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GOOD LUCK GRADUATES

President's Column

A year has hurried by. This is my last word via this column until another school year brings with it new faces, new problems, new challenges, and new friends.

It has been more than a good year. Excellent? Yes, even better. Let's review it briefly.

The boys' basketball team won the Northeastern Conference Title. The girls, for a second consecutive year, won all games played. We housed two championship teams, and we look at these achievements with pride.

The Easter and Christmas assemblies, with Chaplain Dartnell and the Glee Club, inspired and moved us with the spirit of those sacred persons. At Easter, too.

Classes moved ever forward. Seniors heard from employers, and one by one signed papers for positions in which they agreed to start their careers. The mid-year graduates are already well-established in theirs, and the world has accepted the members of the Husson family who were ready for employment in some of its most promising positions. Our college is in business to prepare its students for the careers ahead and my pleasure is great indeed as I look on and witness each man and woman take a place in the world of work. The dream of each comes true. The training is sought by those who knew from the beginning that without a college degree or diploma, only the lesser jobs were available. Thus it goes, and ever will go. We wouldn't change it if we could. It is the law of life.

We were pleased when the veterans were released from compulsory study halls. The repeal of this legislation was long overdue, and we were a long time winning the proper recognition which prompted this action.

Perhaps the outstanding event on the calendar was accreditation by the Accrediting Commission in Washington which moved us into the four-year classification as a specialized College of Business. By this act, Husson became one of two schools in the Nation so qualified. My pride in this accomplishment is understandable, because it means that at long last we had climbed the tallest mountain. It was a dream of thirty years in the making, and my gratitude to the student body and faculty I expressed very fervently in the special assembly of May 11. Thank you again. Accreditation of our four-year program is victory of great purport that will assure the College an important and increasing role in the New England area as it extends its collegiate training programs to meet the challenge of swelling enrollments. I welcome your prayers for success in the days ahead as we meet the expanding demand upon our facilities. We want to extend our influence over greater areas simply because we believe our way of life to be good. We would share

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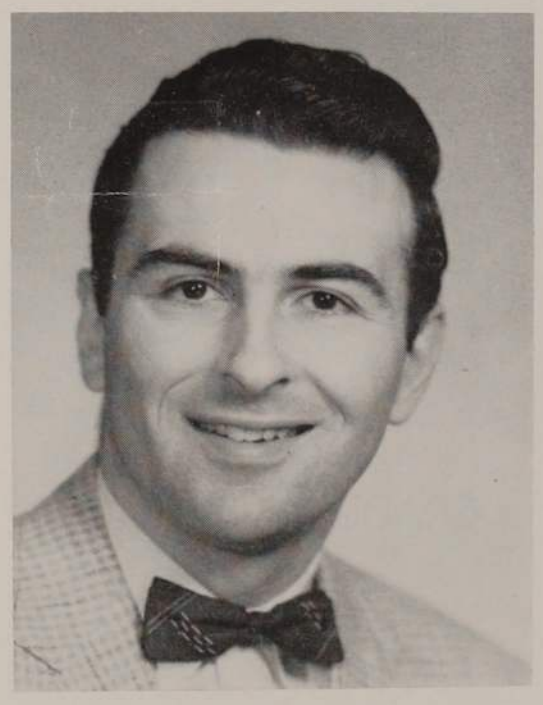
REGINALD MCKENNEY
President



ROBERT CIMBOLLEK
Vice President



NANCY WELLS
Secretary



JOHN GEAGAN, JR.
Treasurer

Reginald McKenney is the President of the Class of 1959. Mr. McKenney has been active in the Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity, Student Council, and College Veteran's Club. He graduated from Madison High School, and attended Bentley College before coming to Husson. Mr. McKenney is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKenney of Madison. The Class of 1959 is proud to have such a fine young man serving as President.

Robert Cimbollek is the Vice-President of the Class. Mr. Cimbollek has been very active in the Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity, Men's Athletic Association, Boys' Basketball, and other activities of the College. He is a graduate of Bangor High School, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. William Cimbollek of Bangor. Mr. Cimbollek will graduate in June from the Department of Business Education, and plans to work for his Master's degree at Springfield International College, Springfield, Massachusetts.

Miss Nancy Wells of New Vineyard is Secretary of the Class. Miss Wells has been very active in the Student Council, Store Manager, Girls' Athletic Association, Girls' Basketball Manager, and President of ETE Sorority. She graduated from Anson High School in 1955, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Roberts of South Windham.

The Senior Class wishes Nancy the best of luck in the future, and we all know she will do her best.

Mr. John Geagan, Jr., of Bangor, is the Treasurer of the Class. Mr. Geagan is an active member of the Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity, and the Men's Glee Club. He is a graduate of John Bapst High School, and is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John Geagan of Bangor.

SENIOR HOP

A very successful ball was held on the night of May 8, 1959 at John Bapst Auditorium. Al Havenor and his Band from Rockland furnished the music. Over 150 couples attended, and it was written in the memoirs of the Seniors as a success. Many undergraduates attended this affair. Faculty attending were Mr. and Mrs. Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Wright, Miss Patricia Robbins and guest, Dale True, Miss Bradford, and Miss Swan.

BACCALAUREATE

Baccalaureate exercises will be heid in the College Auditorium on Sunday evening, May 31, 1959, at 8:00 p. m. Faculty and graduates will be in the processional. The Reverend Walter E. Cook of the Bangor Theological Seminary will be the speaker.

PRESIDENT'S TEA

President and Mrs. Chesley Husson will hold open house for the members of the graduating class, faculty, and their guests on Wednesday afternoon, June 3, 1959, at 369 Ohio Street from 3:00 to 6:00 p. m.

This event has grown in popularity since it was started a few years ago.

SENIOR BANQUET

The Senior Class members and their guests will dine together at the Pilots Grill on graduation eve, Thursday, June 4, 1959 at 6:30 p. m. The speaker will be Mr. Bill Gagnon of Brewer. He gives a very humorous address. The faculty and their wives will be guests of the Senior Class. President Husson will say a few words to the Seniors.

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it with all those who look upon it and find it attractive.

I will sign off with a short message. A student who fails, yet is given a passing grade by a "kind and understanding" instructor, will never travel to the moon. He will not even get off the ground. The instructor who prefers popularity to respect has no place in the education system of any level, because the harm he does cannot be measured. Love of a student, and appreciation of his dreams and aspirations, an understanding of his capabilities and promise, these can be known and felt by the instructor who flunks him when his efforts are less than par. It is not easy to do, unfortunately, and many students are given a lease of life that ultimately destroys the measure of his contribution to society. All of us must learn to live with failure, and to work with might and main to survive it. History discloses that its greatest men were those who knew failure well, but refused to let it interfere with their cherished ambitions. Here at Husson we issue deficiency grades for deficient work which, in spite of frustration and tears, and hurt to heart and pride, we know will strengthen you for life ahead, and make of you men and women capable of rising to great heights.

A failure here and there along the way could be the best thing that could happen to each of us. If it stimulates our effort, if it strengthens our purpose, if it creates a passion to overcome resistance, then do we become strong and capable of making major contributions to state and nation. Yea, even to the world. Think about this. You will some day thank the instructor who failed you if he awakened in you the knowledge that you weren't extending yourself to your capacity. To accept a passing grade for poor work is to accept a prize that doesn't belong to you. One must win the race to qualify for the laurels. One must study to pass. Do you agree?

To those who will be graduated, I wish happy and prosperous days ahead. To those who will return in the fall, a pleasant summer. To all, may the memories of the days in our classrooms and between these walls be forever sacred and sweet. Good health and good living.

Cordially,

HUSSON COLLEGE
"Chief"
President

COMMENCEMENT

Dr. Harold Hopkins of Washington, D. C. will be the Commencement speaker for the class of 1959. The exercises will be held at John Bapst Auditorium at 10:00 a. m. Eugene Babineau is Class Marshal. Reginald McKenney, President of the class, will give the welcome address.

Fifty degrees will be awarded by President C. H. Husson. Fifty-eight members of the class will receive terminal diplomas.

Father Harvey of Bangor will give the invocation and benediction.

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Nowadays the college student who stares into space is likely to get an engineering scholarship.

—S. I. Myers

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A fellow and a girl who wed
Begin to live as one, it's said;
But many couples can't agree
Which one of them they wish to be.

—Richard Wheeler

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Don't be ashamed of your past. Write a best-seller.

CLASS OF 1959



BILL GILBERT
B. S. in Accounting



BERT ALBERT
B.S. in B. Administration



GERARD PICARD
B. S. in B. Education



PEARL CUNNINGHAM
Junior Secretarial



THELMA WEST
Accounting 1 Year



ALANE COMBS
Off to Morocco

GRADUATE SCHOOL

Bill Gilbert, Department of Accounting, will go to Michigan State University to start studying for his Master's degree. He has been awarded an assistantship of $1800, plus a $300 reduction in tuition. Two Husson men are at Michigan now, Bob Burleigh and Ed Hardy, Class of 1958.

Paul Goss, Department of Business Administration, has applied for admission to the University of Maine's graduate program. He will major in Education.

Bob Cimbollek, former standout basketball player for Bangor High School and Husson College, has been awarded a $1600 YMCA scholarship to Springfield College, Bangor YMCA Secretary Roland Chandler announced. The scholarship, one of three granted to outstanding New England YMCA workers, will be for purpose of taking one year of graduate work preparatory to entering a YMCA professional career. Cimbollek is currently a senior at Husson College.

The scholarship, which is presented to outstanding young YMCA workers throughout the world, has been set up as the result of a fund raised in honor of John R. Mott, Pultizer Prize winner and former well-known YMCA leader in New York.

Cimbollek is well-known as a sports figure in eastern Maine, having played for Bangor Rams who captured third place in 1955 in the New England Schoolboy Basketball Tournament. He played two years at Husson setting score records which still stand.

He gave up basketball at Husson to devote more time to YMCA work under a Bangor YMCA Director, for the past three years, and for six years before that, worked at YMCA as a member of the Leader's Club.

The Administration, Faculty, and Student Body wish you the best of luck in your future work, Boys. You certainly deserve it!

EMPLOYMENT

John Geagan, Jr. has accepted a position with Picker X-Ray Corporation. He will make his home in Massachusetts.

Bert Albert is employed by Sherwin Williams of Bangor. He has already started his training program.

Paul Baillargeon is going to school for the education of undertakers and funeral directors, next year. He is associated now with his father, who owns Baillargeon Funeral Home in Old Town.

Ernest Gaudet is employed by Clarkson Engineering Corporation. He has a very responsible position with this firm.

Richard Hobson, Richard Moore, and Edmund Muzzy are planning to enter the teaching profession.

Andre White is making big strides in the insurance field. He plans to make a career of it.

Wayne Willette and sister, Dawn, are going to California in September to start their careers in business. Wayne will receive his degree in B. A. and Dawn's a former graduate of our Secretarial Department.

WITH THE GALS

Barbara Haskell will marry Frank Kendall in June.

Helen Arau will work at the Camden National Bank.

Ruth Bachelder is waiting for Civil Service report and hopes to have a position in Belfast.

Patricia Bailey will be employed by Keyes Fibre Company of Waterville.

Lorraine Carter is aiming for a position at the Bucksport Paper Mill.

Hildred Chesley is the wife of S/Sgt. Alton R. Chesley. They will live in Washington and she has been tested for the U. S. Navy Department.

Alana Corey Combs will join her husband who is stationed in French Morocco, Africa. She will fly from Bangor after graduation.

Pearl Cunningham has the inside track on a position with St. Regis Paper Company. The U. S. Navy also wants her in Washington.

Lou Ellen Durst will be married in July to Ronald R. Parent. She and her parents will go to Yokosuka, Japan for the wedding rites. Her man is stationed there.

Janet Hanson will be employed by the City of Brewer as a receptionist in the City Hall.

F. Wanita Herrick is employed by Coffin and Wimple of Bangor.

Sandra McNeal will be employed in the office of Masterman and Hersey of Bar Harbor.

Rachel Mitchell is empoyed by M. J. Fineson of Bangor. She plans to leave for Florida in the fall.

Valkyrie Richards has accepted employment in one of the many offices at the University of Maine.

Donna Webster will work for the New England Tel. and Tel. of Bangor.

Martha Webster wil marry John L. Libby in June. They will reside in Waltham, Massachusetts. She will work for either New [illegible]k Life Insurance Company or Royetbon.

The following girls are returning to [illegible]e County and will be employed by various [illegible]-panies and Limestone Air Base.

Mary Louise McLaughlin, Gloria Hjulstrom, Robertine Thibodeau, Carolyn Prue, and Jo Anne Kinney, Shirley MacDonald, Maxine Tolman, Margaret Torrey, and Nora Turbide, will return to their home towns for employment.

Charlotte Taylor Bosworth will reside in Augusta.

Linda Stewart plans to go to Washington with the U. S. Navy.

Linda McCrum will work for the Aroostook Trust Company of Presque Isle.

Cristine Piper will work for Howard's Kitchen Center in Bangor.

Annie Whitehead is empoyed by the Bangor Roofing Company.

TEACHERS

Mrs. Ida Boylan hopes to be employed near Bangor as her husband will be at the University of Maine next year.

Bob Cimbollek will be at Springfield for his Master's degree.

Nancy Gray will teach at Camden High School.

Beverly Kane and Beverly Meservey will eventually take their choice of many schools open.

Judith Murphy will marry Bob Cimbollek and locate in Spingfield, Massachusetts.

Joanne and Parker Cook are hoping for positions in the state of New Hampshire.

Gerard Picard is aiming for the State of Connecticut.

Gary Rioux is employed at Freeport High School.

Sally Walker has made her choice and will teach in the fall.

ROVING REPORTER

Meet Reginald McKenney, President of this year's Senior class. Reginald, who hails [illegible]n Madison, Maine, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Roy McKenney.

Reginald graduated from Madison [illegible]h School in 1947. Upon coming to Husson, Reginald enrolled in the B. S. in Accounting department. During his four years here at Husson, Reginald has been a member of Kappa Delta Fraternity and Student Council.

Reginald's plans for the future are uncertain at this time, except that he hopes to stay in the public accounting field.

I know everyone at Husson hopes that Reginald will find the *right* job and will be very happy in his life's work.

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Letter to the Editor: "Last year you printed something that interested me very much, but I have forgotten what it was. Lost my notes on the subject and cannot find the magazine. Will you please send me another copy of same?"

J. V. BASKETBALL



Front row, left to right: Paul Foster, Mgr.; Charles Coffin, William Goodwin, Ronald Geagan, Bernard Connors, John Dill, Coach Fred Nolde
Back row: Daniel LeClair, Gerald Rogers, Woodrow Meservey, Edward Youngblood, Ralph Berg, Earl Grava, Kendell Gordon, Clyde Moody, and Clifton Thibodeau.

SPORTS NIGHT

A Sports Award Banquet was given by President and Mrs. Chesley H. Husson, Sr. of Husson College, at the Brewer Congregational Church Tuesday, March 31, 1959.

Seated at the head table were Mr. Norby Dowd; President and Mrs. Husson; Andre White, Toastmaster; Miss Janet Kinney, Girls' Varsity Coach; Mr. Delmont Merrill, Boys' Varsity Coach, and Mrs. Merrill; Mr. Fred Nolde, Boys' J. V. Coach, and Mrs. Nolde; Miss Nancy Gray, Cheerleading Coach; Rev. and Mrs. Charles Dartnell; Miss Jean Murphy, Girls' Varsity Captain; Jack Scott, Boys' Varsity Captain; Ronald Geagan, Boys' J. V. Captain; and Miss Judith McQuarrie, Cheerleading Captain.

Guests at the banquet were Miss Clara Swan, Miss Priscilla Clark, Miss Mildred Bradford, Miss Thelma Watson, Alvin Trask, Charles Bears, Wayne Haskell, David Kelley, and Dana Dow.

The members of the Boys' Varsity Basketball Squad honored are Jack Scott, Richard Moore, James McKay, Donald Vachon, Gerald Wright, Gerald Kane, Joe Paul, Wayne Smith, Julian White, Carl Cunningham, Paul Fleming, and Karl Daigle.

The members of the Girls' Varsity Basketball Squad honored are Rachel Mitchell, Jean Murphy, Amy Oxley, Nancy Hamilton, Mavis Churchill, Beverly Govone, Diane Hodgkins, Beverly Burrill, Marguerite Cyr, Helen Colby, Janice Day, Judith Smith, and Joan Arnold.

The members of the Boys' J. V. Basketball Squad honored are Paul Foster, Edward Youngblood, Ronald Geagan, John Dill, Charles Coffin, Bernard Conner, Ralph Berg, Clifton Thibodeau, Dan LeClair, Woodrow Meservey, Gerald Rogers, Kendall Gordon, William Goodwin, Earl Grava, and Clyde Moody.

The members of the Cheerleading Squad honored are Rita Morel, Judith Anderson, Jo-Anne Kinney, Marjorie Cummings, Diane Allen, Amy Cole, Gail Henderson, Phylis Chase, and Judith McQuarrie.

SCHOLARSHIPS

The following special awards were given: The Clara L. Swan Athletic Scholarship was awarded to Diane Hodgkins of Temple. The Saul Harris Athletic Scholarship was awarded to Jack Scott of Ellsworth. These awards were given to the freshman who had contributed most to the Husson College Athletic Program during the past year. These scholarships were $250 each. The alternates for these awards were Gerald Kane of Ellsworth and Joan Arnold of Rumford.



DIANE



JACK

The Coachs' Cups, which were presented by Coaches Del Merrill and Janet Kinney, were given to Donald Vachon of Brewer and Beverly Govone of Forestdale, Mass. These cups were given to the players who had shown the most improvement and had been a valuable asset to the teams.



BEV



DON

The Women's Athletic Association Sportsmanship award went to Rachel Mitchell of Union and the Nelson DeGrasse award went to Gerald Kane of Ellsworth.



GERRY



RACH

Coach Kinney awarded a basketball statue to Amy Oxley who scored the most points during the season.



AMY

Gifts were given to the coaches by their respective teams.

The College presented a Timing wrist-watch to Nancy Gray for her services to the Cheerleading squad.

EDITORIAL

The following was accepted by a nearby High School Staff as a written statement of its philosophy on January 12, 1959. This philosophy was developed through the efforts of staff members in reviewing the basic educational needs of youth. It is the feeling of staff members that the principles of democracy which citizens of the United States cherish as ideals of government should be put to practical use in all phases of the secondary school program. The staff further believes that a philosophy of education determines the direction the procedure should take, but that it should not attempt to determine what the specific procedure should be.

The Needs of Youth and the School

Since the ultimate aim of education is the development of the well-adjusted individual, we believe each student should have at the secondary level experiences from which he can profit. He has both common and individual needs. It is therefore the responsibility of the school to develop a curriculum which helps to satisfy these needs.

We believe the studest needs to acquire essential information from a curriculum which must remain flexible if the educational needs of *all* students are to be met. For this the school is primarily responsible, since no other institution in the child's experience assumes more than a supplementary part of this function. Without the basis educational tools embodied in this essential information, the individual is handicapped in continuing his formal education or entering business or industry.

In addition to these achievements, we believe the student must learn to live and work harmoniously and effectively with others; he must respect their virtues and recognize their faults, regardless of their status; he must understand the responsibilities as well as the advantages of American democracy; and he must have sufficient reasoning ability to recognize good leaders and sound issues, the courage to support them, and the desire and the ability to help formulate and enforce beneficial laws and regulations.

We believe the school should provide opportunity in classes, sports, and other activities for the development of mental, emotional and physical health. The student should learn the structure, function and care of his own body and should strive for perfection on the basis of that knowledge. We also believe the school should provide an environment conducive to this end and should offer such guidance and assistance as is necessary. With sound mind and body should come the development of such traits of character as honesty, integrity, kindness and dependability. He must have perseverence and the mental and physical stamina to see a job through, if he is to experience the satisfaction of accomplishment. He must be unselfish and insist upon fair play.

We believe that a well-adjusted student should understand his environment and appreciate its beauty as well as its utility. He should know the basic scientific laws which govern the universe and their effect upon man, not only in the present, but also in the past. He should appreciate the changes in the natural environment which the application of scientific research has brought about; and he must recognize that progress brings new responsibility. He should learn the distinction between conjecture and proof, not only in science, but also in all phases of life. He should learn to face facts without becoming the victim of morbid fears and superstitions.

To achieve these ends, we believe the student must learn to recognize his problems, to evaluate them, and to cope with them with initiative imagination, and a sense of humor. He must learn to apply his knowledge to secure and organize other informations and to test his conclusions. We believe extensive opportunity should therefore be offered the student in varying types of situations to use his educational tools in both individual and group activities, with such guidance as is necessary to teach him to act effectively on his own initiative.

The Needs of Youth and the Community Social Institutions

We believe the satisfaction of the educational needs of youth is not the responsibility of the school alone. In addition to the school it involves the joint responsibility of many agencies in the community, especially the home and the church.

We believe that to secure the necessary background for successful living the student needs the cooperation of the school and other institutions in the community. A home should provide the best laboratory for individual training in home-making; and industry should provide opportunities for observation and work experience, for which the school has neither the time or the facilities. We believe the school should do its share in developing good work habits, desirable character traits, and wholesome attitudes and should provide basic information and skills required in business, industry and the home. It should offer guidance in the selection of work or school after graduation and should follow the individuals record to a limited degree to determine whether or not the school is doing its job well.

We believe that leisure is as important as work; but to gain the most benefit from it, the student must learn to use this time in such a manner that his leisure brings him satisfaction instead of a sense of frustration and futility. There should be interests and activities in which he can be either an active participant or an observer, and there should be at least a little time in which he can quietly take stock of himself. Leisure-time activities should be a joint project of the school and the community.

The Needs of Youth and the Instructional Personnel and Facilities

We believe that in order for a student to get the maximum value from school activities, teachers should only be assigned to areas in which they have been adequately trained; that students should be given maximum individual attention; that advance planning by teachers is a key to success in the classroom; that committees of teachers should regularly review the school's program; and that we must work toward small classes in all subject-matter areas and achieve salary schedules and general working conditions that will attract and hold good teachers.

Summary

In summary, we believe the satisfaction of the needs of youth calls for all the ingenuity the home, the school, the church and other social agencies can muster. Each must accept its just share of responsibility by recognizing the problems that face youth, by providing the facilities and the environment necessary for their solution, and by giving the aid and encouragement which so often means the difference between success and failure. In the final analysis, all these efforts will be in vain if the

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youth himself is not then willing to assume the responsibility that must be his in the learning process.

Comment by President Husson:

This philosophy for the high school program, anywhere in United States, is worthy of praise and commendation. Every young man and woman who enrolls at Husson will have profited much if guided by this thinking. A new respect is created for the high school program if viewed in retrospect after reading this message. Only a dedicated faculty could frame such a statement of the aims and objectives of its way of life.

Come to think of it, it fits us on the college level. Read it again with the thought that your college subscribes to it. Let both parties take pride in knowing where they are going, and the manner and atmosphere in which it will be done.

Yours for the better life,

Signed: C. H. Husson, Sr.

Husson Accredited

Husson College was signally honored on May 5 when it became the second school of its kind in the nation to become an accredited institution. The approval occurred in Washington, D. C., where the Accrediting Commission for the independent colleges of business was in session for its annual meeting.

Prior to this time, Bowling Green College of Commerce in Kentucky was sole owner of this distinction, being blanketed in as a four-year college under criteria that has since been completely edited and revised.

In 1953, Husson College became a degree-granting institution by act of the 96th Legislature, which was approved shortly thereafter by the State Department of Education. However, at that time, the Accrediting Commission had not developed satisfactory criteria for the measurement of the four-year collegiate programs. The assignment to prepare the criteria was accorded to Dr. McKee Fiske, Dean of the School of Education at Fresno State College in Stockton Springs, Colorado, and Dr. Andrew Holley, Dean of Business Education at Oklahoma A. & M. Their work was approved and accepted in the May sessions in 1958.

Thus it happened that Husson College, as well as Bowling Green were the first two institutions in the nation, and the only two, who applied for accreditation and were measured by the new criteria. The Visitation Committee was composed of Dr. Bruce Jeffrey, State Teacher's College, Salem, Massachusetts; Mr. Roland Carpenter, Director of Extension Services, University of Maine; H. B. Post, President, Post Junior College, Waterbury, Connecticut; and C. Fred Burdett, President, Burdett College, Boston, Massachusetts. This four-man team spent three days at the college investigating thoroughly every facet of its administration, including the visitation of classes and employers of its graduates.

The combined report was then digested by a review Committee appointed by the Commission, and upon its recommendation "ought to pass," the motion to accredit the local institution was proffered by Dr. Fiske and seconded by Dr. Holley. In making this announcement to a special assembly at the College, President Husson stated that it was an additional honor to have the motion made and seconded by the authors of the exacting criteria which were used in the survey. He was congratulated by all the Commissioners after the action because of the advances made by the college in the last 10 years.

In the United States, there are 1350 independent colleges of business. Of this number, 450 (one-third) have qualified for membership in the NACBS. Of the 450, but one-third have qualified for accreditation, namely 154 schools. Of these, only two have been accrdited as a four-year Specialized College of Business, which is a noteworthy achievement indeed. President Husson thanked the students and faculty for their special contributions of effort and deportment during the visitation, and for the teamwork of all personnel involved which has brought about national recognition.

Husson College has been accredited as a junior college of business since 1953, simply because that was the highest classification available under the commission's jurisdiction. This has been a serious handicap because the classification did not apply and the armed services and guidance directors and counselors were misled as to the four-year status of the college. The new recognition removes this handicap and Husson College will appear in the new United States Office of Education Directory as a four-year Specialized College of Business—a listing it has long desired. A heavier demand will be made of the college to furnish its services to a widening school population and returnees from all the armed services. The college has a capacity of 600 students in its three buildings, with adequate staff and resources to meet the challenges of the years ahead. This it proposes to do in the spirit and clothes of true private enterprise which means no cost to the taxpayer and no solicitation of alumni and parents for endowment funds. Its plans for a new campus on Broadway, where 50 acres of land were purchased two years ago for the new site, are still the major objective of the administration. At least three more years will be needd to consummate the plans now under consideration and advisement.

According to President Husson, the capacity of existing quarters will be taxed severely next year. There is still time to enroll and prospective students should begin correspondence to effect their acceptance into the fall term. Never before has there been such a demand for trained administrative and clerical help and careers in business, government, and education should appeal more and more to youth as its opportunity to serve the state and nation, and to enjoy the comforts afforded by attractive salaries and working conditions.

FACULTY

President and Mrs. Husson have just returned from a business trip to North Carolina, Washington, D. C., and Florida. Mrs. Husson visited with son, Roy, and his wife, the former Betsy Kline. They are living at 2109 Jefferson Highway, Pineville, Lousiana where Roy is stationed with the Air Force.

Mr. Tyler has been speaking at a great number of career days in the various high schools of the state. He is also teaching a class at Dow Air Force Base.

Mr. Wright and the boys journeyed to Providence for the annual Kappa Delta Phi convention. They came home with the President's Cup.

Mr. Foss recently lost his father. The faculty, administration, and student body extends deepest sympathy to him. Mrs. Foss has been very ill with a serious reaction to a tetanus shot. She is recuperating at home.

Mr. Donahue is slowly recuperating from the "Income Tax" disease. He worked day and night for a time trying to make all his customers happy. Mr. Donahue was recently appointed President of the Maine Society of Cost Accountants.

Mrs. Miller and Miss Robbins have entertained many high school students. The students have the opportunity to visit classes of their choice, see the colored slides of College life at Husson and have a lunch at the Student store.

Mr. Husson, Jr. and Mr. Norton travelled to Dartmouth College to a meeting of English professors and instructors. They were accompanied by their wives.

Miss Watson spoke on her beloved subject "Typewriting" at the York County Convention in Kennebunk. She got on route 1 and couldn't find the gateway to the turnpike, so visited all the beaches on the way home! She also served on an accrediting commission for the State Department of Education, which was evaluating Brewer High School.

Mr. Carroll has moved his family to 70 Cottage Street. The Carrolls are expecting an addition in the fall. Daughter Debbie is two years old now.

All the folks at Husson extend deepest sympathy to Miss Clark. Her sister passed away after a long illness in April. Sympathy is also extended to Doris Edgerly Wight. Miss Clark's sister was also Doris' mother. Doris lives at 31 Glenwood Avenue in Westbrook if former classmates wish to write her.

Miss Kinney's thesis is in for its last reading. At present, she plans to be graduated from Boston University on June 7.

Mr. Lebrun is having a new house built. His old one is being renovated for apartments. He's at sixes and sevens. He and his family will spend the summer at their cottage on Webb Pond in Waltham.

Mr. Merrill is busy with the baseball boys every afternoon. They have a good record to date.

Mr. Nolde is playing some golf these nice afternoons. He is also getting things ready at his boys' camp.

The department heads are rushed with preregistrations for the fall semester.

PARTY

Lobster and steamed clams were the bill of fare for the faculty spring picnic held at Sunset Lodge in Bar Harbor, Friday, May 15, 1959. The Donahues, the Currans, the Carrolls, the Lebruns, the Tylers, the Merrills, Brad, Swan, Clark, and Watson attended. A gay time was had by all.

Our thanks go to Mr. and Mrs. George Abbott who so kindly looked after all our wants and offer of their beautiful spot for our picnic.

The faculty met as a group to bid farewell to Al Spain and wish him well in his new venture. He was presented with a gift to remind him of his days at the "Friendly School Upon the Hill."

MR. SPAIN RESIGNS

Albert Spain of the Department of English has tendered his resignation to President Husson. It is with sincere regret that his resignation was accepted.

Mr. Spain has been on the faculty for three years. He has been adviser of Mu Sigma Chi during this time.

He is going to become a bearing consultant and salesman for the Tek Bearing Company, whose home office is in Stratford, Connecticut. He will serve Bangor and the Northeastern Maine area. He will continue to live in Bangor.

Mr. Spain's company sells primarily to industry.

All the Hussonites wish Mr. Spain much success and realize that his jolly personality will be an asset in his sales career.

SUMMER SESSION

JUNE 29 THROUGH AUGUST 7

Visiting Instructors:

Miss Mary E. Connelly, Professor, Boston University.

Miss Miriam Cressey, New Rochelle High School, New York.

Husson Faculty:

Miss Thelma Watson
Mr. William Curran
Mr. John Tyler

Ss 34, Mimeographing Course is filled to capacity. Two workshops, Typing Methods and Personality, are being offered.

Consumer Economics and Principles of Insurance are the regular classes running for five weeks.

Miss Watson will also offer her class in Teen-age typewriting. This is an outstanding opportunity for a teen-ager to learn to type 40w.a.m. in six weeks' time.

Write to the College for a Bulletin, if interested.

College graduates are not afraid of work—provided they receive a good salary for supervising it. —Harold Coffin

HUSSON FACULTY GROWS



Front row, left to right: Mr. Foss, Mrs. Miller, Miss Watson, Miss Bradford, Miss Swan, Miss Clark, Mr. Donahue, Mr. Curran
Back row: Mr. Husson, Jr., Miss Kinney, Mr. Norton, Mr. Spain, Mr. Caroll, Mr. Nolde, Mr. Wright, Mr. Tyler, Mr. Merrill, Miss Robbins, and Mr. Lebrun.

ALUMNI NEWS

Dexter, Maine
April 27, 1959

Dear Miss Swan:

I got the Ledger today and had to sit right down and read it. I was on noon duty, so being able to read the school paper made what can be a rather boring noon hour seem much more pleasant. I think that it was one of the best papers that you have had for a long time. At least, it was more interesting to me. Just love to read the letters from those whom I have been in school with and reading about others that I have known.

I feel quite ancient, though, when I think about the letter from Norman Williams. He was in some of my classes at Ellsworth High School when I did my cadet teaching there. Hard to think that he is out of high school, attended Husson for awhile, and is now in the service! For all my 23 years, I feel like someone's grandmother!

It seems that Husson is always on the move—making new office space and all. It will be so much more convenient for the administration, though, won't it. I get sort of homesick when I read about the sorority and other organizations doing so many things. I hear that Diane Allen is working for you. She is such a nice girl. I read awhile ago that her mother and brother went to the sorority banquet. Did you meet her mother? She is the sweetest person. They are from my home town.

Once in awhile Carole Robinson drops in to see me at school. She keeps me informed as to how she is doing and little things around school. I was so glad that she decided on Husson. She should do quite well. She will be a hard worker for the sorority, too. When you want a willing worker, ask Carole. She is always glad to help you out.

I shall miss being in summer school this year. Would like to take some of the courses being offered, but guess I will take one summer off from school. I have never minded going to summer sessions, because I have always enjoyed being in school. Guess that should make me a likely candidate for a school teacher, shouldn't it?

As far as I know now I will be going back to Dexter next year. I did think that I would change schools. I think I am getting in a rut, but I think I would have to move out of state if I hope to progress salary wise and can't seem to muster up the courage to go by myself. For awhile another girl and I talked about going to Connecticut, but guess that is out. I don't think either of us really wanted to go!

I had a wonderful vacation last week. Four of us drove to New York City. We left Sunday morning and drove to Hartford. Spent the night there and drove to N. Y. C. Monday. That afternoon we visited the American Museum of Natural History and the Hayden Planetarium. Had supper at a Fifth Avenue restaurant and went to the Helen Hayes Theatre that evening. Helen Hayes was starring in "The Touch of the Poet," a Eugene O'Neil play. I enjoyed it but it did seem too long. Guess a four-act play is just too long for me to sit through. Tuesday one of my aunts met me and we took a bus tour of Lower New York City. Of course, we saw many points of interest in that area. In the afternoon we went to Radio City. That was fabulous. Wednesday we did a little shopping and drove as far as Boston. Spent the night there and came home Thursday. We didn't have nearly enough time to do as much as we wanted to, but had fun while we were there. I guess I missed the best part of the planned entertainment. Ages ago the rest of the crowd ordered tickets for the Bolshoi Ballet but at that time I wasn't even sure I would go to New York so I didn't order a ticket. Now I wish I had.

I envy Pat and Janet of the degree that they will get this summer. Someday I have to decide on a college and get started on mine. I dread the thoughts of spending the summer in some hot city studying. Would much rather loaf around Maine during that time of the year.

School papers, six-weeks' tests, and grades are calling for attention, so guess I had better start work. I had intended to do all that last week, but just didn't find the time.

Thanks again for the Ledger. Hope to see you soon—maybe during the summer.

Love,
Jeanette

P. S. I have been wondering if Beverly Kane has a school for next year. Tell her to drop me a card when she gets one. Wish she could get up in this area.

1320 21st Street, N. W.
Apartment 23
Washington 6, D. C.
April 25, 1959

Dear Miss Swan,

I received the Husson Ledger today and spent a most enjoyable half hour reading it. Must admit that most of the names are unfamiliar. I'm enclosing a check for $1.00, if it should be more please let me know.

I have a daughter now and although no one else will admit it, she is the smartest and cutest girl ever born! She is Aileen Elizabeth, and is almost 22 months old. Her birthdate is July 5.

I'm working for a moving and storage company now—Federal Storage Co.—doing typing mainly. My immediate boss is from Dixfield. I have met a surprising number of Maniacs out here.

Juanita Thompson Adams (Mrs. William), from Milo, is on her way to Nicosia, Cyprus (American Consul General, Navy No. 539 c/o FPO, New York, New York). Her husband is being stationed there for two years.

We are having wonderful spring-summer weather here and I am enjoying it. It will be too warm by July to do anything but what is absolutely necessary.

Have made plans to spend May 17th through the 28th at home and hope to have an opportunity to drop in and see everyone. According to the Ledger, it must be a lot different.

I'm at work now and must not spend any more time on my own affairs! Must always look busy, busy, busy.

Sincerely,
Rachel Hill Worrell

P. S. I may not have as important a job as I could wish for, but I do get to work for some important people. Honorable John F. Dulles is among our list of preferred customers . . . according to the "old timers" here, all our customers are of preferred stock!

L. MORGAN HONORED

Miss E. Louise Morgan of Pembroke represented Husson College in the "Miss Secretary of 1959," sponsored by the National Association and Council of Business Schools.

Miss Morgan is a graduate of Husson and is now employed by the Merchants' National Bank.

She has worked into a high position of trust and has climbed to the top rung of the ladder in a few short years.

Miss Morgan will be married shortly.

FOUR IN FINALS

The finalists chosen were Miss Marie Kramer of Washington, D. C. She is a graduate of the Gardner School of Business, Silver Springs, Maryland; Marietta McLean of Salt Lake City, Utah, a graduate of Ziou's Mercantile Institution; Delores Watkins of Cedar Rapids, Iowa; a graduate of Strayer College of Washington, D. C.; and Barbara Wills of Lumberton, North Carolina, a graduate of Selenia Commercial College of Lumberton, North Carolina.

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Hope Tremblcy, Marjorie Buck, Ruth Smith, Miss Swan, and Connie Robertson.

5/4/59
P. O. Box 76
Meriden, Conn.

Dear Miss Swan:

I'm sending my check to you for the Ledger. I didn't know just who to send it to so sent it to you knowing that you would take care of it.

I am still working for Acme Fast Freight in Wallingford. I have been with them almost three years now. I also work part-time nights in the office of H. T. Smith Express Company in Wallingford.

Very truly yours,
Alan Houghton

HUSSON GIRL WINS

Five secretaries were singled out for recognition when they survived a grueling two and a half hour technical test, and were still fresh and alert enough to impress a panel of judges with their personal qualities.

Judged best of 20 finalists was Mrs. Frank O. Gladding (formerly Pauline Clark) a secretary for her husband, an osteopathic physician.

She now bears the title of "Miss Secretary of Hawaii" and is looking forward to a Big Island trip, a course at Honolulu Business College, and various gifts.

The finalists raced a stop watch in tests of their English usage and composition, typing and shorthand and proof reading abilities.

Then a panel of seven judges interviewed them one at a time, judging them on poise and bearing, speech and voice and personal grooming.

This is Mrs. Gladding's letter to Honolulu Business College:

February 21, 1959

Honolulu Business College
1178 Fort Street
Honolulu 13, Hawaii

Gentlemen:

"My idea of the perfect boss" is a composite created out of material from real live experiences.

My perfect boss gives dictation, like Mr. C, with an unhurried flow of words, but at a challenging speed. He has the even temper of Mr. S who never *told* me to do a thing, but always *asked* or *suggested*. He has the sense of humor of Rev. W who could always take time out to share a good joke. He can handle an enormous amount of work like Mr. C, without getting into a high pressure dither. He has a contagious enthusiasm for his job, like Professor D, for whom I would gladly work overtime without pay. He is well groomed, like Attorney P, which always prompts me to take a second look at my own grooming. He will compliment me when I do satisfactory work, as Mr. R does, as well as suggest ways for "sharpening my tools."

But, best of all, my perfect boss will fall in love with me and ask me to marry him, as did Dr. G. Then when I have my M.R.S., he will honor me with the privilege of continuing to serve as his secretary.

Yours with Aloha,
Mrs. Frank O. Gladding
A VERY HAPPY SECRETARY—TWO YEARS MARRIED TO THE BOSS

ATTENTION

Dear Graduate:

The cost of printing and mailing the Husson Ledger is fast becoming too burdensome to continue without help. Thus it is that you are given an opportunity to become a paying authority to transfer such a balance, if any, to the Building Fund. We are facing crowded conditions for a long time to come, and plans for expansion are fast taking shape. Thus, indirectly, each of you could be contributing to the proposed new building by becoming a subscriber to the Husson Ledger.

If you know of any graduate who is not receiving the Ledger, please send the name and address to us. We want everybody to "get aboard" and help this dream of a new building, cafeteria, and dormitories come true.

A list of the subscribers will appear in a later issue of the Ledger. Be sure that "your" name is on it.

Many, many thanks.

"Chief"

Dear Mr. Husson: I enclose $1.00 for my subscription to the Husson Ledger. Please donate any monies left, after expenses to the Husson College Building Fund.

Name: .....
Address: .....
Class of 19.....

Please mail to Husson Ledger, 157 Park Street, Bangor, Maine.

TOP GAL

Hazel Benn of Oakfield, Maine has been promoted to Lieutenant Colonel in the United States Marine Corps. Her official post is that of Educational Officer for the entire Marine Corps.

Colonel Benn is a graduate of Oakfield High School and the three-year teacher-training course at Husson College. She was awarded her diploma in 1939.

She taught school in Aroostook County for a few years and then to Washington, D. C. At the onset of World War II, Colonel Benn joined the Marines. From then on, it has been up the mountain to the top.

She is a member of Epsilon Tau Epsilon Sorority, serving as Secretary in her last year of school.

Colonel Benn makes her home near Washington, D. C. She has many Maine friends who are exceptionally proud of her record.

The Staff, Administration, faculty and President Husson wish you the best in the years to come, Hazel.



Lt. Col. Hazel E. Benn
U. S. Marine Corps

ETE SORORITY



Albert Spain, Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler, and Miss Patricia A. Robbins.

The Epsilon Tau Epsilon Chapter of Pi Rho Zeta International Sorority of Husson College presented its annual May Ball this year in honor of the Senior Class of 1959 at John Bapst Auditorium on Friday evening, May 8, from 8:30 to 12:00.

The Orchestra featured at this time was Al Havener and his Orchestra from Rockland. The band was a 6-piece band featuring waltzes, foxtrots, rumbas, and other dances, for the entertainment for the majority of the students who attended from Husson College, and their guests.

The May Ball, and for the first time, the Senior Ball, honored the Senior Class of 1959 by the flower scene on the stage in the Auditorium. The decorations for the Ball included green, yellow, and pink pastel shades of streamers, leading to a huge may basket in the center of the auditorium.

Miss Patricia Buck, of Washburn, served punch from a large ice bowl surrounded by spring flowers and around the rim of the ice bowl was written in gold honoring the Class of 1959.

The bids was available to any student at the College. Invitation to the Ball was by bid only. The bids were in the shape of a Graduation Cap, and was green and white, with yellow tassels. It included the order of the dances, and guests for the evening.

The Committees for the May Ball were as follows: Orchestra Committee: Charlotte Turner, Eddington; Beverly Govone, Forestdale, Massachusetts; and Elaine Roundy, Fairfield.

Serving on the Decoration Committee were Charlotte Turner, Eddington; Rita Morel, Biddeford; and Elaine Roundy, Fairfield.

Serving on the Bid Committee were Mrs. Ida Boylan, St. George; and Beverly Kane, Surry.

On the Refeshment Committee were Patricia Buck, Washburn; and Janice Day, New Sharon.

Rosalie Green and Beverly Kane served on the Advertisment and Poster Committee.

The Ball was under the direction of Miss Clara L. Swan, and Miss Mildred Bradford, Sponsors of the Sorority.

The Guests for the evening were Miss Mildred Bradford; Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Curran, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. William H. Donahue, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Millard Foss, Mr. and Mrs. Delmont N. Merrill, Miss Clara L. Swan, Mr. and Mrs. James L. Wright. Mr. and Mrs.

CARD PARTY

On March 19, 1959 Pi Rho Zeta International Sorority at Husson College held a card party. In addition to the many prizes that were given, specialty acts by the Sorority Sisters provided entertainment. Also, refreshments were served.

Serving on the various committees were Advertisement - Sandra McNeal and Rosalie Green. Tickets - Janice Day, Diane Allen, and Arlene Pease, Setting-up - Marie Black, Cynthia Walton, Linda Steward, Gail Henderson, Ruth Sperry, and Pat Buck. Refreshments - Elaine Roundy, Ruth Bachelder, Mavis Churchill, and Sandra Wark. Prizes - Miss Mildred Bradford and Frances Akerly. Entertainment - Charlotte Turner, Jean Murphy, Marjorie Cummings, Beverly Govone, Tonya Joseph, Jane Mahan, and Miss Mildred Bradford. Tabes - Jeannette Smith and Linda Wheelock.

CANDY SALE

Another project of ETE Sorority was selling Mother's Day chocolates. Although each member helped to sell the chocolates, one of our members, Bev Kane, did an excellent job of selling them.

Our annual outing will be held at Ada Woodman's camp on May 21. At this time the Ledger awards will be given by Miss Swan. Everyone is planning to go, and we all expect to have a wonderful time.

KAPPA DELTA PHI

Kappa Delta Phi's annual casino night was held April 2 and although attendance was not as good as expected, those attending had a very enjoyable evening. The prizes consisted of a large stuffed dog and rabbit. Don Vachon won the rabbit and Eddie Youngblood won the dog. A door prize of two pounds of chocolates was won by Clifford Thibodeau.

Ten members of Kappa Delta Phi and faculty advisor James Wright attended the annual National Convention as guests of Epsilon Chapter, Rhode Island College of Education, Providence, Rhode Island.

Friday evening, April 24, registration and a "mixing party" was held at the Hotel Narraganset for the purpose of meeting members of the various chapters attending the convention.

Saturday events consisted of a welcome address by Lionel Mercier, Dean of Business Education, Bryant College and president of the Eastern State Teachers College Association. This was followed by three seminars titled, "Specialized Education Beyond the Undergraduate Program," "The Problems Involved in Implementing Merit Ratings" and "The Development of Unions in the Teaching Profession."

A banquet of roast turkey was held at 2:30 and the main address was given by Dr. James P. Adams, Chairman, Board of Trustees for Rhode Island State College and Universities. A short business meeting followed and awards were presented. We were delighted to find that for the fourth straight year, Lambda Chapter won the President's Cup which is given to the chapter having the greatest number present multiplied by the mileage factor.

The program was rounded out by a dance at 8:30 p. m. Sunday activities consisted of an afternoon jazz concert but due to the long distance to be traveled our group left for home Sunday morning.

Our next meeting will consist of the election of officers for the coming year and the setting up of an activity calendar.

DELTA SIGMA DELTA

Delta Sigma Delta Chapter of Pi Rho Zeta Sorority has increased its membership to 23. Officers are as follows: President, Sandra McNeal; Vice President, Jean Murphy; Secretaries, Rachel Mitchell, Robertine Thibodeau; Treasurer, Arlene Pease; Parliamentarian, Gloria Hjulstrom; Sergeant-at-Arms, Linda Wheelock; and Student Council Representative, Jane Mahan. Miss Patricia Robbins is the adviser.

Members of Delta Sigma Delta are Sandra McNeal, Jean Murphy, Jane Mahan, Rachel Mitchell, Robertine Thibodeau, Arlene Pease, Linda Wheelock, Gloria Hjulstrom, Sandra Lawless, Cynthia Walton, Sandra Wark, Marie Black, Alane Corey Combs, Roberta Smith, Linda Stewart, Nancy Watson, Ruth Bachelder, Filena Lloyd, Jo Anne Kinney, Gladyce Rafford, Pearl Cunningham, Tonya Joseph, and Linda McCrum.

Early in the Fall, a "Get-Acquainted Party" was held for the one and two-year girls to give them a chance to meet the sorority members and to see what the sorority was like. The informal and formal initiations were held early in December, shortly after the first quarter had ended.

Delta Sigma Delta and Epsilon Tau Epsilon held a Card Party in March, complete with prizes, refreshments, and entertainment.

The girls are planning a Roller Skating Party on May 14, and a week-end camping trip on May 23 and 24.

MU SIGMA CHI

Since our last summary of activities we have been very busy with several projects.

The annual Quebec trip was enjoyed by seven of our members.

Another annual project is the Frat Frolics. This year we had as guest performers; Terry Bowden, Ann Robbins, Steve Robbins as well as Sam Viner. Our own Earl Libby added many vocal selections.

We realized a profit of $160 on this minstrel which makes our year socially as well as financially successful.

The building fund which will eventually furnish the fraternity with a home of its own is now up to $575.

At the end of this week we will go to Schoodic Point for a lobster feed.

The Eastern Maine Friends of Retarded Children have given us special commendations for putting out their containers in the Ba[illegible] area.



SWEETHEART OF MU SIGMA CHI

Miss Patricia Buck was voted the "Sweetheart of Mu Sigma Chi" by the audience attending the minstrel on the night of April 23, 1959. Other candidates were Ellen Cooper of Camden, Roxana Stiles of Millinocket, and Marlene Parent of Van Buren.

Miss Buck is a freshman enrolled in the Department of Business Education. She is a graduate of Washburn High School. She is the daughter of Mrs. Hazel Doody. Pat is a member of Pi Rho Zeta International Sorority.

She was much pleased and thrilled with this honor.

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A boy becomes a man when he stops asking his father for money and requests a loan.

—A. W. Stinson



Sorority Initiation, 1947

An elevator man in a downtown office building grew weary of repeated requests for the correct time. So he put up a shelf in the corner of his elevator and placed a small clock on it. Now people ask, "Is your clock right?"

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One thing to be thankful for is that some people do their worst driving on golf courses.

—Homer Phillips

One office notice prominently displayed under the clock is: It's earlier than you think!

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Sign on Service Station door: HAVE GUN—WILL GREASE.

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The truth usually lies somewhere between a woman's intuition and a man's alibi.

—Dan Bennett

BUD WINS TOP SPOT

THE AMERICAN BRASS COMPANY
Torrington, Connecticut

March 10, 1959

Mr. Miles S. Elsemore
57 Union Street
Brewer, Maine

Dear Mr. Elsemore:

It was a pleasure to have you meet our people here at the Torrington Division on January 15th. We trust you were able to obtain answers to your questions and know something more about this Company.

From our standpoint, your visit can be considered a success. I have been advised to extend to you an offer of employment. You will start with us in a trainee category which would lead to a position in our sales organization. Starting wage would be $208.00, semi-monthly, with an additional increase of $11.00, semi-monthly, after six months of employment, making your total earnings $5,124.00 for the first year. In addition, liberal insurance program, as were outlined, are provided in whole or in part by the Company for you and your dependents.

We would appreciate having your reply within the next week since we have to make future plans based on your decision. In the meantime, should you have further questions do not hesitate to contact us, and we will do our best to help you.

Thank you for taking the time to come to Torrington to visit our Company and we will look forward to hearing from you.

Very truly yours,

THE AMERICAN BRASS CO.
C. A. Gisselbrecht
Division Trainer
CAG/ob
CC: Mr. R. R. Jackson
Mr. J. C. Pettigrew

THANK YOU

To the Faculty and Student Body:

I wish to take this opportunity to thank the faculty and students of Husson for their generosity at the Christmas assembly in my moment of distress and need.

Your contribution was most welcome and gave me a very Merry Christmas.

It is with pride and gratitude that I wish to thank each and every member of the faculty and student body for their generous contributions.

(Signed) Jim Manship

STUDENT COUNCIL

The annual banquet of the Student Council was held at Pilots Grill on May 5. Guests were the following: Mr. and Mrs. John Tyler, Mr. and Mrs. Carl Lowe, Mr. and Mrs. Miles Elsemore.

Mr. Elsemore, President of the Student Council, summarized the activities of the year. Awards were made to the members of the council.

Mr. Peter Briggs presented Mr. Elsemore and Nancy Wells, Store Manager, who are seniors and Robert Theriault retiring Treasurer, with gifts.

It was announced that James McKay would be the Treasurer next year.

A dance followed the banquet with music by Osgood's Combo. A social evening was enjoyed by all.

The committee to make arrangements for the banquet was: Nancy Wells, chairman, Lanny Reynolds, Paul Foster, and James Cyr.

During the spring semester we recruited members for the council to bring our attendance record up to the quota. Upon the January graduation exercises we lost quite a few members.

The biggest activity of the council this year has been the establishment of the student loan fund which we hope that the Husson College Student will take advantage of. The next biggest activity is the parking problem. The council was informed the first of May that the city is going to place two hour parking meters on Park Street.

The seniors who are members of the council and will graduate in June are the following: President, Miles Elsemore; Store Manager, Nancy Wells; Malcolm Kitchen, Reginald McKenney, Dana Dow, George Albert, Parker Cook, Beverly Kane.

BASEBALL



Lin Perkins



Joe Paul

V. A.

Just being a veteran does not guarantee anyone hospitalization by Veterans Administration.

M. L. Stoddard, Manager, Veterans Administration Center, Togus, said VA first takes care of all eligible veterans who need hospitalization for service-connected diseases and disabilities.

The second group includes veterans discharged for disability incurred in line of duty or receiving compensation from VA for disability who need hospitalization for nonservice-connected conditions. They may be admitted to VA hospitals when beds are available, Stoddard said.

The third group includes war veterans without service-connected conditions who may, under the law, be admitted to VA hospitals if three conditions are met.

First, they must need medical care of a type or extent for which hospitalization is required.

Second, they must certify under oath they are unable to pay for the needed hospitalization elsewhere.

Third, a hospital must have a bed available.

Mr. Stoddard said peacetime veterans are eligible for care in a VA hospital only if they were discharged under other than dishonorable conditions for disability incurred in line of duty, or are receiving VA compensation for service-connected disability.

He added that VA hospitals, like other hospitals, accept emergency patients as a lifesaving measure, and that VA priorities for admission are waived in such cases.

Savings of up to two-thirds in the cost of their GI insurance are being offered by mail to all veterans whose insurance policy number is preceded by the letters "RS", the VA said today.

All of these veterans, who for the most part fall in the Korean and post-Korean Conflict period ,now have a chance to exchange their present 5-year term policies for 5-year term policies at a lower premium cost, due to the improved mortality tables resulting from modern medical advance.

WHAT'S SO FUNNY



The new policy, however, must eventually be converted to a permanent plan of insurance since it cannot be renewed by the insured past age 50.

To save confusion, the VA also pointed out —if you don't get a letter with the enclosed application form, don't worry. That will mean you do not have "RS" type insuance and are not eligible for this exchange.

A word of caution, even if you return the enclosed application continue to pay your premiums at the old rate until the VA notifies you the new type policy is in effect. Any overpayment will be credited to your account.

Q. I receive a monthly compensation check from VA for a disability incurred in Korea service. Does this automatically entitle me to vocational rehabilitation training?

A. No. The law requires that a disabled veteran be in need of vocational training to overcome the handicap of his disability. If need should be established in your case, you would be permitted to train.

Q. I'm a Korea veteran going to school part-time under the GI Bill. To help me plan my school program to get in courses I need for graduation credits, please tell me how long a time I have to complete my training.

A. You have eight years from the date of your discharge to complete training under the Korean GI Bill. But you may not train beyond January 31, 1965.

Veterans who allowed their permanent plan GI insurance to lapse are still permitted to have their policies reinstated by making up all back premiums with interest and by meeting health requirements.

Myles P. Cronkite, officer in charge, Veterans Administration Office, Bangor said today, that GI insurance reinstatement rights also apply to lapsed term policies, but in a slightly different way. These policies generally may be reinstated only during the term period, with the payment of two monthly premiums and by meeting health requirements.

Special reinstatement or renewal privileges apply to those veterans whose National Service Life Insurance (NSLI) five-year term policies lapsed through failure to pay on time either or both of the last two monthly premiums of the term period, Cronkite explained.

In such cases, he said, these veterans may apply for reinstatement or renewal of their term policies any time within the succeeding five-year period, but must meet premium and health requirements.

LEDGER STAFF

Editors-in-Chief....Beverly Kane, Nancy Gray
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DSD .....Frances Ackerly
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Student Council .....Nancy Wells
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Girls' B. B. .....Miss Swan
Dramatic Club .....Ida Boylan
Jokes .....Nancy Gray
Cupid's Col. .....Janice Day
Roving Reporter...M. Cummings, E. Roundy
Alumni News .....Miss Swan
JV B. B. .....Rosalie Green
Glee Club .....Janis Sprague

HELP!

Do any of our alumni have history books, literature books, magazines, leaflets, or any material that would be helpful in maintaining our new library? We have many books and magazines, but any that you would like to donate would be appreciated by the College and the students, as it is certainly an asset to at last have a good library (though still needs stocking) and a pleasant librarian.

Please send any materials to Husson College; we appreciate any that you may contribute. Thank you, Alumni.

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The greatest achievements of mankind have been accomplished by two types of men—those who were smart enough to know it could be done, and those too dumb to know it couldn't.



Chieftain Staff At Work

CLASS OF 1962



DEAN

At a class meeting held by the class of 1962 at Husson College, the following members of the class were nominated and elected:

Nominations for President were John Abbott, Bangor; Arlen Neal, Howland; Michael Theriault, Presque Isle; and Arthur Treadwell, Orono. Arlen Neal, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Neal of Howland was elected. Mr. Neal is a member of the Varsity Baseball team at Husson.

Nominations for Vice President were Carl Dunn, Olamon; Keith Grant, Caribou; James Manship, Calais; and James McKay, Bar Harbor. Carl Dunn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Carl Dunn of Olamon was chosen.

Nominations for Secretary were Patricia Buck, Washburn; Carole Robinson, Dexter; and Ruth Sperrey, Perham. Miss Patricia Buck, daughter of Mrs. Hazel Doody of Washburn was elected. Since she came to Husson she has been a member of Pi Rho Zeta Sorority and is Treasurer of the Women's Athletic Association.

Nominations for Treasurer were Clyde Crommett, Passadumkeag; John Field, Bar Harbor; Bill Price, Bangor; and John Washburn, Bangor. John Washburn, son of Mr. and Mrs. Albert Washburn was elected.

CLASS OF 1961



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Tuesday, March 10, 1959 the following class officers were elected by the Sophomore Class at Husson College.

Nominations for President were Donald Vachon, Brewer; and Robert Ronan, Bangor. Donald Vachon, son of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Vachon of Brewer was elected. Since he has been at Husson, Mr. Vachon has been a member of the Varsity Basketball and Baseball teams, and a member of Mu Sigma Chi Fraternity.

Nominations for Vice President were James Doughty, Bangor; Louis L'Hereaux, Lewiston; and David Kelley, Bangor. Louis L'Hereaux, son of Mr. and Mrs. Francis L'Hereaux of Lewiston was elected.

Nominations for Secretary were Diane Allen, Sedgwick; and Marjorie Cummings, Lagrange. Diane Allen, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Kenneth Allen of Sedgwick was elected. Miss Allen has been a member of Pi Rho Zeta Sorority, Women's Athletic Association, Student Council, and has been a cheerleader while at Husson.

Nominations for Treasurer were Charles Feck, Madawaska; Harold Miller, Alton; and Charles Duffy, Bangor. Charles Duffy was elected. He is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Duffy of Bangor. Mr. Duffy is a member of Mu Sigma Chi Fraternity and the Student Council.

Members of the Sophomore Class are Michael Abbott, Frank Ackley, Diane Allen, Harry Austin, Jr., Robert Ayer, Jr., Max Ballanger, Charles Bears, Ralph Buzzell, Robert Carson, John Conner, Joseph Costello, Robert Cowan, Marjorie Cummings, George Currier, Charles Duffy, Milton Deprey, John Dill, James Doughty, John Edgerly, Seven Erutmen, Ralph Farrar Jr., Charles Feck, Mary Jean Forsyth, Carol Fowler, Roger Furbish, Edward Gaunce, Ronald Geagan, Robert Graves, Howard Gray, Roland Gray, Rosalie Green, Harrison Hahn, Nancy Hamilton, Harold Hansen, Robert Hart, Ralph Harvey, Wayne Haskell, Gail Henderson, Ruth Hopkins, Lloyd Ingraham, Gene Judkins, David Kelley, George Knight, Gail LaPlante, James Leeman, Louis L'Hereaux, Lawrence Lynch, Ralph Mahar, Richard Martin, Glen McDougal, Donald McLaughlin, Ronald McReavy, Harold Miller, Gene Nardi, Charles O'Connell, Andrew Pease, Richard Pelletier, James Perry, Ronald Philbrook, James Picard, Nelson Ranco, Richard Ray, Terrence Robinson, Robert Ronan, Sandra Shaw, Jeannette Smith, Wayne Smith, Janis Sprague, John Stansfield, Bernard Stevenson, Barry Stoddard, George Stoutamyer, Edmund Thebarge, Thaxter Trafton, Barry Twitchell, Donald Vachon, Robert Vigue, John Wedin, Eugene Welch, Robert Wiles, Theodore Warden, Lawrence Wilkins, John Wyman, Edward Youngblood.

CLASS OF 1960



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At a meeting held at Husson College, the junior class nominated and elected the following officers.

Nominations for President were: Ronald Bishop, Stockton Springs; Peter Briggs, Bangor; William Cluff, Waterville; Robert Good, Hampden; Richard Parlee, Newport; and Robert Theriault, Presque Isle. Robert Theriault, son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Theriault of Presque Isle was elected. While at Husson, he has been a member of the Student Council.

Nominations for Vice President were: George Dyer, So. Brewer; Lanny Reynolds, Winslow; and Gary Seavy, Rockland. Elected to the office was George Dyer, son of Mr. and Mrs. Harry Dyer of So. Brewer. Mr. Dyer has been a member of Mu Sigma Chi and Kappa Delta Phi Fraternities while at Husson.

Nominations for Secretary were: Frances Akerley, Farmington; Marquerite Cyr, Northeast Harbor; Charlotte Turner, Eddington; and Sandra Wark, Belfast. Charlotte Turner, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Earl Turner of Eddington was elected. Since she has been at Husson, she has been a member of the Student Council, Student Education Association, and Pi Rho Zeta Sorority.

Nominations for Treasurer were: Eugene Babineau, Lincoln; Robert Chandler, Bangor; and Robert Crane, Brewer. Eugene Babineau was elected. Mr. Babineau is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Babineau of Lincoln. He has been a member of Mu Sigma Chi Fraternity while at Husson.

Members of the junior class are: Frances Akerley, Joseph Albert, Louis Albert, Barbara Alward, Joan Arnold, Norman Babb, Eugene Babineau, Elmer Berg, Ronald Bishop, Marie Black, Dudley Bouchard, Leslie Bouchard, Judith Brannen, Peter Briggs, Alyce Brommels, Sandra Bryce, Beverly Burrill, Ronald Byers, Howard Carlson, Harry Carter, Robert Chandler, Sally Christofferson, Traverse Clark, William Cluff, Amy Cole, Reginald Cote, Terrance Coyne, Edward Cramer, Robert Crane, Patricia Crory, David Crosby, Carl Cunningham, Joseph Curtis, Glen Cyr, James Cyr, Marguerite Cyr, Charles Davis, Nelson Davis, Janice Day, Mitchell Descoteaux, George Dyer, David Edes, Ann Farrar, Norman Fenlason, Michael Ford, Ralph Fortier, Paul Foster, Franklin

From:

Husson College
157 Park Street
Bangor, Maine

To:

Fournier, Donald Gardner, Melanie Gary, Carleton Gerow, Robert Good, Beverly Govone, Earl Grava, Janice Hall, Jeanine Hall, George Hamilton, Melvin Hamilton, Diane Hodgkins, Norma Houston, Charles Howard, Harry Jones III, Tonya Joseph, Charlene Kelley, Richard Lemelin, Earl Libby, Jr., Robert Mann, Arthur Martin, Elwood Martin, Cynthia McCorrison, Donald McDonnell, Jacqueline Michaud, Richard Moody, Dale Neal, Linda Newcomb, Amy Oxley, Richard Parlee, Judith Pearson, James Penney, Daniel Perry, Ronald Philbrook, Celia Phinney, Kenneth Ponkala, Lanny Reynolds, Elaine Roundy, Peter Rush, Gary Seavy, Robert Sherman, Allan Smith, Gail Smith, Judith Smith, Kenneth Smith, John Somers, Linda Stewart, Gerard St. Jean, Allan Storer, Richard L. Sullivan, Patricia Swalina, Richard Taylor, Walter Thebarge, Robert Theriault, Clifton Thibodeau, Dana Thurlow, Charlotte Turner, Keith Veazie, Cynthia Walton, Sandra Wark, David Young.

NOTICE

SUBJECT: INCREASE IN TUITION RATES

Because the costs of operating a good school have sky-rocketed in the last few years, we find it impossible to maintain and improve our offerings at the present tuition rate.

Increases in taxes, teachers' salaries (in particular), postage, equipment, repairs, maintenance, supplies, library services, etc., leave no course to follow but that of establishing new rates that are consistant with these facts. We live in an age of rising costs.

Effective September 1, 1959, for all courses, the following rates apply:

One Quarter $140.00; One Semester $280.00; One Year $560.00; Special Course Rates: $18.00 per credit hour.

Since this amounts to no more than $15.00 per quarter for each individual student, it is hoped that no hardship will ensue because of this action. We have avoided an increase conscientiously and yield only to the pressure of the times.

Cordially,
HUSSON COLLEGE
C. H. Husson, Sr., President

CUPID'S COLUMN

ENGAGEMENTS

Barbara Patch, Bangor, to William R. Hodkins, Bangor.

Gloria Linscott, Bangor, to James Greer, Bangor.

Wanda Haseltine, Ripley, to Seth R. Jackson, Orono.

Janet Hanson, Vanceboro, to John Firth, Darien, Connecticut.

Maria Vangeli, Stonington, to Wayne Gross, Stonington.

Karen Torrey, Dixfield, to Frank Merriman, Bangor.



Rosalie Green Awarded $200 Scholarship By Altrusa Club

Miss Rosalie Green, a sophomore at Husson, was awarded a $200 scholarship by the Altrusa Club of Bangor, at a dinner meeting Thursday evening, March 2, at the Tarratine Club.

Miss Green is from Dover-Foxcroft and is taking a four-year education course at Husson.

Every year from now on a $200 scholarship will be awarded to a woman student at Husson providing she meets the requirements. This will be awarded in the middle of the sophomore year to a woman student enrolled in a four-year course. It will be divided into three payments, part being given each year toward tuition. Awarding of the scholarship will be based on character, need, promise, initiative, and scholastic ability.

This is the first scholarship of its kind to be given to Husson College by a group or organization outside the school. The Altrusa Club has set up this scholarship fund as its permanent project based on the policy to help women better themselves through education.

MARRIAGES

Shirley E. Walker, Brewer, to Edward Taylor, Bangor.

Mary Goulette, Dexter, to William Estes, Brownville Junction.

Mona P. Levesque, Keegan, to Lonny L[illegible], Presque Isle.

Marlene Francine Kaufman, Portland, to [illegible]lvin Hamilton, Bangor

Joanne Philbrick, Fairfield, to Parker Cook, Augusta.

Patricia Perow, Caribou, to John Rioux, Limestone.

Charlotte Taylor, Gorham, to Charles Bosworth, Gorham.

Lila Richards, Oakfield, to Larry Sargent, Fort Lauderdale, Florida.

BIRTHS

Mr. and Mrs. Leland Priest, a son.

Mr. and Mrs. Bruce Wing, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Perkins, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Boylan, a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Holmquist, a son.