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LEWISTON, MAINE, THURSDAY, MARCH 8, 1917

PRICE TEN CENTS

JUNIORS WON INTER-CLASS MEET WITH A TOTAL OF 50 POINTS

SOPHOMORES CAPTURED SECOND WITH 361/2 POINTS, FRESHMEN THIRD AND SENIORS FOURTH

RELAY RACES, BOXING, AND WRESTLING, FURNISHED A GREAT NUMBER OF THRILLS. MEET A DECIDED SUCCESS

with less than ten men, they piled up the high jump were contested. points, and a total of five firsts. The Sophomores, with a small team finished in spite of the feeling that presecond, with points, and thus surprised vailed that this would be a tame event. the Freshmen who had hopes of win- Most of our pole vaulters have left ning. Manager Mills of the Senior college, and in the trials last Saturday track team is in no danger of losing it did not look as the anyone would get anything on account of his promise to banquet the Senior team if they came at nine feet three inches, and afterward near winning the meet. Thru the work of Buck DeWever in the shot put, 1917 collected five points, and added two more because they ran two relay teams

Long before quarter of eight the hall began to fill, and when the last call Quimby. Maxim was a close third, comfor the potato race was announced, the floor seats and the front rows of Taylor was two inches behind Maxim. the gallery and stage were filled. The back rows remained empty, and it was change of occupation, for there was still more or less of a disappointment that plenty to hold the interest, in fact some there was not as large a crowd this year as last. The meet was every bit as good program, especially, the wrestling. as the last one, and was deserving of Adams '20, and Gould '19 struggled thru among which was the Bates Alma Mater. The bout between Adam '19, and Ross present, for there was a noticeable lack to be doing his utmost, but handled of class cheering, from this it is not to Ross easily when he tried. The match be taken that there was little excite- was nevertheless very exciting. The interest at all times, and there was kell which followed, was the source of meet was run off deserves special com- here and there in a friendly fashion. mendation, for there was not a hitch, However since a Bates crowd is not and the events were run off quickly and very bloodthirsty, the bout met with apfor the successful managing of the

The potato race as usual drew a large number of competitors, and this necessitated three heats. The first heat, won with thrills and close finishes. The lays were held on the Bates boards by Coleman '18, was the fastest, closely freshmen teams of Bates and Bowdoin, Tuesday afternoon, and as a result, 1918 approaching Barton's record of 34 sec- were the first to take the corners, but and 1919 met to settle the championship. onds made last year. White won the their race resulted in more or less of a at City Hall, in the medley, and 1919 second heat in 36 2-5 seconds, and Wil- mix-up, and had to be run over. It and 1920 in the regular relay. In the proved easy for Coleman, altho Law- exactly what was the trouble, but the close, but Taylor gained slightly on rence was a close second. White put general idea is that Bates did not run Acoff. Bill Lawrence however proved up a good fight, but was forced to be enough laps. In spite of the fact that too much for White, and the race went content with third. The freshmen Bowdoin had a good lead, at the time to the Juniors. 1917 and 1920 split the

a favorite, both with contestants and ond time, near the end of the program, M. C. I. with Emery running, easily tuner arrived bright and early on Sataudience. There were thirty-five entries Bowdoin won by a lap. Wiggin, run-defeated this year. It is generally conceded ning for Bates handed Rice a good lead time, and Lewiston won for the second of the conspirators. Not to be comthat the man that get the start in this over Dostie. Rice however lost consid- time this year from E. L. H. S. also in The result of this event was a surprise ing the baton, and Smith succeeded in lead of Lewiston. to all. In spite of the fact that he lapping Jenkins, and loafing thru the was obliged to run the finals three times, last lap. The time, 2 minutes, 46 2-5 Dyer was first at the tape three times, seconds was remarkably fast. and was finally given the race. The first final was too fast for the judges, and fast. Westbrook defeated Bidde- the start. Three of these were seniors, and they failed to get the winner. A ford, and Portland was defeated by second trial was run, but Dyer stole, Deering. and a third race was necessary. This As usual, the half mile walk was time Bob showed that he deserved the one of the favorite events of the evenrace, and won fairly. The Juniors were ing, and was more hotly contested than not depending on Dyer alone however, ever. The indomnitable Soc. Bryant for they still had Taylor, Fowler, and came thru again however, and estab-Lawrence. Fowler, who had finished lished more firmly than ever his claim second in the other trials, was beaten to walking champion of Bates college. by Taylor in the finals. Lawrence was This race was not such an easy victory

were run off in two heats, and did not times headed Bryant. Crockett pulled bring forth much competition. Altho up from the rear, and managed to get this fact, they were only beaten by a in the preliminary heat, Coleman won fourth place. This event was almost from Quimby, in the finals Quimby a walk away for the Sophomores, three esaily won.

The hurdles completed the first part | redit.

The Twenty-Fourth Annual Interclass events were concerned, and the floor meet has come and gone, and the class was cleared for the field events. The of 1918 is to be hailed for the period of pole vault, and the standing broad one year, Champions, and well they de- jump were run off simultaneously, and serve the title. Coming into the meet after the intermission, the shot put, and

> The pole vault proved a feature, and very high. But Fowler won the event tried for the record, ten feet. Rice cleared nine feet.

> Woodman '20 had things all his own way in the standing broad jump, and won with a jump of nine feet and two inches, more than three inches ahead of ing within half an inch of Quimby.

The intermission was really only a considered this the best part of the as good support. The band in much im- a pretty bout, in which Adams seemed proved condition was present, and en- to have the better of his heavier opponlivened the evening with assorted tunes, ent. There was no decision however. The band was the most spirited thing '18 was very fast. Adam did not seem ment. There was sufficient to hold the boxing match between Arata and Hasplenty of noise, but it was not confined much amusement. Both men seemed to classes. The method in which the loath to damage each other, but patted smoothly. Coach Ryan deserves credit proval, and served its purpose. Soldier Adam will doubtless find good material for his boxing class in these two men.

Following the intermission came the relay races, which as usual were replete The twenty-five yard dash is always race. When the race was run the sec- not run.

The prep. school relays were close,

as those past however, for Alkazin and The twenty-five yard high hurdles Haskell were right in front, and at places, and ten points going to their

of the program as far as the running | The elimination trials in the class re

GOVERNOR MILLIKEN WILL PRESIDE AT DEBATE

BATES AND MAINE CLASH FRIDAY EVENING

Negative Team Speaks At Waterville

Governor Milliken when, acting as chairman, he announces the subject and speakers for the del ate tomorrow evening will start the action of what should be one of the best debates ever conbeen made for the accommodation of the students who will be unincumbered Chapel last Friday. and will thus sit together as a cheering to be proud of and this year should not governor of the state, a Bates worth attention.

has been arranged between any of the appreciative a gathering. colleges of the state. Now, however,

The question has already been menfor the Compulsory Arbitration of Labor of its martial strain and stirring effect. Disputes on Interstate Railroads. Quimby '18, Ames '19 and Dyer '17 "From the Southland." will speak in that order in City Hall pulsory arbitration at Waterville.

Remember that the time is eight o'clock and that every Bates man and woman can well afford to be present There is no admission and a fine opportunity to see two trained debating teams in action and witness the struggle of a Bates team for added honors for our debating record.

'20 won the third. The finals seems almost impossible to determine medley, Swasey, and Hobbs ran pretty placed a man, Wilson taking fourth. the second man finished, Bates won the points for second and third, and did person tinkered with the piano and put

race wins, regardless of his ability, erable, and Gross lost some more. Jen fast time. Watson of E. L. H. S. ran and this seemed to be true, this year. kins and Gross had a mix-up over pass- a fine race, and cut down materially the

The mile run was not as popular this year as last, owing to a rule which allowed each class to enter only three men. Still, only seven men lined up at purpose. who evidently entered the race as a as follows: joke. They were useful only in pacing Gregory for a few laps, and whatever their purpose was in entering, they did not accomplish it. Gregory was out to win, and had little difficulty, almost lapping Larkum who finished second. lapping Turner and Larson, who finished third and fourth.

The last event of the evening was the interclass relay between the Freshmen and Sophomores. This made the third race for the Freshmen, but in spite of few feet.

Whether or not our last track meet was a success financially or not remains to be seen, but it certainly was a success (Continued on Page Three)

MANY BATES STUDENTS HEARD RECITAL BY WILL C. MACFARLANE

FAMOUS ORGANIST HELD AUDI-ENCE SPELL-BOUND FOR AN HOUR AND A QUARTER

One Of The Best Recitals Of The Course

Students and friends of Bates were again privileged to hear Will C. Mactested in City Hall. All plans have Farlane, Municipal Organist of Portland in a lecture-recital at the College

The theme of this concert was the section. Last year the support afforded folk song. Mr. MacFarlane prefaced the team was a thing for all Bates men his first selection with a few remarks upon the history and the general imwitness a diminishing of interest. With portance of this branch of music. He said in part that the folk song was the Alumnus, as presiding officer, with vet- oldest form of music and might be eran debaters representing the college termed the germ of music, since all and having for their opponents skilled other forms have sprung from it. In speakers from our State university, reply to the tribute of thanks, which every Bates man will find the event well Professor Hartshorn expressed in introducing him, Mr. MacFarlane said that It has been only after several years he enjoyed it quite as much as the of endeavor that a triangular debate audience and was glad to play for so

Mendelssohn's Sixth Sonata was the while we are watching our debaters first number. Before playing the next here, another team from Bates will be selection, which was Dvorak's "Largo" bates that have thus far been held, MacFarlane spoke a few words about the affirmative and negative men have the composer. Dvorak is a Bohemian been equal matches and both have the of the present day. He spent three same chance for victory. This year is years in New York and while there was the last that three of the varsity will impressed by the southern melodies. represent their college and their final The influence of these may be traced work will surely be a climax to their in his Masterpiece "New World Symphony." The next composition was minutes and 15 seconds. "Finlandia" by Sibellius. The playtioned in the Student. Resolved, That ing of this was forbidden in Finland the Federal Government should provide by the Russian Government on account

The fourth number was Harvey Gaul's

One of Mr. MacFarlane's own selecupholding the affirmative, while Chayer tions was the last number. This '17, Tarbell '18 and Purinton '17 will "Scotch Fantasia", suggesting many of lines, follow that order in opposition to com- the old Scotch melodies, was especially

FRESHMEN PRIZE SPEAKING

CONTEST HELD IN HATHORN HALL SATURDAY AFTER-NOON

Frank L. I. Jenkins and Mary J. Hamilton The Prize Winners In An Excellent Program

On Saturday afternoon, the third, occurred the annual display of Freshman eloquence. The Sophomores were determined that the Freshmen should have a good chance to show whether or not they had a good supply of selfpossession. Accordingly, some bright it badly out of tune, but the pianourday morning, and undid all the work pletely frustrated, the vigilant Sophomores hid an alarm clock in some secret place, and timed it to go off during the fourth recitation. The speaker, however, was not a bit disturbed, but continued serenely to the end of his selection and the clock tinkled away to no

The program of the afternoon was

College Orchestra Prayer-Rev. Arthur DeWitt Paul Response

1. The Soul of the Violin. Alice Pauline Ferguson

Liberty and Union, Webster Guy Vernon Mason

The One-Legged Goose, Annabel Harriet Paris Reply to Mr. Cary,

Edward Berman College Orchestra

Americanism,

The Old Minstrel. Anonymous Mary Josephine Hamilton Roosevelt

Evan Albro Woodward

GOES TO HARVARD MEETS STIFF OPPOSITION Adam Loses By Close Decision

WRESTLING TEAM

Our wrestling team journeyed to Harvard last Saturday to compete in the New England Inter-Collegiate Wrestling Tournament. Altho it won no honors, it put up a good fight in the usual Bates fashion.

In the heavy-weight class Adam and his opponent furnished the star wrestling of the meet. Snow of Harvard, Adam's opponent, out-weighed him by at least 25 pounds. In spite of this, however, Snow was unable to gain a fall during the allotted time or during the two succeeding over-time periods of two minutes each. The decision was awarded to Snow by the referee on account of his greater aggressiveness. The match was so close that many of the spectators, including the trainer of the Yale squad, urged Adam to protest the decision. This Adam refused to do.

Buck DeWever, in the 175 pound class, was very unfortunate. The bout started in very well and it looked as tho Buck and his opponent, Potter of Yale, were evenly matched. It was over in a short time, however, for DeWever sprained the ligaments under his right speaking at Waterville. In trial de- from "New World Symphony". Mr. ribs and Potter received the fall in 1 minute and 37 seconds.

> Killain of Yale defeated Reed, our representative in the 135 pound class, by gaining a fall in 5 minutes and 35

> Voigtlander, in the 158 pound class, was defeated by Lowry of Yale in 5

> When it is understood that Voigtlander's and DeWever's opponents won out in the finals and that Reed's opponent reached the finals it will be seen that Bates ran up against the best men in the first trials. This record speaks well for Bates and should prove to be a stimulus to further efforts along these

At a meeting of the managers of the different teams represented, it was decided to hold the 1918 tournament at Yale on March 11.

7. Prior to Miss Bell's Appearance,

Vivian Beryl Edward

8. Toussaint L'Ouverture, Phillips Frank Lester Irving Jenkins College Orchestra

A Model Story in the Kindergar-Dafkan Rachel Louise Ripley

Zulu War, Sullivan Erwin Elverton Trask

"Swing Low, Sweet Chariot",

Mildred Arlene Soule 12. The Dignity of Labor,

Bernard Gould The judges, who where Mr. William M. Cullen, Rev. Arthur DeWitt Paul, and Miss May Ella Wescott, decided that Miss Hamilton and Mr. Jenkins

were the prize-winners. The committee of arrangements for the afternoon were Miss Lois Ames, Mr. Bernard Gould, and Mr. Felix Cutler.

1918 GIRLS CELEBRATE BASKET-BALL CHAMPIONSHIP

Friday night the Junior girls celebrated in fine style their basket-ball victory. At five o'clock in Milliken House a spread consisting of salad, sandwiches, pickles, hot coffee, ice cream and cake was immensely enjoyed Merrill by all. Dancing was next in order, and a short extemporaneous program. "Pete" Leathers toasted the basketball captain, Clara Fitts; Amy Lozier clogged; "Billie" Wright and "Dot" Haskell sang and acted out one of the latest popular songs; and "Peachy" Graham and Marjorie White, both in costume, rendered the song entitled "Romeo and Juliet". The cheerleader, Ruth Dresser, then assembled the girls, and Milliken House echoed with shouts for the team, the captain, the basketball players, the Juniors, and 1918,

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EDITORIALS

A notice has been posted on the bulletin boards for Freshmen editors for the Student. According to the Constitution of the Bates Publishing Association, on or before the first of March a issued and during the third week in April a man and woman from the entering class may take up their duties as regular members of the Editorial Staff, If several signify their intention of try ing out for such a position, each will be given various assignments to cover and those who show the most ability and willingness will be picked.

This year the Editors are desirous of finding those who are especially interested in the college paper and its makeup. Many have the required ability but need experience. This is primarily what this opportunity affords. Next fall a new board will be chosen and thus some indication of the desirability of new editors should be secured. If any Freshman wishes to gain some experience in work of this nature, here is given him all opportunity possible on much in the future as well as interestdo is to see the persons indicated on no, I don't suppose they do. the notices and find out the full details of the plan. The Class of 1920 has already established a reputation for ability in many forms of college activity; it

BATES-MAINE DEBATE

The college showed its appreciation of good athleties last evening at the Interthe same hall comes an opportunity, not ever we wish to use the room? merely to cheer our respective classes but a chance to stand behind a college team, the representatives of Bates. At the same time will three men be striving the hardest to uphold the honor of the college at Waterville. We cannot be with them, but we can show our visitors here that Bates backs her debaters with the near future. the same spirit that she does her ath-

BATES-MAINE HOCKEY

We are indeed glad to print the fol-Iowing letter which arrived just too late for our last issue. It is the verdict of the Bates campus that the Maine men showed both their ability on the rink this period of high food prices should and their sportmanship in general while with us and this letter should strengthen mittee, working in conjunction with Miss the feeling. May we entertain many such teams.

The communciation follows:

Orono, Maine, February 28, 1917.

Bates College, Lewiston. Dear Sir:-We would appreciate it very much if

Editor of the Bates Student.

you would find space in your paper for the following.

The members of the Maine Independent Hockey Club wish to thank the Bates men who treated them so royally while the Maine team was on the Bates campus. The courtesy with which the team was treated by the Bates manager and team cannot but strengthen a desire for more intimate relations between our two colleges.

The generous applause, both at the Commons and during the game showed the fairmindedness of the Bates men and created a warmer spot for Bates in the hearts of at least the group of Maine men who were present.

Our one hope is that we may play hosts to Bates men equally well in the near future.

With best wishes for success and a continuance of our pleasant relations.

> Sincerely yours, Edmund J. Dempsey, For the team,

OBSERVANT CITIZEN

AT THE SENIOR TABLE

"What are you going to do next car?

"Oh, t-e-a-e-h, I suppose, if I get a job."

"Teaching makes a good stepping stone for many of us, but it is pretty rough on the stepping stone."

"Also, there's a vast difference between getting grades and getting

The background for a part of the musical program at the Junior Party last week was full of local color-mostly pink.

Outdoor laboratory work has already begun in some of the courses.

About this "Who's who in 1917!" call for Freshmen candidates may be Have you voted for yourself yet? If not, remember that the time is short.

> Have you noticed the decreased atendance at breakfast among the Sophomores? The situation is apparently due to a dearth of alarm clocks in the Halls.

Found: An electric Klaxon, late model. Also batteries, and a quantity of wire. Owner may possibly have same by calling at heating plant, but we doubt it.

Two of the trees have been removed chapel, for the ostensible purpose of Tracy, '20, sang a solo, making it easier for Freshmen to get in and out of the building.

Anybody seen the gym record book?

notice the rapt expression on that dog's The chairman read a communication countenance last Thursday morning, as from Earle Harding, Bates '15, who is the college paper. It may be worth he listened to the organ voluntary? now at Princeton, and who heartily ing in the present. All anyone needs to thing out, Do numals reason? Well, that institution.

rooms must be fairly well decorated, to not be fully ready for the honor system boards.

settled questions of an athletic nature for a time, let's show a little of our enthusiasm in supporting our debating teams. We shall have an opportunity to-morrow night and at other times in

The letter from Maine printed in this symbol of good feeling between the two classes. After receiving a letter of appreciation like this we should take even more pride than ever in making visitors feel at home on our campus.

The condition of our Commons during surely be commended. The new Com-Craighead, deserves the highest praise for its effective work.

Four more weeks-then vacation.

Y. W. C. A.

Under the skillful guidance of the Junior girls, supplemented by the girls of the other classes as audience, last week's Y. W. C. A. meeting moved; there was nothing slow about it. It is an understood fact that girls can talk, but it is also well known that talking does not of a necessity mean saying anything. However, this was certainly not the case with the Junior girls for they had something to say; knew how to say it, and said it. What more could any meeting need?

Keturah Manter was the leader of the meeting; she served to preserve the unity of the same by reading the scripture lesson, introducing the speakers, and otherwise hinging things together

Doris Ingersoll sang that almost universal favorite: "Oh Dry Those Tears." She showed that it is a song not of necessity fitted for male voices only.

Evelyn Hussey was the principal speaker of the evening. She gave that which, if slang was only in good form to use to describe a Y. W. C. A. meet ing, would be characterized as some speech. She gave plenty of good advice, but it was not a bit the preachy kind. It was the kind that you listen to rather than think of something else while it is being given.

Miss Hussey told the girls that every one of them could be better; that all of them could do better, and she went case. She stated the need of certain qualities by every girl, particularly sin- ficial light. cerity, purposefulness, and kindness, and she illustrated by giving specific ex- feel there is trouble with them, but amples of what these qualities mean to consult a girls. She also impressed the girls with her belief that everyone needs a few minutes of the day for prayer and for thinking of the big worthwhile things of life. All thru the speech were quotations from men, who have known the big things and have done things. A Bates Improvement Society would not be a bad society to start, and perhaps Miss Hussey's speech gave some the idea that "modern improvements" for all of us would not be wholly amiss.

The remainder of the meeting consisted of informal talks by different girls about what they had noticed; what they had learned, or what they hoped to accomplish or improve. These little speeches helped to make the meeting one given by all the girls instead of for all of them.

Y. M. C. A.

Honor System Discussed

The meeting of the Y. M. C. A. on Wednesday evening, February 28, was turned over to the members themselves for a discussion of the honor system. from the immediate vicinity of the Tarbell. '18, opened the meeting. L.

Several of the men spoke on the subject. Some were definitely in favor of an honor system, some were as definitely opposed, and many felt that it was a Music hath charms, etc. Did you subject for further thought and study. And then Prof. MacDonald put the poor favors the system as he has seen it in

It seemed to be the general opinion The walls in some of our dormitory of those present that, while Bates may judge from the regularity with which as in force in some colleges, it would ity in many forms of college activity; it should not be unrepresented in this boards. be well to establish an honor tradition, such as that of Ohio State University. rested that the Soneone has been wearing track shoes erary clubs be encouraged to discuss the in our beautiful gym. And, while we subject of student honor. The members are on this subject, is it necessary to voted to continue the present "steering entertain boys from the city so fre committee" in office until June, with quently that we have to wait for them the power of adding new members. class Meet, now tomorrow evening in to finish a game of basket-ball when The committee was authorized, also, to negotiate with the student council for Now that the indoor track meet has its support in any measures which the committee undertakes.

UNION MEETING OF U. A. C. U. AND SENIORITY

Seniority and U. A. C. C. held a union meeting in Libbey Forum last Saturday week's editorial column is certainly a evening. Miss Mary Cleaves '17 pressided and Professor Gould was the speaker. His subject was "Pork, or on food-stuffs small in itself but large how the High Cost of the Government affects the High Cost of Living." He interesting and instructive. mentioned, as causes for extra expense, the salaries of the senators and representatives, the expenses of their mileage river and harbor improvements, which lack of progress made by man in govare out of proportion to the need, erning himself.

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Whoever takes a broad view of the history of the seas during the past half and franking privileges, the payment of century must be profoundly impressed pensions to soldiers and widows of sol- by two shocking facts. One is the wondiers of wars long finished, as well as derful progress made by man in his the appropriations for buildings and domination of nature. The other is the



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JUNIORS WON INTER-CLASS Bates 1918 won-Time 3 minutes 47 MEET WITH A TOTAL seconds.

OF 50 POINTS (Continued from Page One)

as far as excitement and interest was concerned. Coach Ryan, and Manager Davis took for their slogan this year, 'Make this meet the biggest, and best ever", and they certainly did it. The Junior class well deserved to win, and Relay Race between Edward Little High owes much to five or six men who made their victory possible. The Sophomores were satisfied with beating the Freshmen, and the Freshmen can take some consolation in having not finished last. The Seniors are not supposed to have any feeling as far as track is concerned, but they did bestir themselves sufficiently to get a team out, and did what they could to make the meet a success, and the competition keener. They really had some good men out, but fortune decreed that they should have a minimum of points. Quimby is still the highest point winner and gathered ten and one-half points last night. Dyer, and Fowler each netted seven These three men won 24 points, or near ly half the winning total, and more than three times the Senior total. The summary, and the list of officials follow:

Potato Race 1st heat won by Coleman '18, second Gould '18. Time 35 seconds.

2nd heat won by White '19; second, Lawrence '18. Time 36 2-5 seconds. 3rd heat won by Wilson '20; second,

Hobbs '18. Time, 37 2-5 seconds. Finals won by Coleman '18; second Lawrence '18; third, White '19; fourth,

Wilson '20. Time 35 2-5 seconds. Twenty-five Yard Dash

First heat won by Taylor '18. Time 3 2-5 seconds.

Second heat won by Wiggin '20 and Connor '17 tied for first. Time 3.2. Third heat won by Davis '17. Time,

Fourth heat won by Fowler '18 and Dyer '18 tied for first. Time, 3 3-5

seconds. Fifth heat won by Lawrence '18,

Time, 3 3-5 seconds. Finals won by Dyer '18; second, Tay lor '18; third, Fowler '18; fourth, Law

rence '18. Time 3 1-5 seconds. Twenty-five Yard High Hurdles First heat won by Coleman '18; second, Connors '17. Time 4 1-5 seconds.

First heat won by Quimby '18; see ond, Gross '20. Time, 4 1-5 seconds. Finals won by Quimby '18; second, Coleman '18; third, Gross '20; fourth, Connors '17. Time, 4 1-5 seconds.

Shot Put Won by DeWever '17, distance 4 ft. 71/4 inches; second, Adam '19, distance 41 ft. 114 inches; third, Dyer '18 distance 39 ft. 9 3-8 inches; fourth, Ross

'18, distance, 39 ft. 61/4 inches. High Jump Won by Gifford '20, height 5 ft. 2

inches; second and third tied by Swasey '19 and Quimby '18, height 5 ft.; fourth tied by Boober '18 and Woodman '20, height 4 ft. 10 inches. Standing Broad Jump

Won by Woodman '20, distance 9 ft. 2% inches; second by Quimby '18, distance 8 ft. 11 inches; third, Maxim '19, distance ft. 1012 inches; fourth, Taylor '18, distance, 8 ft. 81/2 inches.

Pole Vault

inches; second, Rice '20, distance, 9 6 inches; fourth, Boober '18, height, 8 ft. 6 inches.

Half Mile Walk

fourth place, Crockett '20. Time, 4 minutes, 15 3.5 seconds.

One Mile Run

'19; third, Turner '20; fourth, Larson other recognized subject in the college their appreciation of literature, 19. Time, 5 minutes, 23 seconds. Relay Race Between Bowdoin 1920 and

Bates 1920 Bowdoin-Dostie, Cleaves, Allen,

Bates-Wiggin, Rice, Gross, F. Jen-

Bowdoin won-Time, 2 minutes 46 2-5 seconds. Relay Race between Biddeford High

School and Westbrook Seminary Biddeford-Bergeron, Howard, Jon-

cas, Murphy.

and White.

Westbrook-Hennigar, Murray, Redmond, Smart.

Finals for Medley Relay between Bates 1918 and Bates 1919

Lawrence. Bates 1919-Swasey, Acoff, Larkum

Relay Race between Maine Central Institute and Leavitt Institute

M. C. I.-Tierney, Jellison, Houston

and Emery.

Leavitt Institute-Briggs, Beals, Heddy, Wilson.

M. C. I. won-Time 1 minute 22 see onds.

School and Lewiston High School E. L. II. S .- Grovo, MacBurnie, R.

Watson and L. Watson. Lewiston-Flynn, Miller, Wiseman, In New England, Smith, Wellesley, and

Lewiston won-Time, 1 minute 22 3-5 seconds.

School and Deering High School Portland H. S.-Anderson, Morse, Nash, Walsh.

Deering H. S.-Rummery, Caldwell, ohnson and Conrod. Deering H. S. won-Time 1 minute

21 1-5 seconds. Finals for Interclass Relay Race between Bates 1919 and Bates 1920

Bates 1919-Maxim, Baker, Harmon Bates 1920-Wiggin, Rice, Gross, F.

Jenkins. Won by Bates 1919-Time 1 minute 23 seconds.

Officers of the Evening Honorable Referee, Mayor L. J.

Referee, Dr. W. W. Bolster, Lewiston.

Starter, Coach M. J. Ryan. Timers, Coach J. J. Magee. Bowdoin; Roger A. Green, Lewiston; J. J. Meehan, Lewiston.

Clerk of Course, Frank E. McDonald, 17. Assistant, P. R. Webb, '17; Murray

H. Watson, '19. Judges of Finish, Prof. G. E. Rams dell, Bates; Prof. F. E. Pomeroy, Bates; Dr. Archer Jordan, Auburn; L. H. Marston, Bowdoin.

Judges of Floor Events-F. H. Pierce, Lewiston; H. H. Sampson, Bowdoin; R. A. Shepard, M. C. I.; D. E. Andrews, Bates.

Announcer, C. A. Thurston, '18, Inspectors, Prof. II. H. Britan, Bates: Ernest M. Moore, Deering; William H. awyer, Bates; John L. Reade, Lewiston; W. F. Manuel, Westbrook Seminary.

Scorers, P. W. Lane, '17; E. B. Moulton, '18.

COLLEGE NOTES

At a recent meeting of the Bowdoin Freshmen, the question of a wet or dry banquet was brought up and discussed. The result of the subsequent voting was a victory for the drys by a vote of 59 to 23.

Rutgers College recently celebrated its 150th anniversary with commemora tive exercises.

IMPORTANCE OF BIBLE STUDY RECOGNIZED BY MANY COLLEGES

Bates In Class A

The Boston Transcript for February will interest renders of the Student. It curriculum. At present approximately their deficiences in teaching force and pathy with the characters. equipment so that they are now of first have made progress.

"It is now becoming generally underclassic or any book of social teaching, teachers must be well qualified and Bates 1918-Hobbs, Taylor, Baker and library facilities must be up to date.

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Mount Holyoke are all in the A class, while only Bates, Brown, Boston University, Harvard and Yale can claim Relay Race between Portland High that distinction among the men's colleges.

CHAPEL PROGRAM

March 7-15

1. Adagio in A flat, Dunham Gounod Marche Romaine,

Saturday Zitterbart Romance, Niedermeyer Maestoso,

Monday Delibes Arioso. Barrell Sortie,

Tuesday 1. Melody and Capriceio, Lemaigre Volckmar Postlude,

Wednesday 1. Prelude in C sharp minor, Vodorinska

2. Offertoire de Ste. Cécile, No. 2 Thursday

1. Andante from 1st Symphony, Beethoven 2. Fantaise, Flavell

FRESHMEN WIN INTERCLASS HOCKEY FROM SOPHOMORES

The first and probably the last of the interclass hockey games was played on Lake Andrews, last Thursday, and resulted in an easy victory for the Freshmen. The ice was submerged under about thre inches of water, and the game degenerated into what is commonly known as shinney. It was impossible to shoot for one of the goals; and what scores were made at this end of the rink were mostly accident. The Freshmen displayed superior skill, and deserved to win the game. The sum-

mary: Freshmen 3 Sophomores 1 Burns, l.w. l.w., Tilton Ribero, c. c., Talbot Woodward, r.w. r.w., Baker Cutler, r. r., Larkum Buker, c.p. c.p., g., Stillman p., Stone Wilder, p. g., c.c., Stonier Johnson, g.

Goals, Woodward 2, Burns 3, Cutler 2, Ribero 2, Talbot 1. Referee, Dunean.

Receives New Members

The weekly meeting of the Spofford Hub was held on Tuesday evening in Libbey Forum, Alice E. Lawry, '17. vice-president of the organization, presided. Several new members from the Sophomore class, who had been elected at the preceding meeting were admitted to the club. They were Gladys E. Won by Fowler '18, height, 9 ft. 3 28 contains the following items that Holmes. Hazel E. Hutchins, Marion F. Lewis, Albert C. Adams, and Cecil T. ft.; third, Lundholm '20, height 8 ft concerns the meeting of the Religious Holmes. Miss Lawry spoke briefly of Education Association in Boston, Feb. the history of the club and of its aims 2 to March I. The item is contained in and purposes. She mentioned some of the report of the secretary of the Associ- the well-known persons who have spoken ation of Bible Teachers in the Colleges before the club, and others who have Alkazin '19; third place Haskell '19; of the United States. "Outlining the promised to do so in the future. She standardization of college Bible depart. extended to the incoming members an ments, the secretary said that recently earnest welcome, and expressed the hope tests have been made in an effort to that they might find in the club the Won by Gregory '19; second, Larkum place Bible study on a par with any means of cultivating and preserving

> Owing to the temporary change in the 250 of the leading universities and col time of the Christian Association meetleges of the country have been exings, it was necessary to abbreviate the amined. Out of that number only program, and only two numbers were about fifty are eligible to the A class. given. Floyd Norton, '18, read an orig-There has been, however, a decided im- inal story. The plot was ingenious, and provement within the year. Some in- was eleverly developed. The reading stitutions last year not able to qualify was thoroughly enjoyed, the realistic for more than the B class have supplied touches keeping one in constant sym-

Annie L. Leathers, '18, read an essay grade and others in the C and D group dealing with certain phases of Hebrew literature and especially with the effects of nature and the earlier events in the stood that the Bible is as worthy of life of the Hebrew nation upon the Westbrook won-Time 1 minute 25 a place in the college curriculum as any poetry of the people. Quotations from the Psalms, the highest type of the and if it is worthy of such a place nation's poetry, brought out these relationships. The production showed extensive and careful preparations.

The taking of the Spofford picture, an to have paid more attention to high- annual event, was set for the following

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FACTS AND FABLES

The Freshman girls from both Rand and Whittier met at Whittier House on Thursday evening, March the first, to celebrate the birthday of Miss Louise Perkins. The guests all did justice to the spread that was served, and sewed and talked until the eight o'clock whistle reminded everyone that study hours had begun.

Miss Lillian Dunlap spent the week end at her home in Richmond, Maine.

Mr. Elwood Ireland gave a party to several of the Bates men and women at his home on Saturday evening, March the third. Games were played and refreshments were served. Those present were Misses Frances Garcelon, Ernestine Wright, Esther Fisher, Lois Ames, Elinor Puree, Alice Ferguson, Dorothy Crowell and Verna Greenleaf, and Henry Johnson, Frank Bridges, Felix Cutler, Evan Woodward, Stanton Woodman, Clarence Walton and Carlton Wiggin.

That Atlantic cable constructed by the sophomores for the benefit of the freshmen prize speaking division, "was born to blush unseen" or better-rigged to ring unheard.

Speed Turner: "There is something just this side of Gardner -"

Prof .: "There may be but I doubt

Coach Ryan and Manager Davis are to be congratulated for running the meet off so smoothly.

Any way we can be thankful for those high ridges which the previous

Our wrestling team made a good showing, we are proud of them. We hope they will continue to train and practice so that next year, if it is possible, we may send them to a number of meets.

We understand that only one blunder was made on the trip of the wrestling team. One of the fellows grasped and heartily shook the extended hand of the porter who came running down the hotel steps to take his suit case.

Commons leaves nothing to be desired these days. Under present conditions the management is to be congratulated in doing so well.

Perhaps we are wrong but the matter is at least worth consideration. Is the library open long enough during the day? Would it be more convenient for any number of people if it were open most of the noon and supper hours? Is it open long enough at night or would it be to our advantage to have it open until 9.30 or 10 o'clock?

Carl Stone, '17, had charge of the History department at Edward Little High School during a part of last week.

The Seniors are hard at work upon their orations, which are due March 15. The Phil Hellenic Club meets this evening at Libbey Forum.

Percy Winslow, '20, spent last Sunday at home.

Merton White, '18, entertained his brother, Leon White of Bangor, over

Allan Mansfield, '15, was a recent visitor on the campus.

Shirley J. Rawson, Bates '14, with the creasing rapidly. high school basket-ball team from country on the globe.

excursion to Paradise Farm, Tuesday The latter committee reports a total night. An excellent oyster stew, served by Mrs. Kendry, was the feature of the trip. After the "feed" a short business meeting was held.

Sunday afternoon in Fiske Room, Miss Black, of Gorham Normal School, spoke to the Bates girls on the subject of Eight Weeks Clubs. Tea was served.

Raymond Blaidsell and Edwin Purinton, '19, have been coaching the debating team of Leavitt Institute.

The prep-school relay men, who ran at the Indoor Meet, were entertained last night at the Commons. Among these teams were Portland High School, "Monte" Moore's Deering team, "Bill" Manuel's bunch from Westbrook, Leavitt Institute, Biddeford High, and Ray Shepard's team from M. C. I. The Biddeford and M. C. I. teams remained on the campus over night.

Everybody out for the debate tomorrow night.

Philip R. Webb, '17, spent the week end visiting relatives at Hebron.

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Just when we were beginning to smell spring in the air along came a sixty-mile an hour blizzard. have been heard to make the encouraging remark that this signifies merely the beginning of a second winter.

S. Lester Duffett, '18, and Warren A. Duffett, '20, have returned from their home in Framingham, Mass., where they were called by the death of their

The support given by the students at the track meet last night was certainly appreciated by all concerned.

In regard to the much talked of ranks of last semester, the joy of expectation was in many cases much keener than that of realization. Perhaps after all our delay in receiving these ranks was merely sympathetic forethot on the part of the faculty.

Y. M. C. A. ELECTS OFFICERS Reports of Departments Given By Chairmen

The annual meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the Roger Williams assembly hall on Tuesday evening, February 6. Upham, '17, sang a solo.

The reports of the various departments and committees in charge of the many branches of the Y. M. C. A. work were presented at this meeting. Hinton, '17, chairman of the Voluntary Study Department, outlined the work done by his committee during the past year, and made concrete suggestions for the coming year. His report showed an average attendance of 83 at the voluntary study groups during the year.

Bacon, '17, presented a comprehensive report of the work done by the eight committees in the department of Campus Service for the association year. In some respects, this department is the most important unit of the Y. M. C. A.'s work, and its helpfulness has been in-

The report of the Administration De-Mexico (Maine), paid us a brief visit partment was read by Lawrence, '18. recently. We are glad to have visitors This department includes the publicity and The girl's Athletic Board held an mittee, and the membership committee. membership in the association of 246 members.

> Chayer, '17, reported for the committee on Religious Education, and Green, '17, for the committee on Community Service. Both made recommendations for the coming year.

Purinton, '17, the retiring president, made a brief speech, reviewing the work of the old year and suggesting improvements for the new year. The reports as a whole were very enlightening as to the real nature and amount of work actually done in the college by the association.

Lawrence, '18, stated that he would be unable to accept the nomination for the office of president. The officers elected for the ensuing year are as follows: President, Canfield, '18; Vice-President, Jordan, '19; Secretary, May, '20; Treasurer, Rowe, '12. The two new members of the advisory board are Lawrence, '18, and Southey, '19. The financial standing of the organization was considered in the report of the General Secretary and Treasurer, Harry

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Rowe. The meeting was adjourned somewhat later than the usual hour.

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Practically every member of the Junior class turned out Saturday night to the class party in Roger Williams Hall. The room was decorated with banners of every kind and description, and screens around the platform and one corner of the room immediately aroused the curiosity of all. The mystery was soon solved. After a short march the program was opened with a selection by the Mandolin Girls, the Misses Leathers, Harvey, Dresser, Haskell, Schafer, and Miss McCann at the piano. Behind the screens a row of heads suddenly appeared and the Polly Wolly Doodle girls sang a clever ditty. When they came to the chorus, much to the amusement of all, their heads suddenly disappeared and feet waving in the air. Then followed a short play entitled "A Typical Evening in Rand Hall." Those taking part were the Misses Graham, White, Mc-Cann, Drake, Wright and Haskell.

After a short intermission the entertainment continued. The boys gave a long sketch consisting of a mandolin orchestra, a mandolin duet, clever parodies and stories. Mr. Quackenbush sang two solos, Mr. Stinson gave a humorous reading, and Hobbs and Thurston, blacked up, delighted the company with clever songs and witty jokes on different members of the audience. A Hawaian melody was rendered by Dyer, Quackenbush, Thurston, and Hopkins.

This closed the program and refreshments were served. During the evening the varied attempts of the inmates of the upper floors of the hall to disturb the audience with alarm clocks, effigies, whistles, and other devices, were of no avail.

The chaperones were Prof. and Mrs. MacDonald, and Mr. and Mrs. Coleman. The committee of arrangements was chairman, Blanche Wright, and Miriam Schafer, Donald Swett, Donald Hopkins.