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WEEKLY CALENDAR IN BRIEF

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 9
6:30 p.m. - Circle K Meeting, Room 104, Student Union
6:30 p.m. - AWS Meeting, Room 100, Student Union

THURSDAY, DEC. 10
7 p.m. - Extension Meeting, Room 101, Student Union

MONDAY, DEC. 14
7 p.m. - Extension Meeting, Room 104, Student Union

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 16
6:30 p.m. - Circle K Meeting, Room 104, Student Union

THURSDAY, DEC. 17
5 p.m. - Spaghetti Supper, Cafeteria followed by...
7 p.m. - the Portlighters, gym.
8 p.m. - Cheerleaders' rally

FRIDAY, DEC. 18
12-2 - Owls and Eagles Christmas Party, Cafeteria

SATURDAY, DEC. 19
8 p.m. - Stein Dance, sponsored by the Owls and Eagles, Cafeteria

MONDAY, DEC. 21
8 p.m. - Spanish Club Christmas Party, Room 101, Student Union

WEDNESDAY, DEC. 23
8 p.m. - Freshman Class Semi-formal, Eastland Motor Hotel

SATURDAY, DEC. 26
8 p.m. - Dance, sponsored by Circle K, Cafeteria

REPORT ON THE COUNCIL MEETING

"Well, I should say that's enough. Any suggestions anybody?" There are no suggestions. "Well, what about the bands? What bands have we got?" "I have nothing tentative on the bands yet. The bands are playing hard-to-get. But I still have a few calls to make."

"Well, what about the ski lodge and the hotel? You've got them, haven't you, Charley?" "Well, yeh. Yes. The ski lodge, Bridgton, when we want it. But the Eastland, the Eastland has been booked for the date we wanted it since '63." "When can you get it? Maybe we could switch dates." "That's what I thought, too, Bob, and the 12th is open." From a dark corner, "Noonpm."

"What did he say? What did you say, Rick?" "Bask'blign twulf."]" "A basketball game the twelfth? Is that what he said? Is that what you said, Rick?" "Ookay. Can't have the dance the 12th then. That's at least 14, 15 guys who'd miss it. What else you got, Charley?" "I've got at least six tentative bookings other places. What are they?" "Well, there's..."

The meeting lasted an hour and a half. Planning a Winter Carnival is a long, boring, monotonous, bleary-eyed task, but the thing will be done, and done well. This year, the main obstacle is the seeming inavailability of a suitable dance hall for the Ball. Most of the places have been reserved a year in advance; to insure easier going for next year's council, the present council will reserve a room for the following year, but now the student council has to juggle. Nonetheless, they are capable legerdemains, and they'll find a home, whether it be the Eastland, the Lafayette, the Holiday Inn, the Portlander, or the Munjoy Hill fire barn.

What else happened at the meeting? The letter to the UMPus concerning the apparent endorsement of Jeff Weinstein for City Council was discussed; after which followed a Very Interesting (albeit a trifle dry) discussion of next year's budget. Then, at the end, for a fiery finish, they politely rooked this (ha) columnist over the consular coals for last week's feckless column. There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned.

FINE ARTS THEATER
held over for the fifth week
SEND ME NO FLOWERS
Dick Sturgeon spent a grueling Saturday night last week watching his basket­

You couldn't say that UMP just "rolled over and played dead" because they didn't even make the effort to "roll over". They played dead from the start. St. Francis had that intangible advantage called "being up" for the game while UMP obviously had little spirit out on the floor. Pinpoint shooting by Kelley of St. Francis certainly was a big contributing factor, and he was guarded quite closely on his shots, too. D. Emerson came off the bench and did a fine job filling in at either the guard or forward position. B. Francoer went all the way which was too much, as his defense faltered in the latter stages of the game. Francoer knows how to play the pivot, and his lapse came when his opponent was able to get the ball in the lane which is a fairly easy shot. Otherwise his rebounding was second to none. H. Moulton as usual was high scorer, but will he ever learn that you can't give that baseline to the drivers? 

In a nutshell, UMP was not beaten because of lack of ability. This they have. Instead, they weren't "up" for the ball game, they didn't want to go down on the floor after the ball, and they didn't want to fast break. On numerous occasions we could have had an easy bucket via the fast break. Sturgeon knows the fast break exists, but the players hesitate to use it.

Tonight an old rivalry resumes; UMP versus Farmington State at Lincoln Jr. The "9" squad starts the action at 6:30. Victory tonight? Time will tell.

Here are the final scores for the freshman cageball season which ended three weeks ago:

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The Chess Club will meet on Monday, Dec. 14, at 3:00 pm in room 100 in the Student Union. If enough students are present, officers will be elected and a charter will be drawn up. Once this charter is established the student union will supply chess sets and boards that we are lacking. Also, chess matches with Colby, Bates, Bowdoin, and U of M can be arranged if there is enough interest.

As a complement to last week's discussion, Father Charles Murphy of Yarmouth will speak Thursday, Dec. 10. The second of three religious leaders, Father Murphy will reverse last week's topic and speak of Religion without Christianity.

Last week Father Colby had some very interesting ideas about the importance of the community worship in religion. Next week Father Wilbur Hogg will discuss the secularization of Christmas.

Editor's note: This is the last issue until after Christmas.
OWLS AND EAGLES PLAN STEIN WEEK

The Owls and Eagles have designated Dec. 17 - 23 Stein Week, in place of the previously held Stein Weekend, and planned a host of activities to do during the week.

A spaghetti supper will start off the events. It will be in the cafeteria on Dec. 17. Servings of the Italian bread, salad, coffee or milk, gingerbread and whipped cream, and, of course, spaghetti, will begin at 5 p.m. and end at 6:30 p.m. An hour of entertainment and song with the Portlighters will follow in the gym. The cheerleaders will take over after that to whip up a little spirit for the basketball game on Friday night by doing a few cheers and putting on a skit.

On Friday, the day that school closes for vacation, the Owls and Eagles will hold a Christmas Party in the Cafeteria from 12 till 2 for all those who are not in class during those hours. There'll be a free lunch for all-there's a charge for the spaghetti supper, but not for the party- and a Christmas tree and Santa Claus.

On Friday night there will be the previously mentioned basketball game which since it is with Orono is considered THE game of the year here in Portland.

Saturday night two WJAB disc jockeys will be here from 8 - 12 to spin the records for an Owls and Eagles sponsored dance in the cafeteria. Only those with college ID's or those who are 18 and under are okayed.

On Sunday evening, the Sophomore Class is sponsoring a Christmas Caroling party. Anyone wishing to join one of the groups that will be caroling at the faculty home will be welcome to join the group that will gather at the Union early Sunday evening. The caroling groups may meet back at the Union for a party if plans are okayed.

The week's activities will end with the Freshman Class Semi-Formal at the Eastland Hotel on December 23. Syd Lerman and his band will be there to set the musical pace.

The Owls and Eagles hope that the student body will react favorable to these activities and show their Christmas spirit by attending all of them.

UMP'S SPORTS GUIDE

The sports department of UMP has published an information guide on UMP's athletic program. The attractive blue-covered book will be distributed statewide, to coaches, sports writers, and other interested people. The statistics were compiled by Mr. Sullivan and Mr. Sturgeon with layout and photography done by Mr. Rogers.

The Student Council members are open to suggestions for a name for the 1965 Winter Carnival, the general theme of which will be the Centennial.

PROGRESS REPORT

It's about time for a progress report on the new building. According to Director Whiting and Mr. Mercer of Wadsworth and Boston everything is right on schedule and there have been no construction problems.

If you have glanced toward the "Hole" lately what to your wondering eyes should appear but a network of iron girders and piles of brick. This is actually the classroom part of the building. Since this part of the building must be finished by Sept. of '65 the contractors have been concentrating on the classrooms. The underground plumbing is being installed and the heating system is being connected to the central plant. The electrical units are not in place yet. However, the electrical units being built in as the walls go up.

Within the near future the routine heating problem will be taken care of by a poured gypsen roof. The roof, of liquid plaster like form will be poured on a supporting structure to a minimum of two inches closing the building and making heat possible to prevent the brick and cement from freezing.

With a continuation of luck, building materials, and workers, the new classroom-library building will be completed for the school year of 1965.

FRESHMAN CLASS MEETING

In spite of the psychology film being shown in room 303, the freshman class managed to have its meeting Monday, Dec. 7. Pres. Charlie Cragin first introduced the officers and then swung into action and the business at hand — namely, the semi-formal of the 23rd.

The freshman class seemed to be such an enthusiastic bunch, and under the leadership of Pres. Cragin the class of '66 was asked to put up a somewhat formal dance with the hope of making it an annual event. Thus, the origin of the Christmas semi-formal.

The financial side of the matter was discussed. This dance could be a huge moneymaker; however, there are a couple of bills to be taken care of right off — $125 for the Eastland and $90 for Syd Lerman. As tickets aren't being sold too rapidly, Pres. Cragin asked for the support of the class in talking this dance up among friends at UMP as well as those at other colleges.

Committee members were named for publicity, decorations and tickets. Tickets will be sold outside the cafeteria in the following times:
Dec. 9, 9 - 10, Elaine Nelsen
10 - 11, Cindy Schroeder

Editorial

We thought we'd take this space this week to extend a Merry Christmas to all of you at UMP, faculty, and students alike! The fall semester of 1964 has flown by, and we're sure you're just as shocked as we find it's Christmas time again. Shocked - but pleased.

The UMPus has a few Christmas wishes for all of us. We wish 1. That there'll be tons of snow on the slopes for all the skiers, 2. that all the holiday dances and parties will hold lots of fun for all of you, and 3.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year.

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Editorial

Pres. Cragin pointed out that this dance is being put on by the freshman class and it's up to the freshmen to show class spirit and unity and be there.

OH WHERE, OH WHERE HAS MR. JAQUES GONE?

If you are wondering why you haven't seen the cheery face of Mr. Jaques (rhyme unintentional), here's why. As an outstanding English Teacher, he was chosen to go to New York for five or six days to correct the College Board writing samples. Congratulations to Mr. Jaques.

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