Federalists they will all have a common policy, common treasury and common program of action.

World Republic's Solution

World Republic refused to merge with the other groups. The basic disagreement between it and the other groups is one of policy. World Republic feels that primary efforts to achieve world government should be made outside of the United Nations by calling a people's convention to draw up a constitution for a world federation. The other groups feel that for the present they can be most effective by working to change the United Nations into a world government.

At Asheville, a compromise solution was reached whereby the World (Continued on page five)



## Inter-Fraternity Softball Schedule

The Inter-fraternity softball schedule got off to a start last Monday with the Lambda Chis playing the D. U.'s and the K. D. R. tangling with the A. T. O.'s. The schedule calls for one game with each fraternity and the championship of the league will be determined by a play-off elimination of the top four ranking teams. All games will start at 6:30 at night.

The schedule:

Date	Team 1	Team 2	Diamond
Mon., May 12	L. C. A.-D. U.	K. D. R.-A. T. O.	1 2
Tue., May 13	Zetes-Non Frats	Tau Delts-Dekes	1 2
Thu., May 15	Phi Delts-Non Frats	Zetes-D. U.	1 2
Fri., May 16	Tau Delts-A. T. O.	L. C. A.-K. D. R.	1 2
Mon., May 19	Phi Delts-Dekes	Non Frats-D. U.	1 2
Tue., May 20	Zetes-K. D. R.	Tau Delts-L. C. A.	1 2
Thu., May 22	Dekes-A. T. O.	Phi Delts-D. U.	1 2
Fri., May 23	Non Frats-K. D. R.	Zetes-Tau Delts	1 2
Mon., May 26	D. U.-K. D. R.	Phi Delts-A. T. O.	1 2
Tue., May 27	D. K. E.-L. C. A.	Non Frats-Tau Delts	1 2
Thu., May 29	Phi Delts-K. D. R.	A. T. O.-L. C. A.	1 2
Fri., May 30	D. U.-Tau Delts	Dekes-Zetes	1 2
Mon., June 2	K. D. R.-Tau Delts	Phi Delts-L. C. A.	1 2
Tue., June 3	A. T. O.-Zetes	Dekes-Non Frats	1 2
Thu., June 5	Phi Delts-Tau Delts	L. C. A.-Zetes	1 2
Fri., June 6	A. T. O.-Non Frats	D. U.-Dekes	1 2
Mon., June 9	K. D. R.-Dekes	Phi Delts-Zetes	1 2
Tue., June 10	L. C. A.-Non Frats	A. T. O.-D. U.	1 2

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## W.A.A. Elections

Sports Day, Saturday, May 17, will find the tennis courts and the archery field teeming with action. On that day fifteen representatives from Bates and the University of Maine will be here to match their skills against the same number of Colby co-eds.

This day is looked forward to with much anticipation as it is the first time this year that Colby girls have competed in inter-collegiate sports. The tennis and archery tournaments are to be played from 9:00 in the morning until 3:00 in the afternoon. At that time all participants will be divided into teams for a softball game. This match is to be played on the field north of the Women's Union. The day's events will come to a close at 5:00 P. M.

Lois Bowers and Ruth Rogers will manage the tennis and archery tournaments, respectively. Harriet Hutchinson is in charge of refreshments to be served in the Smith Lounge to the Maine and Bates girls.

### TOURNAMENT AWARDS

Preceding Sports Day, a series of tournaments were held which were terminated on April 22 with a W. A. A. coffee supervised by Deanie Whitcomb. At this time, blue and red ribbons with the sport and the year were presented to winners and runners-up respectively.

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# TRACKSTERS FAIL TO SCORE IN STATE MEET AT BOWDOIN

## Tennis Team Defeated By Other Maine Schools

The Colby tennis team has been meeting strong opposition recently and have dropped two matches to powerful Bowdoin and one apiece to Bates and Maine.

### Mules Win Doubles Match

Before vacation, Colby lost to Bowdoin 8-1 in their initial match when the combination of Bud Everts and Tom Pierce broke through to win their doubles match for Colby's single point.

In a return match at Bowdoin last Friday, the Mule racquetters were shut out 9-0 in a very hard fought contest. In the number one doubles, Everts and Felton were edged out in three sets by a 3-6, 6-2, 6-4 score by Branche and Rosander.

### Events Salvages Singles Match

Against Bates last Saturday, Bud Everts, freshman tennis ace, downed his opponent in his singles match thus saving Colby from a shut-out as the Blue and Gray dropped their third straight contest.

Maine shut-out Colby last Monday for the Mules' fourth defeat which was highlighted by Everts' single match which was eventually lost to Von Pearson in three sets 7-5, 2-6, 7-5. Bud Schlesinger and Ed Kaplan started their number two doubles match but Kaplan was forced to retire because of a shoulder injury and was replaced by Don Sterner and the match was lost 6-3, 6-0.

### Losses Hit Team

The tennis team was hard hit by the loss of Tom Pierce who dropped from the team in favor of baseball and Dana Robinson who has been absent because of his track activities. The team played some good and some poor tennis against Maine but hope to rebound against Bates this Saturday against whom they made their best showing last week, despite the final outcome.

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## Jayvees Win Over Panthers, Hebron

The Colby Jayvee baseball team opened its season by defeating the Waterville Panthers 7-4 in a seven-inning game at Seavern's Field last Thursday.

The Panthers got away to a one-run lead in the opening frame but the Mules tallied in the second, third and fourth innings to go out front, 4-1. Waterville fought back in the last half of the fourth and tallied three big runs to tie the game. With the score tied four-all in the top of the seventh, the Jv's pushed across three runs to take the lead and the game.

Lee Williams called on Paul Flanagan who did a good job until he was lifted in the fifth inning and Bert Silberstein went on to do a fine job of relief hurling and to take credit for the win.

Hall, Pierce and Silberstein got two hits apiece to star for the Jv's while Waterville's second sacker Stubby Chamberlain got two of the four hits off the Baby Mules' hurlers.

After having swamped the Coburn team, the Williamsmen went on to Hebron Academy where they overpowered the Hebron nine with 13 runs on 17 hits. The score, 13-3.

Warren started on the mound and went five innings pitching masterfully and allowing but three hits. The Mules scored three in the first, one in the third, five in the fourth, one more in the sixth and three in the seventh. The Hebronites scored all of their runs in the fourth frame.

Dick Grant was the star for the Baby Mules collecting a single, a double and a triple for a busy day at the plate. Tom Pierce got a single and a long triple to share honors with Grant.

This week the Jv's have a busy schedule with a return game with the Waterville team on Monday, a journey to Higgins on Wednesday and another game with MCI at Pittsfield.

Colby JV's	ab	r	bh	po	a
Nason, 3b	3	1	2	1	0
Silberstein, 3b	1	1	0	0	0
Nardozi, 2b	4	2	2	2	3
Pierce, cf, ss	5	3	2	2	0
Oliver, cf	1	0	0	0	0
Grant, rf, c	5	3	3	2	1
Jacobs, 1b	4	1	2	5	2
Brackett, 1b	1	0	1	2	0
Tranton, lf	5	0	0	0	0
Fields, c	4	0	2	6	0
Goulette, ss, 2b	4	0	2	1	2
Warren, p	3	1	1	0	1
Leaf, p	0	1	0	0	1
Cramer, rf	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	13	17	21	10

Hebron	ab	r	bh	po	a
Lunder, 3b	2	0	0	1	2
Markey, cf	3	0	1	2	0
Tibbetts, p	1	1	1	0	1
Carlson, lf	2	1	0	2	0
York, rf	3	1	1	3	0
Richie, 2b	1	0	0	0	3
Francis, 1b	3	0	0	5	1
Maloy, ss	3	0	0	0	2
Seigel, c	2	0	0	8	0
Lee, p	1	0	0	0	0
Strom, 1b	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	21	3	3	21	0

Score by innings:  
Colby 301 501 3—13  
Hebron 000 300 0—3

Errors: Jacobs, Fields, Goulette 2, Warren, Carlson, Ritchie 2, Two-base hits: Nason, Nardozi 2, Fields, Grant, Brackett, York. Three-base hits: Pierce, Grant. Bases on balls: off Warren, 3; off Tibbetts, 3; off Lee, 2. Struck out: by Tibbetts, 4; by Lee, 2; by Warren, 5; by Leaf, 2. Hit by pitcher: by Leaf (Richie). Winning pitcher: Warren. Losing pitcher: Tibbetts. Umpire: Todd. Time of game: 2:00.

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## 'Mercurymen' Run Under Difficulties

After a loss to the Vermont Catamounts on Saturday, May 3 on the rain-drenched Seavern's Field track the Colby tracksters primed themselves for the All-State Meet last Saturday at Bowdoin. But the leading-lights of Coach Anderson's squad just couldn't click and the Blue and Grey Wingfooters were unable to grab a single point.

Maine charged to an easy victory by scoring 67 points to Bowdoin's 45, Bates' 23 and Colby's 0. Matt Branche was the high scorer of the afternoon with 17 points. He took a first in the low hurdles, and a second in the highs, a first in the broad jump and a tie for first with Emerson of Bowdoin in the high jump. Considering that Branche has been devoting his time to tennis and on Friday had played and defeated Colby in both singles and doubles his track success is quite exceptional.

### Colby Gains Seven Fourth Places

Colby had a load of potential scorers with them on their sojourn to Whittier Field but were only successful in capturing seven fourth-place finishes. Sandy Sandler, who in the previous two outdoor meets had won 18 of a possible twenty points in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, looked like a good bet in those events and a possible scorer for Colby. He qualified for the afternoon running of the 100 with a time of 10.3 and finished fourth in the final event.

Harry Marden, winner of the 220 against Vermont was unable to run as was Bill Igoe speedy 100-yard man of the Mule team.

Red O'Halloran, a likely point-winner in the 440 after an excellent victory over the Vermont 440 men, held the lead for most of the race only to finish fourth trailing behind three Maine men.

Matt Branche outstepped little Don Heacock by 20 yards in the 220 low hurdles in which Don did not score.

### Colby's Distance Men Shut-Out

Colby's long distance men were not very successful either. Dana Robinson was not able to score in his race and Dick Pullen almost captured a point for the Mules in a beautifully run one-mile race in which he was barely beaten out, finishing fourth.

Phil Lawson just missed a tie for third in the pole vault when Higgins of Maine trying for his third time at 10'9" hit the bar which bounced several times and then stayed in place. Lawson at 10'9" barely nicked the bar on his way down and carried it with him. Lawson, the week before, had taken the pole vault from the Catamounts easily. The winning height in the pole vault at the State Meet was 11'3".

The Colby weightmen were too far outclassed by such men as John Tausig and George Marsankis and they were also unable to place.

In the running of the 120 high hurdles Matt Branche of Bowdoin scored second following LeClair of Maine. Colby did not place.

Mahoney, who had won the broad jump against Vermont, took no scoring position in the meet.

### Preparing For Eastons.

Right now Coach Anderson is priming a few of his runners for the Eastons at Worcester this week-end. Exactly who will be entered for Colby will be known soon.

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# 'Work-Play On Arbor Day' Is The Cry For May 21st

Whether you are looking for an easy way to get a sun tan, or just a day of fun out of doors, you'll get them both on Arbor Day, May 21st, next Wednesday.

Final plans have been made, and the schedule for the day has been completed. Activities will start at 8:00 A. M., with everyone meeting at the bus stop in front of the Spa. Nine crews have been set up, for the purpose of working around the entire upper campus, and they are as follows:

- 1) The area at the North end of the Library, which will entail the much desired cleaning up of mud, under the direction of Mr. Nickerson, Howell Clement and Haroldine Whitcomb.
- 2) Front of Library, under supervision of Professor Weeks, Emil Eilertsen and Beverly Benner.
- 3) The court area between the Library and the dormitories, with Professor Brown, Jocelyn Hulme and Roscoe Schlesinger assisting with plans.

4) The new Gym site, which should be of especial interest to all potential athletes, under the direction of Mike Loeb, Jane Wallace and Bradley Maxim.

5) Coombs baseball field, which could stand a great deal of overhauling, supervised by Bill Millett, Dick Thorne and Shirley Lloyd.

6) Girls Playing Field, beside the Women's Union, where Miss Marchant, Professor Carr, Betty Wade and Dick Rabner will direct and assist in work.

7) Area around Roberts Union, naturally under the watchful eye of Norman Smith and his assistants, Dorothy Briggs and Bob Batten.

8) Lawn Mowing operations will be undertaken by Mr. Eustis, Miriam Dickinson and Marvin Jasolowitz.

9) The lawns in front of the Veterans' apartments make up another crew job, and this work shall be directed by Chick Bailey and Mr. Savage.

**Each Crew Work Out Own System**  
Students may work on any crew they wish. Each crew will work out their own system whereby one shift will work for perhaps a half hour and then relax a half hour, etc.

Following the clean up, there will be a tree planting ceremony, at which time a tree will be planted for the Senior Class, and the Arbor Day Queen will be crowned. Louise Kelley and Eric Pape are in charge of plans for this ceremony.

**Singing and Baseball Follow Lunch.**  
Following lunch, which will be served to the entire college on the lawn beside the Women's Union, there will be singing led by President Bixler and a student-faculty baseball game, open to anyone who wishes to prove that the students are more athletic than the faculty, or vice versa.

To end the day right, a vic dance is being planned for that evening. It is hoped that it can be held out doors beside the women's union.

**Object to Create Fun and Good Feeling**

Any students who were here last year will testify that Arbor Day was one of the highlights of the spring activities. Arbor Day is one of the first traditions of the New Campus, and its object is to create fun and a closer feeling amongst those at Colby.

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## PROF. SMITH REPORTS (Continued from Page 2)

the gap between the student's academic routine and the schedule of daily living?" Another question was, "How can we in Union work help to develop a spirit of cooperation and active participation among students to prevent a growing tendency toward the "Me First" attitude?"

We talked about "Coffee Hours" when coffee and cakes are served first and then followed by a talk by professor or student on such subjects as "My Hobby" or "Customs and Manners in My Country" by the foreign student, or samplings of music or poetry by interested members of the group. The faculty "Hobby Exhibition" was a great success in one university and one professor exhibited a hooked rug made entirely by himself. We also discussed the "Mixer" dance to which students may go alone or in groups without "dates". And there is the "Unionizer" which adds several tables of bridge to the dancing feature. We are told of "Listening Parties" where groups of students gather about radios to listen to symphony concerts, discussions, and football games. Coffee is served after the program is over and a discussion usually follows.

### Learn By Doing

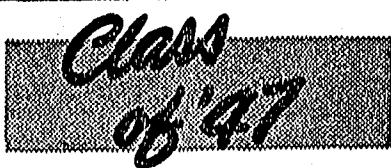
An interesting discussion was held on the subject of responsibility as a factor in freedom and how students could "learn by doing" in student activities. One University has a special course in Social Education which carries college credit. Students are given opportunities to assist the dietitians in connection with home economics; to counsel students in connection with guidance courses; to organize group activities in connection with sociology courses. This plan gained much approval from the assembled group.

The conference members were invited to a "University Sing" where three thousand students sat cross-legged on the gym floor for an hour of rapt attention to the business of singing and what singing! At the conclusion of the program everyone stood up to sing Alma Mater without missing a line. A fourteen piece student band furnished the music, and the boys would make Tommy Dorsey sit up and take notice.

### Students Supervise Unions

I roamed about the Illini Union and talked with student assistants and students who were "just sitting". They were all very courteous and very willing to talk at length about their University which, I gathered, is the best in the land. Most of the actual work in the Union is done by students and as one student said, "It's a great honor to be appointed to a Union Committee. It means that you have the stuff."

By this time, you may have guessed that I thoroughly enjoyed my trip to Illinois and I did. It was exciting to be among men and women from all over the country who are working hard to make college unions vital factors in the development of social understandings in the lives of thousands of young men and women from Puget Sound to Florida and from Southern California to the East Coast. Staff members and student delegates enjoyed every minute of the conference and I hope that Colby can send one or two student delegates to the next meeting, since the students made many fine contributions to the general discussions.



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## NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the Colby Medical Society on Tuesday, May 20 at 7:45 in Roberts Union. The program will feature talks on cancer by members of a student commission and a representative from the Waterville Cancer Board. All students and faculty are invited.

## Student Federalist Is I. R. C. Subject

The World Student Federalist Movement is the topic for next International Relations Club meeting on Thursday, May 15 at 7:45 in Robert's Union.

Joseph Wheeler, a junior at Bowdoin College, is speaking on the organization: its purposes and its accomplishments. He started a chapter in his high school at Concord, New Hampshire. This summer he was at the head of the committee organizing Leadership Conferences which he helped to make successful by procuring prominent speakers. He was influential in organizing the Bates chapter and is now on the Board of Representatives of the Student Federalist.

Mr. Wheeler has been asked here to present the platform after the question of the Student Federalist on this campus arose at an earlier I. R. C. meeting. Before any decision could be made, the group attending the meeting felt that someone who had actively worked for the organization should be called in to explain it to us.

## Sorority News

**Alpha Delta Pi.** Thursday May 15 a closed dance will be held in the Smith-Dunn Lounges for members of A. D. Pi. The decorations will follow a Spring motif.

**Chi Omega.** At tonight's meeting Professor Brooks was the speaker. The pledges were invited. Chi Omega won the cup for the best booth at the Carnivale held last Saturday night.

**Delta Delta Delta.** Tonight at a founder's day party the Tri Deltas celebrated the anniversary of the founding of Alpha Upsilon chapter of Delta Delta Delta at Colby. The Sadie Hawkins dance has been postponed from May 31 to a later date.

**Sigma Kappa.** Sigma Kappa sorority and Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity held a successful closed dance in the Dunn Lounge last Saturday night.

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## Education Department To Meet On Saturday

A meeting of the visiting committee in the Department of Education will be held on the afternoon of Saturday, May 17 in Professor Edward J. Colgan's laboratory-classroom in the Women's Union.

The committee will consist of the following:

Clyde Russell, chairman and executive secretary of the Maine Teachers' Association; Dr. Franklin Winslow Johnson, Colby's own president-emeritus; Mr. Leon Staples, an educational supervisor in Stamford, Conn.; Mrs. Rose Hamilton Whittemore, trustee; Mr. Harland Ladd, commissioner of education for Maine; and Dr. Robert Ulich, professor of education at Harvard.

The problems of and the possibilities for the Department of Education will be discussed. This meeting will be in line with the one in Religion, Philosophy, Psychology and Sociology which was held here last week.

## FEDERALISTS UNITE

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Republic group agreed to a policy to work "primarily to strengthen the UN" and to forego a program for a people's convention until after the next meeting of the Assembly of United World Federalists (to be held before November 1, 1947). However, at the first meeting of the UWF Executive Council, on March 4, World Republic announced that its board had voted against merger at this time but wished to cooperate in every way with United World Federalists.

### Organization's Structure

The structure of the new organization is as follows: Local chapters are set up, under the jurisdiction of State branches wherever possible, otherwise directly under the corporation itself. Provision is made for members - at large in communities where there is no organized chapter.

The governing body of UWF is the General Assembly, a representative assembly which meets at least once a year. In between meetings of the Assembly, the corporation is governed by the Executive Council, the first 31 members of which were elected at Asheville.

### Defines Peace

The following is a statement of the beliefs of United World Federalists. We believe that peace is not merely the absence of war, but the presence of justice, of law, of order—in short, of government and the institutions of government; that world peace can be created and maintained only under world law, universal and strong enough to prevent armed conflict.

Therefore, while endorsing the efforts of the United Nations to bring about a world community favorable to peace, we will work primarily to strengthen the United Nations into a world government of limited powers adequate to prevent war and having a direct jurisdiction over the individual in those matters within its competence.

### World Government or World War

This brings to a close the history of Student Federalists and of the larger group known as United World Federalists. It is certainly a dynamic organization and one which deserves an infinite amount of support and credit. Whether you agree or disagree that Federalism is the solution to the problem, none of you can fail to see the vital, pressing need for world government. Either we have World Government or we have World War. The choice is up to you. What do you want to do about it or rather how much are you willing to do for it?

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## Arbor Day Queen Elected By Seniors

The members of the Senior Class will nominate and elect a Queen for Arbor Day who will be crowned at the Tree Planting ceremony directly following morning activities on Arbor Day, and who will serve as Queen of the Spring Fling.

The Queen can be a member of any class and qualifications need not be listed here. Notices as to when and how she will be elected shall be posted within the next several days.

## COLBY-AT-THE-MIKE FRIGHT (Continued from Page 2)

### Number of Mediocre Programs Presented

My final gripe against Colby-at-the-Mike is the number of mediocre programs which have been held. Because of lack of student interest and cooperation, many of the programs were of the type I have described, and many people have stopped listening since their chances of getting an interesting program were so few.

I have, perhaps, been over-critical of the shows, considering that a group of inexperienced students have had to face many problems which they were not able to foresee, and which, in the future, they will avoid. Also, the group which has been active and helpful in the programs has been pitifully small.

### Provide Excellent Opportunity

These programs provide an excellent opportunity for anyone interested in a future in radio to get actual experience. If the programs are conducted in an interesting manner, they can be excellent publicity for Colby.

Examples of good programs have been set as models for the future. The several Varsity show skits, staged by Schlesinger and Farnsworth, have probably been the highlight of the series as far as interest goes.

The Glee club, as well as other musical ensembles from Colby have given some excellent musical programs. Several interviews and round-table discussions have had wide appeal.

### Talent and Potentialities Here

Colby can, next year, have top radio entertainment. The talent and potentialities are here. They can not have it unless there is more cooperation from the students.

Those who are interested in being on the programs should come out to help. Those who have ideas for programs should develop those ideas over the summer and, if possible, work up a program for next year. It is up to the individual students of Colby to decide if they want to take the time and energy to maintain thirty minutes of radio a week.



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### Club News

#### French Club

Instead of the regular meeting of the French Club, a card party was conducted May 7 in the Smith Lounge of the Women's Union.

The next meeting will be May 20th.

#### German Club

At the May 7th meeting of the German club, Dorothy Briggs read a story by E. T. A. Hoffman.

#### Newman Club

All members are urged to attend the next meeting of the Newman Club, May 18, for the election of officers for next year.

Anyone interested in joining is welcome to attend.

#### W. A. A.

Saturday, May 17, the W. A. A. will sponsor Sport's Day. Women representatives from Bates and the University of Maine will be here to participate in tennis, softball and archery matches.

#### BUSMAN'S HOLIDAY (Continued from Page 2)

denced in the first copy of the Focus. However, because of the implications of the title, one is inclined to ask if some of the quoted figures are still valid in post-war Russia. For example, those pertaining to the production of luxury goods would obviously be drastically curtailed. Therefore, the question arises, will the war prove to be only a temporary interruption of the trend toward the establishment of a privileged bureaucracy, or will it prove to be a new departure?

Switching attention from the prose articles to the poetry that appears in the issue, it is somewhat of a surprise to find only one, if we except Mr. Bernheimer's translation. Perhaps, the editorial board will be able to bludgeon some of their acquaintances into remedying this deficit for a later issue. A spring publication without benefit of poetry reflects a glaring lack of proper sentiment on the part of the college community! To return to "The Secret", I cannot feel quite at home reading about such blood-thirsty action masquerading in the poetic structure of Robert Frost. Somehow, the restrained intensity and the bitter retort have so thoroughly imbued themselves into my conception of Frost's blank verse that the melodrama goes "against the grain."

Taken as a unit, all of these achievements, as well as their companion pieces, represent the creative ability of a thinking segment of the college group. As such, it deserves the support of all of us who are connected with Colby in any way. College values are sometimes indistinguishable and often open to question. But the ability to create, so frequently engendered by the atmosphere of college life cannot be circumscribed by four years and an A. B.

#### ROSCOE POUND (Continued from Page 1)

party, this fact proved that it was acceptable to all."

Some rather interesting provisions can be found in the document. Universal suffrage for all those over the age of twenty; a quota "defined by law" for women in the Legislature; management of public utilities; a permanent budget allocation for education, science and culture; national social insurance and confirmation of China's adherence to the United Nations' Organization are among those provisions that can be used to make up a representative list.

In light of what has been said, it should seem that a lecture of prime interest and great importance, can be heard at Roberts Union next Friday afternoon.

### Fraternity News

#### Lambda Chi Alpha

Fred Perkins, correspondent, and Edmund Miselis, treasurer, represented the Colby chapter at the annual New England Conclave on April 20

and 27 at the University Club, Boston. Ten chapters from the New England area were represented at two business meetings and a banquet-ball.

#### Delta Upsilon

The following officers were elected shortly before vacation to serve for the rest of this semester: Richard Marcyes, president; William Mansfield, vice president; Raymond Deltz, treasurer; Philip Peterson, recording secretary; Fred Hinck, cor-

responding secretary; Charles Sanborn, social chairman; Philip Blake, assistant treasurer; David Clark, chapter reporter; Earle Makant, chaplain; Nelson Everts, "Link" reporter; Richard Reid, chairman, Robert Wasserman, and Roy Leaf, social committee; Cyril Joly, chairman, Charles Cousins and Harry Lightbody, house committee; Ralph Field, cheerleader; Bushnell Walsh and Philip Dine, guards; and Theodore Buyniski, photographer.

#### Delta Kappa Epsilon

As a climax to "Deke Week," a formal dance will be held Saturday, June 14, at the Waterville Country Club.

#### Tau Delta Phi

Plans are being made for an informal dance and buffet supper Saturday, June 7.

#### Alpha Tau Omega

A semi-formal dance is planned for Saturday, June 7, at the Waterville

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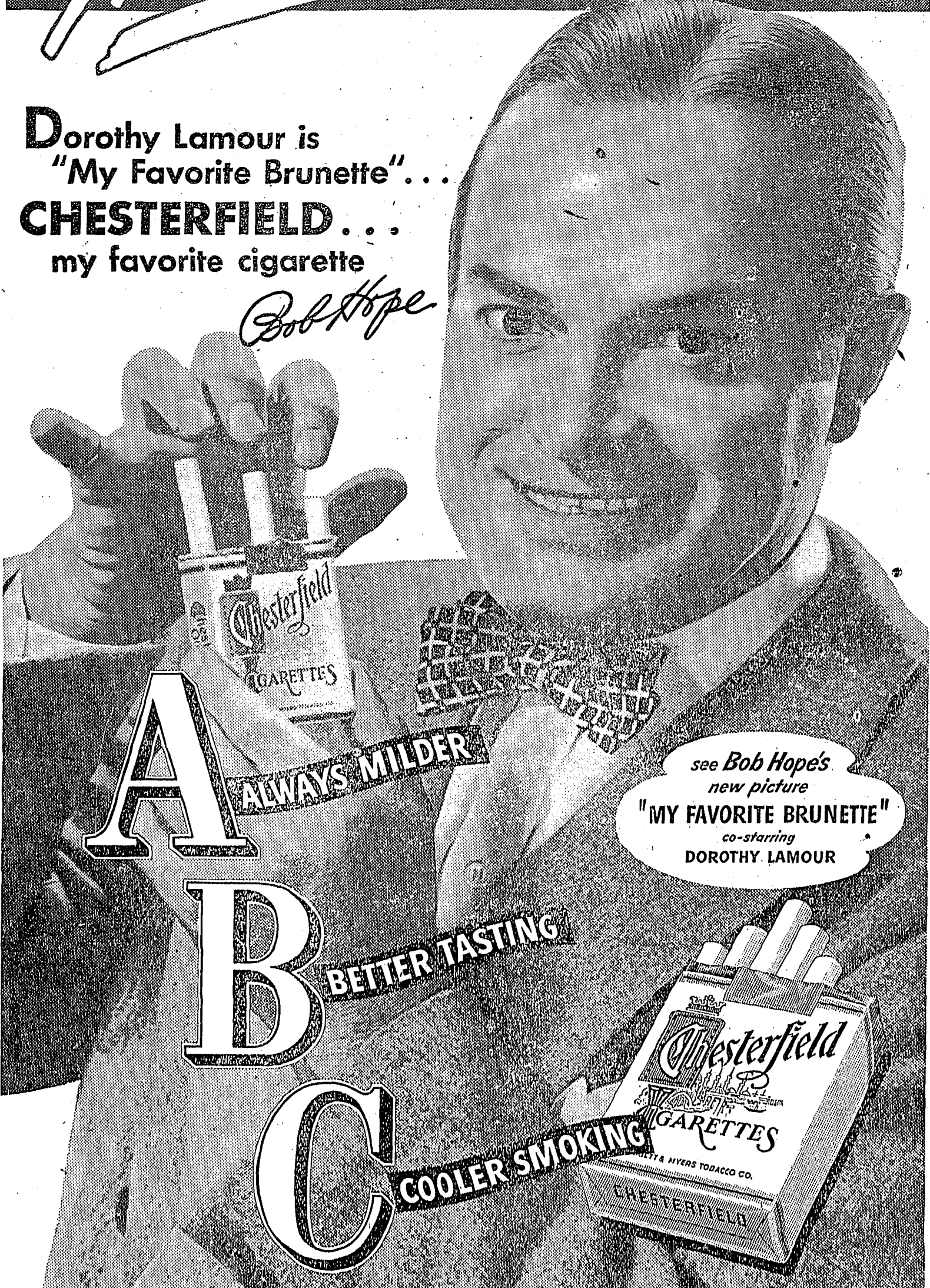
#### Zeta Psi

Preparations are under way for a "wiener roast" to be held Friday, May 23, in connection with the Spring Week-end.

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