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GOOD LUCK, SENIORS!

President's Column

Another school year becomes history, and Husson College closes its 57th consecutive year of service in the field of business education. Each year finds us more firmly entrenched in our area of service, and more sincerely devoted to our aims and ideals in education. As the student dons his cap and gown, he merely steps higher on the hill that he is climbing, the hill that is life.

Upon reaching the top of each hill, we face a new one, for work is never over and done with, never finished. To complete one's formal education is to reach a summit only to find a bigger hill directly in front challenging our strength and skill. It is here that the career of employment begins and again we begin our climbing. Here, again, is a hill of great adventure, interest, challenge, and rewards.

Preparation is the key to all successful journeys. It is my earnest prayer that the training found here will have prepared each of you for a successful climb over the hills of your future. Used wisely, it will. And that is our wish.

Here is a bit of advice in poem form that is most appropriate as the season closes, something to think about as we face up and into a new experience:

LAMP LIGHTING

Once, in an Old New England town,
From on a hill I could look down
And see the street lamps, one by one,
Light up the dark. When he was done,
From darkness and a sense of fright,
The old lamp-lighter changed the night.
I know some folks who as they go,
Light little lamps that gleam and glow
In others' lives with rays divine;
That in the darkest nights will shine.

—*Julian C. Hyer.*

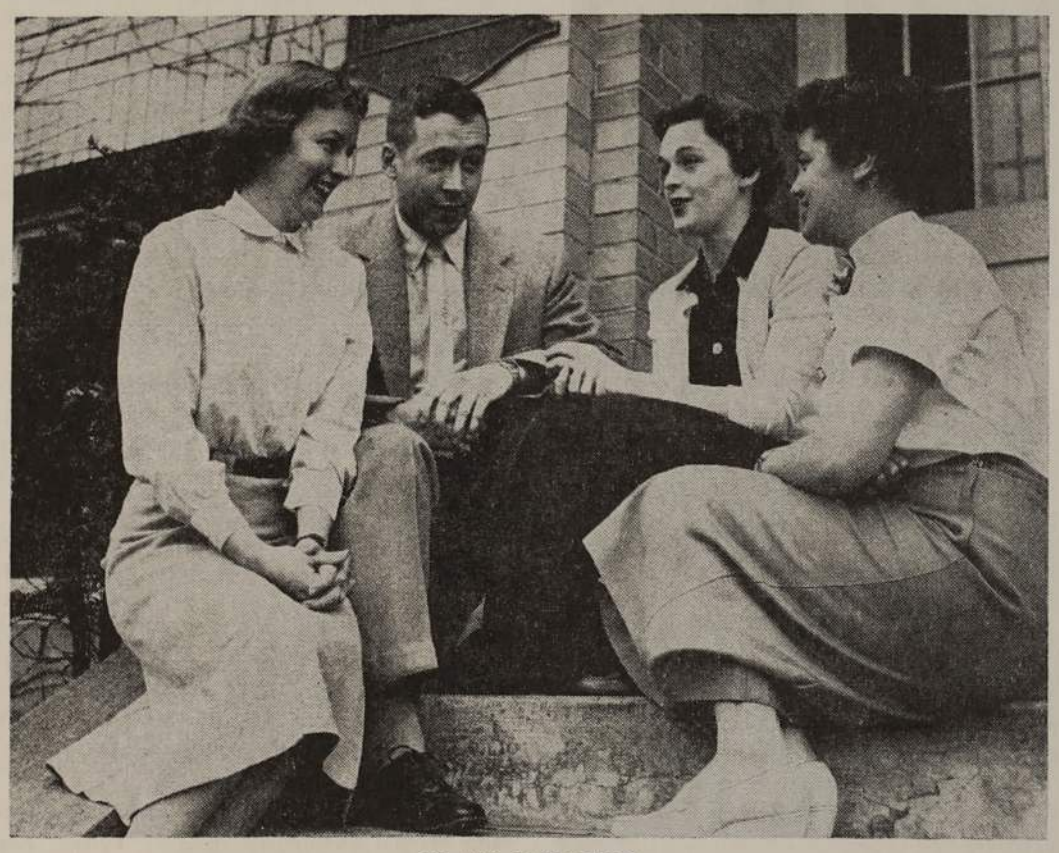
[illegible] must never be in too much of a hurry to [illegible]ber that as we touch the lives of others it can be in a friendly and understanding way and that it is nice to have people like us. It is also pleasant to light the lamps that gleam and glow in other peoples' lives. In all walks of life, and particularly in teaching, [illegible] opportunities exist to walk in the warm light of friendship with all whom we meet, so that they, and we, will be touched by something that is above us all. That is the way it should be, and God smiles when his children are happy. And from my vantage point, on my hill, I wonder if there can be a greater happiness—or a greater destiny—than this. I think not.

To those of you who will leave our college home in June, I bid you a fond farewell. May you do just that—fare well. May you fare better because of your stay here. Our good wishes attend you.

To those of you who are part way up Husson hill, may you find the summer a pleasant one in which to prepare for another assault upon your climb starting in September. Our good wishes attend you also.

Good luck and good health to all. Wish me the same as I enter into my thirtieth year as father of the Husson College "family".

Cordially,
Chief



CLASS OFFICERS

Left to right: Rose Pray, Secretary; James Quinn, President; Dawn Willette, Treasurer; Patricia Newcomb, Vice-President.

At a meeting of the Senior Class at Husson College on April 19, the following class officers were elected: President, James Quinn; Vice-president, Patricia Newcomb; Secretary, Rose Pray; Treasurer, Dawn Willette.

Mr. Quinn, better known to us as Bill, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. John T. Quinn of Bangor. He is enrolled in the Business Education Department from which he is to be graduated in June with a B. S. Degree. Bill has played varsity basketball, has been a member of the Future Teachers of America, and Student Council. He is currently affiliated with Mu Sigma Chi fraternity and is serving as president of the Kappa Delta Phi Chapter at Husson.

Pat Newcomb of Hampden is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newcomb. During her three years at Husson, Pat has been active in basketball, bowling, student council, *Ledger* Staff, and Future Teachers of America. During the school year 1953-54, Pat was president of the Maine Future Teachers of America and attended the National Convention. She is at present president of ETE Sorority. Pat recently received a service pin in recognition of her services to Pi Rho Zeta. In June she will be graduated from the Business Education Department.

Rose Pray of Bradford, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pray, is a student in the Secretarial department. While at Husson, Rose has been manager of the Girl's Basketball Team and Parliamentarian of Epsilon Tau Epsilon Chapter of Pi Rho Zeta International Sorority.

Dawn Willette of Bucksport is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Willette. She will be graduated from the Secretarial Science Department in June.

Other nominees for the offices included; Ed McInnis of Bangor and Reginald Russell of Brownville Junction for President; Jeanette Grindle of Sedgwick and Clement Poulin of Bangor for Vice-President; Irene Goulette of Dexter, Gail Nason of Hampden, and Nancy Smith of Mapleton for Secretary; Arthur Everett of Bangor, Isadora Quimby of Islesboro, Patrick Pelletier of Fort Kent, and Milford Shaw of Easton for Treasurer.

GRADUATION

Well seniors, the time is drawing near when you will be marching up the aisle to receive your diploma. Many of us are reaching that goal that we never thought we would reach. Still others are reaching their immediate goal to future success. Whatever the case may be, good luck is in order for you.

The 1955 graduation will be held at the Brewer Auditorium on June 10, at 10:00 a. m.

Dr. Garland Russell, professor at the University of Maine, will be the graduation speaker. Dr. Russell has a dynamic personality and is a very well-liked professor.

The graduation committees are as follows: Decorations, Chairman Isadora Quimby; Clem Poulin; Audrey Grass; Jeanne Hutchinson; David Huff; Earl Richardson; Barbara Trafton; Patricia Libby; Jeanette Muise and Ronald Carter. Invitations, Chairman Nancy Smith; Lucille Kilton; Sandra Larrabee; Myra McCafferty; Nancy Linton Brennan;Inara Mednis; Kathleen Thompson; Joyce Wood; Natalie Bryant; Henry Gilbert and Thaxter Davis. Programs, Chairman James Quinn; Patricia Newcomb; Rose Pray and Dawn Willette.

DEAN'S LIST

Freshmen on the Husson College Dean's List for the third quarter were: All A's, Rose Pray. Business Education students with at least a 3.0 average were Janice Moody, Robert Tilden, and Robert Tremblay. Others with a 3.0 average were: Business Administration — Richard Begin, Edwin Brown, Robert Elwell, Joseph Farmer, Earle Harvey, Wayne Holmquist, William Howe, Freddie Inman, Norman Knapp, Robert Lawrence, Robert Soper, Dale Whitney, Kennard Wilbur. Accounting—Robert Aultman, Kenneth Carlson, Jean Daigle, Gordon Francis, Richard Hallett, William Hughes, Winston Mahan, Bert McLaughlin, Harold Moore, William Plummer, Richard Scribner, Milford Shaw, Edward Street, William Street, Carol Rollins, Keith Veazie, Wayne Wadman. Secretarial Science Department students on the Dean's List were Janice Bailey, Constance Bragg, Sandra Burke, Nancy Carr, Doreen DeMerchant, Myrna Denbow, Mary Fortier, Irene Goulette, Audrey Grass, Wilma Serveski, Gail Jones, Julia Jordan, Elizabeth Kierstead, Lucille Kilton, Patricia Knight, Sandra Larrabee, Marilyn Leavitt, Myrna McCafferty, LuRene Nadeau, Gail Oxley Nason, Carlene Picard, Mary Jane Robertson, Lorraine Ross, Julia Shannon, Sandra Smith, Judith Smith, Ann Tate, Joyce Weeks, and Dawn Willette.

Graduation Banquet

This year the Senior Class decided to have a Senior Banquet rather than a Senior Ball. It was felt that more could and would attend a banquet.

Don't eat too much seniors! Remember graduation is the next day and you have already been fitted for your gowns!

The following committees were set up for the arrangements of the banquet: Place, cost, and food, Chairman Sue Kimball; George Dinsmore; Milford Shaw; Una Stevens; Janice Bailey; Wilma Servisky; Sandra Smith; and Judy Smith. Placecards and flowers, Chairman Irene Goulette; Sandra Burke; Roland Carter; Donna Thibeau Dubay; Charlene Fiske; Cecile Thompson; Theresa Tate; Elizabeth Tilley and Joyce Weeks. Speaker, guests, etc., Chairman Reginald Russell; James Calahan; Arthur Everett; Patrick Pelletier; Elizabeth Schoppee; Lauraine Cyr; Patricia Knight; Mary Look; Kay Rollins; Julia Shannon; Mintajean Sherwood and Charlotte Thomas. Reservations, Chairman Jeanette Grindle; Marilyn Gifford; Madeline Grant; Ernest Hamlin; Jesse Wilson; Carlene Picard; Lorraine Ross and Corinne Webster.

"PROFESSOR, HOW COULD YOU"



The Dramatic Club has just presented its last performance of the year. "Professor How Could You" was a delightful comedy in three acts.

Howard Simpson expertly portrayed Professor Keats Perry. His supporting cast included Rose Pray as Vicki Randolph, Jane Stark as Priscilla Morley, Cecile Thompson as Valerie Whitman, Diana Wyman as Tootsie Bean, Darthea Hubbard as Grandma Perry, Roger Howard as Grandpa Perry, Phil Gerow as John Appleby, Ray Martin as Boggins, and David Huff as Butcher Boy Bean. Charles and Elizabeth Plumer played the parts of the two children.

The cast did an excellent job under the fine direction of Mrs. Evelyn Plumer. Ann Tate was prompter, David Flemington was stage manager, and Shirley Bachelder was property manager. The work on the set was done by Phil Gerow, Howard Hawes, and Ben Blodgett.

This play concluded the Dramatic Club activities for the year. This year's productions also included "Christmas is a Racket", and "Yes Means No" which were presented in assemblies.

QUEBEC OR "BUST"

About fifteen members left Husson College on the eve of May 19 under the guidance of advisor Mr. William Curran and wife. Mr. and Mrs. Millard Foss accompanied the Currans on the trip to the old and historic city of Quebec. Travel was by private car by way of Skowhegan and then the beautiful wooded area of Quebec.

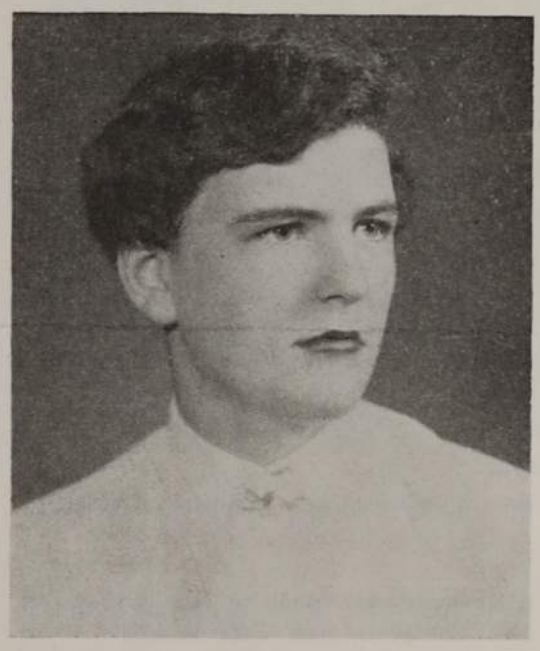
The group stayed at the Governeur's Hotel which was situated in the shadows of the Chateau Frontenac overlooking the St. Lawrence. A conducted tour was taken Friday afternoon of the historic city and sights of interest were pointed out. At night the group looked the city over in its lighted beauty and visited many famous establishments.

A tour of St. Anne was taken on Saturday afternoon along with other surrounding sights of interest from Quebec.

The group left for home at noon on Sunday. Members of Mu Sigma Chi making the trip were: President, George Morse; Vice-president, Don Preble; Treasurer, Ben Blodgett; Secretary, Sheldon Scribner; Frank Leathers; George Fenno; John Goodness; Everett Falvey; Joe Haverlock; Earl Richardson; Bob McCarver, Howard Hawes; Philip Gerow; Loren Ritchie; and Ken Leeman.

MR. CURRAN: Why don't you answer me?
ROGER HOWARD: I did, Mr. Curran, I shook my head.
MR. CURRAN: But you didn't expect me to hear the rattle way up here, did you?

NATIONAL REFEREE



Jeannette LePage, Husson College Freshman in Business Education passed both written and floor examinations for Basketball officiating. The exams were held at the University of Maine by the Eastern Maine Board of Women Officials.

Miss LePage received an average of 86 for both exams. She was presented her Junior National Rating for two years. She is 18 years of age and will qualify for Senior National at 20.

She was also elected Treasurer of the Eastern Maine Board for the year 1955-56.

Miss LePage is a graduate of John Bapst High School where she was very active in CYO activities. She is a member of the Girls' Basketball team at Husson, the W. A. A., and Pi Rho Zeta Sorority. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton LePage.

Spear Speaking Contest

The Eastern District Regionals of the Spear Speaking Contest was held April 16, 1955, at Husson College, at 2:30 p. m. Mr. Louise B. Miller, a member of our faculty, was one of the judges and also had the opportunity of welcoming the guests. Patricia Newcomb and Jane Stark, students here at Husson, were timers for the contests. First place for the girls was a poetry reading from "The Murder of Lidice" by Millay spoken by Bethany Smith from Bangor. First place for the boys was the humorous dramatic prose, "Amateur Hour," by McMahon spoken by Alan Brown from Foxcroft.

BASKETBALL BANQUET

The members of the girls and fellows basketball teams and the cheerleaders want to thank the Sorority for the real terrific "Spaghetti Feed". Little did we know that when we came with our fork, knife, and spoon that we were going to get such a feed. You could have as much as you wanted, and I have heard that some of the "fellows" did just that. And for the girls who "can't cook" and who "don't have a recipe" the cakes were tops.

Mr. Jack Moran from the Bangor Daily News was guest speaker, and he presented to us his idea of a gangster and its importance in everyday living. His idea was not a gangster with guns, as we generally think of a gangster, but a person who belongs to a gang as our basketball teams, clubs, and fraternities.

Letters were awarded to the members of both basketball teams and the cheerleaders. The Nelson DeGrasse award was given to Clif Kuchinski, captain of the boys basketball team, and the WAA Sportsmanship award was given to Geraldine Harvey, a member of the girls team. Arthur Everett and Myrna McCafferty were given awards for getting the most foul shots in game competition.

Janice Gray was receiver of the award for having the highest bowling average for the season, and Judy Smith for the second highest bowling average.

Basketball was over and spring had really sprung—that is, by the colors that were presented. Orange shirts, pink shirts, and purple shirts were not the least bit common as far as the fellows were concerned.

Those attending were: Speaker, Jack Moran, Phil Gerow, "Chief" and Mrs. Husson, Mr. and Mrs. Merrill, Mr. and Mrs. Edward McInnis, Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. Curran, Mr. and Mrs. Donahue, Mr. and Mrs. Foss, Mr. and Mrs. Kingsbury, Mrs. Lowe, Mr. Mayo, Miss Bradford, Miss Swan, Mr. and Mrs. Tracy, Miss Watson, Miss Clark, Mr. Vanwart, Miss Robertson, Mr. and Mrs. Poulin.

Harold Moore, Barbara DeBeck, Gerald Jordan, Myrna McCafferty, Everett Falvey, Sue Kimball, Arthur Everett, Rose Pray, John Rioux, Nancy Smith, Keith Veazie, Janice Moody, Clif Kuchinski, Diana Wyman, Marilyn Stairs, Larry Richard, Thelma Sennett, Frank Dawes, Judy Smith, Earle Harvey, Connie Richard, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Thompson, Janice Gray, Geraldine Harvey, James Quinn, Patricia Newcomb, Edward Street, Natalie Genthner, Nancy Getchell, Nancy Carr, Patty Libby, Sandra Burke, Barbara LaPane, Charlotte Thomas, Jeannette Bell, Isadora Quimby, Natalie Bryant, and Jeannette LePage.

Larry Stanchfield, Irene Goulette, Mary Jane Robertson, and Gail Nason were unable to attend.

ALUMNI NEWS

Congratulations to "Pinkie" Trenholm on her recent marriage to Lt. Bartley. Everyone who went to school with Pinkie at Husson wish her all the happiness in the world.

How many of you remember Jean Corbett Gould from New Hampshire who went to Husson last year? Jean is now lullabying a baby girl, Dawn Eve Gould, who was born May 3.

Rev. and Mrs. Lloyd Martin (Frances Sanborn) are the proud parents of a little boy, Gordon Lloyd, born April 28.

The girls seem to take the lead in the Alumni News this time. Vernon and Betty Coffin have a new bundle of joy born on April 15. They call her Ruth Ann.

GUSSIE JOHNSON: "It is great, speeding along like this! Don't you feel glad to be alive?"
MARILYN STAIRS: "Glad isn't the word—I'm amazed!"

F. T. A. NEWS



PRESIDENT MARTIN

The Forkner-Nichols Chapter of the Future Teachers of America held its annual election of officers at the last meeting on April 28. The following officers were elected for the coming year.

President—Raynald Martin
Vice President—Rinette Levesque
Secretary—Janice Moody
Treasurer—Robert Tremblay
Chaplain—Robert Tilden
Editor of *Dots and Dashes*—Jane Stark

Raynald Martin, President, and Robert Tremblay, Treasurer, of our F.T.A. Chapter, attended the meeting of the Maine chapter officers of the Future Teachers of America in Augusta on April 30, 1955. They were accompanied by Carl Wood, President of the F. T. A. Chapter of the University of Maine.

The group attended an excellently prepared banquet at the Augusta House, and wish to express their thanks to the Maine F.T.A. for their wonderful hospitality.

President Ray Martin reports than many plans were made for the next school year. One of the major factors voted upon was that the state officers will be elected at the fall meeting from now on. These elected officers are to take office at the spring meeting. The object of this new ruling was to enable the new officers to get acquainted with their positions.

Husson College will be the host to the F.T.A. members attending Teachers' Convention next fall. Many plans should be made for this event, because it is surely an honor for our college. We should do our best to greet them with hospitality.

BOSTON BOUND

Friday, May 8, President Husson excused the following members of Kappa Delta Phi Fraternity from classes: President, Bill Quinn; Gerald McInnis; Clem Poulin; Karl Deidrichsen; Danny Hastings; Archie Doucette; Tommy Ryan; and Francis Bourque. These boys were on their way to the National Convention at the Hotel Touraine in Boston. Clem Poulin and Francis Bourque were chauffeurs for the trip.

Our students were given the opportunity to meet their fraternity brothers at Open House and enjoyed themselves tremendously.

Saturday morning the boys found time for sight seeing before attending the Annual Banquet at the Hotel Touraine.

All in all the trip was a success by taking in the baseball games, movies, and having plenty to eat.

The easiest way to make a mountian out of a molehill is to add a little dirt.

CHIEF RICHARD



CHIEF FOR A DAY

On Friday, April 1, an assembly was called for the purpose of nominating candidates for the annual "Chief for a Day" program. Those who were chosen were Bill Quinn, Larry Richard, Art Fowler, and Rick Goggin. The secretaries chosen by each candidate were Rose Pray, Connie Richard, Liz Schoppee, and Barb LaPaine, respectively.

The campaign managers for the candidates were the following: Larry Richard—Dick Scribner and Jerry Massey; Art Fowler—Bob McCarver, Millage Small, Bob O'Berg; Bill Quinn—George Morse, Lorin Ritchie, Larry Eaten; Rick Goggin—Pat Pelletier and Clarence Dubois. Each did a fine job in abetting his cause.

The campaigns started off with a big bang Monday morning as Rick Goggin and his henchmen invaded the gym during Art Fowler's speech. Larry (Pieface) Richard received a big laugh with his imitations. He also received a pie in his face and had his shirt torn from his back by his managers. Bill Quinn made a grand entrance as he drove up with his secretary and managers in a classy, red convertible escorted by a police car with its siren blasting. Another grand entrance was made by Art who came galloping (?) into the gym on a mule.

The walls of the gym and corridors were covered with posters and signs seeking votes from the students. Small paper signs and hats were worn by some followers in honor of their favorite candidate.

The big day finally arrived — Wednesday, April 6, Clean Up Day but also election day. An assembly was held in the gym and ballots were cast and counted. Larry and Connie Richard, the brother-sister team, were announced as the new "Chief" and secretary. Larry was inaugurated that morning by Mr. Husson and was presented with the "Indian War Club" as his badge of office during his supervision of the students as they washed windows, floors, and desks.

The whole student body and teachers enjoyed the campaigning as much as those who participated in it. Fair play and sportsmanship were displayed by all of the candidates. We hope that in the future, all events here at Husson will be as successful as this one has been.

DOCTOR: Were you hurt while you were on the basketball team?

LARRY RICHARD: No sir, while the basketball team was on me.

Have you ever heard of the moron who put ants in the bus so everyone could have a buggy ride???

The most common speech impediment among children is chewing gum.

AWARD WINNERS

Among those students receiving special certificates or medals from the various organizations this year are: Student Council—Harriet Eaton, George Fenno, Phil Gerow, Janice Gray, David Huff, Rinette Levesque, George Morse, Don Preble, Nancy Smith, Diana Wyman, Shirley Bachelder, Ben Blodgett, Neil Dolan, Don Dorr, Archie Doucette, Natalie Genthner, Priscilla Ingraham, Gail Jones, Hadley Jordan, Elizabeth Kierstead, Sue Kimball, Winston Mahan, Raynald Martin, Neil Michaud, Patricia Newcomb, Thelma Sennett, Howard Simpson, Larry Stanchfield, Jane Stark, John Whitney. Dramatic Club—Howard Simpson, Jane Stark, Paula Kelleher, Karl Diedrichson, Daniel Hastings, Raynald Martin, Phil Gerow, Rose Pray, Nancy Carr, Shirley Bachelder, Roger Howard, Cecile Thompson, David Huff, Jeanette Bell, Anne Tate, Diana Wyman, David Flemington, Howard Hawes. *Chieftain* Staff—Phil Gerow, Benjamin Blodgett, Jane Stark, Ronald Carter, Betty Clukey, Lauraine Cyr, Barbara McGowan, Jeanette Muise, Glee Club—Jeanette Bell, Eunice Cookson, Doreen DeMerchant, Nancy Getchell, Dorothy Hopkins, LuRene Nadeau, Carol Rollins, Mary Fortier, Hope Predaris, Robert Trembley, Sue Kimball, Myrna Denbow, Danny Hastings, Rinette Levesque, Raynald Martin. Bowling—Liz Tilley, Eunice Cookson, Carlene Picard, LuRene Nadeau, Barbara LaPane, Nancy Getchell, Myrna McCafferty, Audrey Johnson, Carol Friedman, Carol Rollins, Natalie Genthner, Charlotte Thomas, Jeanette LePage, Judy Smith, Mary Jane Robertson, Nancy Carr, Jeanette Bell, Audrey Grass, Natalie Bryant, Janice Gray, Kay Thompson, Joyce Wood, Issie Quimby, Marilyn Stairs, Dorothy Hopkins, Nancy Smith. *Ledger* Staff—Diana Wyman, Patricia Newcomb, Barbara Trafton, Nancy Smith, Harriet Eaton, Thelma Sennett, LuRene Nadeau, Natalie Bryant, Issie Quimby, Kay Thompson, Shirley Bachelder, Marilyn Stairs, Janice Moody, Rinette Levesque, and Jeanette Grindle.

BASEBALL

After completing a successful season in basketball, Mr. Merrill has now started baseball practice. He has some veterans back from last year along with a good representation from the freshman class.

The games will be played at Bass Park and the team needs a rooting section from school. All interested in answering this request, note the following schedule:

April	28	At Colby (Frosh)
May	3	At Higgins
	5	Ricker
	9	At U. of M. (Frosh)
	12	Higgins
	19	Maritime Academy
	23	At Farmington
	24	At U. of M. (Frosh)
	26	Farmington
	31	At Maritime

Players and their positions are:

Infielders

Lawrence Stanchfield, Milo; Wayne Wadman, Brownville; John Rioux, Limestone; Harold Moore, Ellsworth; Robert Tilden, Ellsworth; Roland Martin, Fort Kent; Louis Peters, Carmel..

Pitchers

Gary Rioux, Limestone; Kenneth McPherson, Ashland; Edward Tate, Orono; Edward Street, Brewer; Everett Falvey, Ellsworth.

Outfielders

Frank Dawes, Sangerville; Arthur Richards, Livermore Falls; Jesse Wilson, Orono; Gerald Jordan, Ellsworth; James Quinn, Bangor; Donald Higgins, Cherryfield; Earle Harvey, Lincoln.

Catchers

Richard McClusky, Howland; Donald Dorr, Bangor.

STUDENT COUNCIL

The student council has been very busy during the last few months. It has sponsored "Chief-for-a-day" and clean-up day that was held April 6. The election committee and ballot clerks consisted of Raynald Martin, Neil Dolan, Shirley Bachelder, Sue Kimball, Natalie Genthner, Elizabeth Kierstead, Larry Stanchfield, George Morse, and Nancy Smith.

The student council has discussed and decided to purchase a hand dryer on trial to be placed in the men's room. If this proves satisfactory, another one will be purchased for the women's lounge. Also the student council has bought a gas range for the student store in order to make possible heating equipment for occasions like the basketball banquet.

The council is holding a banquet for its members on Wednesday, May 25, and it has been voted to hold this gathering at the Tarratine Club. The entertainment committee for this banquet are Philip Gerow, Janice Gray, Thelma Sennett, and Sue Kimball. We hope this banquet will be a big success and everyone belonging to the student council will attend.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY

On the night of April 6, 1955, a birthday party was held in honor of Mr. Wiliam J. Curran, Jr., at Commerce Hall, Husson College. The Student Council, Mu Sigma Chi Fraternity, faculty and friends gathered to introduce "This Is Your Life."

Many outstanding events of Mr. Curran's life were brought back to memory. Phil Gerow did an exceptionally fine job as Master of Ceremonies. Other guests who were present to help bring out the events were:Mr. and Mrs. William Curran, Sr.; Mrs. Polly Curran, wife; Jac and Joe Curran, sisters; Mr. Maynard Sawyer; Mr. Woodrow Bailey; Mr. Millard Foss; (former classmates of Mr. Curran's) Mr. Vic Woodworth, fellow teacher; President Chesley Husson; Frank Leathers, one of his students at Corrinna; Rinette Levesque, President of the Student Council who presented Mr. Curran with an initialed briefcase; and George Morse, President of Mu Sigma Chi Fraternity.

An entertainment program was enjoyed with Raynald Martin singing, Gerry McGinnis and Rinette Levesque with a piano duet, and Danny Hastings with a tap dance. Refreshments were served and music and dancing were enjoyed the rest of the evening.

CUPID'S COLUMN

Engagements

Henry Gilbert, Greenville, to Clementine Munster, Rockwood

Myrna McCafferty, Mattawamkeag, to Robert MacLeod, Mattawamkeag

Inara Mednis, Bangor, to Bill Booker, Bangor

Kay Thompson, Belfast, to Alfred Philbrook, Guilford

Bill Howe, Portland, to Jean Bruce, Portland

Bill Duddy, Bangor, to Athena Vafiades, Bangor

Marriages

Joseph O'Brien to Delphine Veilleax

Harold Drew to Ann M. DelMonaco

Gail Oxley to Edwin Nason

Ralph Looke to Mary Hilyard

Nancy Linton to Sgt. Brennan

Births

Mr. and Mrs. Danny Foss, a son, Michael Jerald

Mr and Mrs. Clarence Dubois, a son, Clyde Paul

Mr. Donahue who was crossing a pasture called out to the farmer, "Say there, is that bull safe?"

FARMER: "I reckon he's a lot safer than you are."

EASTER ASSEMBLY

Commerce Hall at Husson was the scene of the annual Easter Assembly on Friday, April 1, with the entire student body and faculty attending.

The Assembly was opened with a Hymn as the Student Body and members of the Glee Club combined voices. Next on the program was a special selection by the Glee Club under the direction of and accompanied by Mr. Cupp. Phil Gerow read the Scripture. The Glee Club rendered another Easter selection with the Solo by Raynald Martin. James Quinn introduced the Reverend E. Charles Dartnell of Brewer who delivered the Easter Message. Rev. Dartnell's message was followed by the Glee Club singing "In Joseph's Lovely Garden" with Hope Predaris as soloist. Mr. Husson spoke briefly to the group and thanked those participating in the Assembly. The event was closed with the Student Body singing "Beneath the Cross of Jesus."

Lambda Chapter of Kappa Delta Phi International Fraternity sponsored the Assembly.

U. S. CITIZEN 1955

Everyone here at Husson has heard of Inara Mednis through school news, membership in a particular organization with her, or maybe you sit near her in a class. How many of you know that Inara recently became a United States Citizen?



This striking blond girl was born in Latvia and so was not a citizen of our country. She and her family moved to America a few years ago and since have settled here in Bangor. Now we are fortunate here at Husson College in that we have this girl as a member of the Husson family.

To become a United States citizen she first had to live in this country for a period of five years. Last September Inara and her father applied for citizenship. That was the beginning of various formalities necessary to make her an American. In April the Penobscot County Court House was the scene of a solemn gathering in which thirty aliens were naturalized—Inara and her father, Dr. Mednis, being among them. The Judge, after checking their papers that also had to be signed by two people knowing them for two years, presided at this meeting and welcomed these new Americans.

Here at school Inara is a member of the Junior Secretarial Course. Epsilon Tau Epsilon Sorority is proud to have her as a sister. Oh yes, Inara sports a beautiful diamond from Bill Booker also from Bangor.

Needless to say that we at Husson wish Inara Mednis all the success that life may hold for her and are glad to have her in our school.

An undertaker found a donkey lying dead in front of his premises and went to inform the police. "What am I to do with it?" he asked the officer in charge. The officer had a sense of humor. "Do with it," he grinned. "Bury it, of course. You're an undertaker, aren't you?" "That's true," replied the other, "but I thought it only right to inform the relatives first."

MOTHER-DAUGHTER BANQUET



Pi Rho Zeta Sorority held its annual Mother-Daughter Banquet at the Penobscot Hotel on April 8. Corsages were pinned on the mothers and guests with compliments of Pi Rho Zeta. Mr. Husson gave the blessing before we sat down to enjoy a delicious meal.

Irene Goulette acted as toastmistress and began with introducing the head table. Each girl, then, introduced her mother and guest so that we might all be acquainted.

Patricia Newcomb, President of the Sorority, gave a welcome to the mothers. Mrs. Wyman responded for the mothers and expressed their deep appreciation for holding such a banquet that could asemble the "sisters" and their mothers and guests. A great feeling of warmth was in the atmosphere.

Mr. Husson was introduced with, "Setting the example of brevity, I am happy to introduce Mr. Husson." Must be that he is long-winded at times.

Guest speaker for the evening was Mr. Mark R. Shibles, Dean of the School of Education and Director of the Summer Session at the University of Maine. His topic was "Living on the Growing Edge of Things." It was a pleasure and an honor to have Dean Shibles as our speaker.

Seated at the head table were Patricia Newcomb, president, and Mrs. Kenneth Newcomb, and Mrs. Susan Newcomb, Hampden; Dean and Mrs. Shibles; Irene Goulette, toastmistress and her guest Mrs. William Burgess, Dexter; Mrs. Miller; James W. Quinn and his mother, Mrs. John T. Quinn, Bangor; President and Mrs. Husson.

Mothers and daughters attending included: Mrs. Harriet Lunt and daughter, Harriet Eaton, McKinley; Mrs. Elmer Bryant and daughter Natalie, Belfast; Mrs. Grace Bradford and daughter Mildred, Bangor; Miss Clara Swan and sister Mrs. Elizabeth Butler, Bangor; Mrs. Charles Quimby and daughter Isadora, Dark Harbor; Mrs. Charles Clark and daughter Winnifred Bailey, Oakfield; Mrs. Vera Trafton and daughter Barbara, East Corinth; Mrs. Leon DeBeck and daughter Barbara, Clifton; Mrs. Mildred Moody and daughter Janice, Union; Mrs. Percy Pray and daughter Rose, Bradford; Mrs. Harold Hubbard and daughter Darthea, Hartland; Mrs. Michael Cookson and daughter Eunice, Dover-Foxcroft; Mrs. Wyman and daughter Diana, Winn; Mrs. Joseph Muise and daughter Jeannette, Otter Creek; Mrs. Julia Thomas and daughter Charlotte, Sherman Station; Mrs. Harland Hutchinson and daughter Jeanne, Wilton; Mrs. Horace Hopkins and daughter Dorothy, Dexter; Mrs. Fred Oxley and daughter Gail, Hampden; Mrs. Harry Carr and daughter Nancy, Bangor; Mrs. Fred Rollins and daughter Carol, Dexter; Mrs. Marie Lindsey and daughter Joyce, Thomaston; Mrs. Edwin Tate and daughter Ann, Orono; Mrs. Edward Richard and daughter Constance, Mattawamkeag; Mrs. Maxwell Fortier and daughter Mary, Unity; Mrs. Fred Getchell and daughter Nancy, Bangor; Mrs. Eva Nadeau and daughter LuRene, Waterville; Mrs. Milton LePage and daughter Jeannette, Bangor; Mrs. Paul Knight and daughter Patricia, Limestone; Mrs. Basil Grindle and daughter Jeanette, Sedgwick; Mrs. Muriel Thompson and daughter Kathleen, Belfast; Mrs. Louise Plummer and daughter Mrs. Marie Foss, Bangor.

Other guests attending were: Mrs. Grace Stewart, Bangor; Mrs. Mona Bartley, Bangor; Mrs. Fred Eaton, Ellsworth; Mrs. Mildred Martin, Hartland; Kate Robinson and Mrs. Minnie Libby, Ellsworth; Mrs. Marion Clements, Belfast; Miss Glenna Dennis, Waterville; and Mrs. Blaine Jack, Union.

PI RHO ZETA

The end of the school year finds that the girls of Pi Rho Zeta have done well in all their many accomplishments. During the month of March we found a "good group" at the Game Night. The ping pong tables were busy 100 per cent of the time; and, of course, nearly everyone had to buy at least one grab bag.

Then on April 20, the Sorority girls served on various committees in order that the Athletic Banquet might be held in Commerce Hall. As the Student Council had just purchased a gas stove, it was possible to have a spaghetti feed. The honorary Sorority members and the Student Council helped to make the banquet a success. The cooks in charge were Mary Fortier, Winifred Bailey, Carol Rollins, and Shirley Bachelder. Those who served as waitresses were Barbara Trafton, Julia Jordan, Jeanette Grindle, Rinette Levesque, Jeanne Hutchinson, Jeanette Muise, Lucille Kilton, Sandra Larrabee, and Joyce Wood.

Each girl who has been initiated into the Sorority this year will receive a red jacket with the emblem in white.

Those girls who recently received bids to the Sorority were Gail Jones, Hartland; Doreen DeMerchant, Caribou; Althea Hanscom, Springfield; Janice Gray, Lincolnville; Madalyn Jordan, Belgrade; Priscilla Ingraham, Dresden Mills; Sandra Simmons, St. George; Myrna McCafferty, Mattawamkeag; Myrna Denbow, Pittsfield; Farolyn Wilson, Dover-Foxcroft; and Elizabeth Kierstead, Presque Isle. Those girls who decide to accept their bids will be pledged before summer vacation; and upon their return, they will be initiated during the month of September.

There were five quarterly awards presented by Miss Swan, advisor of our Sorority, to Patricia Newcomb, Jeanette Grindle, Harriet Eaton, Nancy Smith, and Rose Pray.

Patricia Newcomb is the present President of Epsilon Tau Epsilon Chapter of Pi Rho Zeta. She is enrolled in the three-year course of Business Education. During her three years of training she has been active in several extra-curricular activities including the following: Basketball, LEDGER Staff, and also the former President of the State F. T. A. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Newcomb of Hampden, Maine. She will be graduated in June of this year. She is now serving as Senior Class Vice-President.

Jeanette Grindle will be graduated from the three-year Business Education Course in June. She is the Co-Editor of the Husson LEDGER which is published by E. T. E. Having been very active during her three years membership of the sorority, she served as Treasurer last year. She is a member of the Husson chapter of F. T. A. and Women's Athletic Association. She also took part in bowling and hiking and is a former member of the College Student Council. Miss Grindle is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Basil Grindle of South Penobscot, Maine.

Harriet Eaton was given an award for her excellent work in taking care of the chapter's funds and books. She devotes much extra time for the sorority activities. Included in her other extracurricular activities are: Co-Captain of the basketball team, President of the W. A. A., member of F. T. A., LEDGER Staff, and Student Council. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Abner Lunt of McKinley, Maine.

Nancy Smith represents the two-year course of Executive Secretarial and will graduate in June. She was given the award in recognition of her outstanding service during the past two years. She is now serving the chapter as Corresponding Secretary. She also is Secretary of the Student Council, Co-Manager of the Girls' Basketball Team, member of the W. A. A., and is on the bowling team. Miss Smith is a candidate for the Fraternity Sweetheart of Husson. She is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs Guilford Smith of Mapleton, Maine. She, too, serves on the LEDGER Staff.

Rose Pray is the only Freshman so rewarded this year. She is the only student in the College who has received all A's for three straight ranking periods. She is outstanding in dramatics, Co-Manager of the basketball team, Parliamentarian of E. T. E. chapter, and is the Secretary of the Senior Class, member of the W. A. A., LEDGER Staff and is a candidate for the Fraternity Sweetheart. Miss Pray is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Percy Pray of Bradford, Maine.

GAME NIGHT

Many persons enjoyed such games as darts, ping pong, pool, bowling, penny throw, grab bag, and taxi dancing at the annual game night sponsored by the Pi Rho Zeta Sorority. These games were set up in the gymnasium, while card tables were provided in Room 2 for persons who wished to play cards or table games.

The Husson ring, which many of you purchased chances on, was presented to Irene Goulette by Mr. Husson. Door prizes of a medal and a plant were presented to Shirley Bachelder and Mr. Curran.

Students serving on the committee for game night were Nancy Getchell, Jeanette LePage, Nancy Carr, Barbara DeBeck, Barbara McGowan, Irene Goulette, Jeanne Hutchinson, Charlotte Thomas, Ann Tate, Jeanette Bell, Rose Pray, Connie Richard, Shirley Bachelder and Nancy Smith with Harriet Eaton, Diana Wyman and Miss Swan on the main committee. Pat Newcomb, Thelma Sennett, and Dorothy Hopkins served on the committee for the ring.

A lot of trouble in the world today is produced by those who don't produce anything else.

MAY BALL

Our annual May Ball was held Friday, May 13. (We weren't superstitious, were you?) It was one of the gala events of the year with Bob Jones and his Bob Cats furnishing the music. The highlight of the evening was at 10 o'clock when the Belle of the Ball was crowned and presented with a gift from her sorority sisters.

The committees in charge of the affair were as follows: Orchestra—Nancy Carr, Nancy Getchell, Jeanette LePage, Irene Goulette, and Charlotte Thomas; Bids—Janice Moody and Darthea Hubbard; Refreshments—Carol Rollins, Jeanne Hutchinson, and Inara Mednis; Advertising—Marilyn Stairs and Thelma Sennett; Decorations—chairmen—Patricia Newcomb, Diana Wyman, Harriet Eaton, Barbara Trafton, and Mary Fortier. All the sorority girls helped decorate the gym. You would never know it was the same place when we got through with it.

I know everyone had a good time even if it was Friday, the 13th. A few of them may have been carrying a rabbit's foot just in case, though!

LETTER FROM KOREA

Seoul
May 2, 1955

Mr. C. H. Husson
President
Husson College
157 Park Street
Bangor, Maine
U. S. A.

Dear Mr. President:

I, first of all, thank you for your kind letter dated April 19, 1955 enclosing three copies of the official acceptance letter.

As you mentioned in your latest letter, it is apparent that your previous letter has never reached me, so that I thought that something must have been happened in your school regarding my entrance.

I feel very happy to have heard from you that my definite employer has been arranged and also the job is most suitable for me. I believe that I am a most fortunate among my fellow students who are in your country or intending to go, because I have never heard that any student can study under such good conditions as you grant me.

Here is good news that I would like to inform you; I have passed the examinations made by the Ministry of Education and Ministry of Foreign Affairs of our government shortly before I received your letter. I feel that I am almost ready to go to your campus.

The only thing that there remains is to obtain from the American Embassy visa to go over there. I believe it would not take very long to obtain. I am quite sure to be in Bangor before the first of September because everything seems to be proceeding smoothly.

Then, thanking you again for your continu help, and dreaming the delightfulness at the time of my arrival in Bangor, I remain

Yours sincerely,
Jung No Ree

TEA FOR SENIORS

On June 9, 1955, Mrs. C. H. Husson will be the hostess to the Senior Class of Husson College for their last rendezvous before graduation, a tea at the President's residence.

All the Seniors attending will enjoy themselves, I am sure, with entertainment provided by underclassmen. This should give our Seniors a chance to reminisce, and undoubtedly this incident will be added to their book of memories from their Alma Mater, Husson College.

Many a man would reach greater height if he had more depth.

ELECTED SWEETHEART FOR MU SIGMA CHI



NANCY SMITH
Mapleton

Mu Sigma Chi has done a great deal of planning since the last issue of the LEDGER.

Their biggest item in the making is the Frat Frolics. This is an annual event which will be held May 18. The setting for this will be an old fashioned bar. There will be a few repeats of last year's acts brought back by popular demand. Most of them, however, are completely new and will be brought before an audience for the first time. Members of the Fraternity have organized an excellent choral group for this occasion.

Phil Gerow is the General Chairman for the "Frolics" this year. He is assisted by David Hull for publicity; Bob McCarver, Larry Stanchfield, and Larry Eaton on the stage. Of course, each and every member contributes to the success of the "Frolics".

Candidates for the Sweetheart of Mu Sigma Chi which will be chosen by popular vote at the "Frolics" are: Thelma Sennett, Connie Richard, Rose Pray, and Nancy Smith.

A new project was started recently, and that is the establishment of a fund to go towards a Frat House.

The annual trip of Mu Sig will be to Quebec, Canada, this year. The boys are all looking forward to a grand time in the northern part of the country.

Plans are also in order for a Frat picnic. So far, neither the date nor location has been decided upon.

THAT'S A JOKE, SON

NEW YORKER: That, madam, is a skyscraper.
LIZ TILLEY: Oh, I wish I could see it when it is working.

"It was rather late when Frank brought me home last night," began Joyce Wood. "I hope the noise didn't disturb you."

"Not the noise," replied her mother. "It was the long silence afterward."

MR. MILLER: "This is the fifth time this week I've asked you to stay after school. Now, what have you got to say for yourself?"
LOREN RITCHIE: "I'm glad this is Friday."

BILL QUINN: "Where have you been?"
NEIL DOLAN: "In a phone booth talking to my girl, but someone wanted to use the phone, so we had to get out."

ARCHIE DOUCETTE: "Do you think it is right to punish folks for what they haven't done?"
MRS. KINGSBURY: "Of course not."
ARCHIE DOUCETTE: "Well, I haven't done my homework."

GIRLS' BOWLING TEAMS

The members of the girls' bowling teams did an excellent job this year and showed fine sportsmanship. Everyone couldn't win, but it was a lot of fun trying.

The Alley Cats walked off with the trophy. The Gutter Gerties came in second place, while the Crazy Collegians and the Battie Bowlers tied for third place. The Pin Quinns were last but not least.

At the banquet held on May 20, the following trophies and medals were awarded: High average, Janice Gray, 91, trophy; High single, Janice Gray, 104, medal; High average, Judy Smith, 83, medal; Low-low average, Isadora Quimby, 61, medal.

At the assembly held in the Spring, certificates and letters were awarded to all members of the bowling teams.

The following were members of the teams: CRAZY COLLEGIANS—Judy Smith, Captain; Nancy Carr; Jeanette Bell; Nancy Smith; Mary Robertson; ALLEY CATS—Janice Gray, Captain; Myrna McCafferty; Dorothy Hopkins; Barbara LaPane; Sandra Simmons; GUTTER GERTIES—Marilyn Stairs, Captain; Liz Tilley; Eunice Cookson; Carlene Picard; Lorraine Nadeau; BATTIE BOWLERS—Natalie Bryant, Captain; Isadora Quimby; Kay Thompson; Joyce Wood; Jeanette LaPage; PIN QUINNS—Audrey Johnson, Captain; Carol Friedman; Carol Rollins; Natalie Genthner; Charlotte Thomas.

CHIT CHAT

Spring has sprung, so to speak, around the lounge. With all the bright colored dresses it certainly reminds you that spring is here at last. The styles are certainly a great variety and *those Petticoats!* Where can we sit!!

There are so many weddings it is hard to remember them all. The girls of the lounge want to send their best wishes to all of you for a future of much happiness. Let's hope that Pat Newcomb remembers which gown she is to wear in the morning and which one to wear at night on June 10.

Audrey Johnson has been previewing movies in the lounge with an audience of 25 girls—But oh the MOVIES!!!

What is the name of this new perfume that Marilyn S. and Janice G. has been using? Did you say the name was "SMOKY"?

We want to thank Thelma Sennet for putting the fires out in the ash trays. Seems as if she always gets the job! Could it be that she has something to do with it or does she just happen to be around when the smoke starts rolling out?

Throughout the year we have met many girls and I am sure we will never forget this year with all of its experiences at Husson College. The chit-chat corner extends best wishes to all those graduating; and to the girls returning—we'll be looking forward to another year of fun.

BOILER ROOM STEAM

Who are the two boys hopping around on crutches competing for the affections of a certain blond girl in this school?

Who is the boy that is going to Boston for a Toupee? No name will be mentioned but he owns a green Chevrolet and lives in Rumford.

I wonder why Dick McCloskey was afraid to dance with the girls up to the Starlight one Saturday night? Would it have been because of C. R.??

I wonder why Neil Dolan spends so much time at the YWCA? Could it be because of a cute little hair dresser???

SANDRA SIMMONS: "What kind of dog is that one?"
JULIA JORDAN: "He's a police dog."
SANDRA SIMMONS: "He certainly doesn't look like one."
JULIA JORDAN: "Naturally, he is in the secret service."

RECORD HOP

Festivities were at their height on April 27 at Husson College when Kappa Delta Phi sponsored a WGUY Record Hop. Webster's definition of festivities must be multiplied to give a clear explanation of what fun and excitement prevailed during the evening.

Not only were students having a swell time but so were many alumni and friends. The gym was packed to the hilt and at times there wasn't even dancing room.

The boys worked hard in preparing for the dance. Larry Richard is to be complimented on his splendid work in being the anchor man for the fraternity and the Radio Station.

Phil Gerow should be congratulated on his organization of the decorating. The gym looked as nice as it has for some time. The records on the walls were a unique idea. You must agree that the well for the centerpiece of the gym made a terrific setting. The streamers and stage front made a terrific finish for a perfect setting. If this were an honorary membership in the fraternity, I feel sure Janice Gray and Natalie Genthner would be the first to receive it. They certainly helped the frat out a great deal. There are not enough words to express the thanks of the fraternity to those girls.

Archie Doucette and his committee really moved the tickets and sold a great deal. It's this publicity in the advance sale that really brought a big crowd.

Space does not permit the writing of all the comments on the dance. All we can say to those who weren't there, "you missed a good time." Not for some time have we had a dance quite like the Record Dance.

Prizes were offered for spot dances and miscellaneous dances. Orange suspenders and records were awarded to the winners. An entire list of winners was not available, but we do know that orange suspenders look good on Irene Goulette. Congrats, kid.

The entire attendance at the dance send their thanks to Ken Manley, Neil Mack, and George Fennel and Station WGUY for the "real gone" time they gave us, "cats". In closing we say to them and to everyone—See you at the Record Hop next year.

CHIEFTAIN

When this issue of the *Ledger* is circulated among the students at Husson, the twenty-fifth edition of the Chieftain will be off the press.

This has been a great year for the book, although the staff has been small, a great amount of work has been accomplished. Each member of the staff is to be complimented on a job well done.

To give just a brief rundown on the members, here is a thumbnail sketch of their participation to make the book the success it is.

Phil Gerow, of Bucksport, was not satisfied with the amount of work he did as Editor last year, he had to turn around and be Editor again this year. (Where he gets all his energy is a mystery—must be something in the air around Bucksport.) Phil is very active in school life and his motto is "Never a dull moment."

Ben Blodgett is actively employed just about all of the time. When he isn't driving back and forth, studying or working; he keeps busy with his "ham station."

Ronald Carter and Jane Stark are new members to the staff and are both commuters coming from Ellsworth and Winterport respectively. Both are ardent workers, keeping going even when it is rough sailing. Janie should know by now where every student is from and how his name is spelled. Carter put his nimble fingers to work drawing—not only for us but for just about every organization. Both of them are hard workers and deserve a great amount of praise.

The evening of May 25 was set aside for the recognition banquet for the staff. Members of the faculty, friends, and guests, with the *Chieftain* Staff, enjoyed a full-course meal.

After dinner, awards were presented and several short speeches were given. A few words were heard from the Editor, Phil Gerow; the Advisor, Mrs. Miller; and Mr. Husson.

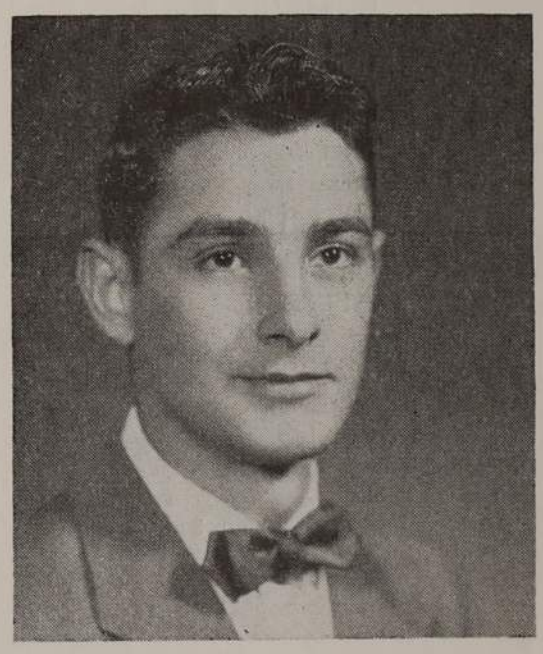
Silence reigned for the dedication which was presented by Phil Gerow. Following this, books were distributed to those present. Before a pleasant evening drew to a close, signatures and quaint remarks could be found after many pictures.

Yes, the *Chieftain* is off the press and will soon be forgotten, but in our minds will forever live the events that can be found within its covers.

WHICH IS YOUR TYPING SYSTEM?

BIBLE SYSTEM—
"Seek and ye shall find"
COLUMBUS SYSTEM—
Locate the key and land on it.
RAILROAD SYSTEM—
Stop, look and list
BOXER SYSTEM—
Peek and punch
FILING SYSTEM—
One letter at a time
JURY SYSTEM—
Trial, judge and error
MOTORBOAT SYSTEM—
Putt, putt, putt
SOCIETY SYSTEM—
Look up, look down
BASEBALL SYSTEM—
Hit and ruin

MEET RONNIE



Have you noticed the extra fine posters advertising all our dances, good times, etc. They are the work of one of our students, Ronald Carter.

Carter is an Ellsworth High graduate and is enrolled in the Department of Secretarial Science at Husson. He plans to use secretarial work to help him through Art School.

Since the G. I. Bill does not pay tuition at Art Schools, Ronnie has to be prepared to earn a part of his way.

Ronnie has made application to the Rhode Island School of Art of Design. He hopes to be a member of the September class.

Ronnie is a bit bashful. Haven't you noticed the beautiful black and red convertible he drives?

Here at Husson we marvel at his ability with the pen. We sincerely wish him all the success in his chosen career. If one boy ever deserved to do well, it is he.

Ronald is a Korean War Veteran and still a single man!

MR. MERRILL: "Who is the laziest boy in the class, Bill?"
BILL DUDDY: "I don't know, sir."
MR. MERRILL: "Who is it who sits idly in his seat watching the others writing and studying their lesson instead of working himself?"
BILL DUDDY: "Oh, you, sir."

TAKE NOTE

ANOTHER DAY

Alarm sounds,
Out of bed.
On your feet,
Clear head.
Get dressed,
Wash, eat,
Catch bus,
Find seat.
Reach town,
See friend.
Forget school,
Late again.
School starts,
Same grind.
Two classes,
Rack mind.
Next class
Has begun.
Very dull,
No fun.
Stomach growls,
Dinner time.
Hamburger,
Lemon-lime.
Back to school
Come what may.
Finally through,
Bell rings.
Rush of feet,
Someone sings.
Home again,
Heavy date.
Hurry up,
Can't be late.
After dance
Home to bed.
Head aches,
'Bout dead.
Off to sleep,
Dream away.
Alarm rings,
Another day.

A letter recently received by a certain "mom and dad" from a college boy reads as follows:

Dear Dad:

Gue$$ what I would like be$t of all.

Plea$e $end a$ much a$ po$$ible, and a$ $oon a po$$ible.

Your $on

To You...

Happy Vacation

From the Ledger Staff

1900-1955

In 1900—I'm sorry; I can't go with you tonight, I have a previous engagement.

In 1955—Go away, dead beat, you cramp my style.

In 1900—May I please have the pleasure of this dance?

In 1955—How about this drag, kid?

In 1900—Good evening, Mrs. Jones, is Jane ready?

In 1955—Honk! Honk!

In 1900—You dance like an angel.

In 1955—Hot zing, you're right in the groove, lit'bug.

In 1900—Won't you let me see you hom[illegible] in my horse and buggy?

In 1955—Hop in the rod and we'll spu[illegible]er presence home!

In 1900—May I have the pleasure of your company at dinner?

In 1955—Come on, Sugar, and we'll amble over to the hot dog stand.

In 1900—Thank you so much for the lovely evening.

In 1955—The blow was stinging.

TO MRS. MILLER

Before I heard the doctor tell
The danger of a kiss,
I had considered kissing you
The nearest thing to bliss.
But now I know biology,
I sit and sigh and moan;
Six million mad bacteria,
And I thought we were alone.

DANGEROUS DAN KERCHOO

A bunch of the germs were hitting it up
In the bronchial saloon.
Two bugs on the edge of the larynx were jazzing a ragtime tune;
While back of the teeth in a solo game
Sat dangerous Dan Kerchoo —
And watching his pulse was his light-o-love, that lady that's known as flu.

Etiquette is learning to yawn with the mouth closed.