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NEWS & ANNOUNCE

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IT'S A WHOPPER

One of the biggest dances of the year will be held Friday night at the University of Maine auditorium from 8:00 till 12:00 midnight. Music will be by Don Doane and company. The dance is sponsored by the U.M.P. Jazz Club and will have as its theme "Evening in Jazz".

One of the major attractions of the evening will be a jam session by the members of the band.

The dance is to be cabaret style and tickets can be purchased by the members of the club or Mr. Gay. The tickets are \$.75 a single and \$1.25 a couple.

Buy your ticket and be sure to bring a date that really likes Jazz music.

Assembly Guest

We will have a special guest at the assembly today. Don Ferguson of WGAN a prominent promoter of Jazz in this locale will play records and give a brief history of Jazz, this will give a preview of the Jazz Club dance which takes place on Friday night.

NOW HERE THIS

The Criterion Party is throwing a party with the WJC girls at WJC tonight. Anyone interested please contact Mike Nicholas. The time will be 8:00. Anyone who hasn't a ride they will be furnished.

ELECTION RETURNS

One of the most colorful elections in the history of the school and the first of the U.M.P. was held last week. Many stunts were initiated by the various parties.

Tom Vassar was elected president of the Freshman Class and Chubb Doughty president of the Senior Class.

Tom who was elected president into office with a wide majority is one of the most popular men on the campus. Not only did Tom get in, but his whole slate made it also with the exception of one.

In order the senior class president may have some difficulty without the help of his slate, although he did get his secretarial candidate and a representative into office with him.

In order that the political factions of this school may work more competantly they must have your help in cooperation with what they might plan in the ensuing year.

NOTICES

The library is still missing one of its most valuable books: the Encyclopedia Americana, Volume 21. Mrs. Leighton would like it returned.

LOST

A Journalism book has been removed from the News Room. If it found, please contact Joe Michaud.

According to Coach Ballou we should have a good basketball team this year. The coach started the ball rolling Monday with a meeting of the students interested in varsity ball-play. Some of those present were: Ron Caselden, Dave Briggs, Dave McCarthy Ray Miclon, Bob Smith, and Johnny Bragdon.

At the meeting the coach discussed the school rules concerning the eligibility of students and also the conduct of the team on trips to other colleges.

Coach Ballou says, "Last year we had a hard time fielding a team, but this year we have as good a chance as any other school.

We are sorry to report the lack of cooperation from our student body in response to forming an intra-mural football league at this late date.

It seems rather strange since 99% of those same students expressed a desire for varsity football on our campus. Are we too good to play touch football or is it that we are not clever enough to play this quick thinking game?

I hope at this 11th hour that we have reached some true sports men and forceful organizers. Please contact Mr. Ballou if you wish to form this league before there is snow on the ground. Remember the touch league stalwarts of "57" may well be the varsity performers of another year.

UNITED FUND STILL GOING STRONG

According to Ron Hanson the United Fund campaign is still going strong.

The success of the drive has largely been due to the persistence of Ron and his assistants, namely, Lionel Carrier, Paul Carrington, Dick Willoughby, and Tim Mynahan.

Of the 220 students who attended the assembly \$217 was pledged. \$74 was in cash. The faculty alone has pledged \$100. The drive is expected to reach a peak of \$350.

Reaching the quota depends to a large extent on the students who have not yet pledged. If you haven't pledged yet, GIVE Your pledge is as good as your word.

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REMINDER

Save your appetites for the Circle K Spaghetti Dinner on November 23d. There'll be plenty of meatballs for everyone. Advance will follow the feed.

CURRENT SCHOOL CALENDAR

Mid Semester	Fri. Nov. 15
Thanksgiving Recess	
Last Classes	Wed. Nov. 27
Classes Resumed	Mon. Dec. 2
Christmas Recess	
Last Classes	Wed. Dec. 20
Classes Resumed	Thur. Jan. 2
Final Exams begin	Mon. Jan. 20
Registration	Mon. --- Sat. Jan. 20-25
Final Exams End	Tues. Jan. 28
Registration-New Students	Fri. Jan. 31

SECOND SEMESTER

Classes begin-----	Mon. Feb. 3
Mid-Semester	Fri. Mar. 28
Spring Recess	
Last Classes	Fri. Mar. 28
Classes Resumed	Mon. Apr. 7
Maine Day	Wed. May 26
Final Exams begin	Mon. May 26
Classes End	Fri. May 24
Final Exams End	Wed. June 4
Class Day	Fri. June 6
Commencement Exercises	Sun. June 8

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