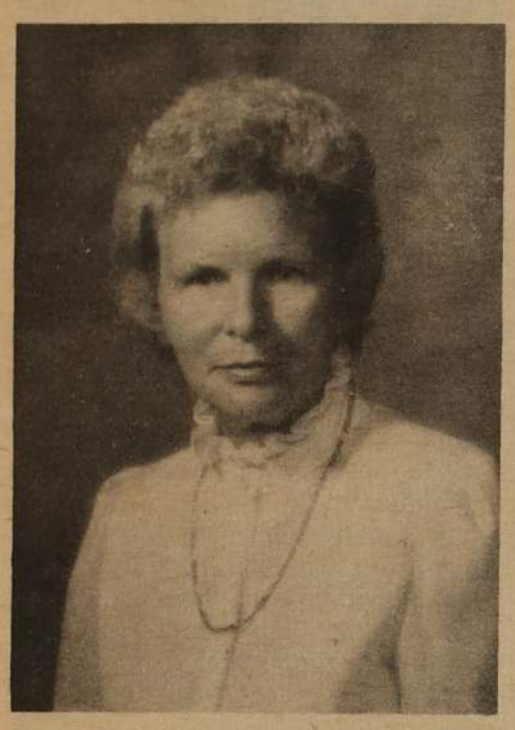
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Alumni President Shirley K. Richard

Alumni President

Annual Business Meeting

October 15, 1983

When I was elected to office on October 16, 1982, I wondered if I could progress from where our capable Alumni President Larry Richard (no relation) had left off in the development of an active alumni association. I had two basic goals in mind:

1. To involve more alumni with their alma mater
2. To publish on a regular schedule our newspaper THE LEDGER

Progress has been made in both areas.

At our November Board meeting we started a year of hope with much vigor. Dot Picard agreed to host a Bangor area meeting in December. The results of that were the election of Judy McQuarrie Southard as president of the group and an active Bangor Chapter is now functioning.

In December Alumni Coordinator Mike Hancock resigned. We floundered a bit until Mrs. Gertrude O'Farrell was hired as Alumni Coordinator in February. She is now working very hard with us.

On February 17 we sponsored our third annual Senior Reception. During a Senior Reception, we invite Husson alumni to meet with Husson seniors and discuss informally in small groups or on a one-to-one basis the various aspects of their individual careers. We feel that we can offer a better service to the seniors this year by utilizing what we have learned from these past receptions.

The Aroostook Chapter elected Robert Thompson as its president. That group hosted a President's Dinner at Caribou on March 17. Although attendance was small,

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Lou Peters Chair Established

By W.W. Cook

In the June issue of *Reader's Digest* this year, there was an extremely interesting article about Lou Peters of the Class of 1958. But there was more to the Lou Peters story than appeared in the magazine.

Lou came to Husson after service in the Marine Corps. After graduating with a degree in accounting, Lou went west to California. In 1970 he and his wife, Marilyn, Husson 1955, bought a Cadillac dealership in Lodi, and the business prospered. As a *Newsweek* article on Lou in 1980 said, "In 1977, Lou Peters, then 45, seemed to have everything he wanted."

That year a reputed Mafia figure, Joe Bonanno, tried to buy Lou's dealership through relatives, and Lou became an unpaid informer for the FBI. For the next two years he assisted the FBI in gathering evidence and finally testified at the trial of Bonanno in 1980. As a result of the trial, Bonanno was sentenced to five years in federal prison.

In 1981, Lou Peters died only a month after receiving the U.S. Attorney General's Award for Meritorious Service. But that was not the end of the story. Last summer Marilyn, now married to a physician, stopped by to see President Del Merrill. She had come to pay a pledge of $50,000 that Lou had made some years earlier. Pending Board approval, the Lou Peters Chair of Accountancy will be established to memorialize the justifiable pride that Lou's alma mater can take in his contribution to the nation.

Edmond J. Lebrun Scholarship

Last spring, Professor Edmond Lebrun retired after a teaching career at Husson which spanned nearly a quarter of a century and which touched virtually thousands of students' lives. An economist, Ed principally taught upper level courses in finance, investments, and money and banking. Prior to coming to Husson, he taught at the University of Rhode Island where he had earlier earned his bachelor's degree. Ed also holds a master's degree from the University of Tennessee. He has been and continues to be active in community affairs.



Roderick N. Hotham, Treasurer

At Homecoming this year, Ed was honored by the Husson College Alumni Association for his distinguished service to the College. In presenting the award, President Del Merrill announced that an anonymous donor had provided funds to establish the Edmond J. Lebrun Scholarship. The scholarship will be awarded annually to an upper level student with the primary criteria of academic achievement. Selection will be made by the Faculty Scholarship Committee.

Former students and friends of Professor Lebrun may make donations to the fund by sending them to the Edmond J. Lebrun Scholarship, Development Office, Husson College, Bangor, Maine 04401. Please make checks payable to Husson College.

New Treasurer Appointed

Douglas M. Brown, Chairman of the Board of Trustees of Husson College, and College President Delmont N. Merrill on October 24 announced the appointment of Roderick N. Hotham of Bangor as Treasurer of the College. As Treasurer, Hotham is in charge of all internal financial and business operations at Husson.

Hotham, a certified public accountant, has an extensive background in accounting and finance. He was most recently a shareholder in the Bangor-based firm of Brantner, Hotham and Thibodeau. He was previously associated with the accounting firms of Berry, Dunn and McNeil of Bangor, and Peat, Marwick and Mitchell, Co., of Portland. For some time, his work has focused on long range planning and the auditing of various manufacturing, financial, educational and health institutions.

Hotham, who received a Bachelor of Science degree in Accounting from Husson, is active in many civic organizations including the Bangor-Brewer Management Club, the United Way, and the Bangor Regional Speech and Hearing Center. He is also a member of several professional organizations including the American Institute of CPA's and the Maine Society of CPA's.

President Merrill described Hotham's addition to the Husson management team as a great step forward, "I feel we are fortunate to acquire the services of someone who is so well qualified, who has worked with Big Eight firms, and who is so astute in financial matters."

"In addition, Rod is an alumnus of the College, and it's always nice to bring one of your own back to help build the College's future," said Merrill.

Hotham said, "I am enjoying working at Husson, and naturally I'm pleased to have an opportunity to return to my alma mater."

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President's Corner

Perhaps my readers will allow me a moment of justifiable pride. Earlier this month, I received notice from our accrediting agency, The New England Association of Schools and Colleges, that Husson is continued in accreditation.

Although it has no intrinsic value, accreditation is probably the most valuable asset an institution can have. Ultimately, the forward development of our College depends on it. Clearly the implications of accreditation are enormous.

But it is not in the fact itself of accreditation that I take such pride. Rather it is in the people who made it possible. It results from a process over a period of a year and involves virtually every person in our College community including, incidentally, alumni.

The process is an interesting one. The College is first asked to conduct a self-study, that is, to evaluate itself in twelve areas prescribed by the New England Association. The result of the evaluation is a report, in this case, of over a hundred and forty pages. Shortly after the report is submitted, a team of educators from throughout New England visits the campus to, in effect, verify the Self-study Report. It is a healthy process.



Delmont N. Merrill
President, Husson College

We should not lose sight of the fact that the quality of an institution is no more or less than the people in it. Accreditation acknowledges that our people have met the very highest standards. I think you will agree that my pride is, indeed, justifiable.

Husson Students Assisting In Small Business Practicum

College students majoring in business today have the opportunity to test their problem solving abilities when problems of the small business community are brought into the classroom.

The Small Business Institute, sponsored by the U.S. Small Business Administration, uses students in college business programs as a resource. Management assistance counseling is furnished to members of the small business community who are usually SBA clients.

The SBA, a small independent federal agency created in 1953, assists and counsels many American small businesses by providing financial assistance, management counseling and training.

David Foster, public information officer at SBA in Augusta, said between eight and nine Maine Colleges and Universities are associated with the SBI, a program under the SBA management assistance program.

"A total of about 60 to 70 cases are done per year ranging from one case per year at some schools to 30 cases per year done at the University of Southern Maine," he said.

At Husson College, Russell Eustice, assistant professor of business administration, said 13 business students were working on six cases during the spring 1983 semester.

"The spectrum of cases ranged from assisting a country retail store to a radio station, a jewelry store and a plumber and the businesses we assisted were located from Lincoln to Ellsworth," he said.

Husson's program, called the small business practicum, is an upper level course offered only during the spring semester.

Eustice said students are assigned to clients and work with them throughout the semester solving problems and integrating various business disciplines they have studied.

The small business practicum also determines the consumer want or need for the business' product or service.

"Some people are technically efficient but don't take the time to analyze the market to see if there is a customer need," Eustice said.



Russell Eustice

Students analyze management techniques and make suggestions for improvements or for initiating new techniques of which the small businessperson might be unaware.

Foster said the program is "a recommendation type of thing and the final decision is left up to the businessperson."

Eustice said, "Most but not all clients are receptive to recommendations made by students."

David Bickford, owner of Dave's Cleaning Service, Bangor, was assisted by Husson students last year and said, "They introduced some advertising ideas and insurance protection policies, brought in some ideas I hadn't thought of and saved me a lot of money at the same time."

William Geiger, owner of the Natural Living Center, Brewer, said the students helped his business some but not phenomenally.

"A lot of it (management assistance techniques) we already knew but these things take money and time which we are short of and since the SBI program is free, it helped us out," Geiger said.

Eustice said, "Sometimes we save people a lot of money by keeping them out of business."

One such case involved Everett Pederson of Bangor who was interested in operating an air charter service.

Pederson said, "They (the Husson students) went out and researched the set up of the business venture finding employment and marketing problems. I learned a lot of points that I had not known and it would have cost me a lot of money."

Foster said the SBI is a good program from the SBA's point of view. "Students do some of the cases which eases our load and enables us to do 60 or 70 more indepth cases a year," he said.

Alumni President

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those of us who did attend felt that it was the beginning of something worthwhile.

My husband and I enjoyed attending the Senior Banquet of the Class of '83 the evening before graduation.

Alumni Board members and other helpful volunteers met on May 18 at the offices of N. H. Bragg and Sons and held our first fund-raising phonothon. We had fun, learned a lot, and earned some financial pledges for the College. Phonothons are now an ongoing part of the fund-raising process.

Director Greg Vermette supervised the organization of a Portland Alumni Chapter that elected James Milligan as its president. Unfortunately, a poor reservation response caused them to cancel their proposed President's Dinner in June, but they are still planning.

In September hard work paid off and a new LEDGER was mailed out. We now have a quarterly publication schedule planned. The Public Relations Committee of the Alumni Board of Directors is assisting Coordinator Trudy with this major project which I feel is a necessary communication with all of those alumni whose addresses we have in our computer.

We are attempting to stay in contact with as many alumni as possible. We have added names to our computer list and will appreciate any assistance that any of you can offer in helping us to update our records.

Our Board for 1982-83 was a diverse group who represented all eras from 1933 to 1982. The full Board meets at least four times a year, and the Committees meet between full Board meetings. Our next Board meeting is scheduled for 7:00 p.m. December 13, 1983, in the faculty dining room. All meetings are open to all alumni.

Holiday Plans

Plans are set for the annual Husson community Christmas celebration scheduled this year for December 10, in the Wigwam in Peabody Hall. This is the sixth year that President and Mrs. Delmont N. Merrill have hosted the seasonal affair for all Husson personnel, Trustees, Advisors and Friends of Husson College.

A large crowd is expected to attend the social gathering and enjoy hor d'ouevres, the music of Hal Wheeler Band, and Christmas cheer.

Medical Assistant Degree

With the increased demands upon members of the medical profession, physicians are turning to trained medical assistants for help in administering their offices and performing diagnostic and laboratory duties. Nearly every practicing physician today requires at least one medical assistant. More medical assistants are employed by practicing physicians than any other type of allied health personnel. Nationwide, the demand for well-trained medical assistants is growing.

Medical assistants, when prepared through completion of accredited educational programs, are specially trained generalists who assist the physician primarily in the office setting. The work of the medical assistant involves both administrative and clinical responsibilities. The ability to perform clinical tasks under the supervision of a physician, as well as significant administrative tasks, distinguishes the medical assistant from the medical secretary.

Husson College, in an effort to increase its offering in the allied health field, has developed a program of study leading toward an Associate in Science degree in Medical Assistant. Dr. Diane May, coordinator of the program, noted that the curriculum for the two-year program will include: Anatomy and physiology, Medical terminology, Medical law and ethics, Administrative procedures and Clinical procedures, and other courses.

Prior to graduation, students will participate in an externship consisting of 160 hours of off-campus work experience in several different types of medical offices.

Because of the solid educational background that Husson students will receive, Dr. May said she anticipates that graduates of the program will receive many job offers and will be able to enjoy steady, year-round occupations.

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Alumni Spotlight: Arthur McKenzie '48

by Clara L. Swan

Arthur "Ed" McKenzie '48

Known to some as Arthur and to most as "Ed," McKenzie is a well-known, much-admired, and highly-respected member of the Bangor-Brewer business community.

Ed graduated from Bangor High School, served in the U. S. Army during World War II and entered Husson at the end of the war.

While a student majoring in the Accounting and Auditing program, he distinguished himself academically. McKenzie married in 1947 while a student. All of his off-class time was spent working for Getchell Ice Co. in the office.

In 1951, McKenzie joined the Accounting Department of the Bangor Daily News. He continued "up the ladder" and was promoted to Office Manager, Assistant Treasurer and Business Manager.

Currently McKenzie is Vice President, General Manager, Treasurer and a member of the Board of Directors of the Bangor Publishing Company, publishers of the Bangor Daily News. Responsibility, knowledge of the business, and the ability to wear several hats on the job make Ed an exceptional employee.

Service to the greater Bangor community is one of McKenzie's avocations. He serves as a Trustee of Eastern Maine Medical Center, a Director of Eastern Maine Healthcare, and a Director and First Vice President of the greater Bangor Chamber of Commerce. He is also a Kiwanian and a very active member of the Columbia Street Baptist Church.

McKenzie has participated in several fund drives and has served on several Boards of Directors of greater Bangor charitable organizations. Recently he was the Chairman for the 1983 Annual Fund Drive of the Hospital Development Foundation of Eastern Maine.

McKenzie is married to the former Avis Brann and they are the parents of Stanley of Orono and Mary Lou Cronin of Dedham. They have one grandson, Ian A. McKenzie. They make their home in East Holden.

Ed has a quiet, unassuming personality and is a valued friend and colleague. He has distinguished himself in his quiet way in the greater Bangor community.

The alumni wish him continued success in his vocation and avocations. We consider Ed a distinguished Husson alumnus.



Arthur McKenzie
Class of '48



Mary Arell and Gertrude O'Farrell

About the Editors

Mary Arell was named to the position of Coordinator for Public Relations at Husson College early last summer. As Public Relations Coordinator, Mary's responsibilities are many and varied and they keep her quite busy.

Mary is the person responsible for putting out not only general news releases, but publications and brochures on the College as well, including the College catalog. She is the arranger of the well-known Husson Business Breakfast and helps coordinate the College's advertising efforts.

Mary works closely with the Alumni and Development offices and is Associate Editor of the **Husson Ledger.** She also edits the in-house newsletter, **The Husson Forum.** In addition, Mary acts as the sports information director for Husson College.

A Milton, Massachusetts native, Mary is a graduate of Boston College where she had a double major in English and Communications.

Mary worked as an on-air broadcaster for radio stations in Quincy and Brockton, Massachusetts. Her main responsibility at both stations was news reporting and broadcasting but she was also very active in each station's sports departments.

Mary most recently worked for four years as a personal aide to two Massachusetts state representatives at the State House in Boston and was involved in several successful political campaigns as well.

by Clara L. Swan

Gertrude O'Farrell, "Trudy" to the Alumni of Husson, was appointed to the position of Coordinator for Alumni Affairs last February.

Some of Trudy's goals in her new position are to organize an alumni network, to update the alumni records, and to establish a "hotline" of communication between the alumni and the College. She is responsible for editing the alumni newspaper, THE HUSSON LEDGER, and also works closely with the Director of Development in College fund-raising activities.

Alumni events under her direction include Homecoming, Alumni Presidential Dinners, and Chapter Development. She also works hand-in-hand with the Alumni Board of Directors and its several sub-committees.

O'Farrell is a familiar face to many at Husson since she first came to the College in June, 1981. She worked initially in the Graduate Studies Division. In September, 1981, she accepted responsibility to act as the Assistant to the Cultural Committee, which is funded by the Student Senate. Trudy helps the Committee negotiate fees, plan the budget, and schedule films, lectures, and the performing arts. Even with a busy alumni office schedule, she continues in her role with the Cultural Committee.

Trudy is a graduate of the University of Maine at Orono, with a Bachelor of Arts and a Master of Arts degrees, both with English literature majors. She graduated with high honors.

Husson's alumni are working with Trudy to assist her in meeting her goals. You're invited to drop in the Alumni Office, located in Peabody Hall, to visit and chat with her.

Welcome aboard, Trudy O'Farrell!

Seasons Greetings
from
Mary and Trudy

Merrill Elected President Of Higher Education Council

Husson College President Delmont Merrill was elected President of the Maine Higher Education Council during the organization's first meeting of the 1983-84 academic year held in September at the University of Maine at Orono.

Other officers elected for the year were: Wayne Ross of Southern Maine Vocational Technical Institute as Vice President and Anthony Santoro of St. Joseph's College as Secretary-Treasurer.

Paul Silverman of the University of Maine at Orono, Nelson Megna of Central Maine Vocational Technical Institute and Constance Carlson of the University of Maine at Presque Isle were selected to serve on the council's executive committee.

The Higher Education Council is comprised of the heads of all post-secondary educational institutions in Maine. Merrill described the council briefly as, "an opportunity for all presidents and chief executive officers of higher educational institutions in Maine to meet and discuss common problems."

Merrill, who previously served as the council's Vice President, offered his views on the goals and directions that the ten-year-old organization should pursue, "I believe now is the time to concentrate more fully on sharing resources and in restoring excellence in American education."

"I feel the Higher Education Council has a major role to play in addressing questions which have arisen regarding the process whereby out-of-state institutions are granted permission to offer programs within the state," Merrill noted, "and we have a committee studying this issue."

Husson Library Expands Scope

by Amy Averre

Who would believe a simulated hospital room would one day be a part of Husson's Library? With the advent of the nursing program, the need for such a laboratory becomes obvious. Besides traditional books and journals, nursing students need a place to practice the mechanics of patient care. Nursing education also relies on video to demonstrate basic procedures and on computer assisted instruction to simulate body processes. The Beginning Nursing Laboratory and the Learning Resource Center are part of the Library, and they reflect Husson's expanding scope.

Husson's Library serves not only the College community but the community at large as well. A computer terminal has been in the Library since late 1976. It is part of a computerized data base that stores information regarding holdings of about 3000 libraries. If Husson's Library doesn't have a certain book, the staff can easily locate it in another library. If a public library in Maine lacks a book in accounting or small business management, it could be borrowed from Husson.

"Good Old Days" for the Female in Sports?

by Pamala S. Hennessey

How often we find ourselves reflecting back to the "good old days" and "the way things use to be." In the field of athletics for the female, however, one would hardly be reflective about the "good old days" but would have to look rather to both the present and future for positive thoughts.

Athletics have always been heralded as a fine proving ground for our leaders of tomorrow. Secondary and post-secondary schools have spent much money in providing competition for a select few individuals because of the positive contribution these activities provide.

Unfortunately, these programs were largely reserved for the male participant. It seems indeed unfair to hold any activities in such high esteem only to deny half the population the opportunity to participate. Yet, this happened and, like many other unfortunate situations, it took many a year to rectify the injustices.

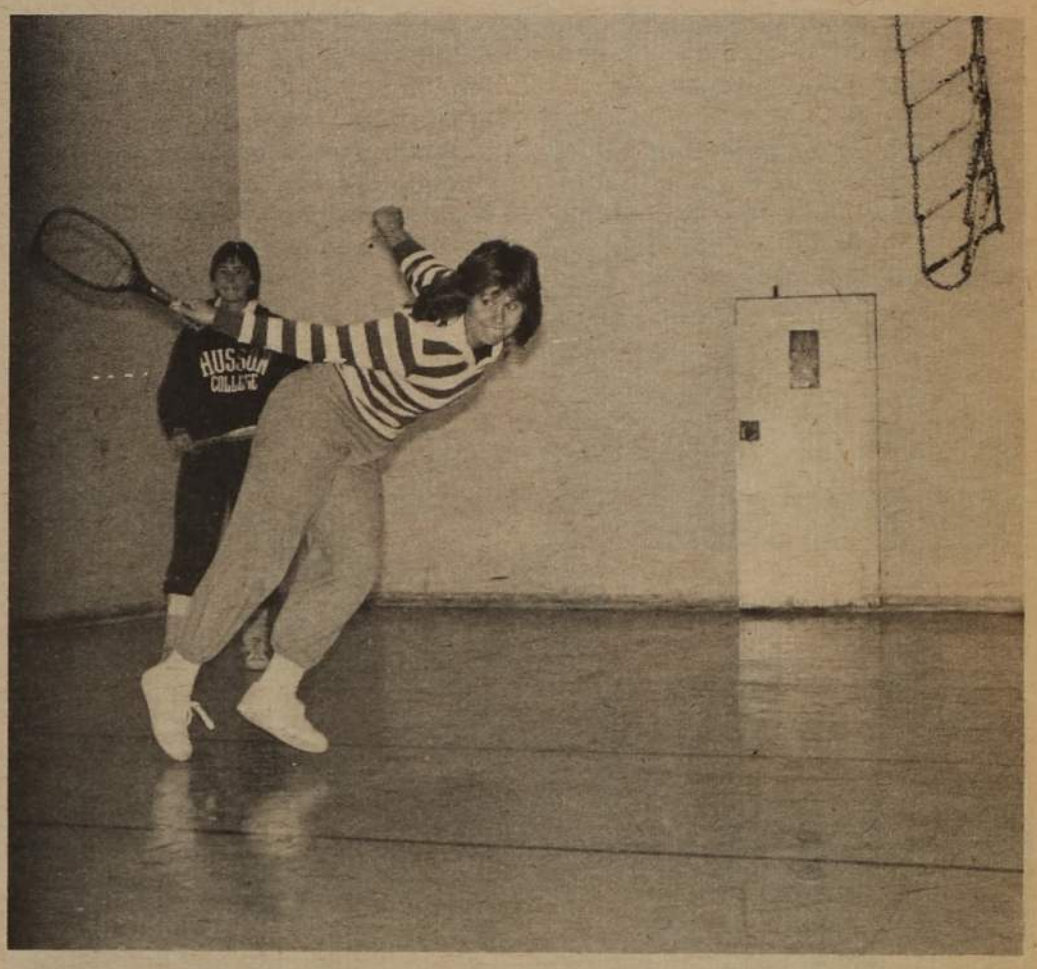


The birth of Title IX Legislation was inevitable and much overdue. This legislation mandated that all secondary and post-secondary institutions receiving federal funds provide equal opportunity for participation in athletics for the male and female. Thus the groundwork for change was laid, and new approaches for women in athletics became obvious (Coakley, 1982).

Although Title IX has been given much credit for the evolution of women in sports, the sociological changes occurring in our society were equally conducive to advancement. Suddenly, it was acceptable for women to be fit, to perspire and to exhibit signs of being aggressive and competitive. Historically, women partaking in athletics were often classified as social misfits; suddenly the reversal was taking place. Those long standing misconceptions about the negative aspects of sports for women were dispelled, and the values of athletic participation were lauded.

Yet another reason for the increase in sports participation by girls is the appearance of a gender model with which to identify. It has become apparent that the women's role has expanded to include active participation in sports programs.

The revolution of the female in athletics brought with it an increase in the number of women's sports at both the secondary and collegiate levels. In 1970-71, approximately 7% of high school athletes were female (Uhlir, 1983). By 1980-81, however, according to the National Federation State High School Association, nearly 35% of all high school athletes were female (Ebony, 1982). Currently in colleges, about 30% of athletes are women. Whereas in the early 1970's the figures were approximately 16%. Inevitably, more females will opt to become involved, and the 80's will continue to be a most important decade for growth of women in sports.



One of the offshoots of this rapid growth is the sudden increase in the need for qualified coaches and umpires for women's sports. Hopefully, women will rise to the occasion and provide some of the necessary leadership and direction. This is a

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BASKETBALL
1983-1984 Schedule

MEN'S		WOMEN'S	
December		**December**	
3 Paul Bunyan Tournament	H 6:30 & 8:30 p.m.	3 Thomas College	A 1:00 p.m.
4 Paul Bunyan Tournament	H 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.	7 Colby College	H 5:30 p.m.
7 Colby College	H 7:30 p.m.	9 University of Maine/Presque Isle	A 6:00 p.m.
9 Franklin Pierce Tournament	A 6:30 & 8:30 p.m.	12 St. Joseph's College, ME	A 7:00 p.m.
10 Franklin Pierce Tournament	A 1:00 & 3:00 p.m.	13 University of Maine/Machias	H 5:00 p.m.
13 University of Maine/Machias	H 7:00 p.m.		
15 University of Maine/Farmington	H 7:30 p.m.		
January		**January**	
6 Colby Invitational Tournament	A TBA	16 University of Maine/Orono	A 5:30 p.m.
7 Colby Invitational Tournament	A TBA	19 University of New England	A 6:00 p.m.
19 University of New England	A 8:00 p.m.	21 University of Maine/Presque Isle Tournament	A 3:00 p.m.
21 University of Southern Maine	H 7:30 p.m.	22 University of Maine/Presque Isle Tournament	A 10:00 a.m.
24 St. Joseph's College, ME	H 7:30 p.m.	26 University of Southern Maine	A 5:30 p.m.
26 University of Southern Maine	A 7:30 p.m.	28 Husson Tournament	H 1:30-3:30 p.m.
28 Husson Tournament	H 5:30 & 7:30 p.m.	29 Husson Tournament	H 10:00-12:00 p.m.
29 Husson Tournament	H 2:00 & 4:00 p.m.		
February		**February**	
1 University of Maine/Machias	A 7:00 p.m.	1 University of Maine/Machias	A 5:00 p.m.
4 Lyndon College	A 8:00 p.m.	4 University of Maine/Farmington	A 2:00 p.m.
5 Johnson College	A 1:00 p.m.	6 Thomas College	H 7:00 p.m.
7 University of Maine/Farmington	A 7:30 p.m.	10 St. Joseph's College, ME	H 5:30 p.m.
9 Thomas College	H 7:30 p.m.	11 University of Maine/Farmington	H 3:00 p.m.
14 University of New England	H 8:00 p.m.	14 University of New England	H 6:00 p.m.
17 University of Maine/Presque Isle	A 7:00 p.m.	18 Green Mountain College, VT.	H 7:30 p.m.
21 University of Maine/Fort Kent	H 7:30 p.m.	23 Bowdoin College	H 7:00 p.m.
24 Thomas College	A 7:30 p.m.		

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"Good Old Days?"

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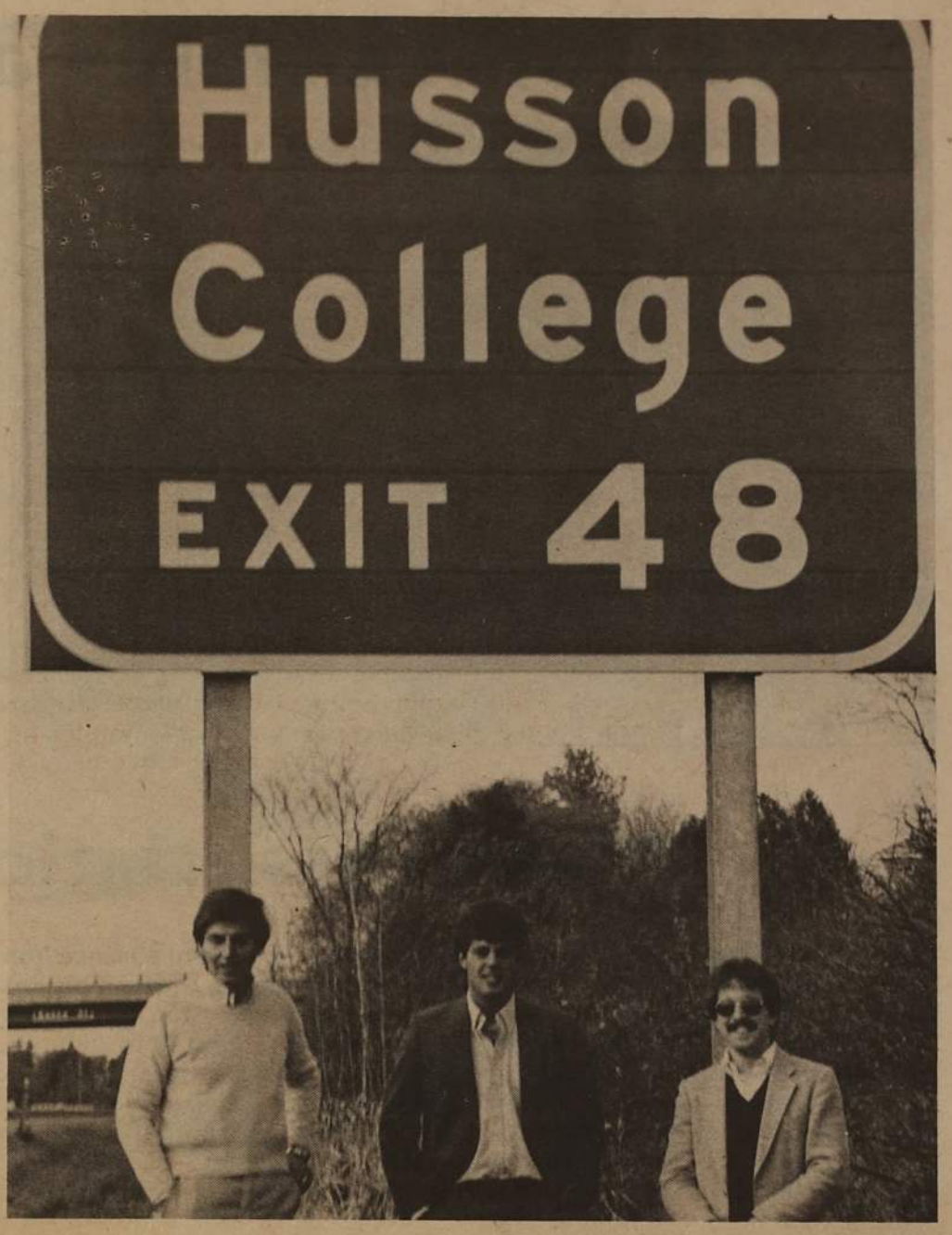
challenge to the professional preparation of college curriculums. At a time when female participation is soaring, it would be indeed tragic to have all leadership be under the auspices of the male model.

In addition to the traditional approach of organized athletic participation for women, innovative programs for the female have sky rocketed (including the booms in racket sports, aerobics, fitness, and weight training among others). It is fashionable to be fit and female. With this, comes more involvement of women in physical activity. As the craze for being "thin" gains in popularity, more and more women become involved with ventures such as fitness studios and racquetball clubs. Let us hope that these undertakings occur for correct reasons, one being a love for activity.

Let us also hope that the trend of participation and involvement in sports by the female continues to grow. Then, perhaps future generations of women will be able to reflect about the "good old days" of sports involvement as men have done for so long a time.

Pamala is currently a Professor with Husson's Department of Business Administration. Formerly, she was the College's Head Women's Basketball Coach, Softball Coach, and Co-Director of Athletics in charge of women's sports at Husson. Ms. Hennessey has published several articles relating to sports involvement by women.

Ed.



New Highway Signs

Have you noticed the new highway signs on Interstate 95 in Bangor? They are hard to miss! The signs, noting the exit for Husson College, were placed on both the northbound and southbound sides of the interstate. The signs were the result of the efforts of many individuals including State Representative John Diamond (D-Bangor), former Student Government President Robert Winskowicz, class of '83, and current President Kevin Pelletier, who will graduate next May.

Sports Information

A newsy letter from Dick Morgrage '46 contained some interesting sports information— the former Maine School of Commerce had a six-man football team in 1939. According to Dick, "to the best of my knowledge, we played the first 6-man game played in the United States. The game was played in...Castine, Maine, against what was then the Eastern State Normal School (now Maine Maritime Academy). We played one more game on the fairgrounds in Presque Isle against the Aroostook State Normal School. I believe it is now the University of Maine at Presque Isle. Our coach was a Mr. Bernard Deering."

Dick also wrote about the College's hockey team. "Our coach was the late Owen Osbourne who wrote 'Speaking of Sports' for the BANGOR DAILY NEWS. We traveled in a 1939 Dodge Station Wagon with room enough for 6 players, the coach and our gear. As you can see, we did not have the substitute lines available that teams have today. Penalties gave us a rest! We played teams such as John Bapst, Camden, Rockland, Hebron and Canton...All the rinks were out of doors, except at Hebron where the rink was in a covered building but had natural ice. We had one rink on outer Hammond Street off Elizabeth Avenue and one on Kenduskeag Stream above the old Morse's Mill."

Dick lives at 18 White Street in Topsham, Maine, and would love to hear from old friends.

Continuing Education

The Continuing Education and Extension Division receives calls and letters from former Husson students who have never quite completed their degrees. The Co-Directors, Lindon Chrisite, Jr. and Harold Mailman, are always eager to help a former student obtain his Husson degree. The options are excellent with five College on Saturday sites located in South Portland, Lewiston, Rumford, Ellsworth, East Millnocket, College at Loring on Loring Air Force Base, and the Bangor Evening Division.

Call the toll-free number 1-800-432-7335. Ask how you can complete a degree program.

1983-84 Spirit of Growth

This past year has been an exciting one for Husson College. New programs and projects have helped boost our growth even beyond our expectations.

Invest in the future of our students by making a donation to the 1983-84 Annual Fund. Our business courses have always had an excellent reputation. We fully expect our new programs to be equally successful.

We are indeed proud of our record of achievement. Our graduates continue to do exceptionally well.

Your tax-deductible gift will enable Husson to continue offering high quality educational opportunities to its students.

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1983 Homecoming and Parents' Weekend

Over two hundred alumni and parents of currently enrolled students converged on the Husson campus for the Annual Homecoming/Parent's weekend, October 14 and 15. Some alumni travelled from as far away as California for an opportunity to enjoy Homecoming activities with old friends.

The fun started on Friday evening with a Wine and Cheese Reception in the Wigwam in Peabody Hall. Many stayed until late into the night sharing stories of "the good old days."

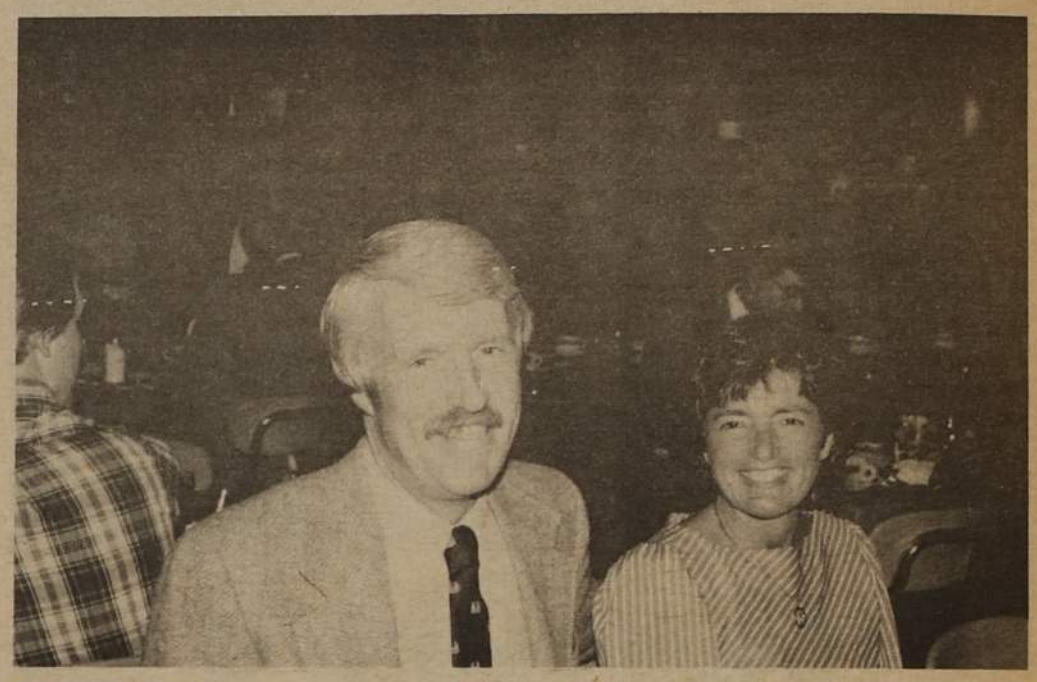
A large crowd enjoyed a chicken barbecue luncheon midday on Saturday following a morning of tours of the campus and discussions of the many exciting developments at the College. Several alumni and parents were impressed by the College's Computer Center and Nursing Program Learning Resource Center.

The highlight of the weekend was the very well-attended awards' ceremony, dinner and dance with music provided by the popular group "Nashville Run."

At the end of the busy and enjoyable weekend, several remarked that they are already looking forward to next year's Homecoming.

FOR PARENTS

If this issue of the Ledger is addressed to your son or daughter who no longer maintains permanent residence at your home, please notify the Alumni Office of the correct mailing address. Thank you.—Ed.



Alumni Association's Annual Awards

Keynoting the weekend's activities at the 1983 Homecoming/Parents' Weekend on October 14 and 15 was the presentation of the Alumni Association's annual awards. Five individuals were awarded honorary memberships in the Alumni Association in recognition of their outstanding contributions in the fields of accounting, athletics, business education, business administration, and office administration. Other special presentations included the service award, outstanding alumnus award, two special recognition awards, and several lighthearted awards.

Shirley Klimavicz Richard '48 and '55, current president of Husson's Alumni Association, received the Outstanding Alumnus Award. Husson President Delmont N. Merrill, who is both an alumnus and the recipient of the 1980 Outstanding Alumnus Award, cited some of Mrs. Richards' accomplishments as he presented the award. He noted her recent appointment by Governor Brennan to Maine's state board of education, her years of teaching English at Madison High School, and her involvement in many volunteer activities, including first vice president, Maine's Federation of Women's Clubs; secretary and trustee, Madison Public Library; delegate, Women's Legislative Council; chair, Maine Literary Map Committee; past president and honorary life member, Maine Council of English Language Arts. Mrs. Richard has also acted as a biographical author, language consultant, editor, and collator on various literary projects.

The Service Award was presented to Edmond Lebrun, who retired last summer from Husson's Business Administration faculty after 25 years of service to the College. Mr. Lebrun's area of specialization was investments.

Honorary award recipients were Nancy J. Adams, treasurer of an equipment rental center in Brewer, the office administration award; Mildred Bickford, former head of the business department at Lewiston High School and current part-time faculty member at Central Maine Vocational Technical Institute, the business education award; Vincent L. McKusick, Chief Justice of the Maine Supreme Court, the business administration award; Peter Westort, presently on a leave of absence from Thomas College to work on his doctorate in Oregon, the accounting award; and Dr. John W. Winkin, Jr., lecturer in physical education and head baseball coach at the University of Maine at Orono, the athletics award.

Judith McQuarrie Southard '60, a director on Husson's Alumni Association, and her husband Richard Southard '62 shared a special award in recognition of their loyalty to their alma mater by attending 25 consecutive Homecomings. Both are very active in the local Bangor alumni chapter of which Ms. Southard is the current president.

Lise Morrow '81 and '83, who formerly worked with the Alumni and Development offices before accepting a position in Senator William Cohen's Washington D.C. office, was also honored with a special recognition award for her dedication and commitment to Husson's alumni and their goals.

Lighthearted awards were also given. The Class of 1948 had the largest number attending Homecoming. Bob Elderkin '48 from Hemet, California travelled the farthest to attend. Clara Swan '33 and Mary Jules Ross '33 were members of the earliest class attending.

The honored reunion classes were the Class of '33, 50 years; the Class of '48, 25 years; and the Class of '73, 10 years.

The Alumni Board's officers, directors, and Homecoming Committee were introduced briefly, and their efforts in organizing the weekend's activities acknowledged.



Award Recipient
Vincent McKusick



Award Recipient
Nancy Adams



Award Recipient
Mildred Bickford



Award Recipient
John Winkin, Jr.



Award Recipient
Edmond Lebrun



Award Recipient
Shirley K. Richard





Homecoming Faces









Class Notes

1930's

1933 **Marion McKenzie Barrows** is recovering from illness at her home in Marston Hills, Massachusetts. Marion and her husband, Cliff, are retired. She had previously worked for the Lexington Lumber Company in Lexington, Massachusetts. We wish her a speedy recovery.

1940's

1945 **Hazel Day Ellingwood** and her husband, **Herbert,** from the Class of 1948, were home in Union for a week last summer when they attended the Day's family reunion. Their two daughters are grown up "gals" now and doing exceptionally well in their chosen fields. Hazel and Herb are retired and make their home in Coral Springs, Florida.

1950's

1956 **Arthur Comstock** has been elected President of the Northeast Bank & Trust Co. in Bangor. Arthur had been president, chief executive officer and chairman of the board of Northeast Bank of Millinocket prior to his election.

1960's

1962 **Bernice Ross Emery** and her husband, **William,** from the Class of 1968, spent a portion of their summer vacation at Jenkins Beach, Green Lake. The couple have two children, a son and a daughter. If you see Clara Swan sporting a "Detroit Tiger" cap, remember that Chris brought it to her from Michigan.

1962 **Dell Renaud,** head of Business Teacher Education at Husson, has been busy with many professional activities recently. In June, Dell provided on-site review of Plymouth State College's proposed new options in Business Education. She served as the external reviewer/evaluator for the New Hampshire state approval of the new options.

In July, Dell served as the Sessions Coordinator at the Professional Business Teachers Institute at UMM. One session focused on "Keyboarding in the Elementary Schools."

In October, Dell served as a workshop participant at the Eastern Business Education Association Convention in Boston. The workshop was entitled, "Student Teaching Practicum: Before, During and After."

1963 **Leo M. Loiselle** has been named by Maine's Governor Joseph E. Brennan to the New Finance Authority of Maine. Leo is a certified public accountant.

1968 **John P. Thayer** has been promoted to loan officer of Maine National Bank. John joined Merchants National in 1970 and has served as the bank's East Corinth branch manager since 1976. He is the current treasurer of the Salvation Army/Corinth division.

1969 **Eugene R. Davis** has been named account manager for Ocean Coast Properties which operates WPOR AM/FM in Portland and WFEA in Manchester, NH.

1970's

1971 **Nancy Stawicki Bloom** is teaching on the secondary level in Franklin, Massachusetts. She first joined the school's teaching staff 12 years ago. One evening a week, she also teaches at Dean Junior College. She is currently working with publishers on producing a word processing practice set. She and her husband, John, are building a home on Cape Cod.

1972 **Robin J. Scribner** reports that she is working overseas for the next two years conducting research in Saudi Arabia. She writes, "this is an exciting and wonderful opportunity for me to work on medical research in a foreign environment." She'd love to hear from friends and alumni. Robin's address is King Faisal Specialist Hospital, P.O. Box 3354, Riyadh 11211, Kingdom of Saudia Arabia.

1974 **Victor W. Sterne** has been awarded the Associate in Risk Management designation and diploma by the Insurance Institute of America for successfully completing three national examinations which test the person's knowledge of risk management, loss control, and loss financing principles and practices.

NEW ADDRESS?

If you are moving, have moved, or if you know of alumni who are not receiving mail from the Alumni Office, please notify us of the correct mailing address.

Mr. Sterne is an account executive in Los Angeles for ESIS, a CIGNA Corporation Company.

1974 **Jean McCabe Collins** is now living in Portland with her husband, Frank, and daughter, Kaylee Lynn.

1976 **Ralph Ferland** has recently been appointed Chief Accountant for Bar Harbor Airlines in Bangor.

1976 **Vickie Spraque Bence** is expecting her first baby in November. She is living in Ellsworth.

1977 **Joseph G. Parker** writes that he recently received his MBA from the University of Nebraska at Omaha. He is currently employed as the Business Manager of Wayne State College in Nebraska.

1977 **Donna Morrison L'Heureux** is busy working on her Bachelor's Degree in Math at the University of Maine-Portland. She also works transcribing for Cindy Harvey (Court Reporter '77).

1977 **Charles Coffin** is currently employed as Business Manager for the Millinocket School Department and enjoys his work very much.

1977 **Elizabeth Dinsmore** is now living in Millinocket with her husband and four year old daughter, Katie.

1977 **Amy Freese Benoit** is now living in South Portland with her husband and one year old daughter, Julie Elizabeth. Amy is busy editing a medical publication for Maine Medical Center and also types at home for two physicians.

1977 **Lynn Grinnell Gerrish** is very busy taking care of her two children, Lance, 3, and Alicia, 1. She is also holding down a full time job.

1980's

1980 **Kermit Neal** received his Air Force pilot's wings in August. Kermit, who is currently stationed at Castle Air Force Base in California, reports that he "enjoys his job." Beginning next February, he will be flying RC-135 aircraft at Offut Air Force Base in Nebraska.

1981 **Eleanor Horner,** Director for Special Services at Husson, attended the pre-application workshop for Title IV funds in October, 1983. The workshop was held at Columbia University in New York.

1982 **Joe LaChance** MSB has been elected assistant treasurer of Northeast Bank of Bangor. He and his wife, Mary, reside in East Holden.

1983 **Evelyn Lutz** has joined the Husson staff as Assistant to the Director for Financial Aid. Evelyn is a resident of Hermon. She reports that she is an active member of Toastmaster International and is currently serving as Area Governor. Her hobbies include gardening, reading, and playing the organ.



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From The Editors: Can you further identify the following people?
Standing: Chris; Tillie; Horse, Sr.; Horse, Jr.; Millie; Coach; Tsh.
Seated: Jig-o-the-Week Riley; Ellie; Ducky; Pluto; Willie; Minnie.

In Memoriam:

1932	Joseph James Ferry
1939	John W. Danforth
1951	Beulah A. Oakes
1956	Albert Gifford Lewis

Husson Trustees Elect Officers At Annual Business Meeting

Bangor businessman Douglas H. Brown was re-elected Chairman of the Husson College Board of Trustees at the board's annual business meeting on Friday, October 21. Retired educator Francis Sprague of Winterport was re-elected as Vice-chairman.

Brown, a member of the Husson board since 1979, is President of Doug's Shop 'n Save Supermarkets. A native of South Portland, Brown is active in a variety of Bangor area organizations and currently serves as Chairman of the Board of Eastern Maine Medical Center, also Chairman of the Board of the Training and Development Corporation, and Chairman of the Bangor Center Development Corp.

Sprague is the retired director of Eastern Maine Vocational Technical Institute. He has served on the Husson board since 1980.

Seven Husson Trustees were re-elected to three year terms. They are: Sprague; James B. Coffey, Vice-President of Eastern Maine Healthcare of Bangor; Dr. Arthur M. Johnson, A. and A. Bird Professor of History at the University of Maine at Orono; Norman S. Kominsky, General Manager of the Striar Textile Mills of Bangor; Frederick H. Sontag, Public Affairs Research and Public Affairs Consultant of South Orange, New Jersey; Malcolm S. Stevenson, an Ellsworth attorney; and Walter E. Travis, President of the Bangor and Aroostook Railroad Company of Bangor.

Portland businessman Richard F. Dyke was elected to a three-year term on the Husson board. Dyke previously served fourteen years as a Husson Trustee including three years as Chairman of the Board.

In other business, the board voted to grant tenure to two Husson faculty members. They are: Mr. Robert Goodwin of Brewer, an Associate Professor in the Department of Business Administration; and Dr. Diane May of Orono, an Associate Professor in the Division of Liberal Studies. The board approved the promotion of Assistant Professor Dewey W. Martin of Hampden to Associate Professor in the Department of Accounting and Finance.

Husson College Alumni Eligible For Lifelong Career Counseling

Husson College alumni can continue to receive lifelong, career counseling services at any time says Caroline Banasiak, Director of Career Counseling.

"We have a commitment to students and alumni to provide all the services that we can," she said.

The Office of Career Counseling provides free services in referrals and placement. Established credential files are also maintained as long as they are periodically updated.

Banasiak noted that alumni are welcome to use the career resource library and they are encouraged to take advantage of the on-campus recruiting program. She advised, however, that the representatives from government, business and industry who visit Husson annually to interview candidates are generally interviewing for entry-level positions.

With the combination of recent graduates and those within five to ten years of graduation, the Career Counseling Office provides advice and service to 100 to 150 alumni a year.

HUSSON COLLEGE ALUMNI ASSOCIATION OFFICERS AND BOARD MEMBERS 1983-1984

President	Shirley K. Richard '55
1st Vice President	Clara L. Swan '33
2nd Vice President	Richard Newcomb '80
Treasurer/Secretary	Kay G. Brugman '57

Board Members

Theodore Barber '50	Eugene Nardi '63
Benjamin Blodget '56	Dorothy Picard '54
William J. Collins '78	James Picard '61
Charles "Ned" Foster '71	Dolores Renaud '62
Lisa Collins Hotham '77	Lawrence D. Stanchfield '56
James Mallar '72	Virginia R. Tibbitts '79
Sandra Mansfield '78	Greg P. Vermette '74
Louie Morelli '50	Dexter Wilson '72

Ex-Officio

Delmont N. Merrill '54 — President, Husson College

Ralph Bickford '56	Laurence E. Richard '56
James Milligan '75	Robert Thompson '76
Judy McQuarrie Southard '60	

Members At Large

Saiful Huda '82	Ken Moors '66
Stephen Mitchell '69	

Chapter Notes



Bangor Chapter President Judy McQuarrie Southard meets with a fellow alumnus Delmont N. Merrill, Husson's President.

Bangor Alumni Chapter

As President of the Bangor Alumni Chapter, I'd like to talk to you about Your Chapter and its needs: *IT NEEDS YOU!!*

During the past year, we have been in the process of rebuilding a team: a team with a common mission, a team with a common location.

We now have Husson Alumni Chapters in Presque Isle with President Robert Thompson, in Portland with President James Milligan, in Bangor with President Judy McQuarrie Southard, and in Waterville with President Ralph Bickford.

Webster's Dictionary gives us two definitions of the word "TEAM." The first is, "a number of persons associated in some joint action." (Means not solo!) The second is, "one of the sides in a contest."

I associate contest with competition: we are involved in a contest, and that contest and competition involve productivity, profitability, excellence, and quality.

It also includes our being involved in a challenging and exciting arena. This arena provides us with an opportunity to do something—not to defeat a competitor but to defeat our own track record. We have a chance to surpass ourselves in excellence and to place a motivating sense and purpose into a cooperative effort.

OUR TEAM, OUR CHAPTER—OUR ALUMNI OF HUSSON COLLEGE, HAVE JOINED TOGETHER TO HAVE OUR TEAM!!

NOW, WE NEED *YOU* TO KEEP OUR TEAM GOING.

If you were to volunteer some of your time to us, we could be a winning, high-performing Chapter with more than enough potential, capacity, and ability to become larger and greater.

- We need you to offer us your talents. (We'll utilize them.)
- We need you to give us your strength. (We'll need it.)
- We need you to teach us your skills. (We learn quickly.)
- We need your expertise. (We'll utilize these too.)
- We need personalities commited to team success and failure resistance. (We need your time.)

HUSSON ALUMNI HAVE THEIR TEAM—YOU

In closing, let me quote General Patten:

"Never tell a man how to do his job. Tell him what it is you want him to accomplish and then get out of his way."

Please contact me at 989-5290 (home) or 947-8341 (work).

Judy

Judy McQuarrie Southard
President, Bangor Husson Alumni Chapter

Portland Alumni

The Portland Alumni Association needs an active Alumni base to organize its efforts. Greg Vermette and I have attempted to get things started, but we desperately need your active participation. If you are willing to help in formulating a Southern Maine Chapter, please write or call Greg Vermette, the Alumni Office at Husson, or me.

Send us your suggestions and ideas. Of course, please give us your current address if you wish to be included in any mailings.

Greg and I certainly appreciate your efforts, and I know the College is grateful.

Jim Milligan
P.O. Box 307
Libby Rd.
Scarborough, Maine 04074

Husson Goes Western

(For a Day)





Resident Students were treated to a real Western Style dinner in Dickerman Dining Commons this fall, compliments of the Husson College Food Service under the direction of Richard Kitchen and Earle Manship.

The Western menu featured: steak, Mexican corn, sweet potatoes, hominy grits, Texas hash, chili and beans, & barbecued spare ribs, and, of course, dessert.

Items were served from buffet tables which were decorated to resemble covered wagons. There were horses (the cardboard variety) on hand as well!





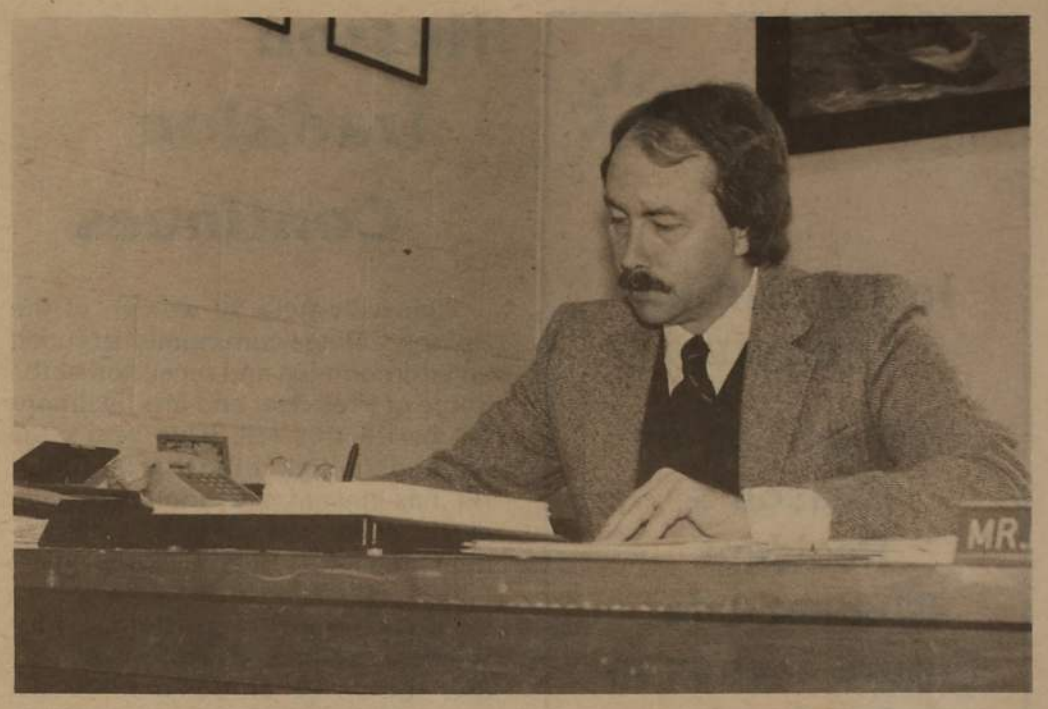




Alumni Supervision Of Co-Op Students

As a Husson Alumnus have you ever thought of participating in the education of an undergraduate student? How, you ask, is this possible? Since 1975 Husson College has offered all degree students a Cooperative Education option. This educational program involves a supervised part- or full-time work experience which relates to the student's career interests or academic program. The Cooperative Education courses center upon the value of work as a learning activity outside the traditional on-campus classroom. As a Cooperative Education employer, the participating company has the opportunity to bring a student aboard in an entry-level position and carefully screen performance before making the decision to hire permanently. Co-op experiences offer both employers and students the opportunity to evaluate their compatibility.

Presently there are three variations of work experience schedules that are available for Co-op employer implementation. The parallel schedule involves students who are employed on a part-time basis (usually with a greater Bangor area employer) during the fall and spring semesters. The Co-op student maintains a full academic schedule with four classroom courses and Co-op as the fifth course. Employers may hire a Co-op student to meet a seasonal personnel need or to complete a specific project.



Robert Thomas

On a second type of work experience schedule, the Co-op student may alternate employment and academic study. This program is characteristic of the management accounting three phase work experience offered by L. L. Bean, Inc. In each phase the Co-op student is employed on a full-time basis in a different department. During this past summer a Co-op student worked in the accounting department and was supervised by Stephen Hewitt '72. In the next full-time phase in the spring semester, the Co-op student will advance to a training position in the internal auditing department. The third phase will consist of working on special accounting projects for the controller. This alternating schedule provides the student with a minimum of twelve months' work experience before graduation and provides L. L. Bean with the opportunity to carefully screen Accounting students under realistic conditions.

The final variation of work experience schedule is the summer internship in which the Co-op student is employed during the summer on a full-time basis. During this past summer's internship, Roger LaGasse '72, Finance Director at the Northern Maine Medical Center, supervised an accounting Co-op student. This was the second consecutive summer for the Medical Center as a Co-op employer. The student participated extensively in the conversion to a new IBM computer system and was able to contribute knowledge of Data Processing learned in the classroom.

The Cooperative Education has been administered since 1977 by Mr. Robert H. Thomas, who has over fifteen years' experience in work experience internship programs. "Cooperative Education is a pre-management development program for companies that firmly believe that staffing is vital for future growth and profit," states Mr. Thomas. "Further, established in 1906, Co-op is a time-proven, cost-effective method of increasing worker productivity while contributing to the education of a college student," he concluded.

If any alumnus or any company's personnel director would like to discuss specific benefits of employing a Co-op student, contact Mr. Thomas at 947-1121, Ext. 246 to arrange a personal visit. Participation in a Co-op program can be a worthwhile way to assist Husson in the career training of an undergraduate student while at the same time benefiting an employer.

Library Continues to Expand To Suit a Growing College

by Amy Averre

A returning visitor to Husson College will notice several differences in the physical appearance of the Library. Carpeting now covers public service areas. The old copier has been replaced by a more efficient model. The staff moved some special collections to more prominent locations and added directional signs. Less obvious changes in certain in-house procedures have resulted in speedier delivery of periodicals and easier access to pamphlets. These physical and procedural changes are part of our continuing efforts to enhance access to materials and to promote an environment conducive to academic study.

One aspect of the Library has not changed. Its primary purpose still is to collect, maintain, and distribute materials that support the curriculum and other educational endeavors of the college community. Important auxiliary functions include teaching library skills, supporting faculty research, and supplying recreational reading. The librarians take these responsibilities seriously and so keep abreast not only of curriculum developments on campus, but also of trends with library science. As Husson has grown from a business college to include other professional studies, so too has the Library grown. New areas of study are re-defining what is coming under the Library's purview. As a result, it is expanding in size and scope.

Wishing

You & Yours

A Joyous

Holiday Season

— The Husson Ledger Staff

NSRA Exams Held at Husson For the First Time This Year

The biyearly national examinations sponsored by the National Shorthand Reporters Association were held at Husson College on Saturday, November 5, 1983 for the first time in the college's history. Husson Court and Conference Reporting Instructor Cynthia Hermida says the two exams, the Registered Professional Reporter exam and the Certificate of Merit exam, are offered through the Maine Shorthand Reporters Association.

According to Hermida, because the national exams were held at Husson, this year's seniors had the opportunity to take the exams at lower cost and with fewer travel concerns. The exams are offered at only one location in each state and, in the past, the exams were offered in Portland.

Hermida, who is a member of both the national and state associations, notes that licensing is not mandatory in Maine; however, several other states require licensing. "It is important that the students take the exams near the completion of their programs of study because their skills and speed are at the best at that time," said Hermida.

Husson is the only college in Maine offering the three-year Associate in Science degree in Court and Conference Reporting and the four-year Bachelor of Science degree in Office Administration with a concentration in Court and Conference Reporting.

Hermida says that, contrary to popular belief, shorthand reporters do not work only in the court system, "Seventy-five percent of the shorthand reporters in Maine are freelancers working in the Portland, Augusta, Bangor, and Ellsworth areas," said Hermida, "and many freelancers earn over $20,000 dollars a year.

In Upcoming Ledgers:

Information on Husson's Resident Student Life, Future Trends in Academic Data Processing, and more.

Husson Tradition Continues

Approximately 50 women of the Husson College community attended an afternoon tea and reception at the home of President and Mrs. Delmont N. Merrill this fall. This year's tea marked the sixth time that Mrs. Merrill has hosted the annual tea, an event which was initiated by President and Mrs. Husson many years ago.

"The teas are an excellent way for the women staff and faculty members and the wives of the men to get together and meet newcomers to the College," Mrs. Merrill said.

Present at the reception were women members of the Husson faculty and staff, Board members and the wives of Trustees, Advisors and staff members.

Pouring this year were Mrs. Caroline Banasiak, Director for Career Planning, and Mrs. Elizabeth O'Donnell, wife of Dr. Bruce O'Donnell, Dean for Student Affairs.



Pictured left to right are: Mrs. Caroline Banasiak, Director of Career Planning; Mrs. Betty Merrill, wife of Husson College President Delmont N. Merrill; and Mrs. Margene Fennell, wife of Husson College Vice-President and Academic Dean Dr. Jay L. Fennell.



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The group pictured above was very important to the College fraternity, Mu Sigma Chi. Do you know why? Look for the answer in future issues!