

"Don't ever dare to take your college as a matter of course—because, like democracy and freedom, many people you'll never know anything about have broken their hearts to get it for you."

Alice Duer Miller

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## Variety Show Featured In Campus Chest Drive

Although the Campus Chest activities have been going on since Monday, the final drive to reach the goal of \$1,500. will continue with tonight's fair and the Variety Show tomorrow night. Sunday's Chapel offering will be donated to Campus Chest.

The Mystery Man contest, initiated in last week's *Echo*, has continued throughout the week. Clues have been given daily as to the identity of "Mr. Campus Chest." activities will be given to Campus Chest.

Everyone may guess as many times as he wishes. Each guess is ten cents; three guesses may be made for a quarter. The winner, who will be announced at the Variety Show, will be the recipient of a free trip to Bermuda.

The tag sale, which has been going on since Wednesday, will continue through noon tomorrow. The tags are sold for an unspecified contribution. Tomorrow is the final opportunity to guess "Mr. Campus Chest" or purchase a tag.

Last night the Lambda Chi's waited on table in the Women's Dorms for tips. At the same time, the ADPI's carried trays and played records in Roberts Union. The boys left tips and paid to have their favorite selections played. The Tri Delt pledges have been shining shoes in the Spa. Proceeds from all these

The Fair, which is tonight at 7:30 in the Women's Union, will feature booths representing all the organizations on campus. Activities will include: various types of races; a Guess Whose Legs Contest; several games involving aiming skills, and an opportunity to make-up girls. Food will be sold and pictures taken.

The Campus Chest Committee is raffling off a number of items including four records from Al Corey's, a crew neck sweater from Levine's, and a lady's and man's shirt from Dunham's. They will also sponsor the traditional auctioning off of 12 o'clock late permission April 12 for the dorm. Admission to the fair is a nominal fifteen cents.

The Highlights of '57 presents "23 Skidoo" tomorrow night in the

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## Arnold Air Society To Run Military Ball April 5th

The ROTC annual Military Ball will be April 5. Held in Women's Union gym, the dance will last from 8:00 p.m. through 12:00 midnight. Jimmy Hanson's orchestra is to be featured.

This will be the fifth consecutive Military Ball at Colby. Having been sponsored by the general cadet corps in previous years, the Ball will this year be sponsored by the Arnold Air Society. The newly formed society is an honorary fraternity for advanced officers in the AFROTC. Membership to the society, which is by election only, is limited to Juniors and Seniors.

A feature attraction at this function will be the crowning of the Queen of the Military Ball who will be commissioned as "Honorary Cadet Colonel." The Queen's four attendants will be recognized as "Cadet Majors." Five freshmen girls will be selected by a committee

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## Montague to Talk On Big Business

Gilbert H. Montague, well-known New York attorney, will speak on Tuesday evening, March 19, at 8 p.m. in Dunn Lounge, Women's Union. He will discuss in his talk "Big Business"; why it is needed and why it is feared; how this need and this fear are reflected in the American anti-trust laws; and how they stimulate small business and big business and keep the American industrial economy the most competitive and dynamic economy in the world.

Mr. Montague was one of the original members of the National Committee to Study and Report on Anti-trust Laws. He accepted the appointment to this Committee at the request of the U. S. Attorney General and was one of its most active members of the study from

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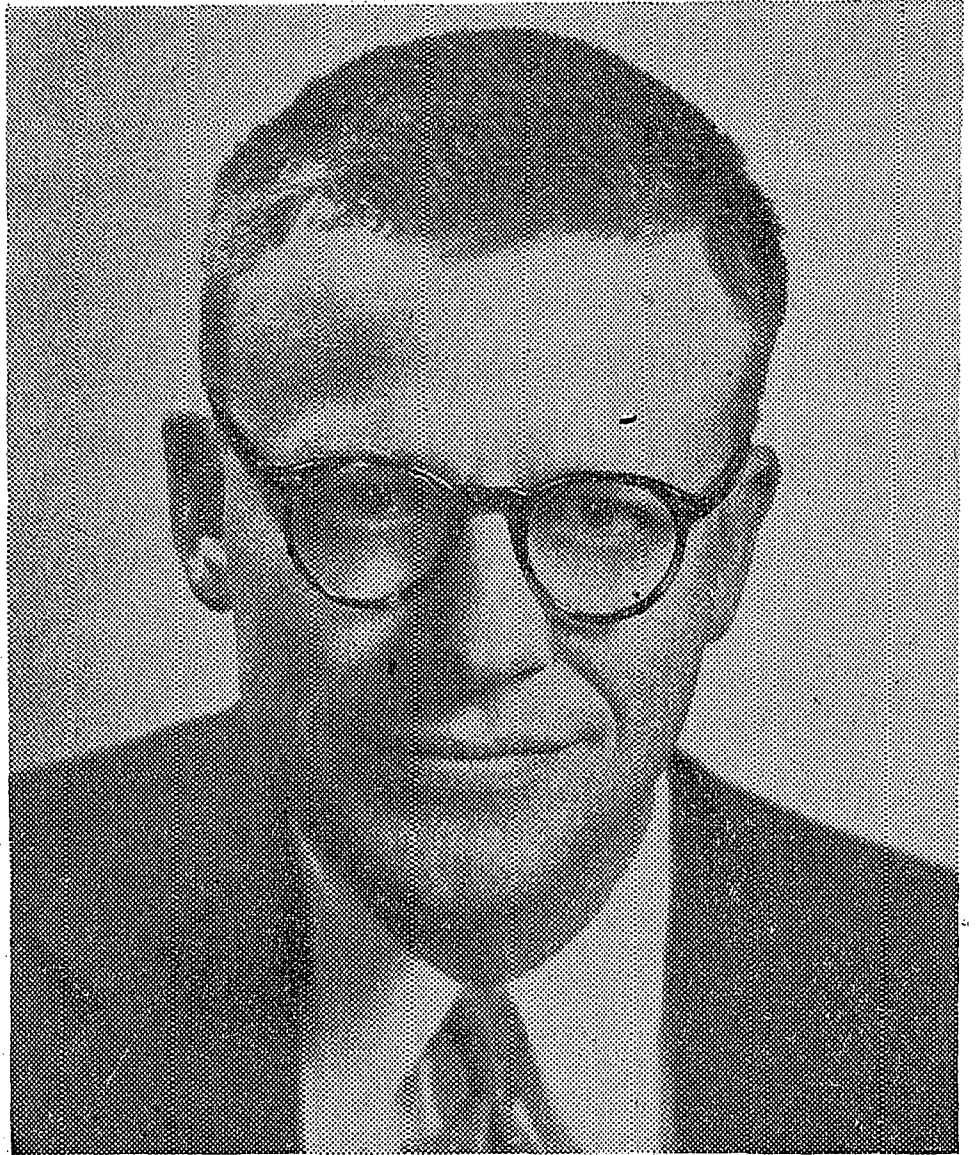
## Prof. P. Schilpp Addresses Classes

Last night at 8:00 in Lorimer Chapel, Professor Paul A. Schilpp addressed an audience of Colby students and townspeople on the subject, "The Place of Pleasure in the Good Life." Professor Schilpp's comments were pertinent to life at Colby, and all other phases of life, as well as being parallel to topics now being discussed in philosophy and religion classes.

Professor Schilpp was born in Dillenburger, Germany, in 1897, and is presently living in Illinois where he has been Professor of Philosophy at Northwestern University since 1950. He received his A.B. degree at Baldwin-Wallace College, Beria, Ohio in 1916; his M.A. at Northwestern in 1933; and his Ph.D. at Stanford University in 1936. He has had positions at the College of the Pacific, 1924-1934, and U. C. L. A., 1934-1935. Since then he has been a member of the faculty at Northwestern.

Among his many contributions to the field of philosophy and religion, Professor Schilpp is now editor of the *Library of Living Philosophers*. His lecture last night was one of the Ingraham Series. For the remainder of his stay at Colby, Professor Schilpp addressed three different class meetings today.

## Faculty Dean Position Goes To Conn. College Professor



Professor Robert E. L. Strider.

A 39 year old author and professor of English, Robert E. L. Strider, has been appointed dean of the faculty, President J. Seelye Bixler announced Wednesday. He succeeds Ernest C. Marriner who has been named historian of the college. Prof. Strider will assume his duties, August 1.

Currently on the faculty at Connecticut College, New London, Conn., Dr. Strider is author of "Robert Greville, Lord Brooke," a biographical and critical study of a seventeenth century Puritan writer and public figure. The volume is now in the process of being published by the Harvard University Press.

Professor Strider graduated from Harvard in 1939, received his A.M. in 1940, and his Ph.D. from the university in 1950.

## Winner Headed To Bermuda

The prospect of a trip to Bermuda this spring vacation might not be out of the question for some lucky winner of the Campus Chest "Mystery Man" contest. After many queries as to just where the winner of the contest was going to go, it is certainly a reality now that Bermuda is the destination. This somehow seems more enticing than the original plan to send the winner on a trip to Paris, Maine.

Leaves Boston or N. Y.

The Campus Chest Committee has come through with flying colors in the controversy about where the winner would be going. After much consultation, they decided that a bona fide trip was in order, and this alternate seems more appropriate, even if the other was to France.

The winner will be announced tomorrow night at the Variety Show. He or she will board either a Pan American or Colonial Airline flagship from either Logan Airport or Idlewild Terminal and will wing his or her way south to the sunny isle of Bermuda. The round-trip ticket seems easy enough to compete for. All contestants have to do is figure out who the "Mystery Man" is from the clues supplied by the committee. College Week in Bermuda, don't forget to take a chance!

In making his announcement, President Bixler declared, "Dr. Strider is just the kind of person Dean Marriner and I hoped could be found to carry on the important work of the office of Dean of the Faculty. In the first place, he is young, vigorous, and likable, and the same words apply to his attractive wife."

"Secondly, young as he is, he has already an outstanding reputation as a teacher both of undergraduate courses at Connecticut College and of courses in adult education conducted by the cities of New London and Hartford."

"Third, the quality of his scholarly work as a student of seventeenth century literature has received high praise from the experts who are best able to judge it."

"And last but not least, he has had enough experience with administration to show that he handles its type of problem with vision and decisiveness. I am confident that he and Mrs. Strider will make a conspicuous contribution to our academic and community life and I look forward with eagerness to their coming."

A native of Wheeling, West Virginia, Dr. Strider is the son of Robert E. L. Strider, now the retired Episcopal Bishop of West Virginia, and the late Mary Holroyd Strider.

From 1942 until 1946, he served as a lieutenant in Naval Communications. Prior to military service, he was assistant in undergraduate

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Wallace E. Parsons, President of Keyes Fiber Co., Waterville, Maine.

—Photo by Fabian Bachrach

## W. E. Parsons, Trustee, Succumbs In Waterville

Wallace E. Parsons, president of Keyes Fibre Company of Waterville and trustee of Colby, died Wednesday, March 6, in Thayer Hospital. He was taken ill while in Boston on business early in February and returned to Waterville to enter Thayer. Funeral services were held Saturday, March 9, at Pine Grove Cemetery. The funeral oration was delivered by Dr. Bixler.

Always closely affiliated with the various activities of the college, Mr. Parsons was elected to the Board of Trustees April 28, 1955. His earlier association with Colby was in the field of adult education and extension. He also headed Colby's Institute for Maine Industries for the past several years. As trustee of Thayer Hospital, too, Mr. Parsons was active in formulating mutual programs for Colby and the Hospital. During the highway controversy Mr. Parsons represented Colby at all meetings with the Highway Com-

mission. He strove constantly to keep the College and the town working together on this problem. He was also chairman of the trustees' committee on building and grounds.

An outstanding Waterville citizen and active in affairs concerning Colby and the community. Mr. Parsons has been associated with Keyes Fibre since 1926, when he became assistant to the president. Prior to this position, Mr. Parsons had been an engineer for the U. S. Geological Survey 1910-11; assistant to the superintendent of the Orono Pulp and Paper Co., 1911-13; a construction engineer from 1913-16; treasurer for the Moulton Engineering Corp., 1916-17; purchasing agent for the Cumberland Shipbuilding Co., 1917-18; assistant to the general manager, 1918-20; and treasurer of the Fairfield Manufacturing Co., 1920-25. In 1926 he joined Keyes Fibre, and rose from assistant to the president

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## The Lakes, Coast, & Politics

In the spring, a student's fancy turns to the lakes, the coast, and politics. As spring vacation draws near, the air is filled with talk of Student Government elections.

The news has reached this office that five parties have formed in the Junior Class to run for Student Government positions. We didn't expect this many students to show that much interest, and it is a great comfort to know that such activity can stir so many students. However, the prospect of five parties is going to present problems which may not be adequately accounted for.

With twenty people in the running this year, there will theoretically be a greater spread in the vote distribution. The great danger here is that the students who get a majority may only have a small majority when considered on a campus-wide scale. It has been brought to our attention that the possibility of "primary elections" and then the reforming of the parties might result in a more representative display of student feeling for these offices. Taking everything into consideration, this seems like much the wiser thing to do. With all the talk of bettering Colby and Student Government, this seems like the best step in the right direction that the students could take. But, this would demand a lot of extra work and time; yet would it not give us a better idea of who the majority of the students want in the biggest offices in school?

## Campus Comment

by Robert Gerrard

In most civilized societies a cyclical pattern of development may be observed with one period, now and again, repeating the character of the previous one. The "Roaring Twenties," which has been termed the era of the "lost generation," was an open revolt against the strait-laced, Victorian mores of the nineteenth century. To notice the recurrence of this Victorian era, one has only to observe the morality that governs our parents' actions.

In the college society this cycle also takes place. The period before the Depression produced on many American campuses a noisy, raccoon coat wearing, flask carrying undergraduate who displayed a great deal of enthusiasm and spirit. He was certainly not apathetic toward any phase of college life, with, perhaps, the exception of his studies. To all outward appearances, the Depression, World War II and the Korean War have destroyed this undergraduate enthusiasm. The great march on the nation's colleges by veterans seemed to kill by their adult example the rowdier aspects of college life.

The great swing now on the campuses seems to be toward sophistication. The undergraduate is afraid that by displaying too much spirit he will appear unsophisticated. Thus at athletic events it is seldom that any great amount of enthusiasm is shown. Because of this swing, many extracurricular activities are neglected by people who really have a great deal of talent.

Sophistication is not entirely a fault. When it weeds out the more unnecessary elements of college life, it is a definite benefit; but, when it encroaches upon the worthwhile activities that a college provides, then it should be considered a definite evil and must be viewed with an extremely critical eye.

Colby suffers not only from an overabundance of seemingly sophisticated persons but also from perhaps an even greater problem, which is its youth. When the school moved from College Avenue to Mayflower Hill, it left behind the greatest part of its tradition and age. Long traditions encourage spirited participation. An organization that has a long, uninterrupted history has less trouble in encouraging enthusiastic spirit. Within this new setting, the student can not discern any institution that offers a heritage. Tradition and heritage encourage love for an institution. The Colby student at this point very definitely displays respect for the college, but little love. Perhaps love for Colby can only be developed when the students are able to stroll down "shaded paths" and hurry along "memorial halls." What I am saying is that Colby is, for all practical purposes, eleven years old and that a love for it can only be created and the apathetic attitude remedied with weathering.

## Faculty Briefs

by Leslie Colitt

A glint came into Dr. Ermanno F. Comparetti's eye as he spoke of the proposed Colby Fine Arts and Music Building. As chairman of the Fine Arts and Music Department, Professor Comparetti views the new structure as the culmination of the Department's greatest ambition — to have a building devoted entirely to Music and the Arts. It will contain studios, lecture halls, and exhibition rooms for the up to now deprived Art Department. Colby's musical life will be centered here in the numerous listening and practicing rooms, rehearsal rooms, and auditorium.

Born in Popolo, Italy, Ermanno Comparetti came to this country at an early age, but never lost contact with the land of his birth. Periodically he has revisited Italy, as an exchange student from Cornell in 1936-37, and since the war with his



DR. COMPARETTI

wife, Mrs. Alice Comparetti of Colby's English Department.

The Comparettis' invariably head for the small towns and villages of Italy, in which they feel one can still find traditional Italian life with its colorful customs and ever present music.

On a Ford Foundation Fellowship, Dr. Comparetti spent his sabbatical year 1954-55 in Italy, collecting folk songs from many of the more remote regions of central Italy. With a wire recorder he recorded villagers singing in their homes and groups, and on paper he noted the melodies that the peasants hummed while working in the fields. Back at Colby, Professor Comparetti composed a symphony orchestra work based on these folk tunes, which has been performed a number of times by the Colby Community Symphony Orchestra.

Mr. Comparetti's travels through-

## A Letter to The Student Body

As a candidate for the presidency of Student Government and as the leader of the Student Action Party, I feel it is my duty to state explicitly our reasons for running.

We have one reason only! That is to make Student Government a more efficient and effective organization.

The prime reason for its inefficiency and ineffectiveness is its lack of power. It does not have much authority. It does not use what authority it has. It is a proven fact that strength comes from action. I propose to make Student Government a more active organization. There are a million and one things a Student Government can do. Ask us about them!

Another thing of importance is that this party is well acquainted with the Student Government as it is at present. We are all ready, willing, and able to do the work which is necessary to achieve our goal—POWER in the hands of responsible student government officers.

Ask us how we will be accomplishing this!

ARCHIE TWITCHELL

## Comprehensives Nearing As Seniors Study Hard

Many underclassmen have wondered why so many usually gay seniors have forsaken their erstwhile pursuits for long evenings at the books. Attendance at classes has boomed, as have the crowds studying in the library evenings. Perhaps the much-discussed cold virus is not the only bug to infect the campus; another seems to be raging through the senior class with unprecedented results. Underclassmen have complained that inducing seniors to aid any form of extracurricular activity has become tougher than ever. Have all the seniors mysteriously been transformed into greasy grinds?

The answer can be given in a single, highly meaningful word, "comprehensives." The members of the class of 1957 have the dubious privilege of being the first students at Colby to take comprehensive examinations on their respective fields of concentration. Previously, all a senior had to do was to struggle through the usual battery of finals, and perhaps in addition an entrance exam for some graduate school. Now he must also be able to correlate all the material that has been covered in the courses he is taking or has taken for his major. Well, things are rough all over.

The fatal day for the written comprehensives, which are an all day affair, is April 9. However, the language majors must also face an oral examination a few days later. Each student will be expected to have both a broad and a deep understanding of his field of concentration. He will be responsible, besides, for having read a list of books related to his major. Grading the exams may prove to be an equally demanding task. Actually, several members of a department will read each examination, which may simplify matters. The examinations will be graded "honors," "pass" or "fail." If a student fails his Comprehensive, he is allowed one chance to take the examination before June. It practically goes without saying that no student who fails the Comprehensive twice will be allowed to graduate. For this reason, many seniors are sitting on nails right now, but it can be safely predicted that most seniors will weather the storm and go out from Comprehensives, as an old song puts it, "safe now in the wide, wide world."

## 600 On Your Dial Honor Societies Blue Key

"Ya say there's a radio station on know where they broadcast from? Is campus and ya don't don't even that your trouble, cousin?" To paraphrase the old philosopher, we will attempt to show you in succeeding columns what WMHB is all about and what some of its plans for the future are. The Mayflower Hill Broadcasting System is on the air a total of fifty-one hours each week. The morning programs, which we on the staff consider a great success, are on from seven to nine every morning except Sunday. On this segment of broadcasting schedule the station tries to give the student a morning program with mostly music, plus a few time checks and the weather. We sign off until seven p.m., when we commence our regular broadcasting for the evening. The staff has noticed that there is a certain roughness in the broadcasts. An effort is being made to try to give the listener programming in a professional manner. The station broadcasts from the Vets' Apartments. The actual studio is in what normally would be the bedroom. In order to have the broadcasts come over smoothly, the station must have an engineer for every show, and the space is not large enough to divide into two studios. After we realized that this was impossible, we approached Vice President Eustis in an attempt to obtain larger quarters in the Tower Room of the Miller Library. Mr. Eustis informed us of the shortage of space, and explained that the Tower Room was needed as office space for faculty members. With the proposed new building program, we hope eventually to obtain some space that would be adequate for our needs.

On March 19 all the Maine stations are coming to Colby to discuss plans for a Maine Intercollegiate Broadcasting System to enable the out Italy have not been without their humorous incidents.

In Venice, Mr. and Mrs. Comparetti once attempted to find the house where Galuppi, the composer immortalized by Browning, was born. They took a boat to the isle of Burano, Galuppi's birthplace, where

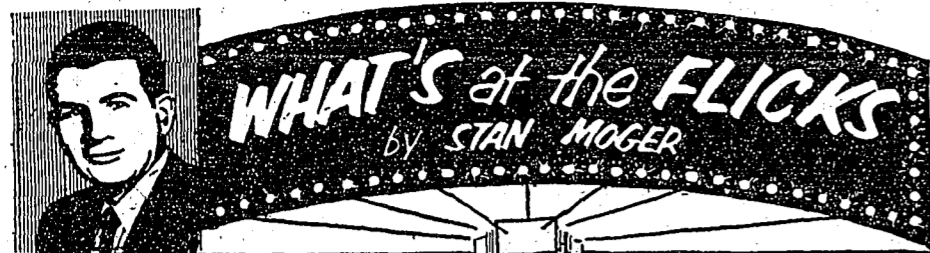
Blue Key is the male counterpart of Cap and Gown on the Colby College Campus. This society is made-up of Junior and Senior men. Membership in this organization is considered to be the highest non-academic honor that can be bestowed on an undergraduate man at Colby College. The basic desire of this society is to stimulate leadership and to enrich the college life of its members. The qualifications for new members, who are chosen late in their Junior year by the Senior members and faculty selected by them are: active support of college projects, tolerance, enthusiasm, insight, optimism, leadership abilities, friendliness, good scholarship, and upright citizenship. Membership in this organization is considered a high honor since it gives its members a chance to show their leadership abilities in organizing and directing college functions. This year there will be nine new members initiated into this honorary society.

Blue Key works with Cap and Gown in sponsoring such events as Johnson Day and the Faculty Children's Christmas Party. Members help as hosts at Parent's Weekend and at The President's Reception for incoming Freshmen.

This year's officers are Peter Merrill, president; and Peter Rigerio, secretary-treasurer.

different stations to swap ideas and plans. One of the main ideas that WMHB has and will discuss on Tuesday is the plan to broadcast the away State Series games of the Colby Varsity Baseball team. We wanted to broadcast the home games also, but a college rule prohibits this. In the event that the station will be unable to broadcast the game "live," we will record the game and then rush it back to Colby for rebroadcast. There are four away games April 30, Bates; May 8, Maine; May 14, Bates again and on May 16, Bowdoin. So stay tuned on those dates. We have some other views in the fire but we'll wait and see what materializes before we divulge them. See you next week at "600 on your dial."

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It's your old roving reporter back for another great week at the flicks . . . and here we go . . .

#### INSIDE BRIEFS !!!

The "No Visitors" sign is up outside Stage 1 at Warner Bros. where Clark Gable is emoting in "Band of Angels"—too many sightseers were crowding the set . . . Joseph Cotten will co-produce and star in "The Long Walk," biopic of Robert E. Lee . . . Paramount's "Buster Keaton Story," starring Donald O'Connor in the title role, will world premiere in Praire, Okla., Keaton's home town . . . Stanley Donen, who just completed directing "The Pajama Game" at Warners, is planning an indie film musical around Pearl S. Buck's "Imperial Woman" . . . Joseph Novak, Kim's father, is making his film bow as a Broadway angel in Columbia's "Jeanne Eagels," which stars his famous daughter . . . Jack Webb's current picture is titled "The D. I." (for Drill Instructor), story of Marine Boot Camp training.

#### DOWNTOWN FLICKS !!!

Haines: Fri. - Thurs., March 15 - 21 — Rogers and Hammerstein's outstanding musical "Oklahoma" is the wonderfully humorous and dynamically portrayed "picture" of the "old" West. Adapted from the play, which millions of people throughout the world have enjoyed for over a generation, this Magna production, released by 20th-Fox, enjoys the benefits of not only CinemaScope and glorious color, but the excellent acting of Gordon MacRae and Shirley Jones in the lead roles. The pic tells the story of Curley and Laurie winding their way through danger, suspense, horse-play, and love. This is one pic that no one should miss!!!



Gordon MacRae and Shirley Jones make beautiful music together in Rogers and Hammerstein's glorious production "Oklahoma" a Magna production, released by 20th Fox in CinemaScope and Technicolor, at the Haines for one week beginning Friday, March 15th!

State: Friday - Saturday, March 16 - 17 — Gina Lollobrigida stars in "Woman of Rome" . . . an Italian import with "dubbed" sound track! A good "piece" of entertainment.

Sun. - Tues., March 17 - 19 — Judy Holliday and Richard Conte star in Columbia's "Full of Life" . . . a comedy about just plain people!!! Conte's first comedy role . . .

Wed. - Sat., March 20 - 23 — "Man Who Turned to Stone" starring Victor Jory and Ann Doran plus "Zombies of Mora-Tau" starring Allison Hayes are the twin-HORROR-offerings . . . for your entertainment (?) . . .

Opera House: Sun., March 17 — A "live" Minstrel Show featuring the Rockette Minstrels will be presented both Matinee and Evening for your enjoyment!!!

Mon. - Wed., March 18 - 20 — "Desperate Hours" starring the late Humphrey Bogart and Frederick March in a suspense-packed melodrama concerning the lives of an ordinary family held prisoners by three "desperate" escaped convicts. . . Fine flick!!! "Anything Goes" starring Bing Crosby and Donald O'Connor is the second half of this twin-bill!!!

Thurs. - Sat., March 21 - 23 — Martin and Lewis are back again in their newest "Pardners," which takes the twosome a-way out West! David Brian and May Wynn star in the co-feature "White Squaw."

ADDED FEATURE . . . Friday evening a "Rock and Roll Revue" will be presented on the stage of the Opera House, starting at 8:30 for approximately one half hour!!! That's Friday, March 22.

And that looks like the story for this week, so until the next issue — after vacation, that is — this is Stan Moger flicking out!!!

## Nomination For Condon Medal

Nominations for the Condon Medal will begin Monday, March 18 outside the Spa. The Junior Class officers will run the elections this year, as in the past. After the nominations have been tabulated, the election will be held, probably after Spring Vacation.

The Condon Medal, the gift of the late Randall J. Condon, class of 1886, is awarded to that member of the senior class who, by vote of his classmates and with the approval of the faculty, is deemed to have been the best college citizen. In 1956 the medal was awarded to John Jubinsky.

It is hoped that the seniors will all participate in the voting this year. This is perhaps one of the most important individual honors which can be bestowed upon a graduating student at Colby. The "Echo" will publish the pictures of all candidates after the nominating period has ended. Nominations will close Tuesday, March 19th at 3:00 p.m.

## Evening Classes Carries Two Pts.

With the plan that those interested, in and around Waterville, might enjoy further cultural and intellectual courses, Colby is offering several adult education courses this semester. Teachers will be able to acquire credit for teacher certificate requirements.

All courses carry two credits each, with the fee based on the credit value of each course. The classes have begun meeting in the classrooms on weekday evenings since March 5.

The courses offered are: Introduction to Public Speaking with James L. Oliver as the lecturer. This course is a continuation of Public Speaking offered during the fall, but so organized that new students may enroll. Consideration is given to the individual and group needs as the student concerns himself with the factors involved in preparing and presenting an effective speech.

The Twentieth Century: An Age of Conflict is also a continuation of a fall course organized for new students. The course presents the historical backgrounds of the major ideologies which are, or have been, a part of this age of conflict to the end of gaining an understanding of the present day issues between the "East" and the "West." Clifford J. Berschneider is the lecturer.

The third course offered is The Contemporary Novel, John J. Iirio, the lecturer. A critical and historical consideration of important novels since World War I, this course will deal with novels which reflect the economic, social, political, and religious conflicts of contemporary times. Some of the writers and issues to be discussed will be Ernest Hemingway, "War and Moral Collapse"; Aldous Huxley, "Science — Use and Misuse"; John Dos Passos, "The Roaring Twenties"; George Orwell, "The Face of Tyranny"; William Faulkner, "Conscience and Racial Conflict"; and Graham Greene, "Religion — Fulfillment or Escape?"

## Stu G Reports

The regular weekly meeting of Colby's Student Government was held at 7:30 on Monday evening, March 11 in Roberts Union. The treasurer reported that the total assets are \$1,524.90.

Sheila Campbell reported that \$12.75 was made on the movies this past week-end. Expenses came to \$30., so there was a loss of \$18.25. The next movie will be "Hamlet," which will have three showings.

Esther Bigelow reported that the date of the All-College Banquet has been changed to April 26. At this

time the newly-elected Student Government officers will be installed. The Polling period for the clubs and organizations will extend from April 15-19.

Class officers will be elected in May. April 10 has been set as the tentative date for the election of Student Government officers.

Gideon Picher mentioned that the flag on the pole in front of the library is quite tattered. Mac Remington will see Mr. Whelan about this.

It is also requested that the students be especially careful not to strewn papers on the grounds now that Spring is coming.

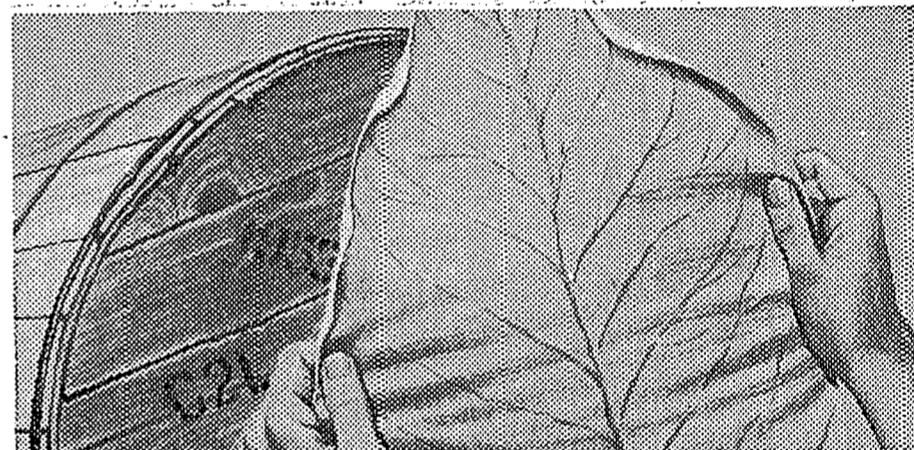


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## W. E. PARSONS

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to general manager, 1928-41, to vice-president and director from 1942-51. From 1951 until his death Mr. Parsons served as president and director.

Born in North Anson, Maine, October 13, 1888, "Deac" Parsons became a student at Hebron Academy in 1905. From 1907-10 he attended the University of Maine. He was married to Lydia Skolfield in 1915 and they had one son, John.

In addition to his business and trustee position, Mr. Parsons was active in national and local affairs. He was serving a second three-year term as a member of the board of directors of the National Association of Manufacturers. On January 25 he had been elected for his second one-year term as president of the Associated Industries of Maine. He was director and Maine chairman of the New England Council, president and trustee of Thayer Hospital, and vice-president and director of the University of Maine's Pulp and Paper Foundation.

For many years he had served as one of the directors of the Waterville Boys Club. He was president during the development of the Club's present building and swimming pool.

A member of the American Society of Civil Engineers, Mr. Parsons was also a Beta Theta Pi and a Mason.

Mr. Parsons' association with his business, Thayer Hospital, and Colby have been profitable for all three concerns. Under his leadership the Keyes Fibre Co. has opened a branch in Hammond, Indiana. Miss Pearl Fisher, administrator of Thayer Hospital, made the following statement on Mr. Parsons: "He will be remembered for many contributions to this city, its institutions, and its people, but he will be cherished most for what he was and for the principles on which he stood."

President Bixler had this to say: "Although he came to the Board only a short time ago he had established himself as one of its most valuable members and as a person who could always be counted on to carry out an assignment with statesmanship as well as with perseverance and vigor."

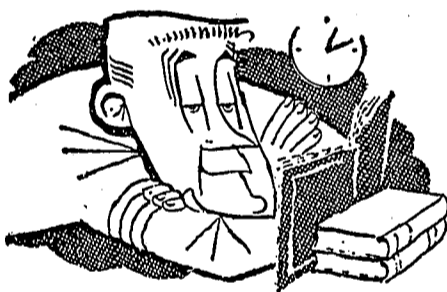
The eulogy for Mr. Parsons was delivered by Dr. Bixler. "He was the kind of person whom society needs to keep the steam up. He was the kind of man who welcomed difficult assignments," whether in business life or in the community," Dr. Bixler declared. Gov. Edmund Muskie was among the honorary bearers.

## FACULTY BRIEFS

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they soon discovered a square named after him. Speaking fluent Italian, Dr. Comparetti asked some men gathered in the Piazza Galuppi where he might find the house where Galuppi was born. "No, no," exclaimed one of the men, "Galuppi is the Piazza you're standing in, it's not a man!" Finally, after a great deal of inquiring about, the Comparetti's found Galuppi's house. Ironically, even the people living in the neighborhood had only vaguely heard of Galuppi the composer.

Experience which at the moment seem trying to the traveller, upon recollection can only bring a smile, and a realization of how humorous these incidents really were. Dr. Comparetti illustrated: "After boarding a train which was to take us from Florence to Venice, the conductor collecting our tickets said: 'I'm sorry sir, you have tickets for a steam train, and this is an electric train.' After recovering from this exquisite example of Italian bureaucracy (and paying the difference in price between the two tickets) we were off. But unfortunately not for long. At the railroad station in Ferrara, the train halted and all the passengers left the coach. We continued to sit until curiosity led me to go out on the platform and see what was delaying us. To my surprise I found that we had been decoupled, and were now the only coach on the whole track. A passing conductor informed us that the train for Venice would depart in two minutes on the other side of the station. Upon arriving there, we found the train over-flowing with people, but the helpful conductor assured us, 'Plenty of room.' He tossed our six bags aboard, and squeezed us into the aisle. Amid families eating salami on long Italian breads, we could finally 'breathe' a sigh of relief. At last we were on the right train—hopefully."

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## Robert Marett to Bagarotti To Give Air British Policy Mozart Concertos

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Mr. Marett was educated at Winchester College, and at the age of nineteen went to Brazil on business. From there he went to Mexico, where he was a correspondent for the "London Times." At the outbreak of the Second World War, Mr. Marett joined the British Army Officers Emergency Reserve and was seconded to the Ministry of Information, serving in London, Mexico, Washington, and Ottawa. In 1946 he was transferred to the Foreign Service and appointed a Director of British Information Services in New York. He has since served in the British Embassy at Lima, Peru, and head of the Information Policy Department of the Foreign Office in London.

Mr. Marett was awarded the O.B.E., Order of the British Empire, in 1942 and the C.M.G., Companion of the Order of St. Michael and St. George, in 1955.

## Olivier As Hamlet On Averill Screen

This weekend's film on campus is "Hamlet," starring Laurence Olivier and Jean Simmons. "Hamlet" is considered one of Shakespeare's greatest tragedies. It is the story of a man of thought who failed as a man of action. "Hamlet" has been magnificently brought to the screen in a widely acclaimed performance by one of the world's great actors. This film is the winner of five Academy Awards.

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On April 6 the program will include the "Concerto in D Major," K.218; the "Concerto in G Major," K.216, the "Concerto in D Major," K.211B, and the "Concerto in E Flat Major," K.365B.

Mr. Bagarotti, of international reputation, began his training early in life. He studied at the Conservatory of Music in Geneva, graduation with high honors, then continued his musical education in Berlin. In Berlin Mr. Bagarotti made his solo debut and played chamber music with such celebrities as Igor Stravinsky and Edwin Fischer.



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Mr. Bagarotti was one of the two guest artists in the dedication ceremony of the Mellon organ in Lorimer Chapel in 1950, and last spring he was again a guest at Colby in a Concert in the chapel.

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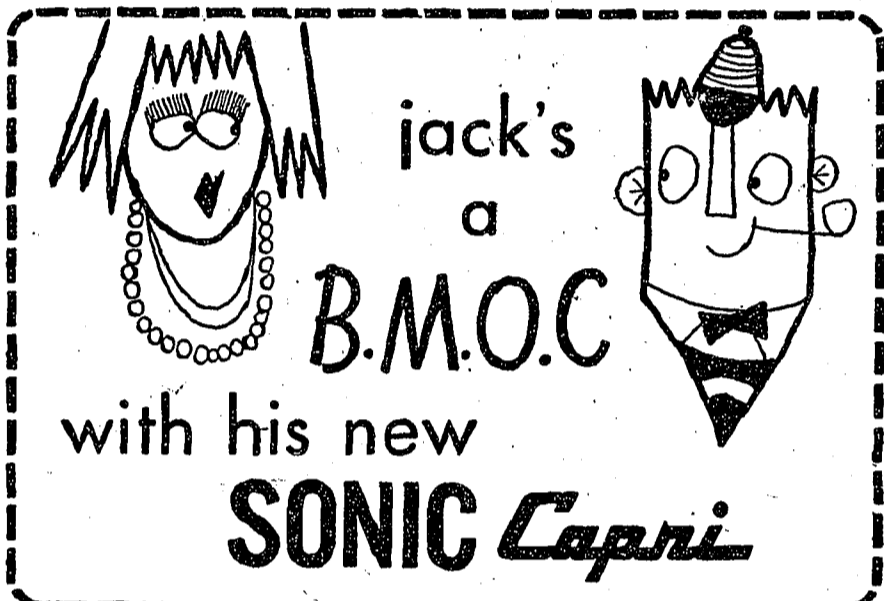
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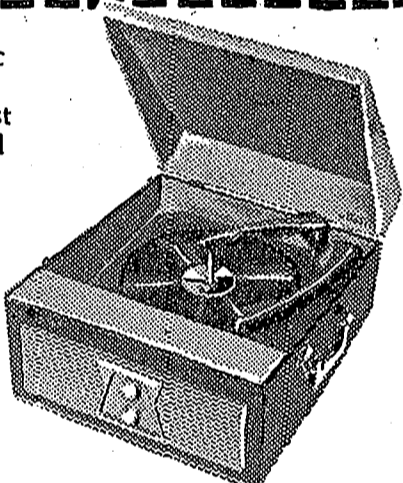
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## Ed Diddle To Be Lecturer

Basketball's "winningest" coach, Edgar Allen Diddle of Western State College (Bowling Green, Ky.), will lecture at the annual Colby College Coaching School here June 19-21.

The announcement was issued today by Ellsworth (Bill) Millett, school director, who stated that a football appointment would be made shortly.

Ed Diddle's Western Kentucky Hilltoppers, in the past 35 years, have amassed the amazing record of 661 wins and 215 losses.

Among active coaches, Diddle leads the profession in wins and, at the age of 61, has his eyes set on surpassing the all-time record of 771-233 set by Univ. of Kansas coach, Dr. Forrest (Phog) Allen.

Diddle needed 11 years to chalk up his first 100 basketball decisions. He succeeded in January, 1933. Since then his teams have been compiling victories at an adding machine clip. Four years from the first century mark, in 1937, his team had a second hundred.

In 1941 the 300th win was recorded. Number 400 was completed by 1945 and in 1950 he surpassed 500. He is now close to 700. The current Western Kentucky team had a record, as of March 3, of 15 wins and 11 losses.

Diddle was halfback on the famous Centre College (Danville, Ky.) eleven with Bo McMillin, Reb Roberts, and Red Weaver, but he had graduated before Centre startled the world by beating Harvard. Diddle was captain of the Centre basketball team in 1920.

His first coaching job was at the high school in Monticello, Ky., where his team went into the finals of the state tournament. He was hired by Western Kentucky in 1922 to coach boys' and girls' basketball and boys' track, football, and baseball.

Diddle joins some of the nation's outstanding basketball coaches who have been on the Colby Coaching School faculty. Included are: Howard Hobson (formerly of Yale); Doggie Julian (Dartmouth); John Bunn (Colorado State); Henry Iba (Oklahoma A. & M.); Eddie Hickey (St. Louis Univ.); Red Auerback and Bob Cousy (Boston Celtics) and Harry Coobes (Univ. of Ill.).

A collection of contemporary prints from the Portland Museum of Art is now on exhibition in the library. This collection consists of works by professional and amateur artists from all over the country. A strict jury chooses the best examples from hundreds of entries, and these are exhibited at the museum during January. The group includes: linoleum cuts, wood cuts, lithographs, etchings, and serigraphs.

The types vary from black and white realistic detailed lithographs to abstract color serigraphs. If this exhibit is any indication, the trend in prints is toward color abstractions.

In wood and linoleum cuts the area to be printed is left standing on the block and the excess is cut away. Ink is rubbed on the block and the raised sections print on the paper pressed against it.

Engraving and etching are the opposite process. The design to be printed is cut in the wood block or copper plate in thin strokes. In the printing process ink is rubbed on the plate and the excess wiped off. Ink remains in the scratches and is transferred to the paper.

Lithographs require a soft stone. The design is drawn on in special crayon, then the stone is wetted and inked. The crayon repels the ink and paper pressed over the stone absorbs it from the uncovered areas. Serigraph or silk screen is done with stencils. The area to be printed is cut out and paint squeezed through silk and the stencil onto the paper.

## Outing Club Elects President

Following a recent change in its constitution, the Colby Outing Club elected its officers for the year 1957. Previously they had been chosen at the end of the school year. The new officers are Skip Tolette, president; Norm Lee, vice-president; Mary Adams, recording secretary; Pat Richmond, corresponding secretary; Ivan Tatlock, treasurer, and Bob Brolli, 1958 Winter Carnival chairman.

The new officers presided for the first time on Wednesday, March 27. They presented their plans to reorganize the club in an effort to

The sixth annual Intercollegiate Band Festival, sponsored by the Colby College Band, will take place here from April 11-14. The festival, which has state-wide recognition attracts many from in and out of state. Donald Kennedy and Gary Poor are chairmen for the concert.

One hundred musicians will be selected to make up a symphonic band. The schools represented are Colby, Bowdoin, Bates, Gorham State Teachers College, Westbrook Jr. College, and Northern Maine Conservatory.

The band members will register on Thursday, April 11. Rehearsals will begin on Thursday, and will continue through Friday, April 12. A children's concert will be given Saturday afternoon, with the regular concert that evening, April 13, at 8:15 p.m. in the Women's Union.

The program will feature 18 numbers. Highlights include "The King and I" selections, Rogers and Hammerstein; "Rienzi Overture," Wagner; "Bugler's Holiday" (a trumpet trio with band accompaniment), Leroy Anderson; "Belle of the Ball Waltz," Leroy Anderson; "Pizzicato Polka," Strauss; and "March of the Steeple Men," Belsterling.

During the festival there will be special bank breakfasts in Smith Lounge. A dance for the band members is scheduled for after the concert. Student band members will be housed in the dormitories and fraternity houses. Committees will be announced at a later date.

This year, in addition to the Mayflower Hill concert, the band will play at Bates College, Lewiston on Sunday afternoon, April 14.

make it function in a better manner. The executive board is going to review the constitution to correct any flaws. In so doing, the board hopes to follow the constitution more closely than has been done previously.

The Katahdin Council has added ten new members. The freshmen are: Mary Lynn, Dorothy Dorman, Joan Crowell, Janet Grout, Peggy Barnes, Jane Holden, Warren Blesser, George Auchincloss, and Andy Sheldon. The new junior member is Carolyn O'Brian.

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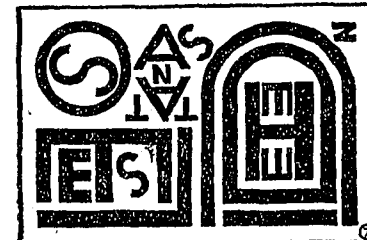
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**CLUE:** This coeducational university was founded at Muskogee, Indian Territory in 1894. In 1920 it was renamed for a city known as the "oil capital of the world."

**CLUE:** Founded in 1794 and chartered by the legislature of the territory South of the Ohio River, this university acquired its present name in 1879. Its original name was Blount College.

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# Varsity Six Successful; Register 11-7-1 Season

by Bill Bryan

The 1956-1957 hockey season saw Colby's varsity squad under Coach Jack Kelley's dynamic leadership experience a winning season with eleven wins, seven losses, and one tie. This record placed Colby second only to West Point's winning percentage in Eastern Small College hockey circles.

Highpoints of the year were the long rivalry in series competition with three sounding victories over Bowdoin (9-3, 14-2, 12-2), its three-way tie for small college honors at the Hamilton's invitation tournament over the Christmas holidays, and its thrilling comeback victory over Northeastern.



BILL BRYAN

Starting slowly, Colby's sextet began to move into high gear when Captain Guy Vigue moved up from defense to center on the second line and reached its climax of success with the Northeastern win. Along the way, Colby's victories included three over Bowdoin, two over New Hampshire, and one each registered over University of Mass., MIT, Norwich, Hamilton, and Northeastern. Losses were to Brown, Tufts, West Point, Middlebury, Norwich, and Williams (2). It is interesting to note that three of these losses were

team's continued dominance of its long rivalry in series competition by one goal and one of those was in an overtime.

Not only was the season a team success but individual scoring records fell by the wayside with the slick passing, smooth skating first line of sophomores, Dick Morrison, Jay Church, and Bob Keltie ranking high up amongst the nation's scorers. Jay Church led the club with 18 goals and 27 assists for a total of 45 points, which is a new Colby scoring record. In scoring for all eastern colleges, Church tied for ninth place, Morrison for twelfth, and Keltie placed sixteenth.

The second line, high flying and colorful, was paced by the team's standout Captain Vigue at center. Vigue was flanked on the wings by the "eva hustling" Skeeter Megathlin and the fastest skater on the club, Howie Cates. This line accounted for 43 goals and 29 assists for a point total of 72.

On defense Colby had three sophomores: Don Cote, one of the top small college defensemen in the East, Greg MacArthur, a steady and smart player, and Jim Fox, a rugged and vastly improving defenseman.

In the nets, Bob Auriemma performed well giving the whole squad a lift by his great desire to win. Other players, all of whom contributed to the team's success, were "Reggie" Vas Geste, Jim Bishop, Frank McDonnell, "Skip" Hall, and Frank Cowperthwaite. The last named was the first to make the jump from the intramural ranks, Colby's "farm" system, to the varsity squad mid-season.

The team loses but two lettermen by graduation: Captain Vigue and "Reg" Van Gestel. Vigue has been

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# Skiers Finish 2nd Future Is Bright In Series Tourney

by Phillip Osberg

To me skiing is a very special sport. No other form of exercise provides the thrill and feeling of accomplishment that skiing does. Those who have put skis to snow and have felt some measure of satisfaction from their turns know the feeling of which I speak. It was out of this great sense of enjoyment that a group dedicated to skiing was initiated nearly a decade ago, and has since been nourished primarily by the enthusiasm of its members. These men have functioned with limited funds, and only intermittent direction from members of the athletic staff. A great deal of credit is due them. They have assumed the responsibility for all phases of the



MR. OSBERG

sport, including the scheduling of events, maintenance of facilities, and the discipline of practice.

Although this group functions on an informal basis, it is the recognized representative of the college and as such competes with teams from other colleges, some of which are highly organized. This type of competition requires the participation of at least three competitors in each of four events, downhill, slalom, cross-country, and jumping. For the five or six skiers who represent Colby such competition presents difficult problems. Rarely is an individual equally proficient in all four events. Commonly, two or three members of the team, who may have considerable skill in one or two events, find that they must compete in other events merely to fill the twelve positions required by four event competition. As a result, individuals may score well in one or two events, while the team score, based on the totals for all events, may be comparatively low.

This year's team, captained by Buddie Bates, consisted of Bill Chapin, Tom Coleman, Doug Miller, Bob Theve, and Bill Winslow. Most of the organizational work connected with the team fell on the shoulders of Buddie Bates, for along with the honor of being elected captain go the time-consuming and often irksome tasks generally thought of as belonging to manager, coach, and secretary. Buddie did these chores well and in addition turned in an excellent record as the team's most consistent performer. Bill Chapin and Tom Coleman had nearly identical records in the downhill and slalom. Bill Chapin also ran cross-country and as the season progressed developed into the team's faster runner. Doug Miller, who had little skiing experience before coming to Colby, is the most improved skier on the team. Endowed with a better than average pair of legs and a will to get there in a hurry, Doug steadily improved and toward the end of the season became the team's stalwart in the downhill and slalom events. Bob Theve is the most experienced jumper on the team, but because of

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# Mules Complete Season; Quintet Alters Records

by Bill Millett

When I was asked to write a review of the basketball season this year, I was most happy to give my impressions of this year's team.

I have watched practically every game since basketball was started here in 1934 and to me this team was one of the outstanding teams. There is no question that Coach Lee Williams has had a lot better material in some of his past teams. but he has never had a team fight harder than this club did. At the

## Spring Football Starts April 1st

There will be a meeting for all members of the 1956 football squad (present seniors excepted), members of the freshmen squad, and any other men interested in coming out for football on Monday, March 18 at 6:45 p.m. in Roberts Union. Plans for spring practice will be outlined.

Spring practice will last two weeks, starting Monday April 1st, and concluding April 12th with a tentative intra-squad scrimmage planned.

Prospects for a larger squad than last year are hopeful with six freshmen who did not participate in football last fall and seven upper-classmen who were not on the varsity already signifying their intention of coming out for spring drills.

Those who are expected to be at the meeting are as follows: Co-captains Bill Orne and Don Crowley

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## Varsity Pucksters Face Alumni Six

Colby's Varsity pucksters will tangle with the alumni hockey stickmen this Saturday at 4 in the Alford Arena for the benefit of the Campus Chest. This game will mark the second such contest to be held, the Varsity Mules winning last year, 6-5.

Many of Colby's former greats will be seeing action once again. Bill Millett, class of '25 will pilot the Alumni squad. Bill will be remembered as the coach of many of the earlier Colby teams. The position of player-manager will be manned by Bill Bryan '47. The starting six will consist of Paul Kelley (Jack's brother), class of '51 at Boston University, as goalie; George Armstrong '52, and George Wales '51, two of the outstanding three-letter athletes since World War II; and Bernard Laliberte, class of '51, who now manages the Waterville Bruins. Also, Danny Hall '51, who piloted the

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## W. A. A.

An able Freshman team captured the inter-class basketball tournament Monday, March 11, in a play-off game resulting from a tie with the Sophomores. Each team won two games during the regular tournament play. The Freshmen in this tally game scored 18 points as opposed to the Sophomores' 8 markers.

Those on the victorious squad were: Anne Dudley, Judy Sessler, Gingly Clark, Carol Shoemaker, Penny Chapman, Janice Rideout, and Charlotte Wood. The fighting Sophomore group had the following members on the team: Homer Smith, Jane Spokesfield, Nancy Vaughn, Libby Latham, Cathy Coughlin, and Dottie Reynolds. Others who were not able to be in the play-off and who were active for the Sophomores in the tournament were: Kathy Marcho, Melba Metcalf, and Pat Black.

Much difficulty was seen by the managers in getting enough support for the class teams, due to the conflicting afternoon classes and seminars. The Seniors, as an example, were only able to comprise enough people to play one game, defaulting the rest. This situation much ap

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start of the season I told Coach Lee Williams that if he won 6 games he would be doing well because of the lack of experience of his squad and the rugged schedule. However, the results were enviable when you consider the overall season of 13 wins (7 in State Series Competition) and 12 losses.

This team won the games when the chips were down, which to me is the sign of a true championship club. When we needed a win at Bowdoin to clinch the State title, we won in the final moments of the game.

I know it is treacherous to pick out certain individuals and compliment them on the fine work that they have done, and leave out other boys who have played just an important part in the team's victory. However, when the history of basketball is



BILL MILLETT

written at Colby College, Captain Charlie Twigg will always be remembered as one of Colby's outstanding players. Charlie won the individual scoring record in the State of Maine, was selected for the All Maine team, and was chosen to compete in the All Star game at Brandeis this Friday.

I think that the reason this club broke 25 existing Colby records, was due to the fine spirit and team play of every member of the squad. Where can you find better competitive players than Larry Cudmore, Dick Campbell, John Edes, Tony Ruvo, Lloyd Cohen, Bob Kopchans, Paul Neri, Dick Hunt, Joe Grimm, Al Rogan, Norm Gigon and Grant Hendricks?

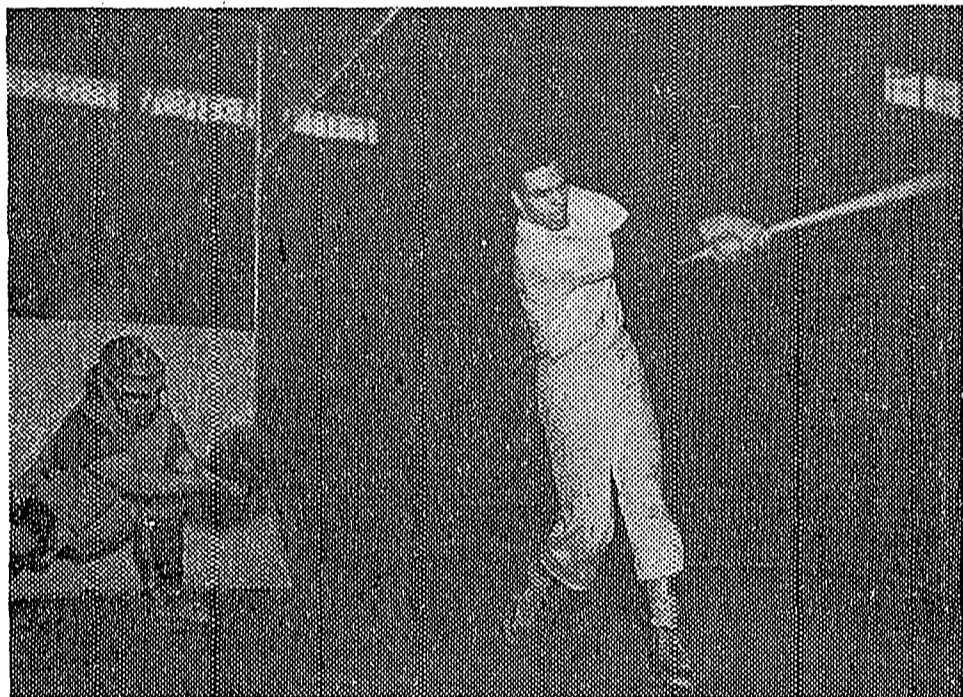
It wouldn't be fair, in closing this article, not to pay great respect to Coach Lee Williams, who has directed the Colby Mules to seven straight championships in the State of Maine. What other coach can look at such a record as he has established at Colby? We all congratulate him on this fine achievement.

To the boys who performed so well for the College, we are all proud of you and thank each one of you for the fine team play and the interesting evenings you gave us, watching you run up and down the floor, placing that round ball into the basket. I know we will watch other teams in the future and enjoy their wins and suffer in their defeat, but your team will always have a warm place in our hearts.

Individual Player Statistics

Player	PG	FT	PTS	AVG
Twigg	108	150	492	19.7
Cudmore	130	81	341	13.6
Campbell	91	74	256	10.7
Edes	74	87	235	9.4
Ruvo	61	75	167	6.7

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Neil Stinneford at bat during practice.

# Nine In Southern Tour; Face Eight Game Slate

The Colby home fans will not see their baseball team in action until after Spring Vacation. However, this by no means indicates the team will be idle. On the contrary, the nine will be fighting their way through a tough eight game southern trip schedule.

The first game will take place March 23 at Hempstead, New York, where the squad will face a rugged Hofstra team. Last year, the Flying Dutchmen won nine games while losing eleven and tying one. Returning stars at Hofstra are John Curmaratta, the leading batter in the Metropolitan area and All-Metropolitan third baseman, and Joe Lasagnolotta, the All-Metropolitan

pitcher by virtue of his 6 and 2 mark. The team takes on Catholic March 25 and stands a better chance of winning than with most of the other teams on the schedule. When the Mules encounter Navy at Annapolis on March 26 they face a perennially top baseball power. The Middies are coached by Max Bishop, former Philadelphia Athletics great, and boasted a 13 and 7 mark last year. Their stellar outfielder, Dave Smalley, won the Eastern Collegiate Athletic Conference batting title. The next day, American University will combat Colby. They had a meager 3-12 record last year, but they boast Joe Pollegriano, who was

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## NINE IN FOUR

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voted the All Mason-Dixon pitcher. After facing Towson the 28th, the Mules travel across Pennsylvania to Villanova where they will battle with a team that is always one of the strongest in the East. Last year, they were extremely close to obtaining an NCAA berth. The Princeton game on March 30 will be one of the toughest on the southern jaunt. Last year, the Tigers gained eleven wins against nine losses and one tie. They tied for the Ivy League Championship only to lose in the play-offs. Their pitcher Lee Ford had the best earned-run average in the League and won All-Ivy honors. A new sophomore pitcher, Belz, is known to be outstanding and should offer a big threat. The Upsala game on April 1 will mark the end of the southern trip. Colby has never beaten Upsala, who were 17 and 4 last year. Their first baseman, Fred Raffa, was elected all NCAA district 2 as was Hill, their shortstop. The trip should prime the team for the rest of the season and give a good indication of the 1957 outcome.

## SKIERS' FINISH

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an injury suffered in an early meet, saw little action. He mended just in time to turn in a good performance at Maine's Carnival. Bill Winslow, who specialized in cross-country, had his initial try at this event last season and was able to perfect his technique sufficiently to give the team considerable help this winter.

The Colby Skiers participated in six meets during the season. They obtained some pre-season experience by entering a giant slalom sponsored by the Franconia Ski Club on January 6th. The field of contestants included some of the finest skiers in the east. A week later a delegation from Colby competed at the invitation of Bowdoin in a giant slalom at Bridgeton. Colby placed third out of a field of five teams. In the F. I. S. A. divisional championships on February 2nd Colby's skiers did

well in the downhill event, but a mediocre showing in cross-country and jumping gave the team an over all poor standing. On successive weekends, Colby was host to four teams at its Winter Carnival and to the teams of the other three Maine colleges at the annual Maine Inter-collegiate State Ski Meet. In both competitions Colby finished third behind strong teams from the University of Maine and Bowdoin. The season ended with Maine's Winter Carnival and an untimely collapse of skiing conditions. In this last meet despite poor snow conditions, the Colby skiers scored a second place behind the home team.

This season was the last for seniors Buddie Bates and Bill Winslow. The loss of these two men will be deeply felt. On the brighter side, however, the freshmen delegation of John Beckwith, Parker Hall, and John Vollmer along with transfer student Alden Belcher, will considerably strengthen the team. All these men have looked impressive in practice. With the experience gained by this year's skiers and the addition of these new men, next winter's team should be one of the best in recent Colby history.

## VARSITY PUCKSTERS

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Mass. South Shore League Champions, Hingham High; and Ralph (Bill) Bailey '52, another former Colby standout.

The reserves are as follows: Bob Millett '50, now Stoneham High coach; "Bo" Fisher '53; "Iggy" Winer '52; "Win" Reed '50, Carlton "Buddy" Reed '53; Bob Kline '52; and Chet Harrington '51, the winner of the MVP award in football, and the third of the best athletes since the war.

Last year, as has already been mentioned, the Alumni lost, as the Varsity managed to hold off an all-out scoring surge in the closing minutes of the game. (The home team was composed of both freshmen and varsity skaters, although this year, only the Varsity squad will

participate.) Alumni had rallied late in the final period and tallied two goals. With but one and a half minutes remaining in the clash, the Alumni team removed their goalie, hoping to pick up the necessary goal.

It is hoped that a large turnout will be on hand to insure the continuance of this event as an annual affair.

## FACULTY DEAN

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courses at Harvard, Radcliffe, and at the Harvard Summer School. He joined the Connecticut College faculty in 1946.

Professor Strider's academic specialty is the seventeenth century. He has also taught Shakespeare, creative writing, American Literature, the modern novel, drama and poetry. He has been a regular interviewer on the weekly radio program "Connecticut College Conversations" broadcast over several stations within the state.

He is president of the Connecticut College Chapter of the American Association of University Professors; has taught adult education courses; and is a member of the New London Board of Education.

He is a member of the National Commission on College Work of the Episcopal Church and on the board of directors of the Eastern Connecticut Symphony Orchestra.

Professor Strider is married to the former Helen Bell, whose parents are Methodist missionaries. The Striders have two sons and two daughters, ranging in ages 4 to 13.

## MONTAGUE TO TALK

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August 1953 until March 1955. He has spoken on this topic of big business to students at Harvard, Yale, Columbia, New York University, Williams, Kenyon, and the University of Michigan. A year ago he lectured here on the famed nineteenth century poet, Emily Dickinson.

Mr. Montague recently pledged the gift of his estate in Seal Harbor, Maine to Colby. The property is

leased to the college rent free as of June 6, 1956. According to an agreement between the donor and the college, the transfer is to take place before March 15, 1957.

The estate consists of the building site, entrance drives, gardens, and surrounding grounds, formerly occupied by the country house built by Mr. and Mrs. Montague in 1913-1914, and occupied by Mr. Montague until the house was totally destroyed by fire last January. Still standing are an eight car garage and a tool and pump house.

Known as "Beaulieu," the estate has been for many years as the scene of outstanding social events during the summer. The gardens are among the finest in Eastern Maine. As the property is in the heart of a fashionable colony and commands views of Seal Harbor, Northeast Harbor, Southwest Harbor, and the adjacent sea and islands, it is expected the college will have no difficulty in selling the estate.

## SPRING FOOTBALL

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and the following aspirants: Bob Bruce, Dave Bloom, Pete Cavari, Archie Twitchell, Charles Gorham, Tad Alwyn, Tieche Shelton, Tom Connors, Phil Shea, Bill Nicholson, Bob MacLean, Henry Lampham, Larry Zimble, Tom Roy, Ted Driscoll, Mark Brown, Carl Paharik, Al Rogan, Bob Bates, Mike Farren, George Roden, Bob Auriemma, Dick Lucier, John Herbert, Boyd Sands, Bob Sargent, Norman Rosenblatt, Tony Rodio, Jim Fox, Bob Walther, Steve Patchell, Bruce Young, Dick Drummond, Ralph Lathe, Steve Dellaquila, Jim Feriman, Leo Beaulieu, Felix Sucheki, Steve Curley, and George Cross.

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parent this year, has made it necessary for the board to make considerations concerning the setting up of the tournament schedules which might be in conflict with the majority of afternoon classes. Any sug-

Wren & Garland  
Washington Bound

Fran Wren, '58, and Judy Garland, '58, will leave Logan Airport Friday, March 22 for a week's visit in Washington, D. C. They will be entertained there by Fran's father, Paul I. Wren, who has been Assistant to Secretary of the Treasury Humphrey since January 1st of this year. Mr. Wren was called to Washington from his bank position in Boston at that time to aid Secretary Humphrey. The girls will be shown around the city and entertained by many dignitaries at receptions and dinner parties. They will return to Boston, enroute to Waterville, after a week.

gestions as to a possible way to help solve this situation will certainly be appreciated by the board.

The W. A. A. recently welcomed Lois Munson to its board as the new skating manager. She replaces Ann Timmons.

## VARSITY SIX

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one of the Mules' greatest leaders and Van Gestel has been a versatile and faithful worker. All the rest will be back. With two fine goalies and several other promising prospects from this year's freshmen squad, the future is indeed bright for another good season in the Alford Arena.

## Individual Scoring

	Goals	Assists
Church	18	27
Morrison	24	20
Keltie	22	20
Cates	10	13
Bishop	4	1
Megathlin	9	6
Van Gestel	0	1
Hall	2	3
McDonnell	1	2
Vigue	24	10
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Cote	4	8
Fox	1	4
Cowperthwaite	1	1

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### MULES COMPETE

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Cohen	44	75	163	7.4
Kopchains	22	34	78	3.3
Neri	17	29	63	2.7
Hunt	12	13	37	1.8
Grimm	8	9	25	1.8
Rogan	9	6	24	1.8
Hendricks	6	9	21	1.8
Gigon	0	2	2	0.2

This Year's New Records

#### Individual

Most points (game) 48, Twigg; Most points (half) 29, Twigg; Most field goals (game) 18, Twigg; Most field goals (half) 12, Twigg; Most free throws (season) 156, Twigg; Most free throws (game) 16, Twigg; Most free throws (half) 15, Twigg; Most free throws taken (half) 16, Twigg; Most consecutive free throws (game) 15, Twigg; Most consecutive free throws (all games) 19, Twigg; Highest point average (per game) 19.7, Twigg; Highest free throw per cent (season) .810, Cudmore.

#### Team

Field goals by opponents (game) 37; Free throws (season) 640; free throws (game) 39; Free throws by opponents (season) 572; Free throws by opponents (game) 39; Free throws taken by opponents (game) 54; Most free throws (half) 27; Points scored (game) 103; Points scored by opponents (game) 103; Most points (half) 66; Most points both teams (half) 113; Most points both teams (game) 192; Free throw per cent (season) .734.

### NOTICE

Applications for financial aid for the year 1957-58 are now available in the offices of the Dean of Men and the Dean of Women.

All students interested in filing applications are urged to pick up forms in the Deans' offices before spring recess. Applications should be returned to the respective Deans on or before April 12th.

Detailed information about the kinds of financial aid available may be obtained at the Deans' offices.

Students are reminded that all financial aid grants are made on the basis of one year and that applications for aid must be filed annually.

Dean of Men  
Dean of Women

### NOTICE

Mrs. Larsen has announced that the Men's averages will not be available until after spring vacation. The Women's averages are listed in this issue.

The official date for mid-semester warnings has been set for April 6. Grades up until this time will be considered liable to major and minor warnings.

### VARSITY SHOW

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Women's Union. The show, which includes presentations by all the sororities and fraternities on campus, is an innovation this year. Each group will present a seven-minute skit in which no more than eight people may participate. In addition to the individual groups who are in the competition, there will be production numbers utilizing all the

### NOTICE

Polio vaccine shots will be given to students on Tuesday, March 19th to all those students who signified their interest in receiving the polio vaccine. The clinic will be held in the Dispensary (sick call room) at Roberts Union between the hours of 11 a.m. and 3 p.m. Students are requested to report during these hours on Tuesday, March 19 since this will be the only time that the first vaccine shots will be available.

### MILITARY BALL

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to compete for the title, to be voted on by the entire cadet corps.

The affair will be free of charge to all members of the AFROTC since their \$15.00 deposit made at the beginning of the school year covers their social expenses. However, the Ball is open to the public, and the tickets are \$2.50 per couple, for those who are not AFROTC members.

During intermission, the Drill Team will perform under the command of Cadet Captain Robert Cron. The Drill Team will exhibit its precision in drilling.

Those in charge of the Ball are: Dick Huart, General Chairman; Art Engdahl, Decoration Committee; Phil Deering, Finances; Fred Webster, Invitations; Ed White, Refreshments; Pete Merrill, Publicity; Bo Olsen, Queen Elections; and Van Bernhard, Cleanup.

The Governor of Maine, Edmund S. Muskie, is among the many dignitaries who have received invitations to attend the important event.

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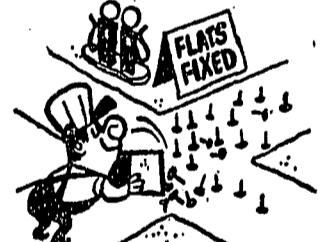
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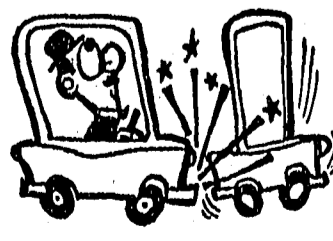
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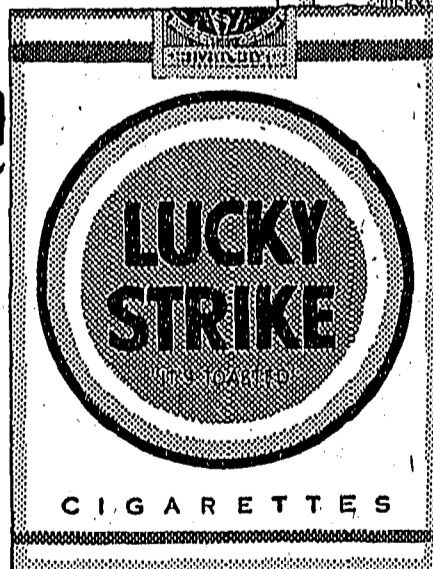
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