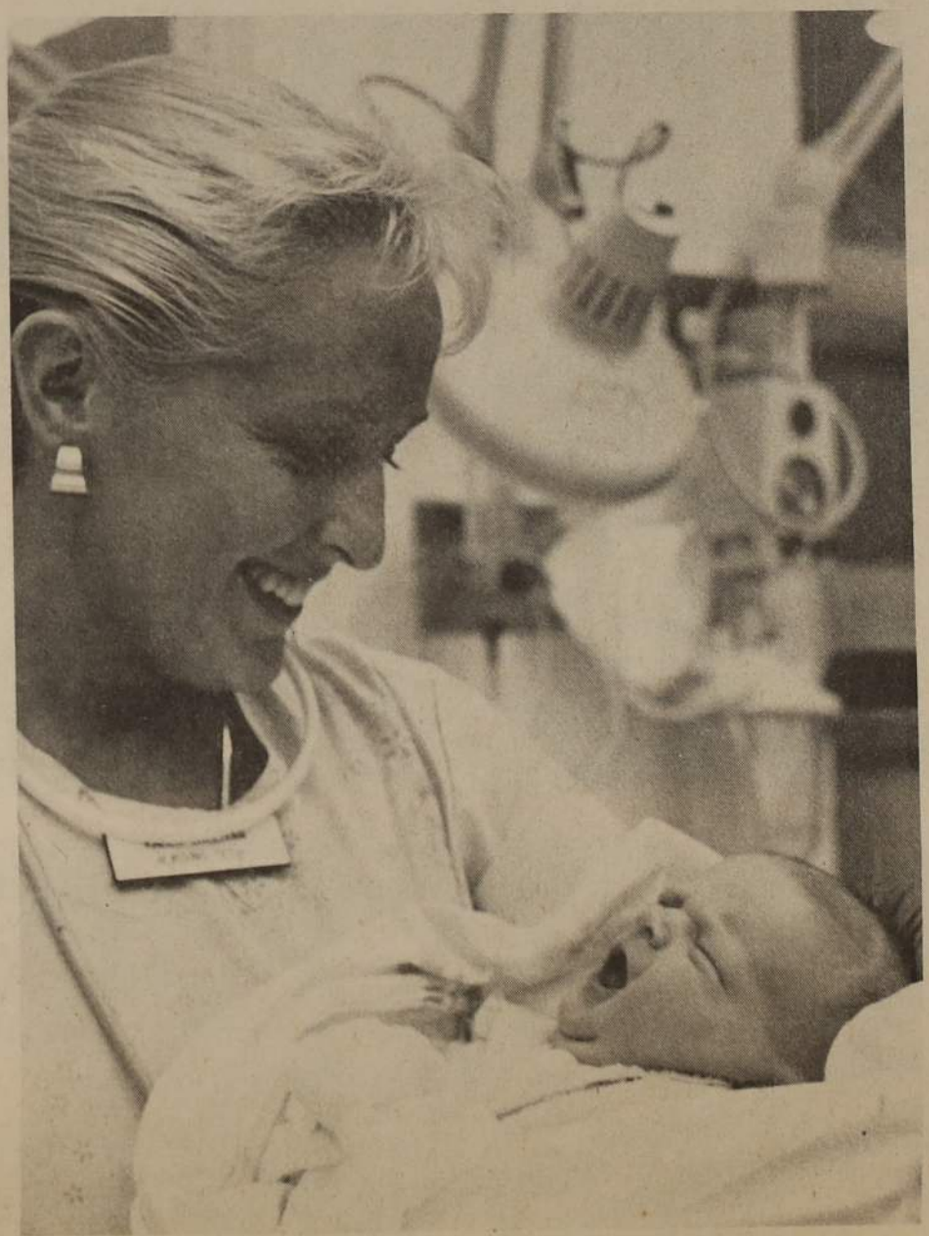
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Nursing Students Learn From "Real World" Internships



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Congresswoman Snowe predicts Husson grads will see changing world economy

by Steve Eaton
Ledger Editor

Congresswoman Olympia J. Snowe told Husson graduates last May that they would be facing a changing global economy where "we don't write all the rules any more," but she said students at Husson have gained a "tremendous foundation" for meeting the challenges ahead.

Snowe spoke before 1,200 people at Husson's 89th commencement exercises. There were 272 students graduating from Husson this year.

"Your careers will begin ... in an American economy that is more inter-woven with the world economy than ever before," Snowe said. "The competition you will face will not just come from Portland or New York or Los Angeles, but from Tokyo, Taipei and Bonn."

Snowe cited two steps toward improving the United State's ability to compete internationally. "First is for us to start thinking globally ... American businesses and government haven't made an aggressive effort to export our products," she said.

"The second most critical step is to reduce the federal budget deficit, the $176 billion anchor on our economy, which has helped



Congresswoman Olympia Snowe gave this year's commencement address.

make us a net debtor nation over the past three years."

Snowe then talked of the need for child care, explaining that six out of every ten new workers entering the work force by the end of this century will be female.

"There is a void in our society which undercuts the ability of both husbands and wives to work to the greatest reach of their capabilities — the glaring lack of affordable, quality child care in America," she said.

Snowe also said the fight against drug abuse can only be won at home.

"It will be by individual decisions that the United States will make headway against the destructive and debilitating effect of drug use in our country," she said.

President William H. Beardsley delivered an optimistic address telling the students the only limits set on them "are the limits set by yourselves."

"It is a good time to be alive," he said, "the salmon are returning to our rivers, our grandparents are living healthier lives, and for the first time in the history of mankind we have the potential to end starvation."

Stephanie J. Lakeman, the senior class president, echoed Beardsley's optimism and challenged the graduates to "think only of the best, to work only for the best, and to expect only the best."

Husson's valedictorian, Scot P. Champlin, was not at commencement exercises because he was in France where he was completing his degree at the College International de Cannes. He earned a 3.91 grade average while working for his degree in business administration.

The salutatorian, G. Allen L'Italian, graduated with a B.S. in nursing and a 3.87 grade average. The Continuing Education and Extension Division valedictorian was Donald E. Gower, who earned a 3.98 grade average and the salutatorian was Deborah Warner Crane who had a 3.96 grade average. Gower and Crane earned their degrees in business administration.

Earl C. Banks, Robert H. Brandow, and Donald W. Perkins were presented with honorary doctorates during the ceremonies.

Banks, a former Penobscot County Commissioner and local businessman, was presented the honorary degree of Doctor of Business Administration. Brandow, the president of Eastern Maine Medical Center and Eastern Maine Healthcare, was presented the honorary degree of Doctor of Humane Letters. Perkins, a partner in the law firm of Pierce, Atwood, Scribner, Allen, Smith & Lancaster, was presented the honorary degree of Doctor of Laws.

Husson optimistic about its frist provost

by Steve Eaton
Ledger Editor

The Husson community is optimistic about the academic leadership the school's new provost, Dr. Maureen Evans, will bring to the college.

Evans, who was most recently the vice president for academic affairs at the College of St. Catherine in St. Paul, Minn., started this month as Husson's first provost.

Evans earned her master's degree and doctorate at Columbia University, a master's at Boston College and a bachelor's at the College of Mt. St. Vincent. Prior to becoming vice president for academic affairs at the College of St. Catherine, she served as vice president at Nazareth College in Kalamazoo, Michigan. She has also served as administrator at Keene State College at Keene, N.H., and Middlebury College in Middlebury, Vt.

She was a faculty member for ten years at Hofstra University in Hempstead, N.Y. She also taught at Gallaudet College in Washington, D.C., Lexington School for the Deaf, and the Institut Les Roches in Switzerland.

She served as editor for U. S. Industries, Inc., and as a technical writer for the American Petroleum Institute.

"She brings a breadth of skill, academic background and experiences to Husson," Beardsley said. "She has an exceptional grasp of what Husson is and is excited about the mission of the school and how she fits into it."

"It marks a very forward looking step in Husson's development that the college was able to attract a person with the academic reputation and qualifications Dr. Maureen Evans has," said Dr. Constance Carlson, the chairman of Husson's Academic Committee. "She has had specific experience in many areas that are now very pertinent to Husson's continued expansion of its services. She has had an impressive record of solid accomplishment."

"Every member of the institution has something of value to offer. What is important to me is that people get the opportunity to offer the very best that they have." — Dr. Maureen Evans

"Husson is a good college that is on the verge of becoming a great one," Evans said. "What I found here is the epitome of what is happening in higher education now. I think there is considerable revitalization and rethinking of the curriculum of higher education."

Beardsley said that a provost is more than just a "line officer" or a new administrator and describes Evans as an "intellectual as well as an administrative leader of faculty." The Beardsley ideal would have a "self-governing" faculty that would play a key role in the development of the college. The provost, with broader responsibilities than an academic dean or vice president, should channel that effort.

"Faculty, in a traditional sense are somewhat autonomous," he said. "They should have a strong sense of governance. They should have a strong sense of promotion from within."

Evans describes her leadership style as "collaborative." "I tend to work heavily in consultation with others," she said. "I have a tremendous belief in the richness of the resources of the community that we work in. Every member of the institution has something of value to offer. What is important to me is that people get the opportunity to offer the very best that they have."

That leadership philosophy impressed the search committee, Beardsley said.

"Every time she addressed issues it was, 'working with the faculty, working with the staff, working with the trustees,' and that perception of building a team network impressed all of us," Beardsley said. "The ability to be out front as a leader and at the same time build from within is what makes for a strong institution."

Evans said developing a strategic plan is one of her first objectives. She said it is important that career programs be based on a strong liberal arts core.

"The average college graduate will change careers approximately



Dr. Maureen Evans speaks with reporters just after her appointment was announced.

three times," she said. "A graduate has to have the learning skills to adapt to new situations and be willing to take risks."

Nursing grads challenged

Although graduates of the Husson College/Eastern Maine Medical Center Baccalaureate Nursing Program have worked hard to earn their degrees, their real tests are yet to come.

At least that was, in part, the message delivered by President William H. Beardsley at the Pinning Ceremony at Glad Tidings Church last May. During the Pinning Ceremony the nursing students were presented small round pins

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Harold and Jane Worthen leave a $125,000 bequest to Husson College

by Steve Eaton
Ledger Editor

A former legislator and his wife have left Husson College nearly $125,000 in their wills.

Harold Worthen, who had also worked in the lumber industry much of his life, died in 1966. He set up a trust for his wife, Jane, but left instructions that after she died a portion of his estate would go to Husson College. That bequest, coupled with an additional gift willed to Husson by his widow Jane Worthen, has added nearly $125,000 to Husson's endowment.

The bequests, however, do not mark the first time the Worthens have contributed to Husson College. There was a time in the early 1950's that Harold Worthen helped change Husson forever. It was a time when Worthen came to the aid of a friend, Chesley "Chief" Husson.

George F. Peabody, of Eaton, Peabody, Bradford & Veague in Bangor, said he thinks he understands why the Chief and Worthen were friends.

Peabody, after whom Peabody Hall at Husson was named, said that Worthen respected President Husson. The Chief was a man with "vision," Peabody said. While other businesses were struggling during the depression, the Chief was expanding. At a time when no one else thought it possible, Peabody said, President Husson constructed a new building on Park Street Hill. Then, later, he began to envision a college with a campus that would not be surrounded by downtown buildings.

"Harold Worthen understood that kind of thing," Peabody said. "If it was good for the community, Worthen was willing to help."



Harold Worthen

When President Husson decided to go to the legislature to request the right to become a degree-granting institution, he turned to Worthen for help. Worthen was a nice person to have on your side.

Between 1931 and 1944 Worthen served two terms as a state representative and three terms as a state senator. He had worked on the Governor's Executive Council from 1945 to 1950. He had developed a reputation for "integrity and steady thinking," Peabody said. He had also been a lobbyist for the Associated Industries of Maine and the Maine Truckers Association.

Ed Pert, who is now clerk of the House and was once honored by the Husson College Alumni Association, was a state representative when Worthen worked for the Maine Truckers Association. He described Worthen as "warm but reserved." He said Worthen's integrity was known and that reputation gave him the credibility he needed to be an effective lobbyist.

"Harold Worthen was the one who managed to guide the legislation through the legislature ... and as a result Husson, a profit-making organization, became the only such organization in the state, of which I am aware, that was granted a degree-granting privilege by the legislature," Peabody said.

The first bachelor degrees in business were conferred in 1954.

Peabody said he thinks many do not realize the role Worthen played in Husson's history.

"He was not one who sought to be out front leading the parade, seeking publicity; that kind of thing didn't interest him," Peabody said. "He just liked to help."

Hilda Worthen, Harold's sister who lives in Bangor, said she is proud her brother opted to leave a bequest in his will. It doesn't take much prodding to find that Hilda thinks fondly of her late brother.

"He liked people. He had a way of getting along with everybody. People liked him." — Hilda Worthen

She even remembers incidents from her childhood when her brother looked out for her. Little things, like the time when at age 17 Harold sought out his eight-year-old sister at a dance to ask her to dance with him.

That act of kindness has always meant a lot to her, she said. "All those adults and he thought to ask me to dance," she said. "It was just terrific."

"Nobody ever had a better brother," she said.

She said he was an excellent businessman. In 1919 he purchased 350 acres of timberland and eventually purchased property on the Kenduskeag Stream where he started his own lumber mill. He was actively engaged in the lumber business until 1946, according to Hilda Worthen. He was also in the real estate business and in 1953 he became president and manager of the Everett Tractor and Equipment Company.

"He was a careful thinker," Hilda Worthen said. "He thought out everything to his satisfaction before he took action and then he didn't change his mind; he went ahead."

Peirce Webber, the former manager of Webber Timber Lands, described Worthen as a businessman with good judgement, "sort of a Yankee trader," as he put it.

"When he was negotiating a business deal he'd size up things as the conversation went along, make up his mind along the way and by the end of the interview he would know what he wanted to do," Hilda Worthen said.

He was also active in Masonic Circles and was once the Illustrious Potentate of the Anah Temple, Order of the Mystic Shrine in Bangor.

"He was friendly," Hilda Worthen, said. "He liked people. He had a way of getting along with everybody. People liked him."

Clips from a half dozen newspapers document that Worthen, an avid sportsman, often invited friends such as Governor Horace A. Hildreth, the governor's executive council and even a few major league baseball stars to his hunting camp in Lagrange.

Twenty-two years have passed since Worthen was here. His portrait hangs in the library at Husson, a wing of a residence hall bears his name, but it appears the greatest tributes to his life lie in the memories of those who knew him and have benefited from his example.



Commerce Hall reconstructed

Commerce Hall, 157 Park Street, was nearly destroyed by fire Friday, March 13, 1987. The roof was totally consumed and the entire building was completely gutted. Only the brick exterior remained.

Commerce Hall was erected in 1940. At that time, it was the only "privately-owned, self-contained, specifically designed and constructed building for specialized business education in the City," according to "Husson College: A History." It was occupied by Husson until 1968 when the current facility was constructed.

Jack Cashman and David Tiroux, the current owners of the property, had the entire building reconstructed after the fire at a cost more than $300,000. It now houses nine offices, all of which are occupied.

Scholarship established in Frank Carter's name

The late Frank M. Carter, formerly of the accounting firm of Brooks and Carter in Bangor, has been honored at Husson College where a scholarship has been established in his name.

The Husson College Board Room was also dedicated to Carter and the Husson College Federal Tax Institute was renamed in his honor. Carter served on the Husson College Board of Trustees since 1973.

Carter started his own CPA practice in 1956 and in 1958 merged with the firm of Warren A. Brooks, CPA, to form the firm of Brooks and Carter. Brooks and Carter has since merged to form the Laeger, Brooks, Carter, Ade and Hersey Certified Public Accountants. Carter died October 21, 1987.

The tax institute, that Husson has been holding for the last 18 years, is now a two-day event coordinated by the accounting department at Husson. The institute serves to keep accountants and tax practitioners apprised of tax law changes and developments. Carter had been a faithful supporter of the institute, according to CPA Margie M. Zoldi, chair of the Husson Accounting Department. At the dedication program Zoldi officially announced the institute had been renamed the "Frank M. Carter Federal Tax Institute at Husson College."

Raymond T. Adams, Jr., CPA, was one of several who launched an effort to raise funds for a scholarship in Carter's name. They raised more than $7,000.

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Nursing graduates challenged to be compassionate

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that symbolize the completion of their degrees. Thirty-four students graduated from the nursing program this year.

"The techniques, the skills, the practical and clinical experiences, the tests are the trappings of education we impart, but the real proof of your education lies ahead," he said. "The test lies in your ability to make wise decisions in new situations, and ultimately, it lies in your ability to perform both professionally and compassionately in a rapidly changing world."

Talk of compassion was frequent during the ceremony.

"Your beliefs — developed as a result of life's learning, encompass an understanding of others and that learning and understanding, together, allow you to love more," said Nancy Grover, R.N., M.S.N., C.S., one of the senior class advisors who spoke.

Several awards were presented.

The Faculty Award was presented to Barbara Letellier. The Margaret Webber Savage Award was presented to Jane Jensen. The Highest Rank in Theory Award has been awarded to Allen L'Italien. The General Proficiency in Nursing Practice Award was presented to Sharon Piper. The Eastern Maine Medical Center Medical Staff Award was presented to Allen L'Italien. The nurses alumni association presented an award to Tracey Merrill.



Nursing students await their pins at this spring's pinning ceremony. Thirty-four students graduated this year.

Alumni who have two-year degrees invited to return

Husson Alumni who have earned an associate degree ought to consider returning to school to get their bachelor's degree, according to the director of Husson College South, who just happens to know a good place he can recommend.

"Evening and Saturday classes are offered in Portland and Saturday classes are also offered in Mexico and Lewiston," said Lindon E. Christie, Jr., the director of Husson College South. "If you already have your bachelor of science degree, Husson offers a master of science in business degree in Portland."

Christie invites all interested to stop by for a visit Monday through Saturday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or Monday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings until 9 p.m.

"Husson College offers excellent programs with well-qualified instructors," he said. "We also offer counseling and personal service for all of your needs."

Those interested in more information may phone 207-774-2895 or write Husson College South at 222 St. John Street, Portland, ME 04102.

Valedictorian finishes school work in France

By Steve Eaton
Ledger Editor

Husson College's valedictorian this year didn't even show up to commencement exercises. Scot Champlin earned a 3.91 grade average at Husson and he didn't attend one class in Bangor his entire final semester.

He was in France completing his degree at the College International de Cannes where he is taking an "intensive French course" and a business class.

Part of Champlin's college agenda has included "social and cultural activities" that sent him off on excursions to Monte Carlo, Venice, the Island of Corsica, the Carnival de Nice, the Picaso Museum in Antibes, San Remo, Italy; the French Alps, and the Cannes Film Festival, he said.

And while many Husson students headed for the beach during spring break, it is doubtful any of them caught as many rays or saw as much sand as Champlin. Champlin spent two days of his spring break in the Sahara Desert.

"We rode camels at 5 o'clock in the morning to watch the African sunrise in the Sahara sand dunes," he wrote to friends at Husson. "Africa was truly a cultural shock of an experience. In ten days we covered almost 1,000 miles of Africa. From the very north of Tunisia to the Southern Sahara desert, we experienced it all."

In a letter received mid-semester Champlin offered a glowing report of his activities, noting friendships he's developed with students from other countries.

"It seems like every minute of the day I am learning or experiencing something new and exciting," he wrote. "Every time we sit down to eat we are sure to try something new and different. It's an experience I will cherish forever."

Champlin said his French has improved "100 percent."



Scot Champlin spent his last semester at the College International de Cannes in France.

"On Thursday and Tuesday evenings I have International Business from 5 to 7," he wrote. "This class is very exciting for it gives me a totally new view of the business world — a European point of view."

The courses Champlin took in France more than satisfied his academic requirements for graduation, according to Jesse W. Baker, Ed.D., who was the acting dean for academic affairs.

"Champlin has repeatedly made the Dean's list while at Husson and we consider him an exemplary student," said Baker. "We encourage and assist our students to search out the kinds of opportunities that will better prepare them for today's job marketplace. Increasingly our students are going into firms that are international in scope and experience of this kind is very beneficial."

"I'll be able to use the French I already know in learning the French dialect as well as the Canadian dialect," Champlin said. "Hopefully, the study in France will someday open up some job opportunities for me."

Scholarship established in Frank Carter's name

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Husson officials said that donations for the Frank M. Carter Scholarship fund are still welcome and invited those interested in contributing to contact the college.

Several paid tribute to Carter during the dedication program, describing him as a generous man who went extra lengths to help others in need.

"He trained by example," Adams said. "If you just open up the yellow pages of the Bangor telephone directory you can find 15 or 20 people listed, CPAs and public accountants, that Frank Carter has had a personal hand in training and developing."

"Frank was very devoted to this college," said Norman S. Kominsky, the chairman of the board of trustees. "No task was too big or too small for him to undertake. He gave generously of his time and his professional expertise and his Yankee common sense."

"Frank was a selfless, dedicated servant to Husson College, President William H. Beardsley said. "His thinking was clear, his counsel was wise, and his dedication was deep."

"He was so kind," said Wayne Ingalls, a CPA who had worked with Carter. "I think he was the kindest person I ever met."

Host families sought for ICLS students

The International Center for Language Studies at Husson College is looking for families in the Bangor area who would be willing to invite a foreign student into their home once or twice a month.

"ICLS students, who are studying intensive English, like to meet Americans at home," said Mary B. Locke, the acting ICLS director.

Locke is recruiting "host families" who will invite students over for "typical American events, ranging from a simple supper to the annual leaf raking."

"While the students are seeing how we live, the families have an opportunity to learn about the culture and customs in the student's countries," she said. "Some of the students will even enjoy teaching you how to cook some of their foods."

Locke suggested those interested in more information phone her at 947-6024 or in the evenings at 942-4909 or write her at ICLS/ Husson College.

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SCORE opens an office at Husson

Husson College students who plan to start their own business when they graduate won't have to go far for help.

The Bangor chapter of SCORE, Service Corps of Retired Executives, has opened an office on the Bangor Husson campus.

SCORE offers free counseling to people who are considering starting their own business and small business owners who are experiencing problems or planning to expand.

Husson officials said they invited SCORE to set up offices on campus.

"This cadre of retired executives is an important resource to greater Bangor's economic prosperity and Husson is excited about its new association," said President William H. Beardsley. "These people have held successful government, industry and academic positions and their skills and experiences are invaluable to new entrepreneurs."

SCORE officials also seem pleased with the arrangement.

"We are delighted to have the opportunity to have an office of our own to carry out the mission of SCORE, and have access to the resources of an excellent business college," said George Marshall, the chairman of the Bangor chapter of SCORE.

"We would like to expand our counseling program to make it available to graduate students who are thinking about starting or acquiring their own businesses as opposed to going on someone's payroll," Marshall said. "Being located at Husson College will be ideal for graduate students in college."

SCORE has often used Husson's facilities to put on small business workshops.

SCORE looks to Husson faculty to offer specific instruction at its seminars and other events, Marshall said. They also turn to their own organization, ACE, Acting Corps of Executives, for expertise and other educational institutions.

"We'll have a lawyer or an accountant who is practicing in his profession be the lecturer in the workshop," Marshall said, "because they are up to date."

There are others, however, who need to test their ideas out on those who know the ropes, Marshall said.

"People can come in and draw on a SCORE counselor's background and experience," Marshall said. "We provide what we call common sense counseling. We can help ensure others won't make the mistakes we may have made in our own business careers."

That "common sense" often comes in handy to those who have nothing more than an itch to launch off on their own.

"I think about 80 percent of the people we see are people who should not be going into business," he said. "They are not well prepared. Small business has a high failure rate."

Marshall said that people often have not done any market research, developed a business plan or lined up an accountant and a lawyer to help them organize the business correctly.

"A great majority of these counseling sessions are really exploratory meetings where people have come seeking direction," Marshall said. "In a large number of cases our advice is simply to go back to school."

Office space at Husson will enable SCORE counselors to meet with more people looking for their help. The group continues to counsel every Tuesday at the Bangor Chamber of Commerce but the move to Husson has helped them expand their counseling program. Marshall said more SCORE volunteers are needed.

There are SCORE chapters scattered throughout Maine and the United States. In Maine SCORE volunteers counsel more than 1,500 businesses a year, according to Paul Bianchini, the business development specialist for the U. S. Small Business Administration in Maine.

"SCORE is an extremely viable organization," he said. "They are the largest resource for free assistance to the small business community in America."

Those interested in more information about SCORE may contact Dan Stevens, the business development assistant for the U. S. Small Business Administration in Maine, at 622-8242 or write him at: 40 Western Avenue, Augusta, ME 04330.

"This cadre of retired executives is an important resource to greater Bangor's economic prosperity and Husson is excited about its new association." — President William H. Beardsley

Fraternity volunteers help registrar's office

Kappa Delta Phi tore down the walls of the registrar's office last winter and the registrar didn't even mind.

It was all part of a service project Kappa Delta Phi worked last winter to help the cramped registrar's office expand. "Had they not donated their time this project would have never been completed," said Donna E. Townsend, the registrar and director of information services. She said the fraternity brothers donated dozens of hours to make the expansion possible.



Karl Richards, (left), Chris Howe and others tear down the walls in the registrar's office.



Gov. Michael Dukakis and his wife, Kitty, were at Husson College last February where Dukakis spoke at the Penobscot County Democratic Committee dinner. Maine Attorney General James Tierney, (center), was one of several Democrats who welcomed Dukakis to the event.

TKE helps Special Olympics

As one of winter's final snowstorms was moving through Maine one night last April several Tau Kappa Epsilon brothers who had gathered at the State House in Augusta began rolling an empty keg down the road.

Thirty men worked in shfits all night as they pushed the hollow keg northward over about 100 miles, eventually showing up at noon the next day at Husson College in Bangor.

The project was dubbed the "Miller Genuine Draft/TKE Keg Roll." Members of the Tau Kappa Epsilon fraternity at the University of Maine and Husson College teamed up to pull off the event that raised $4,000 for the Maine Special Olympics.

In addition to searching out individual sponsors, the fraternities canvassed local businesses to get donations for the non-profit organization.

"The money will be greatly appreciated, but more than that they (the fraternity brothers) are setting an example by giving of themselves," said Mickey Boutilier, the chapter director of Maine Special Olympics before the fund-raising event.



Scott Oxley, (right), of Husson and a TKE brother from Orono run through a snowstorm to raise money for the Special Olympics.

"This is a long-standing national tradition for TKE," said Cortland "Chip" Stiles, the vice president for the Beta-Upsilon Chapter at University of Maine, "but this is the first time our two chapters have tried it and we are glad it was a success."

The "keg-roll" was sponsored by Haffenreffer Beverage of Brewer.

The Alumni Association welcomes 1988 graduates

by Richard Newcomb
Alumni Association President

Another academic year has come and gone.

Last April the Husson Alumni Association held a successful senior reception. It was a worthwhile event for the seniors because in addition to connecting them with potential employers, it introduced them to the Alumni Association. The hors d'oeuvre table, however, got almost as much attention as the seniors. The refreshments, created by Mike San Antonio's crew from Husson Dining Services, were exquisite.

The Bangor Chapter of the Alumni Association has completed a successful year. From September to May the chapter meets monthly. Local alumni have also been planting flowers and doing other work on the grounds to beautify the campus but we need more help.

We've already begun work on next year's homecoming Sept. 30 and Oct. 1. We hope you'll mark your calendars and plan to attend. Members of the anniversary reunion classes will be contacted in the months to come. We appreciate the nominations that have been sent in for alumni recognition awards.

I was invited to speak at the Senior Awards Banquet about the alumni association. I told them that alumni in the business world play a key role in the development of curriculum at Husson.

"Your interaction with the Husson Alumni Association preserves for the future the integrity that the Husson College degree has today," I said. "Your involvement, now and in the years to come, will ensure that the college will always live up to its deserved reputation."

I was proud of the caliber of this year's graduates. I know they are ready to be tomorrow's leaders. We welcome them into the Husson College Alumni Association and look forward to their contributions.

Portland area alumni brave storm to see Husson game

by Paul Husson
The Director for Alumni Affairs

On Wednesday evening, January 20, Portland area alumni braved an ice storm for an evening at the Village Cafe followed by the Husson - University of Southern Maine basketball game.

A few of the more faint-hearted stayed home but were with us in spirit. Unfortunately, the Braves wound up in the short end of the score to an accomplished USM team.

The Alumni present were Paul Caron, '84; Roger Daigle, '72; Maureen Grant, '84; Andy Hamilton, '87; Hillary Hickson, '86; Erin (Durkin) Leighton, '81; John Kidder, '66; Ed Olliver, '76; Jeff Vermette, '76; Mr. and Mrs. Ken Mathews, '87; Jim Mooney, '80; Kim Bolduc, '87; Donna Trusiani, '84; Barbara Cough, '85; Karen Cox, '86; Mike Skillin, '84; Rob Sloat, '71; Sue Lamoreau, '87; Vicky Campbell, '87; Mike and Kathy Francoeur, '68; Arthur Everett, '59; Mr. and Mrs. Michael Colerick, '67; Debra Cyr, '85; Scott Small, '81; Dick Morgrage, '39; and Jay Moore, '85. (Apologies to anyone left out. This was done from memory.)

President William Beardsley and Paul Husson went down from the College.

Roger Daigle and Greg Vermette will be getting in touch with the Portland area alumni soon about forming a Portland area chapter. They plan to meet on the first Thursday of each month at Hu Shang's. Contact them for details.

We had a good time and we learned a few things. Among which are to schedule meetings for good weather, schedule the meeting place in reasonable proximity of the game, schedule more time to swap stories, and win the basketball game. We also learned from some of the stories that the administration is unaware of some student activities and should remain so, and it was confirmed that Husson people are the best — but we knew that all along.



Tom Sawyer, president of Sawyer Environmental Recovery, spoke at a luncheon for the Bangor Chapter of the Husson Alumni Association last March.

Alumni needed for Husson's progress

by Paul Husson
Director for Alumni Affairs

Dr. Gary H. Quehl in his recent publication, "Higher Education and the Public Interest" states the following:

"For any American citizen — in this generation or the next — to be denied educational opportunity and choice for whatever reason is a personal tragedy. For our society as a whole, it is a slow but certain form of national suicide."

Husson College needs the expertise and service of its alumni more than ever to meet this important challenge. Alumni need to be involved in the admissions effort, fund raising, public relations, and in long-range planning.

Greg Vermette, alumni representative to the Husson College Board of Trustees poses this challenge, "We need to embark on a recruitment effort among the general Alumni Association to broaden participation on the Alumni Board of Directors, and to strengthen alumni involvement with the college."

To achieve these goals we are requesting that if you wish to serve on the Alumni Board or if you wish to nominate a fellow alumnus, please contact us. Nominations with a summary resume should be sent no later than August 15 to the alumni office.

Husson's Career Development office can help and be helped

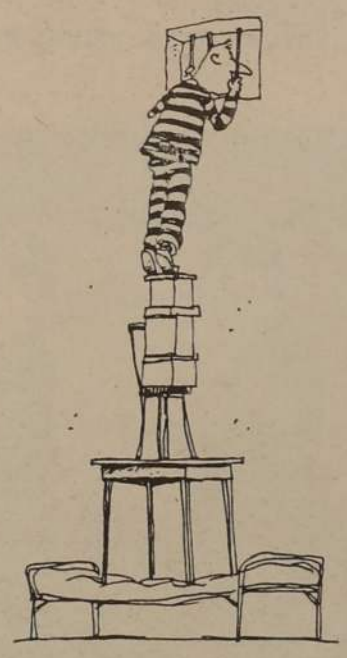
It is as easy as "one, two, three" to use and support Husson's Career Development office, according to Bud Vassey, the director of the office.

"Remember to use your Alma Mater as a resource in your business," Vassey said. "If you have any personnel openings that could be filled with a recent Husson grad, let us know."

"The Career Development office at Husson serves your career needs for the rest of your life," he said. "Get in touch if you need our referral services."

"Do you remember what it was like to leave the warmth of college for the 'cold world'?" Vassey asked. "You could make the transition easier for current Husson students if you would volunteer for the Career Advisory Service at the Career Development office. As a career advisor, you would answer questions about the 'real world' in your professio that current students may have about their chosen career. To ter as a Career Advisor, call t office at 207-941-1121, ext. promise that you won't be more than twice per seme talk with interested studer

NEED A LITTLE ESCAPE?



Try Homecoming '88

Sept. 30 - Oct. 1

See old friends

Make new friends.

Come and cheer on Husson's soccer team as the Braves take on the University of Maine at Farmington.

Catch the traditional events such as: the Sports Hall of Fame induction, the Alumni Awards Luncheon, performances by the Husson Players, intrafraternity softball tournaments, craft demonstrations and much, much more.

The classes of 1938, 1948, 1963 and 1978 will be holding their reunions.

More to Follow...

The Husson Braves team up off court to hit books and win academic battles

There were only 10 seconds left on the clock. The Husson College basketball team was more than aware that the time was running out. All thoughts turned to the team's center, Buster Frederick.

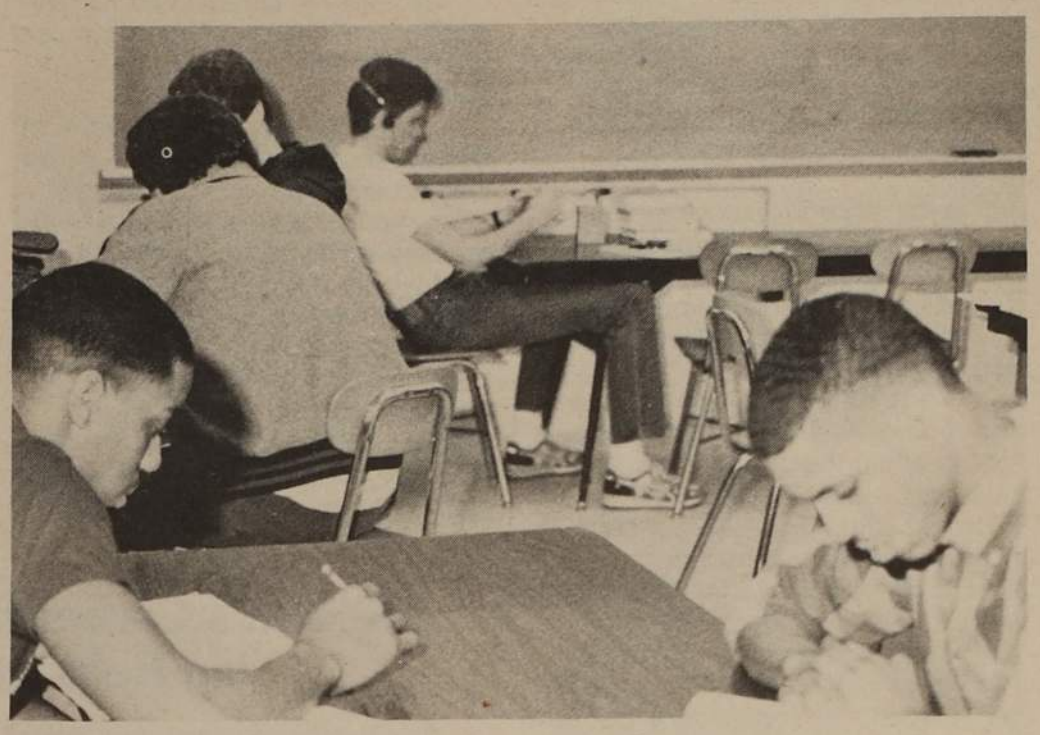
Seconds later Frederick was there and the team was on its feet as the 6-foot-6 sophomore grabbed a chair and sat down just two seconds before the clock ran out.

This year the Braves created their own study table program and it comes complete with serious penalties for those who are tardy or absent. The team met from six to eight Monday through Thursday in two adjoining classrooms at Husson where they hit the books to help each other win academic battles.

The rules were established by the team last January. If a player misses a study hall, he is not allowed to play in the next game. Those who come late are required to run line drills. The later one is, the more repetitions of the endurance drill must be run.

Coach Bruce MacGregor had roached Louise Regan, the tor of academic development son, with the idea of creating able for the basketball gan said she did some and discovered that hav- and a place set aside dy is a concept that successful on several ses.

lot of the individual case es that were presented in the ure said the major problem college athletes had was trying to get a balance in their lives," Regan said. "They have no time.



Shawn Bolden, (left), and Jeff Gamble, (right), studied daily with the team to improve academic performance.

Our own athletes have quite a schedule here. There are a lot of things they have to give up during their season. They are tired all the time. They have practice every day. They have practice on the weekends. They are lifting weights every morning."

That lifestyle either develops or demands a certain kind of character, Regan said.

"Student athletes as a group are high achievers," she said. "They are willing to take risks. They have poise in front of large groups. They make mistakes in front of large crowds. They learn how to conduct themselves under the scrutiny of a lot of people all the time, on and off the court."

"They have something that you can't teach," Regan said. "These are the guys, that when they go into business, they will probably do very well."

Regan wanted to channel more of that potential into academics. She called a meeting, presented her research to the team and sat down. The athletes created the structure and chose the penalties.

Regan said she was surprised to see that athletes set stiffer rules for themselves than she would have proposed.

"They made the rules real stiff," coach MacGregor said. "They decided if one was going to do it, they were all going to do it."

"I think at first it was quite a hassle for me," said Warren Caruso, a senior guard who lives off campus, "but it became easy after the first week. I wish I'd had the study table all four years. I probably would have had better grades."

Kevin Hansley, a forward and guard, said the study table has helped him do what he came to do at Husson.

"I'm here for school," he said. "I'm here to take care of business."

Regan said the team runs the show and often forms study groups to help each other prepare for tests.

"They are helping each other," Regan said. "In sports you have to compete for your position with the other players on the team. How do you show support for one another? This is a very good place to show support for one another."

All interviewed, including the coach, insisted credit be given to Regan for the success of the study table.

"She's excellent," John Ferry, a forward, said. "She pushes us and yet pulls from us capabilities that we did not know we had."

"She wants us to set the goals," said center Shawn Bolden, "and she really wants us to get there."

Regan, who has donated her evening hours to the project, said she has learned from the team.

"I can't tell you how rewarding it is for me, personally, to see some of these students I've been working with, studying in the library in the afternoon," she said. "I'm seeing people extending the time they are studying during spring semester and I think that is wonderful."

"I'm going to start other programming here and I'm going to get the team to help me," she said.

Superior Paper donates $10,000

Superior Paper Products has donated more than $10,000 to Husson College.

"We are interested in education and we recognize the value of it," said Leonard E. Minsky, the president of the company. "It's our way ing thank you to the unity."

Our job at Husson is to pre- students for business and pro- nal careers and we take par- pride in placing graduates greater Bangor community," ent Beardsley said. "It is truly rding when a firm such as erior Paper expresses its support our educational endeavors."

Beardsley's comments came er he toured the Superior Paper arehouse in Bangor where he met with Minsky to express Husson's appreciation for the corporate donation.



President William H. Beardsley, (right), talks with Leonard E. Minsky, president of Superior Paper Products, during a tour of the warehouse in Bangor.

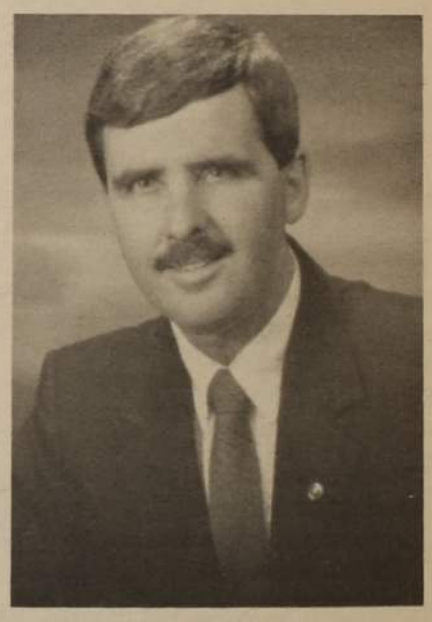


Soccer coach throws hat in the ring

Steven H. Ziegler, Husson's soccer coach, has already proven he can win on the soccer field but now he has announced he is making a run at winning a state Senate seat.

Ziegler, who is also an instructor at Husson College in the Bangor Continuing Education and Extension Division where he teaches marketing, business organization and management, sales management and retail management, is running for the District 6 Senate seat.

"I am very concerned about the continued unfunded mandates in Augusta," Ziegler wrote in a press release. "It frustrates me that the Legislature continues to pass these mandates without supplying the funds to pay for them. This has caused the local property taxes in Maine to sky-rocket."



Steve Ziegler
Coach and Candidate

Ziegler is the owner of The Ziegler Insurance Agency in Kenduskeag, specializing in small business and sole-proprietorships.

Every fall, Husson alumni flock to Husson Homecoming.

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S P O R T S

Coach Merrill Wilson resigns

Husson officials have accepted "with regret" the resignation of Coach Merrill "Red" Wilson who has announced that this would be his last year as coach of the men's baseball and women's basketball teams.

Wilson, who has coached women's basketball at Husson for four years and men's baseball for five, announced his resignation in early May but continued coaching until the end of the baseball season. His resignation was effective June 1.

Wilson's baseball and basketball teams, the men's basketball team and the soccer team, each honored Wilson at this year's annual athletic awards program. The presentations were each followed with prolonged applause and finally a standing ovation from the Husson athletes, coaches and guests in attendance.

While at Husson, Wilson twice led the women's basketball team to the playoffs and four times coached the men's baseball team to post-season play.

"Red Wilson is one of the finest individuals and coaches I have known," President William H. Beardsley said. "I have accepted his resignation with regret because he personifies what college athletics should be all about. We will miss him."

A search is now underway for a new men's baseball coach and women's basketball coach, according to John Rubino, the dean for student affairs.

"We are still committed to running quality baseball and basketball programs," he said. "We expect to announce Wilson's replacements before fall semester begins."

Wilson's basketball teams have tallied a 48-43 record and, before this season began, his baseball teams had earned a 57-42 record. This season the Braves were 9-11 overall, and 6-3 in NAIA play. In 1984 the baseball team was a finalist in the NAIA District 5 playoffs.

This year the women's basketball team lost its first playoff game in overtime against top-seeded St. Joseph's College.

After graduating from the University of Maine in 1952, Wilson's first job was as a baseball and basketball coach at Lawrence High School in Fairfield. After three years in Fairfield he went to Dennis-Yarmouth Regional High School, in South Yarmouth, Mass., where he worked for 28 years before taking early retirement. Wilson was inducted into the Massachusetts Baseball Coaches Hall of Fame in 1977 and was honored at Dennis-Yarmouth where they renamed a baseball field after him.

Husson athletes honored

Husson College honored its athletes last May who in nearly every sport earned a shot at post-season play.

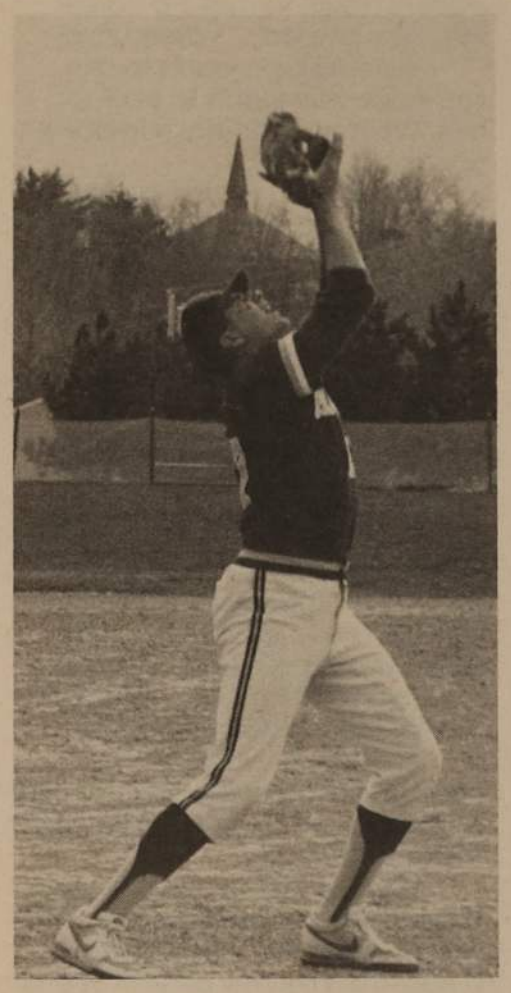
Buster Frederick was named the most valuable player on the men's basketball team. Gail Boucher took the same honor for her play on the women's team. Patrick Shannon was the mvp for soccer and Gail Boucher was the mvp for softball. Pamela Diaz-Rubin was named the most valuable player for volleyball and Chip Allen earned the mvp award in golf. James Campbell and Tim Lare were named the mvps of the baseball team.

Peter Cace of the basketball team was presented the Allan Kenyon Scholarship. Shawn Bolden of the basketball team was honored with the Nelson DeGrasse Award and Robert Cimbollek of the baseball team was presented the Saul Harris Award. The Newman Scholarship was given to David Corbin of the golf and junior varsity basketball teams. The Delmont N. Merrill Athletic Scholarship was presented to Buster Frederick and Peggy Riitano, who played basketball and softball. The Clara Swan Award was presented to Sharon Siebert, who played basketball and softball.

Senior awards were presented to Gail Boucher, Kathy Norton of the basketball team, Alan Anderson of the baseball team, Duane Higgins of the basketball team, Warren Caruso of the basketball team, and Charles Allen who played golf and junior varsity basketball.

Each team recognized one player for being the most improved. In basketball Bruce Grainger and Bambie Lincoln were honored. The volleyball team singled out Julie Mobus; the softball team, Robin LeClair; the golf team, Skip Alley; and the soccer team, Douglas Johnson. Takayuki Bun was named for the baseball team.

Six "coach's awards" were presented. Warren Caruso took the honors for the men's basketball team and Kathy Norton was honored for the women's basketball team. Sheri Peabody was presented the Coach's Award for volleyball, Sue Hanington for softball, David Corbin for golf, and Peter Boulette for soccer.



Third-baseman Chris Khoury is seconds away from catching a pop-up.

Basketball team finishes 20-9

Husson finished its baseball season with a 6-3 NAIA record which may have been only a game shy of the mark they needed to hit to make the NAIA District 5 playoffs this year.

Husson faced some stiff competition this year and made a good showing against some powerful teams. Twice the Braves played the University of Maine Black Bears who at the time were on a 59-game winning streak against in-state competition. Husson stubbornly went down 4-0 and 1-0 in those two games.

St. Joseph's, a team that did not make the playoffs, struggled for 13 innings for a victory over the Braves. The game was a doubleheader, however, and Husson came back to shutout the Monks in the second game 1-0.

Golf team makes district tourney

The Husson golf team took second place in the NAIA District 5 golf tournament this spring.

Coach Tom Largay said that two golfers, Charles "Chip" Allen and David Buster Corbin made the NAIA District 5 team. This is the first time in three years the Husson golfers did not go to the nationals.

Softball team reaches goal

Husson had a winning softball season this year that earned the team a shot at the NAIA District 5 Playoffs.

The Lady Braves finished the season with a 8-6 record and Pam Hennessey, the coach, predicted the team will do even better next year.

Husson's leading hitter was Jonesport sophomore Cheri Lakeman who hit .460 with 12 runs batted in, 12 stolen bases and four errors. Lisa Bridges of Presque Isle was named a Scholar Athlete by the NAIA. She is one of 30 to be so honored this year.

Lady Braves make the playoffs

The Lady Braves, coached by Merrill "Red" Wilson, made it to NAIA District 5 playoffs this year.

Husson ended up facing top-seeded St. Joseph's College in the first playoff game before a larger-than-average Husson crowd. The game was close and with a few seconds to go Husson was up by four points. St. Joseph's, however, was able to drop two buckets to tie it up and the game went into overtime. Husson lost 73 to 69.

Husson finished its season with a 14-7 record in the NAIA and a 15-10 record overall.

Baseball team earns 6-3 record

The men's basketball team earned a shot at the playoffs but the University of Maine-Machias edged Husson out of contention with a 57-56 victory in the first game.

It was a rough contest that Mike Dowd of the Bangor Daily News said "had all the beauty and grace of a broken nose." Husson shot 34 percent from the floor and UMM shot 39 percent.

The Braves finished the season with a 20-9 record.

This year coach Bruce MacGregor was listed as the ninth "winningnest" coach in the United States by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletes. The latest NAIA books show that before last season he'd won 74 percent of all his games with a win loss record of 356-126.

Volleyball squad places sixth

The Husson volleyball team went to the state tournament of the Maine Association of Intercollegiate Athletics for Women where it placed sixth out of the ten teams competing.

First impressions key to job interviews

Credentials, experience and education can help one get a job but often the final selection of a candidate will be made based on impressions communicated in the job interview.

At least that is Bud Vassey's feeling. Vassey, coordinator for career development at Husson College, talks with dozens of employers every year who come to the campus to interview Husson seniors.

Vassey gives all who come to conduct interviews a sheet of paper that asks them to rate applicants in several areas such as appearance, interview preparation, verbal communication, direction, maturity, sincerity, personality, and academic qualifications.

"I think they often make their decision based on the impressions they get during the interview," Vassey said. "Employers have to guess or predict how they think an employee will perform on the job. They'll notice the tie you wear, the way you comb your hair, or the way you phrase an answer."

The candidate's attitude is important, he said. An employer is looking for the ideal employee, someone who "will train quickly on the job, immediately become very productive, work 50 years for the company with no supervision and increase production continuously."

One company representative who had interviewed people at several Maine colleges said there was not "two cents" difference among the qualified candidates he interviewed. What this interviewer looked for in an employee was "an evident desire to make a career with his company," Vassey said.

"An employer wants to see someone who wants to work for him," Vassey said, "not someone who is job hunting."

Vassey said some firms are looking for managers with good "people skills" because low unemployment rates mean that managers must retain needed employees.

"As managers these new employees will be expected to know how to hire, supervise and even fire employees," Vassey said. "Human relations skills are very important so that you as a manager will be able to attract the kind of employee the company needs to operate. They need managers who can keep employees motivated, productive and on the job."

Vassey offered some other tips for making a good impression:

*Decide in advance that if hired you will offer the employer the best you have to give. That attitude will show through.

*Realize that the resume you prepare and cover letter you write will make the first impressions before the interview begins. Submit quality application materials.

*Learn all you can about the company before the interview. If possible, talk to someone who already is employed with the firm.

*When possible, submit job application materials directly to the person who will make the hiring decision.

*Dress appropriately for the interview.

*Be punctual.

*Look the interviewer in the eye, listen carefully, and don't forget to smile.

*Make sure your body language conveys confidence and interest in what the interviewer is saying.

*Follow up the interview with a letter or personal contact thanking the employer for the interview. Let it be known again that you are interested and qualified to work for his company.



Bud Vassey, (right), adjusts Steve O'Halloran's tie as he talks to him about making the right impression on a job interview.

Husson offers summer gifted program

For the first time Husson College will be offering a slate of two-week courses this summer for gifted, talented and creative children and teen-agers.

"Summer Enrichment Education Classes," as they are being called, will become an annual tradition at Husson "fueled by the interest of satisfied learners," Calvin Rich, the program's director, predicted.

Rich said he knows of no other college in Maine that is sponsoring such a program, although some colleges do allow outside groups to conduct gifted and talented programs on their campuses.

"I think that speaks very highly of Husson's commitment to the community and to the kids in the area," he said.

Although the classes do not begin until July 25, those who register before June 30 will receive a tuition discount, Rich said. Interested applicants may call 947-1121, ext. 214 for more information.

Rich has supervised similar programs operated in other parts of the state and they have each proven successful, he said.

"We think of children as being allergic to school," he said, "but when you offer them a program that is exciting, challenging, stimulating and interesting, attitudes change fast."

Rich said he has just such a program in store for this summer's classes. Each course is to be taught on three levels: 5 to 7-year-olds, 7 and older, and 10 and older. This summer's students will be able to take courses such as "Broadcast Journalism," "Art Medley," "Math Magic," "Performing Arts," "Chemistry," "Children's Theater," "Hands-on Clay," "Physics," and "Chinese Folk Art."

Rich said that he wants the teachers to think of themselves as mentors and asks them to teach "the way you would have liked to have been taught."

The final day of classes will be Aug. 6, "Celebration Day," as Rich calls it. During that day the students will perform, demonstrate or display what they have learned, he said.



Madalyn Jordan, (center), posed with Clara Swan, (left), and Janet Kinney during a party that had been held in Jordan's honor. After 28 years Jordan retired last May.



Raynald Martin, (left), secretary/treasurer; Anne Roberts, 2nd vice president; Richard M. Newcomb, president; and James C. Hathorne, 1st vice president; all of the Husson Alumni Association; posed for a picture with Louis Morelli, president of the Bangor Chapter of the association, after a luncheon in Bangor.

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Is anybody out there?

The Alumni Association has lost track of some of its alumni. Some of the missing people are listed below. If you know their whereabouts, please send the information to the Alumni Office.

Heidi Aaskov	1980	Walter Albright, Jr.	1973
George Abbott	1974	Helen Alexander	1942
Lurene (Nadeau)		Hildred Alexander	1952
Adamapoulous	1956	James S. Alexander	1984
David W. Adams	1983	Dale Alger	1969
Susan Adams	1980	James R. Allen	1966
Susan (Allen) Adams	1982	Linda (McNeal)Allen	1962
Walter Adlman	1968	Patricia L. Allen	1960
Gerald and Irma Albert	1967	Thelma Allen	1931
Michael Albert	1938	James M. Allison	1969





Madalyn Jordan and friends pose for a shot at party held in her honor at Husson. She retired last May after 28 years at Husson. The gathering also marked the retirement of Russell Eustice who had been at Husson for nine years. He was unable to attend.

1930's

Dick Morgrage, '39, is retired. He remembers playing ice hockey for Husson on a team coached by the late Bangor sportswriter, Owen Osborne. He also played six-man football for Husson.

Aphrodite Floros Sarelas, '37, currently serves on the Board of Directors of the Fulbright Alumni Association. She also serves on the board of the Council of International Programs for human service professionals which brings a number of foreign social workers to the United States for 12-week summer experiences with social agencies. Mrs. Sarelas is currently a Fulbright mentor for a Tokyo, Ph.D., candidate and a Turkish Cypriot. Mrs. Sarelas resides in Chicago and said she has many fond memories of Chief and the Maine School of Commerce on Columbia Street.

1940's

Frank Daily, '48, is currently a staff member of the Eastern Area Agency on Aging. Daily continues his interest in the theater and was cast as Henry in the Bangor Community Theater's production of "South Pacific."

1950's

Dana W. Dow, '59, has been promoted to vice president by Equifax Marketing Services, Inc. Equifax is a consumer data base marketing company that provides information to businesses using direct marketing techniques. He and his wife, Jo Ann, and their family reside in Gwinnett County in the metropolitan Atlanta area.

Arthur Everett, '59, is living in Portland and owns and operates the Jiffy Automatic Car Wash, Main Street, South Portland.

1960's

James L. Ashe, '62, is the new superintendent of school union 48 in Wiscasset. Ashe is a former teacher and has served as principal in Bangor, Aurora, and Ellsworth during his career.

Geraldine A. Black, '69, has joined the firm of Kenneth Foster & Co. as an audit partner. Black will be responsible for the technical quality of audit services in the firm's Bangor office, and will be the partner in charge of the firm's governmental services.

Brian H. Blanchard, '67, has been appointed to the position of assistant branch manager at Key Bank of Northern Maine's branch on Main Street in Presque Isle.

Ed Darling, '64, President of Down East Toyota has been presented with his second consecutive Toyota Touch President's Award, the highest award any Toyota dealer can receive.



Arthur D. Fuller

Arthur D. Fuller, '66, has been promoted to vice president and general manager of Great Southern Paper in Cedar Springs, Georgia. Great Southern Paper is the world's largest containerboard mill and a leading supplier to the independent corrugated container industry.

Rev. David Richardson Garland, '64, will continue to serve as Interim Pastor of the Stockton Springs Community Church. David and his wife, Marion, live in Bradley, Maine.

Robert Godbout, Jr., '68, Kappa Delta Phi, stopped into the alumni office with his son Scott for a visit. Bob lives in Whitman, Mass. He sees Steve Mitchell '69, often as they both hold high office in the Masons.

William R. Goddard, '66, has announced the merger of his insurance company, Webster & Goddard, Inc. of Yarmouth, with Clark Associates. This affiliation will enable Goddard to offer additional services to his clients.

Gail Goodin, '62, is the N. E. Sales Representative for Oxford Homes. She lives in Yarmouth, Maine.

Col. William Goodwin, '63, is currently stationed at Wright Patterson AFB in Ohio. Goodwin has been in the Air Force for 25 years.

Walter L. Hunt, '66, has been named vice president of the Dead River Group Companies.

Dave Kelley, '62, has switched careers after 18 years as a hospital administrator. He is now a registered Maine guide who chiefly teaches people how to fish. He also works five days a week at L. L. Bean's retail store in Freeport.

Gary K. Leighton, '69, has been named assistant vice president and bank manager of the Bangor office of United Bank. He is director of the Bangor Chapter of the American Institute of Banking.

Cheri Libby, '69, was recently the first woman to join Rotary in Enfield, Connecticut. Cheri is also active in the Enfield Chamber of Commerce and other civic organizations.

Leo M. Loiselle, '63, has been appointed as the operations chairman for The National Association of Accountants' Annual International Conference to be held in Boston in June. Leo is the managing partner of the accounting firm of Loiselle and Beatham in Bangor.

Steve Robbins, '69, is a well-known figure on the Bangor stages. Robbins was recently cast as Luther Billis in the Bangor Community Theater's production of "South Pacific."

Carl W. Smith, Jr., '64, has been appointed to the Board of Directors of Clover Produce, Ltd., Bangor, Maine. Carl, who is president of Carl W. Smith Food, Inc., of Bangor and Presque Isle, Maine, has also been named director of all their Maine operations which also includes Carr Brothers of Portland, Maine. Carl resides in Brewer with his wife and two sons.

Pauline Sodermark, '61, has returned to Maine and is living in East Corinth. Pauline works for the Federal Veteran's Administration.

Manny Vieira, '64, was featured in the Saturday Profile section of the Naugatuck Connecticut Daily News. Manny currently is president of a Century 21 Real Estate franchise on Cherry Street in Naugatuck. Manny and his wife Carole have two daughers, Cathy and Michele.

Steven H. Ziegler, '69, of Kenduskeag has announced his candidacy for the Republican nomination for the state senate from District 6 in the June primary election. Steve is an insurance agent and is an instructor in the Continuing Education and Extension Division at Husson. He is also advisor for the Marketing Club and is head coach of the men's soccer team.

1970's

Donald M. Audibert, '76, is engaged to Laura E. Schmidt. He is employed as an operations assistant for Great Northern Paper in Portage, Me. The couple plan an October 2 wedding.



Bamidele Ayeni and his wife.

Bamidele Ayeni, '79, is currently working for the Central Bank of Nigeria in the Banking Supervising Department. He has recently been transferred to Bauchi province. Dele is married and the father of a three-year-old son. He writes that he misses everyone and he misses Bangor.

Robert L. Brayson, '77, has been appointed mortgage representative for Commonwealth Mortgage Company.

Dana Clark, C.P.A., '79, has purchased a new home in Scarborough. She is a member of the public accounting firm Clark, Freil, and Nickolson, P.A., with offices in Rumford and Portland.

Bruce H. Clay, '72, has been appointed to regional vice president of Merrill-Norstar Bank. Bruce will be in charge of consumer lending and day-to-day operations for the bank's 12 offices located in northern Penobscot and Piscataquis counties.

Christopher C. Coburn, '78, is a registered security broker in the Portland Office of A. G. Edwards & Sons, Inc., member of the New York Stock Exchange.

Roger Daigle, '72, is the President of Maine Connections, Inc. and Vice President of A. R. Berube Real Estate in Portland. He also serves on the Board of the Portland Junior Achievement Program. As usual, Roger is very involved and is wearing several hats.

Peter Dobriko, '70, Kappa Delta Phi, is working for the New York State Department of Health in Albany, New York.

Navy Lt. **Lenard E. Duffy, '78,** participated in exercise Ocean Safari 87 aboard the destroyer USS Hayler, homeported in Norfolk, Va. He joined the Navy in December 1980.

John Dufour, '73, has been chosen New England Salesman of the Year by General Foods Corp.

William Gardner, '78, dropped in to visit. Bill is the owner of the Airport Coffee Shop at Bangor International Airport.

Buddy Kitchen, '77, was featured in the Bangor Daily News, October 15, 1987, for his work as a real estate appraiser. Buddy is employed by the Bangor Savings Bank.

Alfred Manella, '74, is currently working in the Accounting Department at Charles Chevrolet/Post Rd Buick in Marlboro, Mass. He and his ten year old son, Timothy, reside in Milford.

Fred Miller, '71, will become program director at WWMJ Radio in Ellsworth on August 1. Fred received his B.S. in Business Administration in 1971 and his A.B.S. in 1981.

Jim Nadeau, 72, has been promoted to vice president of commercial lending and development and dealer of wholesale relationships in the central Aroostook County. Jim and his wife, Sharon, reside in Presque Isle with their three children.

Robert D. O'Donnell, '70, M.S.B., '80, is the senior vice president of Ambox Madison National Bank which is the highest income-producing bank in the state of New Jersey. Bob and his wife, Donna, and their two sons reside in Westfield, New Jersey. Bob admits to missing Maine more than a little around the opening day of fishing season.

Gerald Rioux, '70, has been promoted to assistant vice president and senior account representative in Mortgage Administration. Gerald resides in Jay with his wife, Patricia, and their three children.

Barbara Skeehan, '70, has been promoted to assistant banking center manager for Peoples Heritage in Lewiston. She has been with the bank since 1980 and most recently was assistant manager of the Farmington office. Barbara has volunteered her time to the United Way and has held an executive position with the Maine Association of Savings Bank Women and membership in A.I.B.

Patrick C. St. Peter, '77, has been named president of the County Federal Credit Union. Patrick resides in Limestone with his wife, the former Jean Marie McLaughlin. The couple has two children, Kevin and Beth, who are attending college.

Gary Stacey, '75, recently was appointed to the position of controller at Penobscot Energy Recovery Company.

James Stacey, '77, has been promoted to the position of manufacturing manager at Lamforder, Inc. James resides in Brooks, ME.

Michael Thibodeau, '79, and his wife Cindy are the parents of a new daughter, Emily Lauren. Mike and Cindy have purchased a new home. Mike is the assistant treasurer of Maine Public Service in Presque Isle.

Jeffrey Vermette, '77, has been promoted to Sales Manager for Prudential Financial Services, Inc., in Portland. Jeff and his wife, Mary Jane, reside in Windham.

Navy Petty Officer 1st Class **Harvey L. White, '78,** has recently made a two-week port visit to Villefranche, France while serving aboard the guided missle cruiser USS Belknap, homeported in Gaeta, Italy. Harvey joined the Navy in 1980.

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Mostafa Aly Al-Shair, '85, has opened his fourth jewelry store in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia. Mostafa is also on the Board of Directors of Shairco. Mostafa and his wife, Samirah, and daughter, Zena, have been on vacation in Bangor.

Jamal A. Al-Sarabi, '81, is currently teaching at Kuwait University, Khitan, Kuwait. Jamal has also started his own business as an agent for home appliances.

Krayton Allen, '86, has moved back to Bangor and is in sales for Transco.

Dan S. Alley, '81, was recently promoted to assistant vice president and human resources manager with Key Bank of Central Maine in Augusta. He began his career with Key Bank in 1981, entering in the management training program.

Michael T. Ballard, '87, chief financial officer at Northern Cumberland Memorial Hospital, has had an article published in *"Hospital & Health Services Administration,"* entitled "The Regulation of Hospitals in Maine: A Viewpoint."

First Lt. **Dana Beal, '84,** has received the Army Commendation Medal in West Germany. This award is given to those who demonstrate outstanding achievement service in performance of their duties. Dana is an executive officer with the 22nd Maintenance Company. He will be promoted to captain and his next assignment will be in Fort Cannon, Colorado.

Lisa Ann Beaulieu, '87, and **David Wunderlich, '87,** were married August 7, 1987. Lisa is employed at the Portsmouth, N.H. Hospital. David is employed by Liberty Mutual in Portsmouth, N.H. The couple spent their honeymoon in Bermuda and reside in New Market, N.H.

Nancy Brandow, '85, has been named vice president for human resources at Maine Coast Memorial Hospital in Ellsworth. Brandow holds a bachelor's degree in health education from the University of Maine and a master's degree in business from Husson College.

Navy Petty Officer 3rd Class **James A. Brewster, '84,** has completed the Advanced First Term Avionics Course. Brewster joined the Navy in 1986.

Kip Cameron, '83, dropped in recently to visit Husson. He is currently residing in Southwest Harbor and working with Mt. Desert Island Spring Water.

Marc Carrier, '81, has been appointed Treasurer by the Southern Maine Chapter of the National Association of Accountants. The appointment is for one year. Marc lives in Auburn with his wife and family.

Dale Carter, '81, C.M.A. is general accounting manager at Deering Ice Cream in Portland.

Cindy Chamberland, '87, has joined the faculty of Madawaska High School as a business teacher.

Glen R. Champlin, '85, was married to Monica Chamberland on August 8, 1986. Glen lives in Dover, N.H. and is employed by the Prudential Insurance Company.

K. L. Chan (Kam Leong), '80, was married to the former Lovann Zinobile in 1984. He is employed by Northwestern Mutual Life in Arlington, Virginia and resides in Silver Springs, Maryland.

Anthony Chiu, '81, and his wife, **Teresa (Hall) '81,** are living in Pacifica, California. Anthony is in charge of Management information Systems for Acurex Corp. in Mountainville, California. Teresa is a Tax Accountant for Franklin Resource Corporation.

Darlene Cote, '88, has enlisted in the army where she will receive advanced individual training as an electronic processing equipment repairer. Named the Outstanding Woman of the Year in 1986, Cote was an honor student in high school and college.

Joseph E. Couto, '84, of Bridgeport, Ct. will be married on Saturday, June 11, to Cecilia P. Asalgada of Santiago, Chile.

Monique Dionne, '88, will be married July 30 to Matthew Rossignol of Van Buren. Dionne received her A.S. in Science in Office Management and Secretarial Studies this spring.

Joseph Dolbow, '86, has been promoted to the position of manager of voice and data-processing operations at Bangor Hydro-Electric Co.

John Dube, '84, and **Debbie Dube, '84,** have purchased a new home in South Berwick, Maine.

Michael J. Dufour, '85, has been promoted from customer service representative to central marketing coordinator of commercial line of the Auburn branch of the Dunlap Corporation. Gary lives in Augusta with his wife, Carol.

Adelia J. Dwelley, '83, has announced her engagement to Lewis M Tourtillotte. The couple had planned a May 21 wedding. She is employed by Eaton, Peabody, Bradford and Veague, P.A., Bangor.

Kelly Evans, '87, and Craig Toothaker were married December 4, 1987. Kelly is employed by Eastern Maine Medical Center. Craig is employed by Newburg Sheet Metal. The couple spent their honeymoon in Florida and reside in Newburgh.

Karen E. Fleming, '81, is engaged to David S. Drobner of Palm Beach, Florida. The couple plan a fall wedding.

Brenda Garrity, '82 and **Thomas Quigley, '75,** were married in July of 1985. They have a new daughter Katlynn Marie and have just built a new home in South Windham.

Lorraine M. Ginn, '86, and Eric A. Lockhart were married September 26, 1987. Lorraine is employed by Leighton Business Systems, Bangor. Eric is employed by M. D. Hardy, Inc., Hampden. The couple spent their honeymoon in Cancun, Mexico and reside in Winterport.

Julia Catherine Goodwin, '86, is engaged to James Lawrence Crocker. She is employed as a manager at Osco Drug Co. The couple plan a June 18 wedding.

Debbie Gott, '80, is currently on a one year leave of absence from her teaching position at South Portland High School. Debbie is the mother of three: Betsy 6; Teddy 3; and Thomas Edward 5 months.

Dawn Marie Grant, '80, and Gary Wayne Martin were married October 17, 1987. Dawn is employed by MSAD 37 at Narraguagus High School, Harrington. Gary is employed by Irving Wilbur & Sons of Eastbrook. The couple spent their honeymoon at the White Mountains of New Hampshire and reside in Addison.

Maureen Grant, '84, has joined the firm of Mason and Lockhart in Falmouth, Maine, as a court reporter.

Donald P. Gross, '85, married Jennifer A. Spruce of Dover-Foxcroft on May 28. Gross is employed by Moore Business Forms, Bangor.

Michael Hancock, '83, MSB, has purchased a new home in Raymond, Maine. Mike works for People's Heritage Bank in Portland.

James Hinds, CPA, '84, Special Student, has been admitted as a shareholder in Loiselle and Beatham, CPA's, Suite 501, Merrill Center, Bangor. James joins his fellow alumni and shareholders, Leo Loiselle CPA, '63, and Thomas Bernier CPA, '80. James earned his B.A. from Williams College and a Ph.D. from Harvard before coming to Husson.

Derek Tristan Husson, '84, has

announced his engagement to Judy Mudgett. Derek is employed by Sears, Roebuck and Co. in Bangor as a sales supervisor. Judy is also employed by Sears, Roebuck and Co. The couple plan an August wedding.

Veronica (Francis) Husson, '85, has successfully passed her New Hampshire Real Estate Sales examination. She works for ERA in Littleton, N.H., where she started as office manager. Her husband, Peter Husson, '85, is working in management for Burson's Supermarket in Woodsville, New Hampshire.

Michael Ikeagwuani, '83, is on the business faculty at the Federal Polytechnic Institute in Bida, Nigeria.

Steven H. Jackson, '84, and Mary B. Hughes were married August 29, 1987. Mary is employed by the Bangor Hydro Electric Company and Steven is employed by Canteen Vending Service and Bangor Hydro-Electric Co. The couple spent their honeymoon in Florida and reside in Bangor.

Darcy Jenkins, '83, is engaged to Daniel Harnish of Winterport. She is a registered nurse and works for Eastern Maine Medical Center. The couple plan an August 26 wedding.

Marie Jonaitis, '81, has been named by the Androscoggin Home Health Services as the recipient of this year's Robert Turcotte Memorial Award for an outstanding contribution to home health care.

Mary Lou Kingsbury, '85, has announced her engagement to Allen Hurd. Mary Lou is employed as a substitute teacher. Allen is employed by Bucksport High School. The couple planned a May 13 wedding.

Nancy Klukas, '83, is an accountant at Hancock Lumber Co. in Casco.

John Kolasinski, '85, will coach women's soccer at Husson. He also serves as the assistant baseball coach.

Tetsuro Kosaka, '85, MSB, writes that he is currently the president of a small company dealing with computer software and anything related to new media video, database, compact software, consultations, etc. They write their own software such as automated translations systems (English to Japanese) and Chinese word processing. They are currently working with Arthur Young on financial software. Tetsuro travels to the United States occasionally and hopes to visit Husson soon.

Joseph E. LaChance, '82, has been named vice president at Merrill Norstar Bank. LaChance received his master's degree from Husson. He will be responsible for commercial lending in the Greater Bangor area.

Sue Lamoreau, '87, is teaching business subjects at Sanford High School and resides in Springvale.

Erin (Durkin) Leighton, '81, has been elected as Secretary of the Maine Court Reporters Association.

Anne Goodwin Lisherness, '80, writes that she is now married and living in Aurora, Colorado. Ann has lived in five states and moved eight times since graduation.

Janet Littlehale, '87, resides in Bangor and is a Court Reporter for Brown, Keene, and Halteman.

Herbie Lounder, '81, has returned to Maine from Ohio and is living in Bar Harbor. He completed his degree at Wright State in Dayton, Ohio.

Ardavan Mahanpour, '84, has been appointed a system engineer at R. H. Campbell, Inc. of Bangor. His responsibilities include computer operations and the handling of software problems.

Betsy Margeson, '81, is now an Employee Development Specialist for Hussey Seating Company in North Berwick. Betsy recently completed her Masters in Education at the University of Southern Maine. She plans to be married on June 11 to Sam DiCapua who is completing medical traning as an osteopathic physician.

Arlan Martin, '82, has been promoted by Bangor Hydro-Electric Company to the position of Information Center Administrator. He joined the electric utility in 1978 as a programmer analyst.

Deadra Martin, '81, and Steven Kozloff were married September 4, 1987.

Sandra Mathieu, '84, and **Stephen Sullivan, '87,** were married September 11, 1987, at St. Ignatius in Sanford. Sandra works for the Eastern Maine Medical Center and Stephen is employed by Metropolitan Life Insurance Company. They spent their honeymoon in Orlando, Florida, and now reside in Bangor.

Michael J. McCluskey, '81, has been promoted to the position of controller of Franklin Memorial Hospital in Farmington. He is currently working toward a master's degree at Husson.

Erin M. McGillicuddy, '84, and Peter O. Martin were married October 24, 1987. Erin is employed by Linscott and Slater. Peter is a self-employed carpenter. The couple spent their honeymoon in Jamaica and reside in Bangor.

Shawn McLaughlin, '86, is working in the Cost Accounting Department at Great Northern Paper Company in Millinocket.

Peter McLean, '82, is the owner of the Stonington Furniture Company in Rockland which specializes in Contemporary and Scandanavian furniture.

Joyce Ann Michaud, '87, and Christian David Greely are engaged to be married. Michaud is currently employed as a registered nurse at St. Joseph Hospital Emergency Room. Greely, a 1981 graduate of Bangor High School, is employed by Triplett Motors, and also owns and manages Chris Greely Entertainment.

Sherry L. Michaud, '82, has announced her engagement to Robert W. Marcoux, Jr. Sherry is employed by W. W. Wibby, DDS, Bangor. Robert is employed by Jordan Meats, Bangor. The couple plan a May 1989 wedding.

Jim Mooney, '80, was in to visit. Jim is in sales for Fuller's Fire and Safety Equipment in Portland.

Barbara Mountford, '87, has been appointed manager of The Health Center in Auburn. She is a registered nurse and former manager of the medical and surgical department at Northern Cumberland Memorial Hospital in Bridgton.

Patricia Kathlyn O'Brien, '85, and Philip John Hannan, III, were married September 19, 1987. The couple spent their honeymoon in Bermuda and reside in Bangor.

Shizuo Okano, '87, is working for the Best American Realty Group, Inc., a firm selling U. S. real estate to Japanese purchasers. Best American has offices in Tokyo and Torrance, California.

Maria O'Keefe, '84, is working in the Student Loan Department of the Pawtucket/Attleboro Bank in Pawtucket, Rhode Island.

Tatsuhiko Omata, '86, writes that he is working for a computer software company as a programmer and designer in Tokyo.

David Ouellette, '80, has been named vice president of the Frank Martin & Son, Inc., forestry and construction equipment firm. He has been a sales representative with the company for six years.

David Perkins, '84, is employed by the Bangor Savings Bank in Dover-Foxcroft as Business Development Officer and Systems Manager. David currently serves on the Alumni Board.

Janna Pike, '83, is married to Jeffrey Pike. They have a son Thomas Richard Pike, age eight months. Jana has a semester to go in order to finish her degree in finance at Bentley.

Marine 2nd Lt. **Walter D. Pitts, '83,** has completed a 26-week course at The Basic School where he was prepared as a newly-commissioned officer for assignment to the Fleet Marine Force and made rifle platoon commander. He joined the Marine corps in August, 1978.

Scott A. Reed, '85, was recently promoted to senior accountant for Peat, Marwick, Main and Company. Scott lives in Oakfield, CT.

Joanne T. Roach, '82, has been appointed a mortgage loan officer at Merrill-Norstar Bank in Bangor. She is responsible for originating loans for the portfolio and secondary markets as well as assisting in the design of policies and procedures for both markets.

Paula M. Sides, '85, and David R. Wilson were married September 26, 1987. Paula is employed by Dr. McCarthy's office. David is employed by United Parcel Service. The couple reside in Bangor.

Rhonda Simpson, '87, has been named an Academic All-American by the National Association of Intercollegiate Athletics. She is one of only 30 individuals to be so honored in the United States this year and the first Husson College student to receive such an honor.

Karen Ann Sullivan, '88, and Lt. Brent Andrew Stewart were married November 28, 1987. Karen was employed by EMMC, Bangor, and Brent is in pilot training for the U. S. Air Force, stationed at Williams Air Force Base, Arizona. The couple reside in Phoeniz, Arizona.

Cheryl (Twitchell) Trask, '87, married David N. Trask, from Wilton, July 11, 1987.

Charles Wakeling, '80, is a senior revenue agent with the State of Maine Bureau of Taxation. Charles resides in Glenburn with his wife and five children.

Ikuko Yasuda, '86, is living in New York and is studying for her Master's Degree at Queen's College, New York.

Florence Young, '84, has been appointed manager of the Presque Isle office of Casco Northern Bank. Young was enrolled in the continuing education program at Loring.

In Memoriam

Benjamin D. Adams, Jr., '81, died January 10, after a long illness. He is survived by his wife, Denise.

Thomas Fred Beal, '63, died February 13, 1988, at a York hospital. He is predeceased by his mother, Barbara and is survived by his father, Frederick W. Beal; one sister, Thelma S. Beal; and one brother, Richard F. Beal.

Kenneth G. Blaney, '31, died late Tuesday, January 5, at a Portland hospital after a short illness. He is survived by his wife of 45 years, Arlene (Hartford) Blaney, and daughter, Mrs. Phillip Allen.

Mary Jane 'Peavey' Brooks, '53, died January 1, 1988, at a Belfast hospital. She is survived by her husband, Adrian J. Brooks; a son, John Brooks; and a daughter, Martha E. Grant.

Florence M. Devoe, Shaw Alumnus, died February 18, 1988, at a Bangor hospital. She was predeceased by her husband, Henry P. Devoe. She is survived by a son, Dana and a daughter, Jean E. Devoe.

Stora W. Emmett, '31, died July 29, 1987, at his home. Surviving are two sons, Storer W. Emmett, M.D.; Peter A. Emmett, M.D.; and seven grandchildren.

Rovena (Bragdon) Guzik, '38, died December 10, 1987, in Westport, Conn. after a long illness. She is survived by a daughter and son-in-law, Marilyn and Vincent Salmieri; two grandsons, two brothers, and three sisters.

Jack C. Johnston, '38, died November 9, 1987, at a Bangor hospital. He is survived by his wife, Joyce (Merrill) Johnston; three sons, Bruce, Brett, and Lee; a daughter, Judith; and four grandchildren.

Virginia Mealey Judkins, '32, died February 24, 1988 at a local hospital. She was married to James H. Mealey, who predeceased her; and to C. Rexford Judkins, who also predeceased her. She is survived by two daughters; Marjorie M. Devine and Jane M. Macomber.

Berchard A. (Goode) Murphy, '50, died November 4, 1987 after a long illness. She is survived by her husband, Donald P. Murphy of Bangor.

Reynold F. Thompson, Shaw Alumnus, died November 21, 1987 at a Dexter nursing home. He is survived by two sons, Robert and Dean; three grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

Walter F. Whittier, '72, Honorary Degree, died February 9, 1988 at his home. He is survived by his wife, Nancy; one son, Charles; one daughter, Mrs. Julia Norman; and five grandchildren. He was predeceased by a son, Warren L. Whittier.

Vaughn L. Wilcox, '42, died October 3, 1987 at a Lewiston hospital. He is survived by his wife, Phyllis (Wren) Wilcox; a son, Alan Wilcox; and daughters, Linda Leavitt and Carol McMahon.

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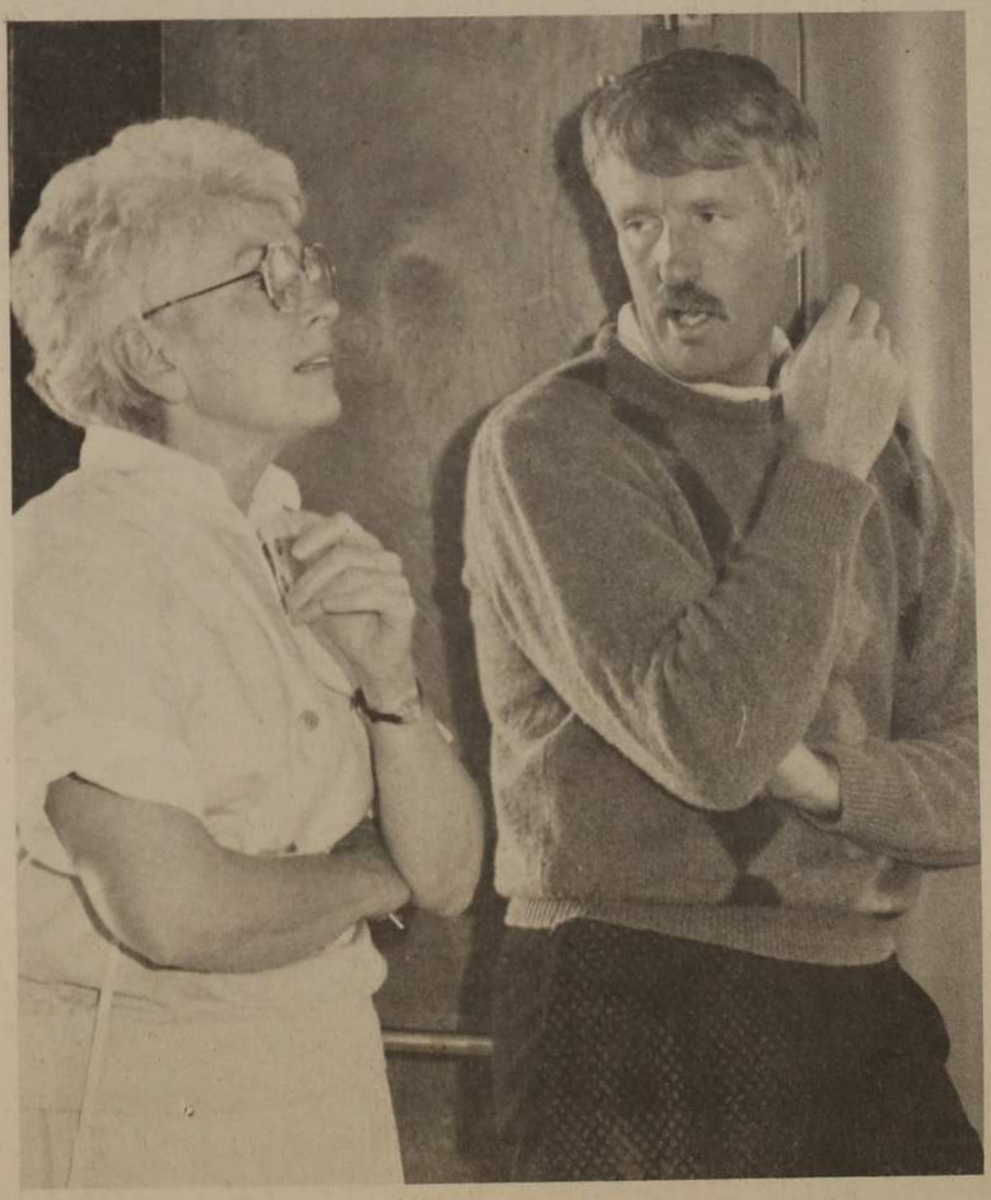
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Husson welcomes its first provost



(Husson's new provost, Dr. Maureen Evans, gets her first look at the Newman Gymnasium. Bruce MacGregor, faculty member and basketball coach, is giving the tour.)

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