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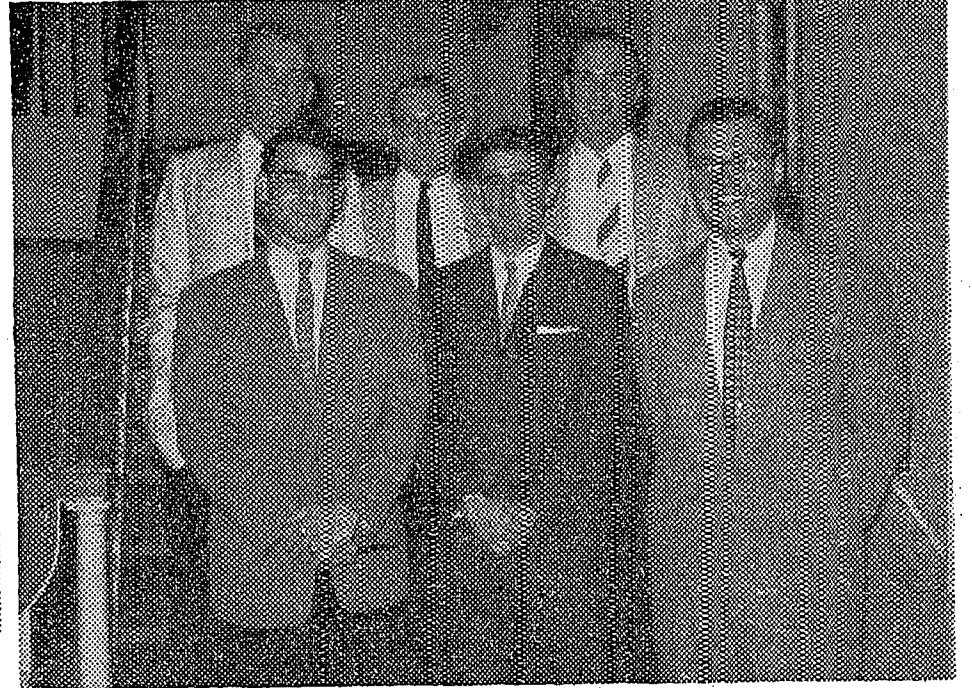
Condon Medal To Donna Tasker; Honorary Societies Are Selected



CAP AND GOWN: front, left to right, Carolyn Webster, Mrs. Dorothy Webster, Mrs. Dorothy Sims, Margaret Wetzel. Back, left to right, Marcia Peterson, Mollie Josephine Deans, Carolyn Walker, Alice Stebbins, Judith Sessler, and Joan Crowell. Photo by Lathrop



Donna Marie Tasker



BLUE KEY: Front, left to right, Don Mordecai, Don Williamson, George Auchincloss. Back row, Bill Droll, Pete Henderson, and Charles Leighton. Photo by Lathrop

Colby Is To Participate In Summer Conference

The Danforth Foundation of St. Louis, Missouri will sponsor a "Campus Community Workshop" at Colorado Springs, Colorado this summer for the third successive year. The program is a series of seminars beginning June 22 and ending July 11. Colby has been chosen to be one of twenty-eight participating colleges from all sections of the country. Middlebury is the other college representing New England.

The program is designed "to provide a setting for intensive study of ways and means of strengthening such aspects of the campus community as curriculum, administrative inter-relationships, counseling, and moral and spiritual values as related to the academic venture." Each participating college will send its academic dean and three faculty members. Dean Robert E. L. Strider will head the Colby delegation and the three faculty members accompanying him will be: Dr. Robert Mark Benbow, Associate Professor of English; Dr. Harold Raymond, Associate Professor of History; and Dr. Robert Reumam, Associate Professor of Philosophy.

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Class Leaders Are Williamson, Sears, And Stephenson

In the election for class officers held last week, the following students were chosen to head their respective classes.

Donald Williamson will head the class of 1960. He will be assisted by Bill Droll who was elected vice-president. Wendy McWilliam is the new secretary of the senior class, and treasurer is Pete Rednor.

President of the junior class will be Fred Sears. Bob Burke has been chosen the vice-president. Taking notes for the class of 1961 will be Scotty McLeod and next year's treasurer is Bob Wright.

Heading the sophomore class will be Frank Stephenson who was elected president. Vice-president of the class of 1962 is Harris Kennody. Patty Downs will serve as class secretary, and Dan Bumsted was elected to the position of treasurer.

Colby Recipient Of Grant Of \$5,000 For Financial Help

Colby has been the recipient of an unrestricted gift presented by the Kennecott Copper Company of New York City. This gift totals \$5,000 and the aid is given to certain colleges which meet the requirements of academic standing, excellence of the educational job being done, and others. Prior to 1957 no direct support was given to liberal arts colleges and in that year the Board of Directors of this company appropriated \$30,000 for such support, in recognition of the importance of the liberal arts training to our educational system and to American industry. The amount was divided into six parts of \$5,000 each which were awarded to six liberal arts colleges. This year Colby is among the six recipients the others are: Berea, Goucher, Rollins, Upland, and the Center for the Study of the History of Liberty in America at Harvard.

This grant program is part of a general program of scholarships and fellowships established by the Kennecott Copper Corporation. The objectives of the program are (1) to encourage the study of methods for the discovery, production, and use of minerals and metals, (2) to aid in the development of management personnel, (3) to help deserving students, who do not have adequate financial resources. Kennecott has established 29 undergraduate scholarships and 11 graduate fellowships at schools in the United States and Canada in the company's area of operation, and in subjects in the company's general fields of interest. Winners of the awards are chosen

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The Junior-Senior Advisors for Next Year Are Selected

Fifty members of the classes of 1960 and 1961 have been selected to serve as junior-senior student advisors to the incoming freshmen this fall. The intended scope of the advisors will be increased next year so that they will work more closely on orientation with the freshmen.

The coordinators will be George Auchincloss '60 and Don Clark '61. Advisors include, from the class of 1960, the following: Brian A. Blanchard, Roger Brown, Larry Cushman, Courtney Davis, William Droll, Jerry Goldberg, Peter Henderson, Samuel Kent, Jonathan Knowles, Stephen Kueriavetz, Jerry LaForgia, Lawrence Lathrop, Charles Leighton, Robert H. Littlefield, Ronald Littlefield, Leon T. Nelson, Ralph Nelson, Jr., Daniel Parish, James Quinn, Louis Rader, Pete Rednor, John Roberts, Bernie Scherban, Michael Silverberg, Hank Van Beaver, Richard A. Walton, George G. Welch, John Whittier and Henry Wingate. The class of 1961 will provide the following advisors: Sandy Beardman, Scott Brackett, Peter Denman, Frank Derocle, Michael Flynn, Joseph Gibbons, Edwin Gow, Daniel Hodges, John Kelly, Barry Long, Gordon MacDonald, John Pallotta, Calvin Pingree, Douglas Riis, Frederick Sears, Robert Shattuck, Charles Swensen, Norcross Teel and Jon Wolfe.

Colby awarded various prizes to outstanding students of the year at the annual prize Recognition Assembly held on May 13.

The awards were presented as follows: Language and Arts: *Foster Memorial Prizes in Classics*, in memory of the late Professor John B. Foster, awarded to a student from either division for marked excellence in advanced Greek or Latin courses, was received by George Grant Welch, Jr. '60; *French Consulate Prize*, offered by the French Consulate in Boston for excellence in French studies, was awarded to Susan Kahl Fetherston '59. *German Prize*. For excellence in German courses, in the women's division: first a tie - Iris Ann Cofman '60 and Faith Kanoalani Bunker '61, second - Judith Hoffman '61; in the men's division: Daniel Lee Hodges '61; *Delta Phi Alpha German Prize*, a book prize awarded by Gamma Kappa Chapter for scholarship in German language and literature, and for initiative in fostering an interest in the various activities of the German Clubs, was presented to Nancy Gwendolyn Walker '60.

Symphonic Society Awards, presented to students in the Symphony Orchestra who have shown interest and improvement, were awarded to Sarah Ann Peobody '61 and Sally Ann Merrill '61. *Colby College Band Award*, presented for outstanding qualities in leadership and exceptional interest, was awarded to Richard Gordon Kenison '60. *The Glee Club Awards*, presented to a senior for his or her outstanding contribution to the Glee Club in terms of service, interest, attitude, and loyalty over a period of four

years, was received by David Harvey Lawrence '59. The *Louise Colgan Award*, given by Mrs. Colgan to the highest ranking senior woman who has been a member of the Glee Club for at least three years, was awarded to Donna Marie Tasker '59.

English and Allied Fields: Solomon Gallert English Prize, given by Mrs. Joseph L. B. Mayer in memory of Solomon Gallert of the Class of 1888, for excellence in English prose, was awarded to Frederick Campbell Mofatt '60. *Elmira Nelson Jones Essay Prize*, a new award this year, was presented to Donald B. Mordecai '60 for his essay "De Profundis: The Tragedy of Oscar Wilde." *The Mary Low Carver Prize for Poetry*, presented to a student in the women's division for an original poem of merit in the English language, was awarded to Diane Randolph Sadler '61 for her poem "When War Ended" and the *Poetry prize for the Men's Division*, was awarded to Edward Curtis Franklin '62 for his poem "Of Poets and Poetry". *Colby Library Associates Book Prize*, a prize of books, of the student's own choice, awarded to the senior with the best personal collection of books made during the undergraduate years, awarded to Philip Henderson, Jr. '59. *"Powder and Wig" Award*, made by Powder and Wig for exceptional achievement in dramatic enterprises of Colby College, received by Jeremy Stockdale Guiles '60. *Goodwin Public Speaking Prizes*, given by the late Mattie E. Goodwin of Skowhegan in memory of her husband, Honorable Forrest Goodwin of the Class of 1887, for excellence in the delivery of original addresses, first: Arthur Eduard Goldschmidt '59, second: William Allan Wilbur '59, third: Thomas Goya Skolfield '59. *Hamlin Speaking Prizes*, awarded to freshmen in the men's and women's divisions for excellence in public speaking, first: William Sullivan Alexander '62, second: Gail Jean Smith '62, third: Patricia Louise Jack '62. *Jullus and Rachel Lovino Speaking Prizes*, given by Lewis Lester Lovino, of

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PHI BETA KAPPA: Front row, left to right, Marion Kimball, Janice Coburn, Erla Cleaves, and Mary Sheşong. Back row, left to right, Arthur Goldschmidt, Daniel van Heeckeren, and Donald Freeman. Photo by Freedman

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EDITORIAL

During this past semester the *Echo* has done its best to discuss and investigate the many areas of Colby life which we felt merited attention. We realize that in many instances we have only touched the surface - there is a good deal more that could be said, and we intend to say it in subsequent issues. Our editorial topics have included comment on Johnson Day activity, and the spirit exhibited at athletic events. We presented a point of view concerning such college-wide problems as the drinking situation, big weekends, fraternity rushing and the low standing of our freshman class, as well as the lack of diversity among our student body. We have sponsored open discussions of the National Defense Education Act, with both sides represented as fairly and adequately as possible, although at the same time making our own stand quite clear. We have advocated the introduction of an Academic Honor System. We gave support to student proposals concerning curriculum changes and additions - the sixth course free for honor students, for example. In general, we have tried to show enthusiastically that we appreciate the liberal arts system of education. Finally, we did our best to present the events, elections and activities that took place on campus throughout the semester.

The above sentence is perhaps unnecessary, since it is assumed that this is the function of any newspaper - to present the news. And yet, the *Echo* has tried to do a good deal more than this. We do not ever intend to become what our name implies - a mere echo of campus life. The editors realize the importance of this newspaper in this role as the sole means of written communication with and among the student body. During this past semester we have emphasized this aspect. The *Echo* serves as the voice of student opinion. We realize that we may not always speak for the students as a whole; we ask for student letters and opinions, so that we may more closely secure this desired end.

It has been an eventful semester. We hope we have served the interests of the students, and equally important of the college as a whole. We hope that during the coming semester we will fulfill our desire to make the *Echo* an organ of mature student and a gathering place for the ideas of everyone concerned with Colby.

We Pledge Allegiance..

We all at one time on another laugh at the peacetime maneuvers of the military, whether regular, reserve, or R.O.T.C. at Colby. And maybe it's a good idea if we don't begin to take all the pomp and ceremony of an essentially fighting force too seriously. So when we gathered last Monday to watch the last R.O.T.C. review and flag lowering ceremony of the year, perhaps we can be excused for being a little superior to the seemingly repetitive and useless mechanicals of the myriad of little blue suits. But there are those among us who go to far. It is one thing to show no respect to the efforts of a group of career officers of the USAF to teach something of the Philosophy of man's effort to live together internationally but it is an entirely different thing to show a talent disrespect for everything your country stands for by an active and open disregard for its symbol, the flag of the United States. There are a few men among us who won't seem to care for the simple custom, a mark of respect, of standing, at least when the flag is being raised or lowered. . . . We are very sorry that these men are at Colby and we are very sorry for these men.

Letter To Editor Rushing Rules Announced For Fall Semester 1959

Many opinions have been expressed as to why so many freshmen are on probation. However, most of these opinions have been just that - opinions, with no evidence to support them. Perhaps it would eliminate the present confusion and to give the basis for some constructive criticism. Anyone wishing to test the following conclusions need only to have a slide rule, a list of dormitory assignments, the freshmen probation list and about two free days.

I suggest that the freshmen is his or her own enemy and that he is the source of most, but not all his scholastic problems. In any given dorm, excepting fraternities, the greater the ratio of freshman to upperclassmen, the greater the percentage of freshmen on probation. For example, Averill Hall has the highest ratio of freshmen to upperclassmen and, correspondingly, the highest percentage of freshmen on probation, 41.6%. Champlin, on the other hand, has the lowest ratio of freshmen to upperclassmen, and it also has the lowest number of freshmen on probation, 14.3%. This relationship holds true for both men and women. Furthermore, the percentage of off-campus freshmen men who are on probation is almost the same as that of the freshmen living on campus, 36.1% to 35.3%.

The above two relationships suggest that the freshmen together tend to create an atmosphere which is scholastically detrimental, and that the influence of the upperclassmen tends to counteract this atmosphere.

Further investigation shows that, in all cases, the percentage of freshmen living in a fraternity who are on probation is greater than the percentage of freshmen living elsewhere who are on probation, in fact, it is double the number. This, of course, suggests that fraternities assert a definitely undesirable influence on freshmen study habits.

These conclusions, that freshmen create among themselves a poor scholastic atmosphere, that the presence of upperclassmen improves this atmosphere, and that freshmen living in fraternities are subjected to a highly non-scholastic atmosphere, may perhaps be used as starting points for suggestions that will help to prevent future unsuccessful freshmen years.

Sincerely,
Gary Miles

Letter To Editor

Being an avid reader of the Colby *Echo*, it strikes me that our weekly newspaper is largely a medium for the expression of student gripes. (Down with loyalty oaths, drinking rules, apathy, Tripp food, big weekends, admissions policies; convocations, campus chests that don't measure up, and so forth.) Since I am not one to break with established tradition, and being a loyal conformist in good standing, I feel that the time has come for me to give vent to my own little "pot peeve".

Why is it that such a small number of students attended the presentation of "A Midsummer Night's Dream" this past weekend? Why is it that "Powder and Wig" productions, in general, are so poorly received? With a view toward answering this question, I approached my friend Joe Colby who knows the answers to all such questions. The conversation went something like this:

ME. Tell me Joe. Why is it that you don't go to most of the plays up here?

JOE. Well, Uh, Ya see it's like this. I'd like to, but it always seems that either I haven't got the time

Rule 1: There will be no rushing of any kind before the rushing period begins on Oct. 3, 1959. Rushing is here defined as any attempt by any fraternity man or any group of fraternity men to influence in any way whatsoever any single freshman, or group of freshmen, to join a certain fraternity.

Rule 2: Before Oct. 3, 1959, fraternities may not entertain freshmen or transfer students in their houses; nor may fraternity men visit in the rooms of freshmen or transfer students, or engage in any other rushing activities during that time.

Rule 3: The rushing period will begin Oct. 3, 1959, and will end on Saturday, Oct. 17, 1959. On weekdays there will be rushing from 12 noon until 1:30 p.m. and in the evenings from 5 until 7 p.m. During these same times fraternity members may visit freshmen and eligible transfer students in their rooms.

Rule 4: No fraternity man may entertain freshmen or eligible transfer students in any drinking establishment downtown.

Rule 5: Fraternities will be assigned open smokers. They will last from 7 to 10 p.m. No paid entertainment will be allowed.

Rule 6: Each fraternity will be assigned one closed smoker. These will last from 5:30 to 8:30 p.m. No paid entertainment will be allowed.

Rule 7: No fraternity may accept more than twenty pledges.

Rule 8: Quiet period will extend from 12:15 a.m. Sunday, Oct. 18, 1959, until 3 p.m., Monday, Oct. 19, 1959.

Rule 9: No prospective pledge shall commit himself to any fraternity before he submits his Preferential Bid List.

Rule 10: Bidding: 1). Each Freshman and eligible transfer student will submit his Preferential Bid List to the main desk of Roberts Union between the hours of 2 and 3 p.m. Sunday, Oct. 18, 1959. 2). If he wishes to join one fraternity exclusively, he writes the name of that fraternity only on his list. If that fraternity wishes him to join he receives a bid from the same. In cases where the prospective pledge has more than one choice, he lists them in order of preference. a) if the fraternity of his first choice wishes him to join he receives a bid from the same. b) if he is not invited to join the fraternity of his first choice but that of the second choice, he receives a bid from that fraternity only. c) this system is continued throughout the 3rd and 4th choices. 3) A prospective pledge's signature on his Preferential Bid List is a promise that he will pledge himself to that fraternity which sends him a bid, whether it is his 1st, 2nd, 3rd or 4th choice. It is binding to the extent that he will not be considered eligible until the next academic year for a bid from or social privileges in, any other fraternity. 4). Invitations to membership in a fraternity will be placed in each prospective pledge's room by his dorm councilor on Monday, Oct. 19, 1959, at 3 p.m.

Rule 11: Eligibility: in order to become a brother in a fraternity a transfer student or freshman must have a minimum scholastic average of 1.8 for the previous semester's work. Also, freshmen or transfer students who are on either scholastic or disciplinary probation will not be eligible for pledging.

Rule 12: Fraternities may not require pledge trips or quests to be off campus. Pledge rides are illegal.

Rule 13: Withdrawal of a pledge may be made only by submitting that intention in writing to the President of the I.F.C.A. A man thus withdrawn may not pledge or obtain social privileges to another fraternity before the next academic year.

Rule 14: Penalties for the infraction of any rushing procedure will be administered by the I.F.C. Review Board.

or I'm short on cash. But I really wish I could go. It's just that something else keeps coming up. "The Boy Friend"? Maybe if they publicized more, it'd help.

ME. Come, come old boy. You can't sit there and tell me that you haven't got the time and money. What do you do on weekends? I understand that you're a lifetime member of the "Friends of the Silver Dollar Club." Surely you could skip a few Saturday night meetings to go to the plays.

JOE. Well, Uh, To tell you the truth I'm from New York and uh like I don't go for none of this amateur jazz, I mean I'm used to the real thing, Broadway and all that.

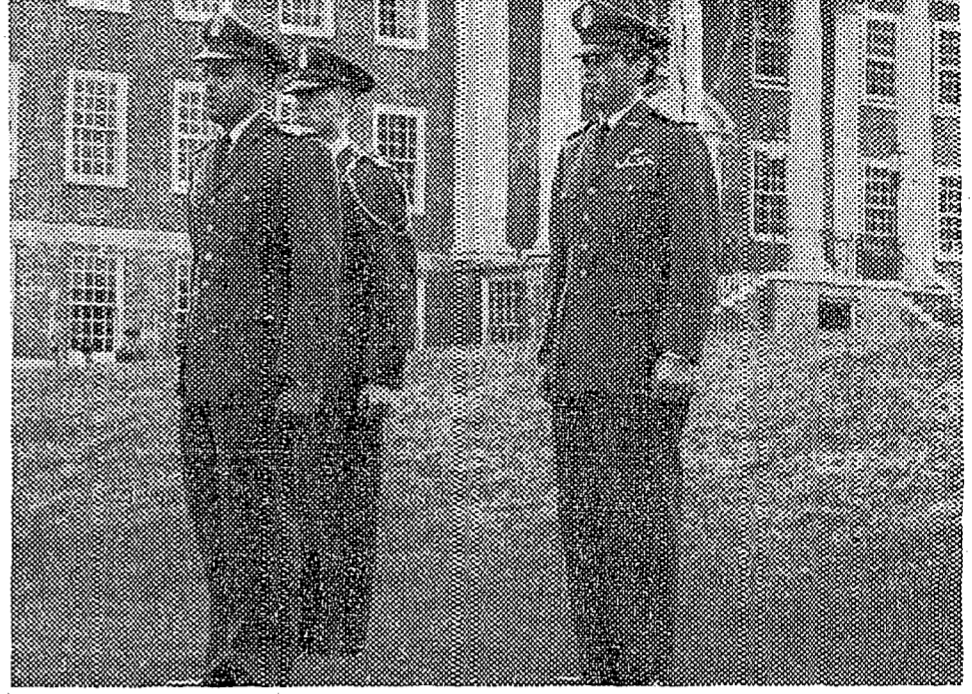
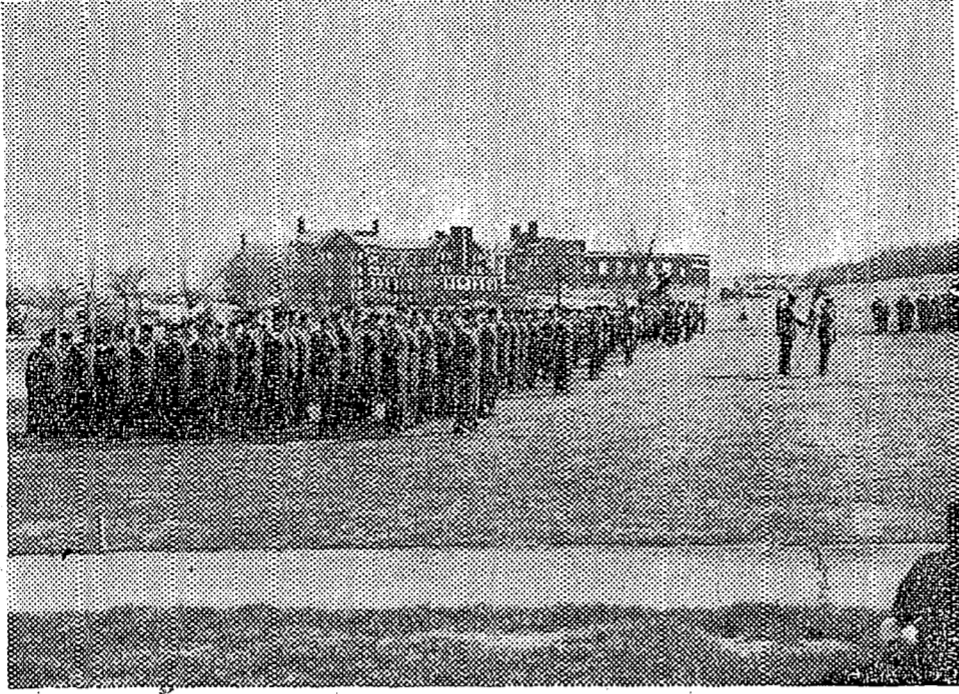
ME. Human.
JOE. And besides, I don't like to go see things I don't know nothin' about. Who ever heard of "Under Milkwood"? Why don't those "art-sy-craftsy-powder and wiggers" get

and put on more good plays like "South Pacific" and something else keeps coming up. "The Boy Friend"? ME. This seems to me to be the heart of the whole problem. Most students have a misconception of the role that the theatre should play in college life. Certainly part of its functions is to entertain, but it entails a lot more. The primary purpose of college theatre is to introduce as many different students to as many different facets of the dramatic arts as is possible in a four year period. In other words it is largely an educational medium serving the same function that our concert series serves. We attend orchestra and glee club programs without insisting that we know all of the music or that all of the selections be designed for our amusement. Why can't we assume this same attitude toward our dramatic productions!

Frank Gorrish

'59 Commencement Schedule of Events ROTC Corps of Cadets Will Present The Final Parade & Review Ceremony, Monday, May 18

- Friday, June fifth**
- 9:00 Faculty-Senior Class Breakfast, Roberts Union.
 - 2:30 Annual Meeting of the Board of Trustees, Roberts Union.
 - 6:15 Dinner for Trustees, Alumni Council and Faculty, Foss Hall.
- Saturday, June sixth**
- 8:00 Class Agents Breakfast, Louise Coburn Hall.
 - 8:30 Phi Beta Kappa Breakfast, Mary Low Hall.
 - 9:00 Annual Meeting of the Alumni Council, Smith Lounge, Women's Union.
 - 10:05 Annual Meeting of the Colby Library Associates, Treasure Room, Miller Library.
 - 10:45 Fraternity and Sorority Reunions.
 - 12:30 Reunion Luncheon for Alumni, Alumnae, Faculty and Senior Class, Field House.
 - 2:45 Baseball Game, Colby vs. Quonset Naval Air Station, Coombs Field.
 - 6:00 Class Reunions.
 - 8:30 Commencement Play, "A Midsummer Night's Dream", Women's Gymnasium.
- Sunday, June seventh**
- 10:00 Baccalaureate Service, President J. Seelye Bixler, Lorimer Chapel.
 - 11:00 Laying of Cornerstone, Art and Music Building.
 - 12:00 Commencement Dinner, Field House.
 - 4:00 Reception by the President and Faculty for Seniors and Guests, President's House.
 - 5:30 to 6:15 Supper, Foss Hall and Roberts Union.
 - 7:00 Boardman Vespers, The Reverend Nathaniel Mann Gup-till, 1939, Lorimer Chapel.
 - 8:15 Commencement Concert, the Women's Gymnasium.
- Monday, June eighth**
- 9:00 The 138th Commencement Exercises, Address: Philip Hall Coombs, Lawn, Miller Library.



Cadet Officers Tomey, Levine, and Whittier leading practice exercises for final Parade and Review Ceremony.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT REPORTS

The weekly meeting of Student Government was called to order by President Dick Lucier at 7:30 p.m.

It was announced that the Library Committee has decided to open the Reserve Room of Miller Library for studying on Saturday nights, for the remainder of the semester.

The Student Government budget for the academic year 1959-60 was introduced for a vote, and passed by the Council. Discussion centered about the possible uses of the sinking fund. It was also noted that the student activities fee will now be 23 dollars for all students.

The Council decided to discontinue its membership in the National Student Association. The 55 dollar dues were felt to be an undue expense, because, due to our location, our students find it very difficult to attend the conferences which are held. It was noted that Harvard University dropped from the organization this past year as well; its reasons were presented in a letter.

It was announced that a Student Government scholarship will be awarded at the Recognition Assembly.

George Auchincloss and Don Clark were chosen as the coordina-

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The Department of Air Science will present its seventh annual Awards and Decorations Ceremony in conjunction with a final parade and review on Monday afternoon, May 18. This ceremony is the climax of the drill program which has been carried on during the past year. The entire Corps of 320 cadets will take part in the activities.

The parade, which will be held in front of Miller Library, has been planned by the cadet officers under the leadership of Cadet Colonel Edward Tomey.

There are a total of 23 awards to be presented as part of the review. They include awards for outstanding performance in the ROTC drill team, rifle team, band and general scholarship. These awards will be presented to both the outstanding freshman and sophomore in each of the fields.

Various organizations will also present awards. The American Legion and the Reserve Officers Association will each present three awards, the Chicago Tribune will present four awards, and one award each will be presented by the Air Force Association, the Sons of the American Revolution, and Convair Aircraft Company. These awards are given on the basis of general scholarship, leadership and overall contribution to the Corps. Also, a new award will be presented this year to the outstanding senior in the Corps by Levine's store.

Included among the guests will be President Bixler, Dean Strider, Dean Nickerson, Major General (ret.) Wayne C. Smith, Lieutenant Colonel L. V. Webster, Assistant Adjutant General for Maine, several officers from the Maine National Guard and Air National Guard and Reverend Robert W. Roundy of Portland.

The schedule of events is as follows:

- 2:00 Staff briefing by the Cadet Corps.
- 2:40 Inspection of Corps by dignitaries.

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Do You Think for Yourself? (THIS QUIZ IS THE TIP-OFF!*)



- Do you think that men who look you straight in the eye when they talk are (A) to be trusted? (B) nearsighted? (C) watching your reaction? A B C
- Of three men who have asked her for a date, should a girl pick (A) the one with a big car and money? (B) the one who makes lots of jokes, but is broke? (C) the one who helped her study for an exam? A B C
- Mountaineers say they climb a mountain "because it's there." Does this strike you as (A) logical? (B) indicative of an inferiority complex? (C) a symbol of man's drive to conquer nature? A B C
- If you were offered a million dollars to be the first man to fly to the moon, would you (A) leap at the chance? (B) take the money and hire someone else to go? (C) find out why the job paid so much? A B C



- Do you think the maxim "A penny saved is a penny earned" is (A) an excuse for miserliness? (B) a thrift precept more people should follow? (C) a disastrous economic policy? A B C
- Do you believe that the expression "Every cloud has a silver lining" is (A) sticky sentimentality? (B) optimism with a poetic license? (C) faulty meteorology? A B C
- Do you think that helping other people at all times will (A) give you a lot of fun? (B) win you a lot of friends? (C) get you into a lot of trouble? A B C
- Do you think the primary purpose of parking meters is to (A) stop all-day parking? (B) raise money? (C) make people leave their cars at home? A B C



9. In choosing a filter cigarette, would you depend most (A) on the claims you read and hear? (B) on satisfying yourself that you're getting the right filtration and taste? (C) on the recommendations of your friends? A B C

When you think for yourself... you depend on judgment, not chance, in your choice of cigarettes. That is why men and women who think for themselves usually smoke VICEROY. They know that only VICEROY has a thinking man's filter and a smoking man's taste.

**If you have checked (C) on three out of the first four questions, and (B) on four out of the last five... you certainly think for yourself!*



The Man Who Thinks for Himself Knows — ONLY VICEROY HAS A THINKING MAN'S FILTER... A SMOKING MAN'S TASTE!

Madare Lodge Will Be Site of Senior Picnic On June 4
Junior and Senior Women To Attend Breakfast May 17
Colby Col. Night Held at Symphony Hall Next Tuesday

The annual Senior Picnic will take place on Thursday, June 4, beginning at 3 p.m. It will be held at Madare Lodge which overlooks a lake in South China. As well as a track, there are areas for badminton, horseshoes and softball. The lodge itself is large enough for the picnic to be moved inside in the event of rain. Mr. Macomber will be the caterer for the lobster bake the evening. Following the bake, Miss Tolette and Bob Brolli, who are in charge of planning the picnic, intend to have Al Corey's band to provide music for dancing.

According to a Colby tradition, junior and senior women will dine at a strawberry breakfast on Sunday, May 17. The breakfast will be held in honor of the senior women, and each junior will invite the senior of her choice. Each senior will be presented with a rosebud corsage. The Colbyettes will sing a grace composed several years ago especially for strawberry breakfasts. At tables decorated with geranium centerpieces and placecards, everyone will be served fresh strawberries. After the meal, the Colbyettes will sing another grace, composed by Carol Stearns '60 last year.

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The second annual "Colby College Night at the Pops" will be held at Symphony Hall on Tuesday, May 19, at 8:30 p.m. (the last day of classes). The Boston Pops will perform under the direction of Arthur Fiedler, and also the Colby Eight will make an appearance. Many favorite Colby songs will be played and sung.

This event is co-sponsored by the Boston Colby Alumnae Association and Goucher College of Townsend, Maryland. A certain percent of the profits from the ticket sales will go to the Colby Fulfillment Fund. Last year's show was a great success. Let's hope that this year's show will yield the same results.

Projects Are Pursued By English Department

by Jocelyn Keil

More about faculty research projects. In the English Department, Mr. Benbow is studying Elizabethan attitudes toward controlling forces and toward the concept of tragedy. He has written an article titled *The Concept of Providence in Holinshed's Chronicles, 1577 and 1587*. This particular article will appear sometime in the fall in University of Texas - Studies in English. It is part of a long-range study of Elizabethan drama.

Officers For Next Year's Women U. Have Been Chosen

Kay White '60 was re-elected as chairman of the Women's Union Committee for 1959-60 at the committee's first meeting for this year. Sue Fourcade '61 was elected assistant chairman, and Nancy Schick '62 will be in charge of the teas which will be held every Friday afternoon for the students and faculty.

Other members of the committee are Judy Digman, Joanne Price and Judy Sessler from the class of '60; Peggy Bartlett, Millie deKadt and Iris Mahoney of the class of '61; and Sharon Gear, Judy Hoagland, Jennifer Nesbit and Ruth Veit of the class of '62.

First semester the committee had open houses in the Union every Saturday night. Records and popcorn were available on these evenings, and this program will be continued next year. In addition to the regular Friday afternoon informal teas, the committee gave a Halloween party, decorated the Union for Christmas, and planned a ping-pong room and rumpus room for next year. These places for relaxation will be ready for use in the fall. The rumpus room is being furnished with comfortable furniture, and a record player, and will be a homey place for a "break". As a final project, the committee

The article is largely a result of work done at the Felger Shakespeare Library last fall when Mr. Benbow was on sabbatical. At present he is continuing a study of Hall's *Chronicles* and Homiletic literature.

Mr. Sutherland, also of the English Department, is taking the major satirists of the 18th century and attempting to trace the changes in their techniques and attitudes during the century and to relate them to societal changes that took place at the same time.

Mr. Sutherland has been working along this line for several years and has published a number of articles which may make a contribution to the completed study. The most important articles are:

"A Reconsideration of Gulliver's Third Voyage", "The Stone Cutter in Gray's 'Elegy'", "Robert Bage: Novelist of Ideas", and "Blake's Mental Traveller". He has also edited an anthology called "Mr. Spectator's London", which consists of selected source materials for college research papers.

Mr. Allen of the Classics Department has been studying Virgil's "Aeneid" for a number of years and plans to work on it intensively this summer. His present work is an expansion of a paper he gave at

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Segregation Problem Is Discussed By Students

by Jackie Nunez

Segregation was a major issue in the nation this year, and has been dealt with in many college papers. Since it is primarily a Southern problem, information from the South will be presented first. I have eliminated articles dealing with integration on lower levels of school, as this has been widely publicized already.

From the Mercer **Cluster** of January 30, one can see that the problem does affect colleges. "The Georgia legislature is apparently bent on striking another major blow at the state's system of public education. The latest measure is a well-aimed provision to prohibit adults past a certain age from entering Georgia's graduate and undergraduate schools . . . The proposal is, of course, part and parcel of the administration's anti-integration package. It proves that most (of) Georgia's politicians have long since passed the bounds of rationality and restraint in their efforts to maintain a segregated Georgia. All Negroes filing suit against Georgia's segregation system in education have been over the ages of 21 and 25. Well, say Georgia's lawmakers, let's just get 'em by restricting them on the basis of age."

Another illustrative incident, reported in the Howard newspaper of January 15, 1959, is that of George Cooper, "a University student," who "was among the five Negro college student who were barred from using the services of their hometown public library at Lakeland, Florida. Home for the Xmas holiday break, the students, all attending different colleges, attempted to use the facilities of the 'white' library because the 'colored' branch did not have the books they wanted or needed for term paper research work."

Of more widespread concern is the admission problem for victims of schools closed in the South. "Some won't make it . . . we'll waive the diploma requirement but expect them to measure up on a full round of tests," said Princeton admissions director William Edwards, in the **National Student News** of February, 1959. "Most admission officers agreed with Dean John Monro of Harvard who said, 'We'll look at individual cases, but we're not prepared to run a preparatory school for those who missed the 12th grade. We'll take just those who are ready.'"

What about steps being taken to help solve the problems? Pfeifer College in North Carolina held a conference to "discuss the college student's role in race relations," according to January's **National Student News**. "The conference was not only the first meeting to attract student leaders from 60 campuses in 11 states, but also the first to be held in an integrated fashion and the first to use a workshop approach while welcoming students with a wide range of views on the desirability, probability, and timing of desegregation and integration . . . The duty of the university is to confront its students with the major issues facing their society and to help create a body of educated men and women knowledgeable and informed about social issues, emphasized Dean Weaver of the University of North Carolina. Weaver placed special stress on pro-

grams such as the South Conference, the United States National Student Association, a number of ideas for continued work by the Conference co-sponsors, USNSA, YMCA, American Friends Service Committee, National Federation of Catholic College Students, United States Christian Council, and B'nai B'rith - both together and individually."

Wake Forest has had speakers for and against segregation, as have many other southern schools. At Chapel Hill, Harry Ashmore, the editor of the **Arkansas Gazette**, the publisher of which paper Colby honored this fall, spoke on "Equality of Opportunity."

The **Hofstra Chronicle** of March 20 spoke of the chapter founded there of the Panel Americans. "The Panel of Americans . . . is a nationwide federation of students from some 19 colleges and universities across the country, who are interested in trying to solve the social tensions caused by racial, religious, and cultural differences within America . . . The panel presentations feature informal personal contact by people of various religious and ethnic backgrounds with audiences who request their appearances."

Swarthmore is now seeking Negro students. According to the **Phoenix** of November 25, "Swarthmore was a racially segregated school until 1943; since then it has been integrated in form and to a small degree in substance. Sunday evening a group of students met to promote the substantial racial integration of Swarthmore College . . . The Admissions Office is cooperating by seeing more high schools of high Negro student concentration in Washington, D.C., Boston and Chicago; it also will supply literature to students interested in letting the outside world know that Swarthmore exists and welcomes the ap-

New Officers For Colby Fraternities Incoming Class Of 1959-60 Glee Club Announce Officers Freshmen Apply Have Been Elected For Fall Semester In Large Numbers

The Colby College Glee Club recently elected its new officers for the year 1959 - 1960. David Fullam '60 will lead the Glee Club as president and Eleanor Reed '60 will serve as the vice-president. The two secretaries are Courtney Davis '60 for the men, and Claudia Lawrence '60 for the women. Sophomore Beverly Lapham is the new business manager. At present the positions of treasurer, librarian, and assistant librarian have not been filled.

On May 30, the Glee Club will take its annual outing at Popham Beach which is on the coast south of Bath, Maine. The menu will include lobsters and clams; the bake is being catered by Mr. William Macomber, Director of Roberts Union and of Adult Education.

Seven of Colby's ten fraternities have elected their officers for the fall semester of 1959. The officers are as follows:

Tau Delta Phi: President, Mike Silverberg; vice-presidents, Hank Silverman and Jon Wolfe; secretary, Lew Yurdin; treasurer, Dick Fields.

Alpha Tau Omega: President, Benny Paharik; vice-president, Pete McFarlane; secretary, John Tully; and treasurer, Dick Lucier.

Zeta Psi: President, Matty Gache; vice-president, Charlie Murphy; secretary, Ed Ruscitti; corresponding secretary, Bob Wright; treasurer, Dick Stacey, social chairman, Marty Turpee; and rush chairmen, Charlie Murphy, Fred Sears, and Rolph Galante. Members of the Supreme Council are John Roberts, Hy Plimpton and Shelly Vincent.

Kappa Delta Rho: President, John Whittier; vice-president, Courtney Davis; second vice-president, Carl Stieler; treasurer, Dennis Ting; social chairman, Peter Teal, and rush chairman, Tony Mainero.

Lambda Chi Alpha: President, Don Williamson; vice-president, Leo Beaulieu; secretary, Jerry LaForgia; treasurer, Ray Berberian; social chairman, George Bagas; and IFC representative, Ed Burke.

Sigma Theta Psi: President, Lee Holmes; vice-president, Bob Hartman; recording secretary, Pete Laylin; corresponding secretary, Bob Brown; social chairman, Bob Jordan; rush chairman, Bill Woolridge; and treasurer, Waring Blackburn.

Because applications are still coming in, the report concerning the incoming freshman class from Mr. Bryan's office is rather indefinite. To date 879 girls and 1020 boys have applied; next year's freshman class will have 140 women and 250 men (including transfers). The number of applications this year is the largest ever received for Colby.

As for distribution of the class of 1963, it will be comprised mostly from New England, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, with a sampling from the rest of the country. There is a possibility of two foreign students, a girl from Italy and a boy from Sweden. If you have recently been in the waiting room of the Admissions Office you may have noticed a Japanese doll on the window sill. It is an authentic Oriental doll sent to Colby by a Japanese girl who applied here. She sent the doll as a thank-you for considering her application!

The applications this year are being received in the new Admissions Offices on the Spa side of Miller Library. These offices, which also include Placement, have provided the much needed space required by the Admissions and Placement departments. This new location has been made possible through the combined efforts of many persons, under the direction of Messrs. McKeen and Whalen.

Delta Kappa Epsilon: President, Jack Sinton; vice-president, Sandy Boardman; secretary, Cy Theobald; treasurer, Ian Tatlock; and rush chairman, Paul Kramer.

Miss Gulick Is To Be New Instructor For Modern Dance

A new appointment has been made in the Women's Physical Education Department. Miss Faith Gulick has been named as permanent member of the staff and will serve as instructor of the dance.

Miss Gulick received her A.B. degree in music from Connecticut College and her A.M. in the dance from Mills College. She has taught for a number of summers at the Connecticut College Summer School of the Dance which is associated with the Steffi-Nossen School of the Dance in Westchester County. Miss Gulick has also appeared in several theatrical productions and has done extensive solo work. Her appointment in the department of physical education is a result of the demand for a special instructor of the dance. Miss Gulick will instruct all classes in modern and folk dancing and will advise the Modern Dance Club.

application of qualified Negroes." Swarthmore students also initiated the "Youth March for Integration." This, and other areas of work by college students, will be the subject of next week's column.

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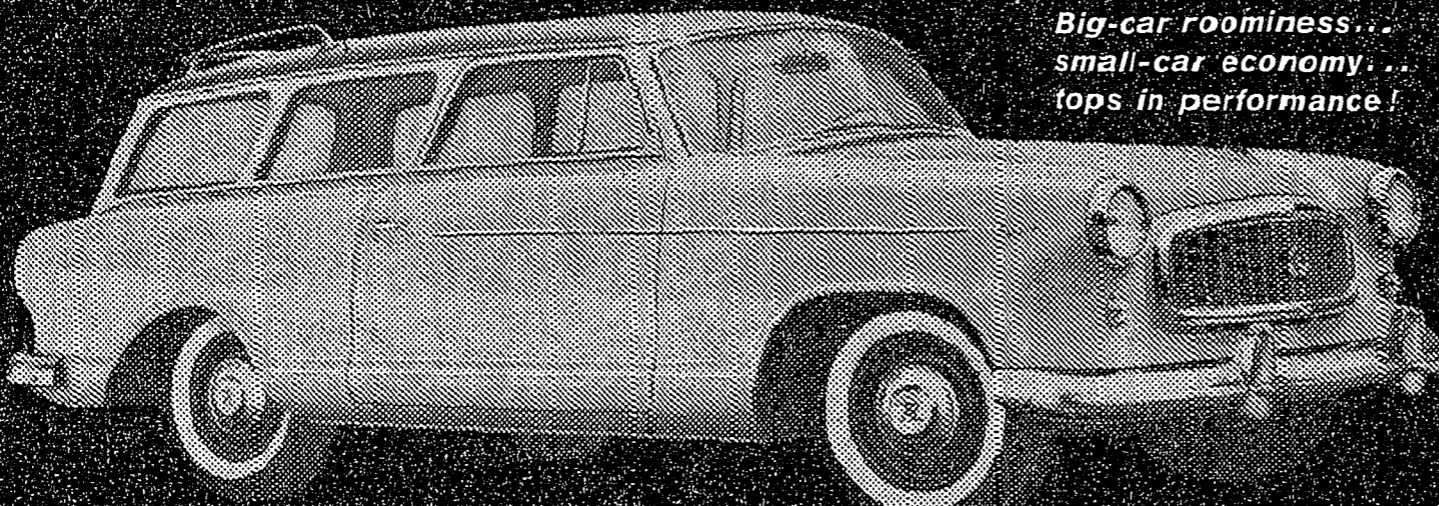
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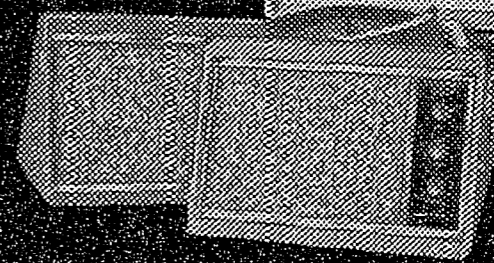
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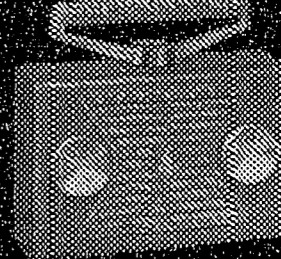
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- These may indicate that a nation is prepared to wage war in the air.
- Some college students.
- When at... Light up an Oasis.
- Sinking ship deserter.
- Plural pronoun.
- One expects... discussions in a sociology class.
- A student's careless... might annoy a short-story instructor.
- Initials of Uruguay and Denmark.
- Germanium (Chem.)
- Nova Scotia (Abbr.)
- It probably would count when you pick a horse to bet on.
- Sometimes a girl on a date must... into her pocketbook to help pay the tab.
- The muscle-builder's... may fascinate a poorly developed man.
- Chemical Engineer (Abbr.)
- Campers will probably be... by a forest fire.
- When starting a trip, tourists usually look forward to the first... at home.
- Literate in Arts (Abbr.)
- Familiar for faculty member.
- Associate in Arts (Abbr.)
- One could appear quite harmless at times.
- Reverse the first part of "L&M".
- What will soon appear in a bombed-out city.

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- The beginning and end of pleasure.
- A rural... can be inviting to a vacationist.
- Second and third letters of OASIS.
- When one is... packed, it could be exasperating to remember a few articles that should be included.
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- Author... Ambler.
- District Attorney (Abbr.)
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Seven Will Participate In Foreign Study Plans

Seven Colby students have been accepted in European universities and will spend their junior years abroad. W. Donald Campbell of Milton, Massachusetts, will spend his junior year at the University of Munich in Germany. His major field of study will be German. Also going to Munich and majoring in German is Martha W. Post of Washington, D. C.

Four juniors will be at the University of Edinburgh in Scotland. Janet L. Haskins of Greenfield, Massachusetts, will be concentrating her studies in philosophy. Mary Ellen Snowman of Caribou, Maine, will be undertaking study in English literature and history. Also majoring in English literature will be Patricia D. Zapp of Kennett Square, Pennsylvania. Barry E. Long of Warwick, Rhode Island, plans to concentrate in the field of economics.

Gail Macomber of Conway, New Hampshire, will spend her junior year at Lausanne University in Lausanne, Switzerland, and plans to major in French and history.

Students who wish to study abroad in connection with Colby during their junior year must have a good academic standing and give promise of ability to pursue and complete their program of foreign study with credit to themselves and to Colby.

Permission for foreign study rests with the Committee on Foreign Students and Foreign Study, which this year has been under the chairmanship of Professor Everett Strong. Members of this committee are Dr. William Crawford, Dr. Richard Kellenberger, Mr. Henry Schmidt, Mr. Clifford Berschneider, Dean of the Faculty Robert E. L. Strider, and Deans Seaman and Nickerson. In addition, the committee cooperates with the Office of Admissions and makes recommendations for scholarships which are available to foreign students. It also oversees the welfare of these students while they are at Colby, and helps process the applications. Colby's Junior Year Abroad program is under the entire supervision of this committee and the faculty advisor of each student concerned. The foreign study plan must meet the requirements set by Colby and the credits from the foreign university must be transferrable.

Phi Beta Initiation To Be On May 18

Phi Beta Kappa Society was founded at the old college of William and Mary in Williamsburg, Virginia, December 5, 1776. The Colby Chapter was granted a charter as Beta Chapter of Maine on September 11, 1895. In January, 1896, it was organized. Phi Beta Kappa's purpose is the promotion of scholarship and friendship among students and graduates of American colleges.

Members of the society are elected primarily from among the best scholars of the graduating class, although other members may be elected on the basis of distinction in letters, science or education. Generally, candidates for membership must be in the top 15 per cent of the senior class.

The annual Phi Beta Kappa banquet and initiation will be held on Monday, May 18, at 6:30 p.m. in Roberts Union. Dean Ernest C. Marriner, Colby College Historian, will speak on the tradition of scholarship at Colby. Faculty members, their wives or husbands, and the highest ranking students in the sophomore and junior classes have received invitations.

Members of the faculty who belong to Phi Beta Kappa are the following: Mr. Breckinridge, Mr. Bither, President Bixler, Mr. Barlow, Mr. Chapman, Dr. Pullen, Dr. and Mrs. Kellenberger, Mr. Gordon Smith, Dr. Re, Dr. Machmer (president of Beta Chapter), Miss Curran, Dr. Maurice Brown, Mrs. Comparetti, Dr. Bridgman, Dr. Todrank, Miss Whitcomb, Mrs. Fisher, Dr. MacKay, Dr. Gillum, Dr. Cary, Dean Marriner, Mrs. Zukowski, Mr. Gillespie, Dr. Suss and Dr. Rothchild.

O-AT-KA Meeting To Take Place At Sebago On June 8

Is our image of man and the world today what we as Christians think it should be? What are our reflections in these times of cold war, of discrimination and apathy, of superficiality and selfishness, in the world and in our immediate surroundings of home and college? What stand can we do we take?

This summer's O-AT-KA conference sponsored by the Student Christian Movement in New England will be held on Lake Sebago in Maine from June 8 to 14. Students will be discussing the con-

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Relax at the movies! Mr. William Macomber, the Director of Roberts Union, has announced the schedule of movies to be held on campus during the final exam period. These movies will be sponsored by the Union, and will be shown in Averill Auditorium at 1:15 p.m.

Thursday, May 21: "Cartoon Parade 'B'" (Disney color cartoon).

Friday, May 22: "Abbott and Costello Meet Frankenstein", "Daring Skippers", (sports), "Destination Magoos" (U.P.A. color cartoon).

Saturday, May 23: "Hold That Lion" (Three Stooge Comedy), "Ballet-opp" (U.P.A. color cartoon).

Monday, May 25: "Cartoon Parade 'A'" (Walt Disney).

Tuesday, May 26: "Breakneck Sports" (sports), "Tackle Busters" (sports), "Belle Boys" (cartoon).

Wednesday, May 27: "Saludos Amigos" (live action Disney film).

Thursday, May 28: "The Great Chase" (comedy) "Mr. Tennis" (sport feature), "Grizzly Golfer" (cartoon).

History Professor Writes Book About Africa Federalism

by Dan Parish

As you may have heard, Mr. Rothchild recently had a book published entitled "Towards Unity in Africa: A Study of Federalism in Africa". He developed this piece of work during his graduate years at John Hopkins. He spent several years on preliminary reading and accumulated information from such sources as Legislative Debates and English Colonial Papers. He spent many long hours peering at microfilms at the Library of Congress. He compiled this information into what composes the core of his book in order to fulfill his requirement. After his graduation from John Hopkins, Mr. Rothchild did further research and took a trip to Africa in order to complete the fine points of his book.

The purpose of this book is to investigate the nature of Federalism in the underdeveloped regions of West and Central Africa. Mr. Rothchild feels that too much emphasis is placed on studying conditions of European countries and has therefore focused his attention on African problems.

Mr. Rothchild's interest in African affairs is not confined to his book. He also teaches a course in African government. We are very fortunate to have such an enthusiastic member on the faculty.

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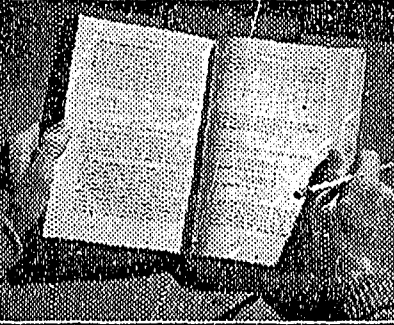
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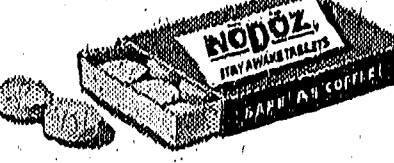
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Elliot Woocher, number one Frosh netman, averts shut-out against Maine.

Frosh Lose First Maine Net Match

The University of Maine freshmen proved to be too strong for the Baby Mules as they scored a 5-1 victory in Thursday's tennis match. The Colby Frosh were undefeated until this match, which was the first time Maine has placed a freshman tennis squad in competition with Colby. The only singles win for Colby was posted by the number one man, Elliot Woocher. Rain prevented the doubles matches from being played.

Golfers Win Many, Show Weak Spots

The Colby golf squad had rolling along in fine fashion until this past Tuesday when the Mules were upset by Bowdoin. The Polar Bear's win increased their State Series record to 4-1, and if they defeat Maine they will win the title outright. The Mules now stand three wins and two losses in the state competition. They must beat Bates and hope that Maine can upend Bowdoin if they are to gain a share of the crown.

Prior to their dismal showing against Bowdoin, Colby had racked up six wins against only two defeats in overall play. The victories have come at the expense of Springfield, M.I.T., Boston University, Bowdoin, Bates and Maine. The Mules have succumbed to Boston College and Maine.

Coach Bob Clifford's squad has been hampered this year by lack of depth and inconsistency. The Mules have only seven men of the squad which means there is no competition for starting berths. A player sure of his job tends to become complacent and as a result his scores will vary a great deal.

Ralph Noel, only a sophomore, has been playing in the number one position. He has been shooting in the high 70's and recently qualified for the New England title with a fine 78. John Shore, Bo Foehl and George Welch are close behind. Following these four are Marty Turpie, Wayne Westbrook and Rick Cluthe.

Golf has been on the rise here at Colby during the past few years and next season there are several promising freshmen coming up who should give the regulars a fight for their job. The frosh have rolled to easy wins over the Maine and Bowdoin freshmen and Edward Little High School. Top prospects include

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MULE KICKS



by Ken Nigro, '60

In this day and age where news of touchdowns, baskets and home runs race across the headlines, a sport like track is relegated to the back pages. The situation here at Colby is certainly no different, perhaps even a little worse. During the past four or five years the track team has declined steadily until it has at present reached a point of almost completely deterioration. The all-time low level was reached last season when the Mules, with nine full time players, scored the astounding total of no points in the State Track Meet.

Many might argue that the low level of track is due to lack of adequate facilities. Running on the track in the gym is like running up Mt. Sugarloaf. Also the cindermen must compete with other sports — while circling the track, they are constantly in danger of being beamed by a stray baseball or basketball. Eventually this track is to be hardtopped, and in the distant future when the new gym is built, the present one will be used exclusively for track. It is conceivable that with these two accomplishments, a more formidable track team can be fielded. Yet to this observer there is a much simpler and less time-consuming solution: hire a full-time track coach; a person who is able to devote all his time to this particular sport. This is meant as no affront to the present coach, John Simpson. He was hired as an assistant football coach and is busy almost all year-round with football. However, there was no track coach so Simpson was given the assignment. He has shown a great deal of interest and organization but he is the first to admit that he is a football man, not a track coach. He simply cannot devote as much time as he would like to, due to his football commitments.

While Simpson is not to blame, neither is Lee Williams, the Director of Athletics. Williams fully realizes the need for a full-time track coach but he must operate according to the rules imposed on him by the administration. With millions and millions of dollars being spent on the building fund, it seems quite ridiculous that the administration is unwilling to spend the paltry sum required to pay a year-round track coach.

One only has to look at Bates to draw a simple comparison. Besides their regular track season, they have both a cross country and an indoor track program. They also have a track coach whose job is nothing else but track. He is able to spend time recruiting top prospects. If a good high school track player with financial need were offered approximately the same scholarship to Colby and Bates, it wouldn't take much thinking for him to choose the latter.

There is certainly enough interest here to field a cross country team in the fall and, yet, who is to take charge of it? The lack of practice in the autumn and winter months is a definite hindrance to the perfecting of form and approach, so necessary for cindermen.

It's no secret that many good track boys are not even out for the team. Even so, this year there are twice as many on the team than last season. There is also a great deal of desire and interest, according to Simpson. It would seem that full time leadership would bring about more talent, and, more important, a greater interest on the part of those not participating.

In the State Track Meet held at Colby last weekend, the Mules surprised everyone by scoring two and a half points. This was some seventy-five points behind the winner but it still represents an improvement over last year. It takes time to build a winning team. However, we would be able to field a representative team, one that is capable of giving the other schools a true struggle. Meanwhile, we must go along participating in meets in which the outcome is never in doubt.

Frosh Track Team Netmen Guarantee Wins Second Meet State Title Draw

On May 7 the Colby freshman track team won their second straight meet of the season by defeating Bangor, Portland, and Waterville, by a score of 65-43-29-12 in a triangular meet held on Mayflower Hill. The Baby mules exhibited a well balanced team as they captured six first places.

The high scorer for the Mules was Ken Bee who alone scored fourteen points by winning first place in the high jump, second place in the broad jump and javelin, and third place in the high hurdles and the shot put.

Also worthy of mention on the Colby squad are Henderson Colley, Matt Perry, Sunny Bryant, Jeff Savastano and Dick Elroy who each won first places in their respective events. Bink Smith, Harmon Withee, Rick Hartnett, Dave Jacobson, and Jim Houghton also exhibited success in their events.

Colby's defending state tennis champions rolled to a spectacular victory on Monday afternoon in blanking the University of Maine, 9-0. The Mules' last shut-out in the MIAA tennis competition was in 1950 when they made a similar sweep against Bates. Monday's victory assures for Colby at least a tie for the 1959 net championship.

To win the title outright Colby had to stop either Bowdoin or Bates. The Mules met the Polar Bears on Wednesday and the Bobcats on Thursday.

The winning pair consisted of state single champion, Captain Grant Hendricks, teaming with Roed Thompson in the number one spot. Paul Keddy and Ned Gow, both sophomores, worked together for the first time at number three. The other doubles combos was Henry Wingate and John Kellom, who have been a regular duo all spring.

Netmen Star In State Series Play, Post Wins

The Colby varsity tennis team has defeated, Bowdoin, Bates and Babson Institute to take the first round in its defense of the state title. The Bates match, however, was extremely close as the Mules squeaked by, 5-4. Thus, although the Mules have now been victorious over all three Maine state opponents, the state series is far from being decided. This week saw the Mules traveling to Orono on Monday to face a tough University of Maine squad, and then return home to face Bowdoin and Bates again.

The Polar Bears of Bowdoin provided the Mules with their first surprise of the week as they made the Mules fight all the way for the win. On paper Colby should have won easily since the Mules had beaten Tufts, who in turn had beaten Bowdoin. Nevertheless with a few more matches under its belt the Bowdoin team proved to be quite potent. Most of the individual matches went to three sets in this tussle which Colby won, 6-3.

The next day Bates furnished Colby with an even closer match. The Mules took four out of the first six singles, while Bates recovered to take the first and third doubles.

However, Hank Wingate and John Kellam came through in fine style to win the second doubles for Colby.

The last match of the week found the Mules tallying their second win over Babson Institute. Colby won the match by taking five points in the singles. The Mules then proceeded to take two doubles matches, making the final score 7-2.

Coach Mike Loeb's has come to rely on his first four men; Hendricks, Rogan, Wingate and Kellom respectively. Hendricks is sporting an excellent 7-1 record while Rogan and Wingate aren't far behind with 6-2 records. Wingate has proved to be a great competitor this year, and Hogan seems to get better with each passing match.

Bears Win State Meet At Colby, Hosts Last

On May 9 the U. of Maine track team became the Maine Intercollegiate Track Champions as they ended the two year reign of a much favored team from Bates.

The Maine Black Bears won the meet by compiling a score of 77 points. It is the highest number of points earned by any of the teams in the past sixteen years and the third highest in the sixty-four year history of the meet. Bates finished second with a score of 58½, Bowdoin 27, and Colby 2½.

The Colby Mules averted a blank score by Charles Pettee's commendable performance in placing third in the mile and Sandy Graham's tie for fourth in the pole vault. Colby's score of 2½ points shows the improvement over last year in which the Mules were blanked in this meet.

To show the intense competition with which the Mules had to contend; U. of Maine captured seven, Bates six, and Bowdoin two first places out of the fifteen events of the meet. Also, the day was highlighted by Bates' Rudy Smith shattering the standing record in the 880 yard dash by a new mark of

1:54.1. The old record was 1:55.6, set in 1958. This performance shows the potentiality of the Maine and Bates teams.

Winning the meet for the 25th time, U. of Maine placed in every event while Bates was shut out in three. The only near sweep was in the discus where Maine captured three out of four places.

One feature of the day was the one mile Freshman Medley Relay in which Bates won, Maine placed second, Bowdoin third and Colby fourth. Colby's team of Perry, Savastano, Smith, and Johnson, did a fine job as they held first place for much of the race, however; Bates' superior runners proved too much for them.

Varsity Nine Plays Tie With Polar Bears, 3 - 3

Colby and Bowdoin played to a 3-3 stalemate yesterday afternoon in a game called at the end of eleven innings because of rain.

Johnny Roberts and Bob Swenson went the distance on the mound. Roberts retired the side very quickly in the top of the first as only three Polar Bears came to bat. In the bottom half of the inning Cavari singled for the Mules but was promptly picked off first when he left the bag too soon on a hit and run attempt. Swenson then quickly retired the side.

The fireworks began in the second inning as leadoff hitter Berlandi parked a Roberts' delivery into the trees in left field. The next Bowdoin batter was retired but Looman drew a base on balls. Entin quickly moved him to third with a first pitch double to center, and they both scored on a sharp single by Pete Papazoglow. This gave Bowdoin a 3-0 lead as the Winkinmen came to bat in the bottom of the second.

Burke started the inning with a Williams type clout that traveled over 400 ft. to straightaway center. Eddie's homer was a towering drive believed to be the longest ball ever hit at Coombs Field. Swenson got out of the frame without further trouble. Bowdoin's lead had now been narrowed to 3-1.

Both pitchers fired shutout ball until the 8th inning when Swenson got himself into a jam. He walked leadoff batters Cavari and Zash.

Cavari moved to third base on a fly ball to center, and then he scored on Cohen's sacrifice fly. With two outs Zash stole second. Luethke then brought him home with the tying run as he doubled down the right-field line.

Bowdoin threatened in the 9th but a great throw from Dave Sedon cut down a would be stonier at second base to end this threat.

In the 10th Rodon made a fine defensive play in robbing Looman of a hit which would have scored Berlandi who was on third at the time. Rodon moved to his left behind second base to glove Looman's ball, and then he threw perfectly to the outstretched arms of Eddie Burke to end the inning.

Colby threatened in the 11th as they drew two base on balls. But centerfielder Papazoglow made a fine running catch of Roberts' sinking liner to end the game. It had been raining very hard throughout the 11th and plate umpire Blake called the game at this point.

W. A. A.

The annual W.A.A. Field Day will be held on Monday afternoon, May 18. The program, to be held rain or shine, will feature student and faculty athletic events, a picnic supper for all Colby Women, and the presentation of W.A.A. awards.

The afternoon's events begin at 1:30 p.m. with an archery shoot. An interdorm softball playoff game will follow at 2:30 p.m. The annual Faculty-Student softball game will begin at 3:30 p.m. This year, Colby women will be facing the tough competition provided by Professors Clark, Rothchild, Terry, Hickox, Reuman, Rosenthal, Barlow Garab, Geib and Birge. At 3:30 p.m. also, a golf tournament will be played, as well as a Student-Faculty tennis match. At 4:45 p.m., preceding the picnic supper for all Colby women, there will be a lacrosse demonstration. Following the supper, W.A.A. awards will be presented to those girls who have shown outstanding interest and skill in athletics at Colby.

In case of rain, the Student-Faculty softball game will be held at 4 p.m. in the Women's Union gymnasium.

COLBY TO PARTICIPATE

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Dean William B. Cadbury Jr. of Haverford College will be one of the distinguished educators leading the seminar discussions. The program for this year is especially directed to assist faculty and administrators from relatively small liberal arts colleges devise solutions suitable to their particular environments. Some of the topics of discussion will be "Improving the Quality of Instruction in Liberal Arts Colleges", "The Superior Student", and "Programs for Developing International Understanding."

Dean Strider stated: "We are very proud that Colby has been invited to participate in this conference. Those of us who are representing the college expect that the experience of this three-week seminar will be of direct and immediate benefit to Colby in the next few years."

RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY

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the Class of 1916, in memory of his father and mother, first: Frank Lawrence Wiswall '62, second: Frank Howard Wallace '61, third: Russell John Peppe '69. The 25th Anniversary Prize went to Frank Howard Wallace '61; Murray De-

Following the Graduation Exercises there will be an opportunity to meet the recipients of Honorary Degrees in the main corridor of Miller Library.

bating Prizes, a bequest of the late George E. Murray, 1879, provide for the annual award of prizes for the best arguments presented at a public exhibition. The winning team was Dorothy Dorman '60, Frank Howard Wallace '61; best speaker: Frank Howard Wallace '61.

SOCIAL SCIENCES: Chi Omega Prize in Social Sciences was awarded this year to the highest ranking woman in Psychology, Julia May Spear '59. **Paul A. Fullam History Prize**, presented to the senior distinguished by outstanding work in the field of History and Government whereby a fund is provided for books of the winner's choosing, awarded to Louise L. Leotta '59. **Edward Lampert History Prize**, presented to a senior distinguished by excellence in the field of History and government consists of a fund for books of the winner's choosing, awarded to Erla Joyce Cleaves '59. **William J. Wilkinson History Prize** established by Mrs. Wilkinson in memory of her husband, William J. Wilkinson, Professor of Modern History and Government at Colby from 1924 to 1945, a prize awarded annually to the history major in the junior class who, in the judgement of the History Department, combines the following qualifications: special interest in Modern European History, high average in history and government courses, personal integrity, and ability to reason critically and independently. It was awarded to Richard Frederick Casson '60. **Ernest L. Parsons Prize**, awarded to a senior in Business Administration who in the opinion of the faculty of this department combines high quality of scholarship, personality, and extracurricular interests, went to Donald Stanley Freeman '59.

GENERAL AWARDS. The Student Government Scholarship, whose fund is collected by students thru the Campus Chest and is administered by the Student Government Committee, was awarded to Rosemary Athearn '60. The Women's Student League Scholarship, awarded annually to the junior woman who best fits these requisites: at least average scholarship, leadership, participation in extracurricular activities, friendliness — and who has contributed toward her college expenses by her own efforts, was received by Judith Ann Sessler '60. **Delta Delta Delta Scholarship**

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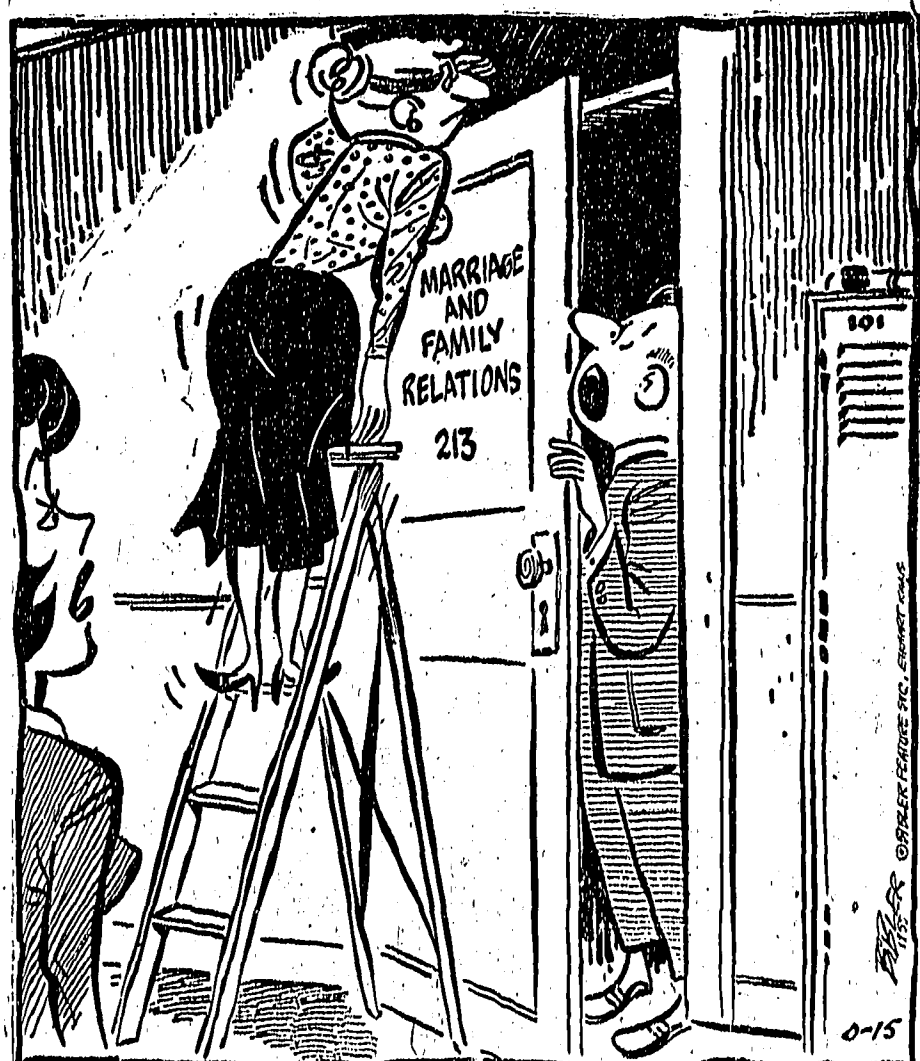
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PROJECTS ARE PURSUED

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a meeting of the Classical Association of New England last spring.

Mr. Allen is interested in interpreting what each part of the poem is trying to say through its language and imagery.

Mr. Allen feels the important point is that his research work and teaching are closely tied together.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT

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tors of the Junior-Senior Advisors for the freshmen men.

The topic of big weekends was discussed. Some of the representatives felt that Student Government should assume at least a portion of the financial burden of such weekends in the future.

Pat Walker requested that a certain sum of money be set aside for the purpose of buying new cheerleading outfits and equipment.

The bulletin board is still being built.

GOLFERS WIN

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George Nye, Ronnie Ryan, Jim Ackerman and Bruce Marshall.

In addition to their coming match with Bates, the Mulgs will also face Tufts and then participate in the State Tournament which has been tentatively set for Tuesday, May 19, at the Augusta Country Club.

O-AT-KA MEETING

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temporary human situation, the life and work of Jesus Christ seen as God's answer to the human dilemma, and the Church today.

Throughout the week there will be lectures, panel discussions, daily meetings of small seminar groups and many opportunities for informal talks.

Dr. Richard R. Niebuhr in the Department of Theology in Harvard Divinity School will be the main speaker. Other leaders of the week will be: The Rev. William Coffin, Chaplain of Yale University; Dr. Samuel H. Miller, of The Old Cambridge Baptist Church and Harvard Divinity School; Dr. Gibson Reid Johnson, in the Department of History in the University of New Hampshire; Mr. Peter Haile, the New England Secretary of The Inter-Varsity Christian Fellowship; The Rev. Joseph Duffey, of the First Congregational Church in Danvers, Massachusetts.

Colleges represented on the planning committee are: Wheaton, Trin-

ity, Framingham S.T.C., Mt. Holyoke, Pembroke, Smith, Amherst, Williams, Lesley, Colby, Brown, Boston Univ., U. of Maine, Yale, U. of N.H., Wellesley, U. of N.C., and Yale Divinity School.

Everyone, regardless of the nature or depth of his faith-is most welcome at O-AT-KA. The value of new insights and friendships will last far beyond the one week together.

For registration blanks or more information, see Peggy Jack or Eunice Bucholz in Louise Coburn.

JUNIOR-SENIOR WOMEN

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Carol Wickeri '60 is chairman for this year's breakfast committee. Miss Nichols, director of food service, is in charge of the menu: bacon, eggs, toast, muffins, doughnuts and strawberries.

Miss Nichols is hostess this year. The invited guests are Mrs. Seaman, Miss Thayer, Miss Briggs, and the housemothers: Mrs. Sims, Mrs. Kyes, Mrs. Erickson, and Mrs. Ellis; they will sit at Miss Nichol's table.

COLBY RECIPIENT

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for: initiative, ambition, good health, and sturdy constitution, enthusiasm, leadership, proficiency in studies, and financial need.

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nities behind the Roberts Union.
3:15 Parade and Review including the retreat ceremony and presentation of awards.

RECOGNITION ASSEMBLY

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Award, given annually by the sorority for scholastic ability and college participation to a well-deserving girl at Colby, awarded to Janice Ann Rideout '60.

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ory of their alumna and advisor, Mrs. Phyllis S. Fraser, awarded to Alta Sue Maher '61. The Josephine Bodurtha Scholarship, a new award this year to be awarded annually by Alpha Delta Chapter of Alpha Delta Pi in memory of their alumna, Josephine Bodurtha Gagnon, to a deserving Colby woman, was presented to Ann Elizabeth Weir '61.

Lelia M. Forster Prizes: from the income of the Lelia M. Forster Fund awards are made annually to the young man and the young woman "of the preceding entering class who have shown the character and ideals the most likely to benefit society". In the women's division it was awarded to Priscilla Ann Gwyn '62.

The Donald P. Lake Award, given annually to a senior class member whom the Colby College Varsity 'O' Club elects for outstanding scholastic achievement, athletic leadership and ability, went to Richard Bernard Morrison '59.

SCIENCES: Chi Epsilon Mu Prize in Chemistry, awarded annually to the highest ranking freshman in Chemistry, this was presented to Bruce Reed MacPherson '62. Mathematics Award, an achievement award in freshman mathematics, donated by the Chemical Rubber Company was awarded to Neil Jerome Johanson '62.

SENIOR SCHOLARS FOR 1960. James Michael Acheson, Jr., in Sociology - "Sociology of Primitive Thought". Richard Frederick Casson, in History - "Legal and Court Systems of Tzarist Russia 1814 - 1919". Ann Hazelton Dudley, in Physics - "The Philosophy of Physics". Donald DeCosta Mordecai, in Classics - English - "Study of Sophocles Oedipus Tryannus through the Relation of the Chorus to Action". Louis Rader, in English Literature, on "Burke's Possible Influence on Carlyle". Louise Robb, in History - on "Islamic Resurgence of the 12th Century under Nur ed Din and Salah ed Din". George Grant Welch, Jr., in Classics - English, on "Senecan Influence in Style in Elizabethan Drama".

The Book of the Year for 1959 - 1960 will be Maglo, Solence and Religion by Bronislaw Malinowski.

Graduate Fellowships and Honors Susan Kahl Fotherston - Fellowship at Wesleyan University in the Master of Arts in Teaching Program. Donald Stanley Freeman - S. C. Johnson & Son Fellowship in Market Research at the Cornell University Graduate School of Business and Public Administration. Arthur Eduard Goldschmidt - Fellowship for Graduate Study in Middle Eastern Studies at Harvard University. Betty Lou Nyman - Teacher-in-Training Scholarship at the Lexington School for the Deaf at Columbia

University.

American Association of University Women's Membership Award. Membership for one year in the American Association of University Women is awarded by the State of Maine Division to a senior woman of outstanding scholarship, citizenship, and campus leadership. This year it was awarded to Barbara Elizabeth Hunter '59.

Senior Marshals - the highest ranking members in scholarship of the senior class. Janice Eleanor Coburn and Arthur Eduard Goldschmidt.

Bixler Bowl - Awarded to the fraternity which as a group has contributed the most on a constructive basis to the over-all work of the college program. The winner was Lambda Chi Alpha and second place was taken by Delta Upsilon. Area Winners: Administration: first: Kappa Delta Rho; second: Delta Upsilon. Scholarship: first: Beta Chi; second: Sigma Theta Psi. Special Events: first: Kappa Delta Rho; second: Delta Upsilon. Leadership: first: Lambda Chi Alpha; second: Delta Kappa Epsilon. Athletics: first: Lambda Chi Alpha (Sprague Trophy); second: Delta Kappa Epsilon.

Honor Certificates. Presented to those juniors and sophomores who, during their last two terms, have won honors in general scholarship.

Honors in General Scholarship were received by Larry Mitchell '60, Ralph Daniel Nelson '60, Louis Rader '60, Iris Ann Coffman '60, Cynthia Helen Love '60, Janice Ann Rideout '60, Carol Ann York '60, Faith Kancelani Bunker '61, Patricia Ann Houghton '61, and Jacqueline Ruth Nunez '61. High Honors in General Scholarship were awarded to Ann Hazelton Dudley '60, Charles Cutler Leighton '60, and Blandine LaFlamme McLaughlin '60. Honors with Distinction in General Scholarship were received by Carlene Ann Perry '60, Margaret Dorothy Wetzel '60, and Daniel Lee Hodges '61.

Phi Beta Kappa. Eria Joyce Cleaves, Janice Eleanor Coburn, Donald Stanley Freeman, Arthur Eduard Goldschmidt, Jr., Daniel

Wigbold vanHeeckeren, Marion Frances Kimball, Mary Elizabeth Shesong.

Condon Medal - Gift of the late Randall J. Condon, of the Class of 1886, awarded to the 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. The award went to Donna Marie Tasker.

Cap and Gown. Membership in the Colby Cap and Gown is considered the highest non-scholastic honor which can come to an undergraduate in the women's division. Election to the organization is based on the following qualifications: active support of religious, cultural, social, and athletic projects; insight and tolerance; generosity and ability in leadership. New members are Marcia Peterson, Mollie Josephine Deans, Caroline Walker, Alice Stebbins, Judith Sessler, Margaret Wetzel, and Caroline Webster. Honorary members: Joan Crowell and Mrs. Dorothy Sims.

Blue Key. The basic aims of Blue Key are to stimulate leadership; to improve all aspects of student life at Colby; and to serve the College in all other ways possible. Membership in Blue Key is considered the highest non-academic honor in the men's division. Qualifications for membership are: exceptional performance and leadership in extracurricular activities; average scholarship standing; good character and integrity; recognition of the needs of the College, and an active interest in fulfilling them.

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