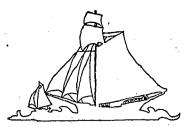


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## Unique Recollections of Colby by '71 Graduate

student may be out of his room after 10:00 p.m., and no intoxicating liquors may be used except as prescribed by attending physicians" no, Colby is not instituting a new set of Spartan rules, but the Colby of a century ago was based on exactly such regulations. Daniel Randall Stover who entered Colby in in any tavern in the city. 1867 was a typical student in the unglamorous century. His daughter Meriam in an article from the Lewiston Evening Journal, bases her description on his recollections.

A scholarship of \$12.00 was a substantial grant to the poor farm boy who sold live lobsters in Waterville for 10c each to make up the balance of college expenses (\$8.36). Items included on the term bill were: tuition, \$10.00; use of library, \$.33 room rent \$5.00; average of general repairs, \$.75; service \$1.50; fuel for recitation rooms, \$1.00; ordinary fines \$.80; chemicals \$.48; and exhibition \$.50.

The curriculum for the twenty male students in the class of 1871 included elocution and rhetoric (the most important courses), Latin and Greek throughout the four years, English literature and philosophy for one term only, political economy and history for two years and French and German each for one year. In the scientific realm were botany, surveying, navigation, mechanics, chemistry, and zoology. Only the crudest of apparatus was owned in the chemistry and natural philosophy department — in 1870 a good microscope, some zoological charts and 500 shells from the East Indies were added.

Chapel was held every morning and evening. Failure to attend three more years every student who brought a fine of 10 cents for each had advanced in a learned profession infraction. Morning chapel was held and furnished the trustees with satat 5:45 a.m. summer and winter in isfactory testimonials of his moral a building with only one stove in character would automatically rewhich fuel was never wasted. On ceive his M.A.

"Classes begin at 6:00 a.m., no Sunday, no student was allowed to walk abroad, visit or receive company, or play on any musical instrument. Playing cards, dice, blackgammon, falsehoods and profanity were not allowed. No student was allowed to attend a theater or "idle show" in Waterville nor frequent any house or shop to eat or drink

> What did students do for recreation? There were two fraternities but no fraternity houses, of course. DKE membership consisted of six seniors, four juniors, nine sophomores and three freshmen; Zeta Psi of approximately the same number. These Greek letter fraternities met regularly on Wednesday evenings, as did the Literary Society with 24 members. There was also a Mozart Quintette with tenor, alto, soprano, baritone and bass made up entirely of men. There was the Erosophian Adelphi with 24 members, the Boardmen Missionary Society, a chess club and a baseball team, organized in 1867. The college paper trip will be largely financed by the advertised a performance of "Wilhelm Tell" on one occasion and even more frivolous was a "Grand Exhibition of Legerdemain and Ventriloquism by Prof. Phillips, Admission 10 cents, freshmen, one half price."

There was a constant plea in the college paper for a gymnasium where the body would "not be exposed to undue heat and cold". The only physical culture to be had at the time was baseball and sawing wood (each student furnished his own wood for the pot bellied stove in his room).

Successful students of four years received an A.B. and at the end of

## Colby Group To **InterviewStudents During January**

The program of interviewing students of minority groups in an attempt to interest them in applying to Colby initiated by Student Government will get under way during Christmas vacation and January. One group of students will devote most of January to an extended trip through the southern states, visiting high schools in Baltimore, Washington, D.C., Richmond, Raleigh, Columbia, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Talahassee, Atlanta, Knoxville, and Nashville. The students, Jan Holt, Terry Saunders, Ron Scherl, and Art Sills, will leave Colby on January 4 and drive south to keep the appointments arranged for them by the admissions office.

Upon their return they will submit reports to the admissions office on both the high schools visited and the students interviewed. The four students will write their Jan Plans in addition to these reports, and the JPs will probably be concerned primarily with the sociological aspects of the interview experiences. The students themselves with the help of a \$100 Stu-G appropriation and \$70 from NSM.

A second group will interview students in high schools near their home towns. About twenty volunteers will go, in pairs when possible or singly if necessary, to schools in the Boston, Springfield, Providence, Philadelphia, and New York

In setting up this program, Dean Carroll emphasized that it has the support of the admissions office because it covers an area with which his office has neither time nor money to concern itself, and because it should help to fulfill a policy of lowering admission standards.

## Florida Jan. Plan Emphasizes Marine Community Ecology

January can't come fast enough. And who among this select group! wouldn't be anticipating the prospect of spending a month amid the sun and surf of the Florida Keys. But the trip is more than a vacation for snow-bound "Mainers". The brain child of Dr. Ronald Davis of the biology department, it represents one of the most unique and potentially fruitful organized January plans offered since the institution of the program. Many months of preparation, planning, and problem solving have preceded the final organization of the plan, which is being financed by the individual stu-

Dr. Davis, chief organizer and field director of the plan, has defined its purpose as being a program to familiarize students with tropical station there. Colby students will be biology. The program will be organized around a series of 6-9 day field formal manner for biological study. trips via buses and boats to offshore The Institute of Marine Science has locations, coral reefs, mangroves, the agreed to co-sponsor the plan with Everglades and limestone springs. Colby and will be co-operating with The emphasis will be on the ecology the group by giving lectures and of marine natural communities, demonstrations for them.

For twenty-one Colby students, though terrestial and inland biota will also be studied. In addition to this group study, each student will work in the laboratory or on some special study.

All this is not to say that academic pursuits will stultify the students' social inclinations. There will be rigorous and assuredly fascinating work scheduled Monday through Friday; however, weekends and most evenings should be free for those who can "tear themselves away from their work".

The group will be located at Pigeon Key and Marathon (where students will live in efficiency units) in the Florida Keys. Pigeon Key is owned by the Institute of Marine Science of the University of Miami, which recently acquired the area with a view to developing a field the first group to use the Key in a

## **Educational Policy Committee** Ponders Curriculum Changes

Colby curriculum may result from a report produced by a special sub- tained to the entire student body committee of the Educational Policy and not just to freshmen, the ori-Committee. These include further ginal impetus for the study arose emphasis on independent study, change in major requirements, and a four-course first semester. The report was distributed recently to Colby faculty for comment.

by assuming that any existing increasing student diversity without | course and distribution requirements | the sub-committee attempted "to

Considerable modifications in the recommendations which emerged from the committee's work perfrom a feeling that, for the freshman, college is not the stimulating intellectual experience he has been led to expect. In order to counteract this disillusionment, and because it The sub-committee was established is felt that students are being ina year ago, and began its study creasingly well equipped in high schools to handle independent work, might be modified. Although the provide a program which would introduce students immediately into intensive, partially independent, small-group investigations of problems in the humanities, sciences, and social sciences."

> In order to give students a taste of a subject without requiring the regular introductory course, departments might offer experimental courses using the problem or seminar approach on the freshman and/ or sophomore level.

Distribution requirements might be broadend in order to give increased responsibility to the student, with faculty guidance, in selecting a program meaningful for him. Because breadth is necessary in Liberal Arts education, it is suggested that perhaps a student's program be limited to one-third of his courses in his division. To insure exposure to the three areas of study, perhaps each freshman will be required to complete at least one year's work in each division.

If the above changes become effective, requirements for graduation will probably also be changed. The most feasible suggestion at present would be to require 36 courses, 4 Jan Plans, and perhaps the equivalent of the present Physical Education requirements. 🔻

This report will be further considered at a workshop this summer sponsored by the Danforth foundation to which Colby will send four delegates: Dean Parker Johnson, Prof. Donaldson Koons, chairman of the sub-committee; William Wees, and K. Fredjick Gillum. It was from a similar workshop several years ago that the original ideas for the Jan Plan emerged.

### American Oil **Bestows Grant**

An unrestricted grant of \$5,000 has been made to Colby by the American Oil Foundation, Chicago, Ill. The funds will be used for the purchase of scientific equipment.

Walter McDonough (Wakefield, Mass.), assistant to the New England district manager of the oil company, represented the foundation in presenting the check to President Strider. He said the grant was made "in recognition of the general excellence of Colby's educational program." William O'Donnell (South Portland), sales representative of the company, accompanied McDonough to the campus.

In a letter of transmittal, L. W. Moore (Chicago, Ill.), president of the foundation, told President Strider, "We are placing no restrictions on the use of the funds as long as they are spent currently to improve education and are not used for endowment".

The grant is one of 65 totaling \$593,000 made in 1964 to private universities and colleges by American Oil, Standard Oil, and Pan Am | faculty as Merrill Professor of three foundations, all financed by for eight years at The Johns Hop-Standard Oil Co. (Indiana) and its kins University. subsidiaries, have contributed more er education since 1952. University.

## **New Grant For Summer School**

The National Science Foundation (Washington, D.C.) has awarded Colby a grant of \$85,610 to conduct a Summer Institute in science here for secondary school teachers.

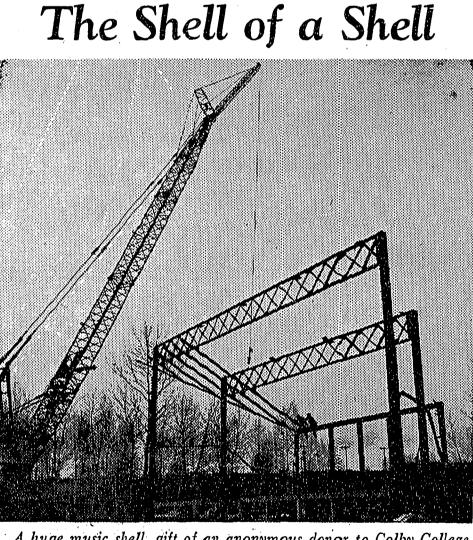
The Institute has been offered by the college each year since the NSF program was initiated in 1958. The dates in 1965 will be June 28 to Aug. 6.

Professor Evans B. Reid, chairman of the department of chemistry, is director of the program which offers courses in biology, chemistry, geology, mathematics, and physics.

A year ago more than 1,000 teachers from throughout the country applied to Colby for the session. Enrollment limited to 85, included teachers from 17 states and Canada.

An organic chemist and a consultant to the National Science Foundation, Prof. Reid is author of numerous articles for professional journals. He was appointed to the

Prof. Reid received his bachelor's than \$6.3 million in support of high- degree and his Ph.D. from McGill



A huge music shell, gift of an anonymous donor to Colby College, is being erected 200 feet from the road near the Coombs baseball field. Formerly the War Memorial Music Shell zwhich stood on the South Portland High School grounds for 13 years, it was given to the college in 1960. It had been unused for nearly a decade prior to its erican Petroleum foundations. The Chemistry in 1954 after teaching coming to Colby. Patterned after the band shell at Grand Park in Chicago, the shell is estimated to contain nearly 23 tons of steel. Expected to be a major asset to the college and the community, the shell will enhance Colby's long-range program for growth of its music pro-

## Author of Hiroshima Answers Colby Letter

shima by John Hersey, The Journal of the Plague by Daniel Defoe, and Walden by Henry David Thoreau. President Strider asked Mr. Hersey to come to Colby and discuss his book, but Mr. Hersey regretfully declined in accordance with his policy of not giving lectures. He was, however, interested in the reading program and requested that the students write to him and tell him their reactions to the books.

A committee of eight freshmen was chosen to reply to Mr. Hersey's request. Appointed to the committee were Karen Anderson, Elizabeth Bridges, Shirley O'Neal, Elizabeth Savicki, Richard Cornell, Robert Koons, Richard Lewis, and J. Patrick McCormack. After over a month of preparation a letter was sen't to Mr. Hersey in mid-Novem-

The committee concluded that the three books chosen were intended to show different relations existing between man, the individual, and his social environment. They felt that "in Hiroshima the individual felt responsible to his society as a whole . . . because of the upbringing in Eastern Tradition practiced and observed in Japan by her people. In contrast, The Journal of the Plague and Walden, books depicting a Western tradition showed a difference in the individual's responsibility to society. The Journal showed man interested in self-preservation (with little society unity) . . . Walden . . . showed a man shut off from society in order to see it more clearly . . . Thoreau was trying to find out the individual's responsibility in his particular society . . . '

Dear Students:

from Mr. Hersey in reply:

Thank you for your most interesting letter, which makes me wish all the more that I could have sat down and heard your many thoughts about these books -- and about other things too.

The followng letter was received

Your letter gives me reason to hone that these three books may have started at least some of you on

Gas Tank Full? For The Weekend? For The Game? See "COOKIE" MICHAEL Corner of North & Pleasant Sts.

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The 1964 assignment for the a prolonged quest (with me I think freshman summer reading program it must be lifelong) on this probwas to read three books - Hiro- lem of how the individual is related be interested, now, in a novel by Camus, The Plague, in which a physician in modern city, probably in North Africa, goes his hopeless rounds when an epidemic of the plague breaks out, trying to figure out what his responsibility is to his fellow men; and here the plague stands metaphorically for other things than physical disease - for be of little significance to the wellpolitical tyranny like Hitler's; for being of the Colby Community, but a plague of conformity and indifference; it could even stand for an attack of the H-bomb. You might the major and minor irritations on want to go on to Thoreau's Civil Disobedience, which expresses with astonishing precision the point of view of the civil rights - and poses very squarely the question of indivuality versus the common good. And Crime and Punishment - so appropos to certain aspects of what goes under the general heading of juvenile delinquency: the protest against society for the sake of getting attention. Maybe someday you'll be willing to wrestle with this question - should one look out for his own skin, or make a joint cause with others? - in another book of mine, The Wall, about the persecu-

> This is a central question of our lives! I am grateful that I've had a part in getting some of you interested in it. Pursue it with all your hearts and minds. Run it down. Stay with it. It will puzzle you, anger you, frustrate you - and re-

> tion of the Jews in Warsaw by the

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### Letter To Editor

To the Editor:

I was attracted to Colby partly because the physical plant appealed to my aesthetic senses; generally I have not been disappointed. I have, however, encountered one small but recurring problem. No, I am not goto the whole. There are so many ing to enter another criticism of the directions in which to go! You would | food at Roberts Union or the quality of the faculty - both have met the brilliant French writer, Albert my expectations. I wish, instead, to register a complaint about a matter of universal concern which, due to its delicate nature, has not been formally articulated.

> The problem centers on the coarseness of the toilet tissue issued the men's dorms at Colby. In the long run the 'tissue issue' may seem to it is my considered opinion that this is the underlying cause of many of campus. Let us explore this thesis.

One of the most talked about problems is the lack of spirit displayed at college functions. One needs to do little study to trace this back to its source. Why should a student wish to attend a basketball game when he feels ill at ease and at loose ends? It is obvious that the less bothersome course to pursue is to stay in his room in discomfort. When one gets to the bottom of the issue he realizes that students just aren't up to participating.

Another point which troubles our campus is the irritation between the students and administration. This too can be traced to the tissue issue. Students envy the adminis-

ward you and all of us, I hope. I've enjoyed your company, even though it has only been paper com-

> . Sincerely, John Hersey

pany.

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\*NOTE: Any student expecting to take two (2) make up examinations on January 4th inquire at the Registrar's office regarding time and place of the second examination.

tration and the softness of their home tissue and find it hard to think well of these men who know the student's plight and do nothing to smooth the problem over.

Yes, something must be done. The students are being rubbed the wrong way. If we are going to keep the peace at Colby, the time has come for a new deal - "The Soft Deal." We cannot wipe our hands clean of the tissue issue, this is not the time for hindsight. It is time to move forward in the greatest American tradition of life, liberty, and the Pursuit of Happiness.

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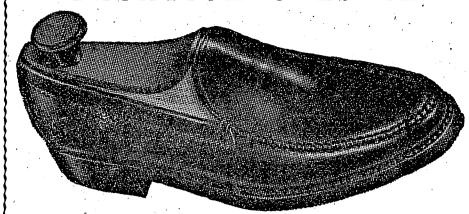
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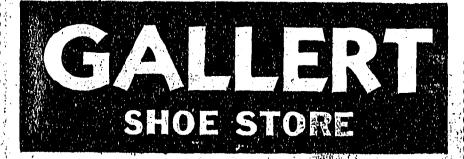
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ADMISSION IS FREE!

This program is planned in the hope that it will provide a welcome break from the intense intellectual endeavors which take place during final examination period. The programs are scheduled at times which should not present any great obstacles in the study routine. If the program is successful, it will be continued in the future.

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G. F. Loebs, Registrar

FLORIDA JAN PLAN EM-PHASIZES ECOLOGY OF MARINE COMMUNTIES

### **Christmas Music On Chapel Agenda** Features Messiah

On Sunday morning, December 13th, at 10:55 a.m., excerpts from the Advent and Christmas portions of G.F. Handel's MESSIAH will be performed by the Chapel Choir in Lorimer Chapel, under the direction of Miss Adel Henirich.

Soloists will be President Robert E. L. Strider, baritone; and Mrs Freda Gray-Masse, soprano. Organ accompanists will be Nancy Wilcox and Gregg Tallman.

A string quartet will accompany Laws, Violincello. Two trumpets will be added to the "Hallelejah Chorus", played by Arthur Beveridge and Fred Clasquin.

The Chapel Choir has just received a gift of six additional robes, which will be worn for the first time for this presentation.

#### SECOND SEMESTER REGISTRATION AND CHANGES IN COURSE DATES

Students returning to the campus for the second semester must review their registration and make any changes in course(s) during one of the following periods:

Monday, January 25 Freshmen Sophomores Tuesday, January 26 Wednesday, January 27 Juniors Thursday, January 28 Seniors Friday, January 29 Special Students and Returnees

Prior to verifying or making any change in course for the second semester at the Registrar's office each student must secure his Treasurer's receipt from the Treasurer's office. Failure to do this on the dates specified above will constitute late registration for which there is a fine of \$5.00. Course changes made after the opening of the second semester classes. Monday, February 8th, will be subject to the regular change of course fee.

Students who plan to be away from the campus during the period of the January program, and who this presentation, including Eulita will not be available to register at Webb, violin I; Harold Doe, Greg the assigned period above, will need Anderson, Violin II, and Gratia to file a "Permission for Late Registration'' form, properly approved by his January Program adviser, at the Registrar's office. This approval will then permit late registration on February 8th without the last registration fine.

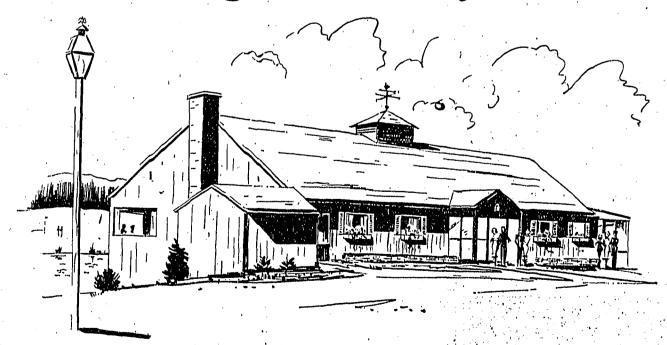
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### Icemen Visit Boston College Tonight

## Wildcats Initial Hockey Victim

By Spark Neuburger

After attaining a near-peak performance in last Friday night's 4-3 heartbreaking loss to the visiting University of New Brunswick, the yet-winless Colby Varsity Hockey Team came back on Saturday to be on the short end of an 8-2 score and proved quite disappointing to the large partisan crowd at Al-

The former tussle started out at a fast and furious clip with the first and second lines showing much speed and fine stick-handling. Left wing Dick Lemieux made the red bulb flash on a goal assisted by linemates Bruce Davey and John Wood at 9:50 of the first period. However, with but 58 seconds remaining in the frame, the Red Devils were able to push one between the pipes to even up the score.

#### Team Swap Goals

Bill Oates helped the Mule cause at 15:18 of the second period, but a New Brunswick defenseman was able to slap one by goalie Larry Sawler less than four minutes later.

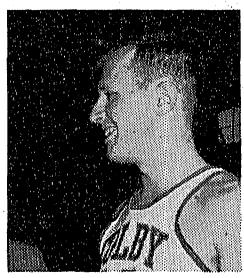
Lemieux chalked up his second goal at 2:35 of the third frame. Four minutes later a Red Devil tied up the tally. The goal which clinched the game came at 15:40 with the Mules sitting out a two minute penalty in the sin bin. Coach Charlie Holt brought Sawler out of the nets at 19:00 mark in favor of a sixth the game ten seconds later after the Red Devils were able to move the puck in the Mule zone.

The Friday night contest was probably one of the tensest played here in recent years. All players showed much hustle and desire. (Continued on Page Five)

Behind the skilled play of netminder Larry Sawler, the Colby Varsity Hockey Team was able to Hampshire scoreless for nearly 53 the Huskies 3-1. Harvey Hyler tal- did all along." lied for his first goal of the season on a pass from Paul Cronin at 4:30 | did produce an excellent effort | then scored 9 of his 11 points at assisted score at 4:30 of the sec-Colby goal for his third of the seathe lone Husky score.

## ATHLETE OF

Though generally averaging only 12 or 14 points a game, Colby basketball captain JOHN STEVENS has a way of inspiring his teammates. He has stimulated unusual spirit in the early going this year and the Mules have responded somewhat surprisingly with two fine performances. For playing his finest game ever for Colby against Brown last Saturday (22 points, and a team leading 11 rebounds) without a minute of rest, the Portland residen't becomes Colby's eighth Athlete of the Week, Stevens has not missed a foul shot yet this season,



JOHN STEVENS Spirit and Performance....

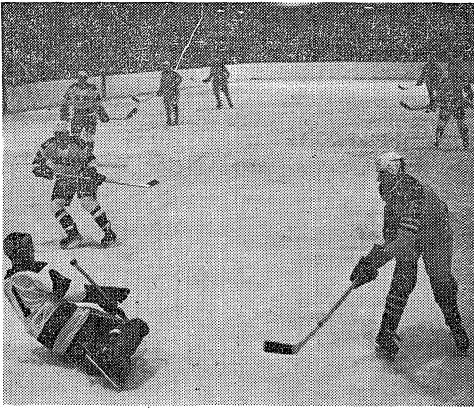


Photo by John Morgan skater but had to put him back in AND THERE WERE 50 MORE - Colby goalie Larry Sawler is seen stopping a breakaway against New Brunswick last Friday night The senior starred in the 4-3 loss by making 51 saves, almost a Mule

## Bruins Snatch Overtime Win From Mules' Jaws

By Richard Lewis

Colby basketball coach Lee Williams looked back at last Saturday's' 82-77 overtime loss at Brown Univhold the visiting University of New ersity, shook his head and said: "It was a real tragedy to drop that one minutes as the Mules rolled over after playing the game that they

Until the last 21/2 minutes, Colby of the first frame. Bill Snow's un- against the Ivy League Bruins. Pete Swartz, at this writing the Swartz tied it at 73-all. From this ond period proved to be the winning number one scorer in the state, goal. Captain Bruce Davey in the again exhibited a stellar perform- missed three easy layups and third frame backhanded the final ance. The 6'6" junior led all scorers Brown froze the ball. with 24 points, garnered 9 rebounds, son. Sawler, who had a shutout go- and put together his second straight ing, was finally beaten at 12:47 for standout defensive show in holding Dave Tarr, Brown's equally tall center and a second team All-Ivy pick last season, to but three points and three rebounds!

> Captain John Stevens, the sixth leading scorer in Maine, hit six more free throws to extend his consecutive skein to 14 of 14 from the foul line while pouring in 22 points. With the Swartz-Stevens combination clicking well, the Mules ran up leads of 7 points twice in the first half. Brown never lead until there was only one second left, as 6'5"

co-captain Jay Jones hit a jumper to put the score at 38-37.

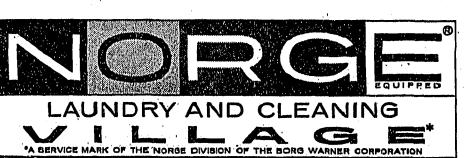
In the second half, Colby led again, but through its own mistakes and faltering shooting saw Brown take over and build up an 11 point margin of 62-51.

Woody Berube proved to be the spark that fired the Mules as he this stage. With 2½ minutes left point until the buzzer, Colby

The Mules intercepted a Bruin pass with 35 seconds left and saved the ball for "the first easy shot we could get." Charlie Eck drove for the basket and was fouled in the act of shooting. He missed both free throws, Pete Swartz batted up the rebaund, it tottered on the rim, and then tumbled off.

Overtime say Colby hit two field goals while Brown made only one. The home team, however, put in seven of nine free throws.

Tonight the Mules entertain American International at the field house at 8:15. ATC has a really out-(Continued on Page Five)



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## Who Will Lobby For The Athlete?

WITH THE GRADUAL PHASING OUT of both the C-Club (all varsity letter winners) and the athletic representative at Student Government meetings, one might almost be cajoled into the highly erroneous supposition that all is well on the athletic front at Colby College.

BY DEREK SCHUSTER

While we sit here dreaming about future generations of Colby students who will enjoy the facilities of the new gymnasium, it is becoming increasingly difficult for many a student to comply with even the minimum amount of exercise suggested by the President's Council on Physical Fitness. And so let's ask a few impertinent questions:

HAVE YOU EVER WALKED OVER the Mayflower Hill sod shortly after sunset toward the naval air hangar which serves as our field house only to be greeted by a barred door? Did you ever wonder why no skating parties are scheduled or the Boys' Club's swimming pool is never rented for the use of Colby students? Why are the already overburdened Messrs. Winkin and Macomber forced to lay out the schedules for intra-fraternity competition? Why was the baseball team thrust into a position where it had to run out itself to raise funds for its Southern trip over last spring vacation? Why has kicking a tennis ball around the dorms become one of the most popular means of letting off steam at Colby?

THESE THOUGHTS REPRESENT ONLY a cursory sampling of the sort of problems that need no longer exist if the C-Club were restored to its erstwhile effective role and an athletic mouthpiece were present at Student Government meetings to transmit ideas into actions. The Men's Student Association is striving to attain these goals and all students should lend their support. Surely those who represent the college in an athletic capacity should not only have a right to aid in the formulation of athletic policy, but they have in fact a responsibility to do so. By serving on the C-Club, recipients of varsity letters could add further meaning and distinction to their award. Maybe not quite so many people would smirk the next time someone entered the Spa wearing a Colby letter sweater.

NOT IN A YEAR OR TWO YEARS will the bulk of Colby's athletic problems and deficiencies be solved - at least not until the long awaited new gym. But let us begin by having suitable athletic representation. Most of us are concerned with the endeavors of the college's intercollegiate athlete, but let us remember that while he needs attention, so also does the student who merely wants to take a break and go down to the gym to run a few laps, lift some weights, or shoot some hoops. Very few students are involved personally with the intercollegiate teams and even the intra-fraternity leagues seem to cater to a limited number of individuals. Most physical education classes amount to only an hour of actual exercise per week and at that they only involve freshmen and sophomores.

AND SO, THERE IS MUCH to be done to improve the athletic situation on Mayflower Hill. Longer gym hours, more varied programs, more efficient use of existing facilities, increased responsibility for letter winners — all these are among the many problems ready to buckle under the constructive pressures that could be forcefully applied by a reinvigorated C-Club.

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### Chess Club Rolls To Third Victory

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The impressive White Mule squad relied on the prowess of their highscoring trio - seniors Steve Brudno and James Quirk and freshman Gerry Ogus — to tally their wins, while the Cadets scored on wins by their outstanding freshman Rick Pasookhush and Al Brown over Colby's Dick Riemer, '68, and Chuck Cutler, '67.

The Colby contingent, with previous victories over Bates and the Waterville Chess Club, now has an individual match record of 12-4-1.

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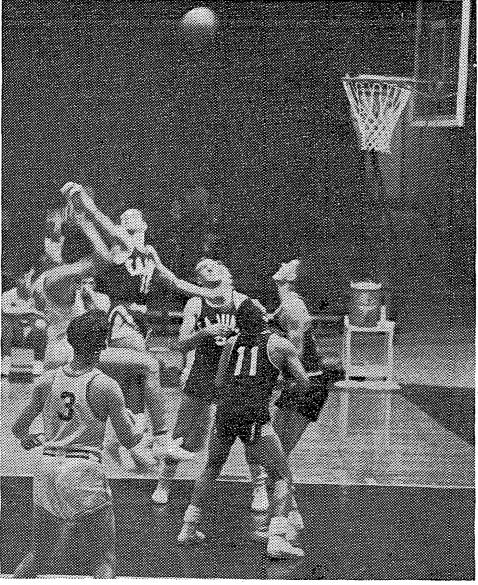


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## Naval Air Station Throughly Bombed by Colby Freshmen

How did Verne Ullom, coach of the Colby Frosh basketball team feel his Baby Mules performed in their opening encounter? In this match with the Winter Harbor Naval Air Station Cajuns, the Mules walloped the visitors by a 107-62 count. Ullom exulted, "I was more than pleased with our play."

Colby was outstanding on offense and on rebounding fourteen of the sixteen Colby cagers scored, as the Mules shot a fabulous 39% from the floor. Dick Jude, high scorer with 27 points, sunk 10 of 24 attempts. "Jude helped us both with his outside shooting and with his rebounding," Ullom asserted. Mike McGuire was second high with 23 points, hitting at a tremendous 52% clip. Mike paced the Mules to a lightening fast start, scoring ten points in the opening five minutes of the game. "McGuire hit the long, outside shot consistently," according to the Coach. Joe Jabar played a fine game as the playmaker of the squad. Alex Palmer, Ken Young, Jim Ruh, and John Bubar were the five's mainstays off the boards, as Colby outrebounded the Cajuns, 70-

The Baby Mules adapted readily to the complex pressing defense of coach Ullom. This system involves a combination of the characteristics of man-to-man and zone defense. One proof of its effectiveness came in the second period of the opening game. The Cajuns were unable to cross midcourt line on three consecutive occasions. McGuire and Jabar harrassed the Winter Harbor guards. Thus, Mike and Joe were able to swipe the ball, and score three easy lay-ups.

WATCH FOR THE OPENING OF THE COLBY SKI-SLOPE. MAYBE THIS WEEKEND.

This evening the Mules entertain Thomas College at 6:15. The star for the downtown Waterville college is Bruce Dostie, who scored 40 points in an earlier game. Coach Ullom assures us he will be well looked after throughout the contest.

#### VARSITY HOCKEY

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Sawler came up with 51 saves, some of which snuffed out seemingly unstoppable drives.

What must definitely not be overlooked in this tilt is the rash of penalties that occurred, particularly in the third frame. Of the five minors and two majors handed out by the referee, 11 minutes were assessed to the Red Devils. Paul Cronin was given a five minute major and game disqualification as was a Red Devil player when a fight broke out after the visitor had pushed Cronin to the ice. At one point there were only eight players on the ice including the two goalies.

#### Lemieux Scores Again

The second game was of a much less exciting variety. Although Lemieux opened the scoring at 1:10 of the first period on a pass from Davey and Wood, the Mules were unable to match the onslaught of Red Devil goals which pursued. Wood was, however, able to connect at 5:29 of the second period for the only other tally.

Holt said after the game that the two game series showed that the "first line can play consistent, good hockey." Davey proves to be as dangerous a scorer and playmaker as he had been expected to be.

#### Coverage Often Poor

"The biggest problem," according to Holt, "is learning to cover better from the blue line into our zone. We must be more sure of our passing and play when we break out of our zone."

Tonight the Mules travel to play the East's number 2 rated team, Boston College. Holt contends that the 'Eagles have everything but an experienced goalie: three good lines, all of which can skate and shoot, and four excellent defense-

### **MULES SNATCH**

(Continued from Page Four) standing man in Jim Calhoun, a strong 6'5" center, who, according to Coach Williams, "is one of the best in New England." It is a veteran team, but in its last two games has been "slaughtered" by Eastern powerhouses Connecticut (which beat Princeton and Temple in the NCAA tourney last year) and Holy Cross. for for ft. fts. rhd to

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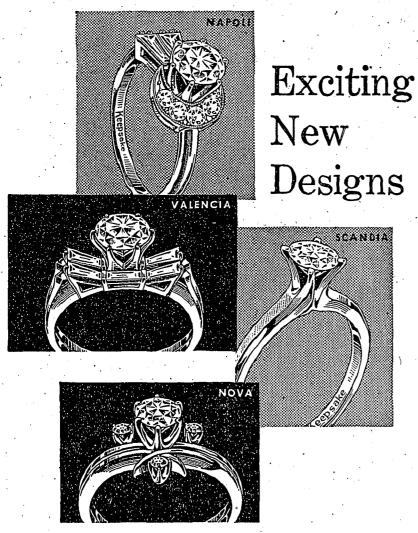
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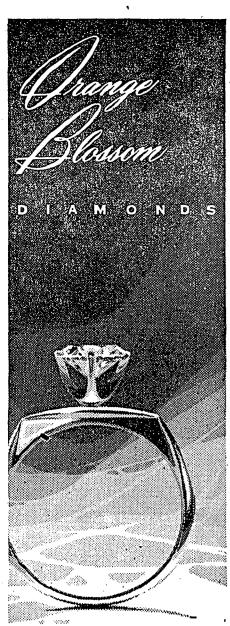
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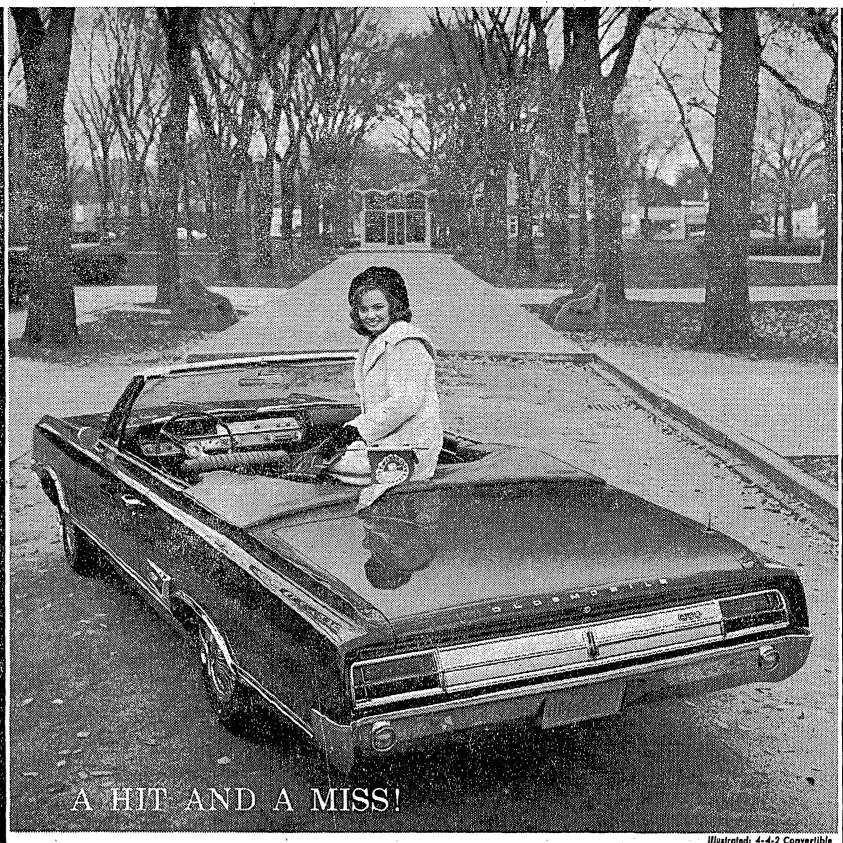
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