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MILLIKEN ADDRESSES FORUM

GOVERNOR SPEAKS ON BUDGET SYSTEM TO INTERESTED AUDIENCE

Last Monday evening Governor Milliken spoke at an open meeting of the Bates Forum in Chase Hall, concerning the State budget system, of which he was the founder in Maine. He was introduced by Charles Starbird, '21, president of the Forum. The Governor began his talk by condemning the present method of carrying on business in many States, and even recommended that the budget system be adopted by Congress as a national policy of business efficiency. He went on to outline briefly the process of conducting the business of the State, both when the legislature is in session and when it is not, as a basis for further discussion of the budget system itself. He explained the duties and powers of the Governor and Council, the committee system of handling bills and resolves, and in general the machinery of State legislation and administration.

"The important thing about a budget system," said the speaker, "is that it concerns itself with both sides of a matter." He pointed out that under the old system of appropriations, no attention was paid to the amount of revenue available, until the Governor saw fit to call a halt on expenditures, when it was likely to be discovered that the necessary things had been left unprovided for in abundance.

He pointed out the fact that the British system of government is better suited to the budget than is our own, for the reason that appropriations must always originate with the department which is to spend the money, and also because the heads of governmental departments must appear in person on the floor of the House of Commons to present their appropriations.

Our problem, he declared, is to approximate the British situation as far as the budget is concerned. He outlined several methods of attacking the situation, among them the radical system in vogue in Maryland, where the budget is made up by the Governor, and may be decreased, but not increased, by the legislature. The ideal method, he suggested, is to approximate the results of this system, or the British system, without any legislation.

He then outlined the system which he himself introduced into the business affairs of the State of Maine. The only act in the statutes which is intended to facilitate the working of the budget system is an act compelling the state auditor to submit a report of the requests for appropriations received by him. This report is the basis for deliberations by the Governor and Council, together with the legislature committees on appropriations, and the committees interested in special details of the budget. A series of general budget hearings is held, as a result of which a budget is presented to the legislature, showing the balance, the necessary tax rate, and the other necessary data for the benefit of the legislators. All this work is done during the first few weeks of the session, a period of time which has formerly been practically wasted. The speaker pointed out the manifest benefits received from the adoption of this budget system, in the form of an agreement between the Governor and the legislature. In 1917, he said, the budget was approximately thirteen million dollars, and the actual appropriations did not vary from the budget by more than \$30,000. Furthermore, every variation was brought to the Governor

BATES INTERSCHOLASTIC TRACK MEET COMING

MORE THAN FIFTEEN SCHOOLS MAY BE REPRESENTED HERE ON JUNE 5

The first interscholastic track meet held under the supervision of Bates College is to take place on Garecelon field, June 5. It is hoped that from 15 to 20 schools will be represented in this meet. Probably contestants are Cony, Gardiner, Hebron, M. C. I., Lincoln Academy, Westbrook, Wilton Academy, Camden High, Buckfield High, Belgrade High and Skowhegan High. Arrangements will be made for two classes of contestants that each of the schools may have fast competition with others of its own class. Coach Smith has put much time and interest into the preparation of this meet. Manager Philbrook has already been through one of the most successful track meets in the history of Maine athletics and is still on the job. It is up to the college to lend a hand here and there during this school-boy meet and above all to make these boys feel at home on the Bates campus.

COLLEGES NEED CHRISTIAN BASIS

PRESIDENT-ELECT OF BATES COLLEGE OUTLINES IDEAS AT ALUMNI MEETING

What the "Courant" Says
If we are to make education safe to democracy, it must be related to vital christianity; without this christian basis a college betrays the purpose of its founders," said Rev. Dr. Clifton D. Gray, president-elect of Bates College, in an address given last night at the eleventh annual meeting of the Connecticut Valley Alumni Association of Bates College, held at the home of Dr. and Mrs. W. N. Thompson, No. 190 Retreat avenue.

Over fifty alumni were present at the meeting. A reception was given Dr. Gray, after which he spoke on matters pertaining to the advancement of Bates College at Lewiston, Me. He said that the college is showing a steady and healthy growth. Its enrollment this year is 501 and more applications for admission next fall have been received than in any previous year.

Dr. Gray is a graduate of Harvard, class of 1897. He later received a degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the University of Chicago. He has been

for consideration and approved by him before being adopted by the legislature. The fact that the budget is the result of the combined judgment of the Governor and the legislature is the distinctive feature of the Maine budget system.

The system will be further developed by the formation of a regularly appointed budget committee of the legislature, which will prepare a budget, acting with the Governor and Council, and have it ready for presentation at the opening of the next session. The advantage of this scheme will be the time saved by this new arrangement, and the corresponding disadvantage will be in the fact that each legislature will have to take its budget from the representatives of the preceding legislature, not from its own committees.

In conclusion the Governor again urged the necessity for introducing the budget system into national finances.

M. I. A. A. GAMES HOWLING SUCCESS

BURKE TWINS AND WIGGIN STAR FOR BATES

Goodwin of Bowdoin, Pratt of Maine, and Mercer of Colby ran fast races. Colby takes a large share of weight events.

Bowdoin cleans up in the hurdles. Attendance 1,359 without officials and aids.

The track meet held by the Maine Intercollegiate Athletic Association at Garecelon field May 15, started at 10 A. M. with the trials for the 440 yd. dash. The second heat won by Pratt of Maine was the fastest heat of the day in this event.

Trial Heats—1st heat won by Castle of Maine; second, Batten of Bates; third, Young of Bowdoin. Time: 52.1.

Second heat won by Pratt of Maine; Smith of Bowdoin, second; Palmer of Bowdoin, third. Time: 52.1.

In the trials of the high hurdles (120 yds.) Woodman of Bates pushed Moses of Bowdoin to the fastest heat of the day.

Trials—1st heat won by Thompson of Bowdoin; Anderson of Maine, second. Time 18.

Second heat won by Moses of Bowdoin; Woodman of Bates, second. Time 17.1.

220 yd. dash: Trials—1st heat won by Parent of Bowdoin; Pinkham of Maine, second; Butler of Bowdoin, third. Time 23.3.

Second heat won by Thomas of Maine; Averill of Bowdoin, second; Dostie of Bowdoin, third. Time 23.2.

Third heat won by Pratt of Maine; Wiggin of Bates, second; Lindley of Bates, third. Time 23.4.

Low hurdles (220 yds. Trials—1st heat won by Parent of Bowdoin; Anderson of Maine, second; Leighton of Bowdoin, third. Time 27.2.

Second heat won by Thompson of Bowdoin; Rose of Bates, second; Dunn of Maine, third. Time 28.1.

Third heat won by Moses of Bowdoin; Dolbeare of Colby, second; Kelly of Maine, third. Time 28.1.

Extra trial heat run by 2nd place men won by Anderson of Maine.

Trials in the shot put, won by Brakewood of Colby; Cook of Colby, second; Galveriski of Bates, third; Zeitler of Bowdoin, fourth; Bisson of Bowdoin, fifth. Dis. 36.16.

Trials in hammer throw, won by Cook of Colby; Ellms of Bowdoin, second; Zeitler of Bowdoin, third. Dis. 114.17.

Trials in running broad jump, won by Libby of Maine; Parent of Bowdoin, second; Pratt of Maine, third; Pinkham of Maine, fourth; Moses of Bowdoin, fifth; Dostie of Bowdoin, sixth.

Trials in running high jump: Qualifying for the finals—Dostie, Fish and Philbrook of Bowdoin. Webster for Bates. Sewall and Aekley for Maine. W. Berry and Crook for Colby.

The afternoon program was scheduled to start at 2.15. During the noon hour a warm shower had sprinkled the track and settled the dust in the roadways. Although the sky was still overcast and threatening a greater part of the crowd had found seats before two o'clock. The new bleachers directly in front of the grandstand were reserved for Bates rooters. The bleachers beyond the finish were given over to Maine followers and the new enlarged edition of bleachers opposite the quarter-pole was packed with Bowdoin fans and those who did not desire seats in the grandstand. Across the diamond a new set of knock-down bleachers was partially filled with the Colby supporters. Maine, Bowdoin and Colby, each sported a band while Bates added to the din with a large cheering section. The sky changed aspects several times during the afternoon but not enough rain fell to dampen the enthusiasm of the crowd or to make any difference in the speed of the runners.

The afternoon's program was started with the trial heats of the 100 yd. dash. (Continued on Page Three)

BATES GAME FROM FORT WILLIAMS

SUBSTITUTES SHOW UP WELL IN GAME AT PORTLAND

Bates won out in a game played with Fort Williams at Cape Cottage, May 13. The features of the day were furnished by Davis and Langley. Davis hit twice, one of his drives going for two bases. Langley hit 3 times out of five times up. Wiggin and Ebner also hit well for Bates. This is the third errorless game Bates has played this season. The score:

| BATES | | FORT WILLIAMS | |
|---------------|----|---------------|----|
| AB | R | IB | BH |
| Wiggin, 3b | 6 | 2 | 2 |
| Van Vloten, c | 5 | 2 | 1 |
| Langley, rf | 5 | 3 | 3 |
| Davis, cf | 5 | 2 | 2 |
| Burns, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Cusick, p | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Spiller, p | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Young, ss | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Ebner, lf | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| Canter, 2b | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Jordan, 2b | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| Totals | 45 | 12 | 12 |

| BATES | | FORT WILLIAMS | |
|----------------|----|---------------|----|
| AB | R | IB | BH |
| Ledou, rf | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Patterson, cf | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Bolte, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| McCandless, 2b | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Polowski, 3b | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| Lacy, 3b | 2 | 0 | 1 |
| McGraw, ss | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| Walsh, 1b | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Smith, c | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Dill, p | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 33 | 1 | 5 |

Two base hits, Davis. Stolen bases, Cusick, Ebner. Struck out, by Cusick 3; by Spiller 1. Wild pitches, Dill 2. Passed balls, Smith 2. Hit by pitcher, by Dill, Burns. Earned runs, Bates 5, Fort 1. Time of game, 1 hr. 55 min. Empire, Ostergren.

SOPHOMORE DEBATES

AFFIRMATIVE TEAMS WIN—MISS BECKER AND MR WATTS BEST INDIVIDUAL DEBATERS

Contests Produce Most Strenuous Fireworks, with Oratory Much in Evidence

A new arrangement of sophomore debates was tried out at Hathorn Hall, Bates College, last evening, when two debates were staged, the first for the women, the second for the men. In the women's debate, the affirmative team, composed of Mary Clifford, of South Paris and Elizabeth Becker of New Brunswick, New Jersey, won a unanimous decision over the negative team: Lola Mitchell of Sabattus, and Virginia Mixer of Norway. The individual prize for the best debater was awarded to Miss Becker.

The prize for the men's debate went to the affirmative by a two to one decision of the judges. This team was composed of John Ashton of Lewiston, and Aurie Johnson, of Buffalo, New York. Robert Watts of Portland received the individual prize for the men. His colleague in the debate was George Hutchinson of Readfield Depot.

The class committee in charge of the affair was composed of Harold W. Mather, Lawrence D. Kimball, Lill E. Herling and Emroy Magwood. Doctor F. D. Tubbs presided. The board of judges included Charles W. Bickford, Superintendent of Schools, F. H. Pierce, principal of Jordan High School, and Mrs. George M. Chase. Robert Jordan '21, acted as timekeeper.

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THE SECOND TEAM DEFEATS M. C. I.

HARD HITTING AND SPEED ON THE BASES GAVE SECONDS A LONG LEAD

The second team defeated Maine Central Institute on Garecelon field Friday afternoon. The seconds made only three errors and touched up M. C. I. for 13 hits. Capt. Mosher, Jordan, and Burrill clouted the ball for three bases.

Capt. Smith gave all the players a chance at the game and sent some of them in twice by consent of "Hod" Maxim, the M. C. I. coach, who made up for the privilege by taking his turn at the bat and squeezing in a run.

Bates pushed over the first score in the second and after that only the scorekeeper was able to follow the plays. Base stealing seemed to be popular with the boys who worked out 16 bases in this manner. The Bates men hit well at all times but especially well when hits were needed. McAllister proved himself to be a strikeout pitcher by fanning 9 men in 5 2-3 innings. The score:

| M. C. I. | | BATES | |
|-----------------|----|-------|----|
| AB | R | IB | BH |
| Gonya, cf | 4 | 1 | 2 |
| Craig, 2b | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| White, ss, 1b | 5 | 2 | 3 |
| Martin, p, ss | 5 | 1 | 2 |
| Emery, 3b | 5 | 0 | 1 |
| Chisholm, 1b, p | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Hunt, lf | 1 | 2 | 0 |
| Osgood, c | 4 | 1 | 1 |
| Swett, rf | 3 | 1 | 0 |
| Maxim, x | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| Totals | 35 | 9 | 11 |

| M. C. I. | | BATES | |
|-------------------|----|-------|----|
| AB | R | IB | BH |
| Young, ss | 2 | 0 | 0 |
| A. Johnson, rf, 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Mosher, 2b | 5 | 1 | 3 |
| Hall, 1b | 4 | 0 | 1 |
| McAllister, p, 3b | 3 | 2 | 1 |
| Jordan, 3b, c | 3 | 3 | 2 |
| Hathaway, rf, p | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Kenerson, lf | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Chamberlain, lf | 1 | 0 | 1 |
| Burrill, lf, ss | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| E. Johnson, cf | 5 | 1 | 1 |
| Kendall, c | 3 | 1 | 1 |
| Cleaves, lf | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Woodbury | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| Totals | 34 | 15 | 13 |

x Batted for Swett in 9th.
z Also batted for Young in 6th.

M. C. I. 0 0 0 1 0 0 1 7—9
Bates Second 0 3 2 1 2 4 3 x—15

Hits and earned runs off McAllister 5 and 0 in 5 2-3 innings, off Hathaway 6 and 4 in 2 1-3, off Martin 11 and 7 in 6, off Chisholm 1 and 0 in 1. Two base hit, White. Three base hits, Martin, Mosher, Jordan, Burrill. Sacrifices, Young, McAllister. Runs driven in by Martin 3, Chisholm, Jordan, E. Johnson, Hathaway, Chamberlain, McAllister. Stolen bases, Mosher, Hall 2, McAllister, Jordan 3, Woodbury, Hathaway 2, Chamberlain, Burrill 2, Kendall, Cleaves 2. Caught stealing, White 2. First base on balls off Martin 3, McAllister 2, Hathaway 4, Chisholm 1. First base on errors, M. C. I. 2, Bates Second 4. Left on bases, M. C. I. 8, Bates Second 8. Double play, Kendall and Young. Wild pitches, Martin, 3, Chisholm 1. Passed ball, Osgood. Struck out by Martin 5, Chisholm 1, McAllister 9, Hathaway 6. Umpire, Bly. Time 2 hours.

There is to be an interclass meet on Garecelon field in about two weeks. Particulars in the next issue. There is little doubt as to which class will win.

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EDITORIALS

THE OLD BATES FIGHT

The conduct of a few men at the game with Norwich, Tuesday has excited considerable comment on the part of sport writers on the local papers, and perhaps not undeservedly. But let us first try to discover if it really was lack of school spirit that prompted the "razzing" (in simpler terms) accorded the Bates team by men, presumably Bates men, "on the soft side of the new bleachers," as it has been so aptly put. It is easy enough to convince commentators that the conclusion as to the lack of college spirit so easily arrived at was erroneous, but we must get behind our team with every bit of spirit we have, and even though we may seem to see a good many causes for "crabbing," just cheer our ball team on to the championship that every loyal Bates rooter must want to bring to Bates. You can help to win that championship just as much as any member of the team, for your team reflects your college spirit, and if you rooters are behind your team, winning or losing, your team will be working for you with all its might whether it is ten runs ahead or forty runs behind. Let's show this ball team we're Bates men, willing to back our team whether it finishes in the cellar or in the lead but help it to finish in the lead. At the same time we can show the sport writers that their conclusions were a bit too hasty and make them glad to recall their condemnation of our spirit.

SOPHOMORE DEBATES

As a criterion of the debating material in the Sophomore Class the Sophomore Prize Debates are the only instances when the public is consulted unless some Sophomore happens to have previously demonstrated his ability enough to put him on the Varsity team. As a test of the value of a course in Argumentation it presents probably the best efforts of the class to produce a debater. As an argument for Intercollegiate Debating for women it offers probably the sole proof to be found in college that women can debate. Therefore the Sophomore debates form an important part of the debating program of any year. When members of the Sophomore teams make the Varsity, and when women's intercollegiate debating is an accomplished fact we can see that the work of the Sophomore debaters is not in vain.

OUTING CLUB TRIP

The Outing Club has been doing a valuable work here at Bates—a work which is practically new and at the same time very broad in its scope. We remember the Winter Carnival, the first of its kind, but not the last, as an example of what the club has done. In that carnival, the Outing Club has instituted a thrilling sport at the time when usually nothing is done.

In every man there is a love of nature more or less well developed. The beauty and the grandeur of nature has an appeal to all of us. To satisfy the desire on the part of students for a more intimate knowledge of the beauties

and wonders and also the more sordid commercial aspects of nature, the Outing Club has been carrying on a series of short trips to nearby places. With a competent and interesting guide these trips form a very pleasing feature of the Club to all those who have taken advantage of them.

More important than all this, in our opinion, is the proposed trip of the Outing Club to Mt. Washington. The name of Mt. Washington is known all over the world. It should be the duty of every man at some time in his life to visit that king of mountains in the great White Mountain group. It is found in song and story and if only for the sake of saying that one has been there, one should take the trip. But there is more to it than the mere fact of having been there. Mt. Washington is the central spot in one of nature's gardens. It is located in a beautiful country. It is noted for the view. The Outing Club is to be congratulated on having chosen such a worthy goal for its trip. Every Bates man who has never taken the trip should find it convenient to do so. We do not need to urge those who have seen Mt. Washington once; they will go again anyway.

LOCALS

Bill Johnson has moved into Room 21, Parker.

Henry P. Johnson '16, paid a short visit to his brother, Aaron Johnson, Monday.

Thru the efforts and courtesy of Prof. Grose, the forestry students had the privilege of seeing an extremely fine series of colored stereopticon pictures, taken at the Arnold Arboretum, Jamaica Plains, Mass. The Arboretum is about three hundred acres in extent, and contains practically every known specie of tree and shrub, adaptable to New England soil and climate. Each picture was taken at the time when the particular variety of tree shown was in full bloom. The views included many beautiful varieties of Chinese trees and shrubs. It is an interesting fact that many Chinese students of Forestry come to this Arboretum to learn of trees, that are native of China.

Ralph Whitehouse, formerly of the Bates S. A. T. C., and now a student at U. of M., was on the campus to greet many of his friends, Saturday.

Harry McKenney spent Sunday in Gardiner.

About fifteen men have already signed up for the Mt. Washington trip. It is expected that at least twenty-five will go.

Ralph Wiggin of Sanford was the guest of his brother Carlton Wiggin, Saturday.

Loys Wiles spent Sunday at Minot Corner, in search of Mayflowers.

This spring, as in the past, Harry Rowe, Del Andrews, and Prof. Ramsdell are doing intensive farming.

Carl Belmore attended church in Auburn, Sunday evening.

Of Bates alumni, the following were in attendance at the State Track Meet, Saturday: Joe Blaisdell, Dana Russell and Dick Boothby (1916); Philip Webb and Adin Turner (1917); Earle Renwick (1918); Eugene O'Donnell, "Soldier" Adam, Ray Blaisdell, "Scut" Sampson and "Hod" Maxim (1919).

Clarence Emery, former star athlete of M. C. I., and Brown University attended the track meet.

Earl Carl of Waldoboro, Maine, was a guest of the Tracy brothers over the week-end.

Maynard Johnson, in accordance with custom, spent Sunday evening in Auburn.

Frank Roy of Lincoln Academy, and Frank Levi of Itumford High were visitors of Galvariski, and Bernard during the track meet.

Asher Hinds is a candidate for the tennis team.

Elwood Ireland, ex-'20, accompanied by his family, was a visitor on the campus, recently.

"Mother" Kimball has helped Parkerites very materially with their house cleaning, this week. Thanks.

Monday evening, Room 23 was visited by William A. Sawyers '19, who is in the employ of the Lewiston Bleachery & Dye Works.

Roland Joy Carpenter's name is observed to be in the latest list of casualties. Slightly wounded.

Both men and women of Bates were much in evidence at the intercollegiate hop at City Hall, Friday evening.

Sunday P. M. witnessed Paul Kennison, as the first senior to appear abroad with a walking stick.

Prof. Higgins of the Chemistry department neglected to assign problems this past week.

The Junior and the Senior classes have both elected "jazz hound" committees, which will interview President Gray.

Kelly Smith spent the entire day, Sunday, writing his Junior oration.

The Commons Committee held an important meeting, Tuesday night. Members present were Ralph Arthur Burns.

"Dusty" Blackington, while brushing up on his French, incidentally went a strolling with the fairest of our fair co-eds. No, wonders will never cease.

For some unknown reason, J. Stonier was interrupted from his usual Sunday evening visit. The mystery is still unsolved.

Woodman, Woodman, spare that limb.

Bill Tierney lost a very valuable hat, Thursday morning. The gift of another will be gratefully received.

Bill Hodgman is still of good courage. He will compete in the 440 yard dash at the inter-class meet.

The Chewing-gum brothers, Lester and Eddie are prominent club men of Auburn.

Co-eds take notice. "Beau Brumel" True now parts his golden locks halfway.

Paul Potter ate a can of beans, Saturday,—his first meal for three days. "That's scripral, 'eordin' to Paul."

Eddie Canter has signed a contract to play with the second team for the rest of the season.

Bill Langley, star right fielder of the varsity, made his first costly error of the season, when he muffed the banjo pitched by Arnold Ganley from the window of Room 31. The banjo is now on its way to New York for repairs.

Don Wight is now leading the Parker Hall Cribbage League. "Chief-Listener" Ebner has a new joke. Ask him about it.

Signs of spring. Prof. Pom's dog killed a black cat recently.

Have you got your five dollar scholarship from the Y. M. C. A.? If not, see O. B. True.

R. I. Woodbury, left fielder on the T. B. B. A., played on Dr. Smith's second team, last Friday, against M. C. I. for one whole inning. The Doctor showed great tact by "yanking" R. I. and sending in "Speed" Hathway.

"When good days come, the trees begin to leave."—Earle Cauliflower McLean.

We notice that two of the windows in Roger Williams were not occupied during the last base ball game. We hope that this will not happen again. Let them all be filled during the next game. Show your spirit and fill the R. W. bleachers.

Mustaches—more signs of spring. With so many in evidence, Footer declares that our ladies need no longer purchase tooth brushes.

Room 14, Parker is proud to possess a member of such charming personality as to be able to break up the Thursday night Seniority meeting.

Let us give praise where it is due. There are our managers of track, tennis, and base ball.

Dr. Smith's control is now perfect. He admits that he can pitch a ball into the batter's hip pocket, at will.

Last Saturday, Carl Wiggin proved his superiority as a sprinter before a large audience. On Sunday, John Mosher demonstrated great ability as a chef of the highest class. The men who witnessed this latter feat (fete) were Felix Cutler, Zeke Kendall, Hod Maxim, Irvin Trask, Carl Wiggin and Dick Boothby.

The party after spending \$11.83 (\$1.68 each) for steaks, cream, eggs, oranges, cakes and Cliequot ginger ale, went to Dick's camp at Monmouth. Here, John set to work, and in a little less than three hours, called his men together to partake of the feast. On came the juicy steaks, scrambled eggs, fried eggs, baked potatoes and fried potatoes. (The fried potatoes were especially prepared by James Earle for himself, and were mistaken by one of the guests for dandelions.)

In a very few minutes, Trask recovered his \$1.69, but he had much competition from all, except the chef who claimed to have lost his appetite while preparing the repast. When Trask had finished the last piece of steak, and Cutler had killed the last bottle of champagne, "a la prohibition" (Shades of France!) the Drades cakes appeared, together with Melachrino's, Lucky Strikes, and Maxim's famous cambrie tea.

All good things must come to an end, so when Cutler, Kendall and Wiggin had washed the dishes, the party made ready for the return to books and study.

As the curfew tolled the knell of parting day,

The merry crowd rolled quickly o'er the lea.

The Chauffeur townward sped his happy way,

And left the studies to Wiggin and to me.

Misses Edna Merrill, Minerva Cutler, Ernestine Philbrook and Crete Carl spent the week-end at the former's home at Mechanic Falls.

Miss Edna Gadd was in Boston a few days last week.

Miss Esther Pearson spent Saturday and Sunday at her home in Winthrop, Maine.

Miss Frances Hughes entertained Miss Wight, sister of Don Wight '21, over the week-end.

Visiting has been the popular word at Frye Street House this past week. Visitors have come and the girls have gone visiting.

Alice Jessiman spent a most marvelous week-end at Tufts College where she attended the Ivy Day exercises.

Clarice Small had as a guest, Alberta Nedeaux of Rumford.

Ruth Hanson has been enjoying the company of her mother, Mrs. Hanson, and her friend Miss Day.

Elsie Roberts has been another of the fortunate ones to receive a visit from her mother.

Miss Niles spent the recent week-end at her home.

Top-floor Cheney wishes it known that it is most sorry to be unable to contribute anything to this column.

Constance Walker has been confined to her room the past week by illness.

OUR GRADUATES

American College, Beirut, Syria, April 17, 1920.

Last July, on receiving the degree of Doctor of Theology from Harvard University, I accepted appointment here as lecturer in English Bible and Ethics, for a term of three years and came here with Mrs. Corley and my daughter Marion. Syria is a fascinating country and has a genial climate. The position of the College is unrivalled, since it is located upon a headland close to the Mediterranean Sea, across which it looks directly at the right toward the snow-capped heights of the Lebanon Range, Kenisi and Sannin. From the windows which face the North, we see the arrival and departure of all ships coming to and leaving the port of Beirut. Arabic is the language of the majority of our students, but all classes, except language courses other than English, are conducted in English. Besides preparatory and college departments, we have a large medical department comprising courses in pharmacy, dentistry and Medicine, besides a training school for nurses. In the city itself, French can be used in the stores and public places, so that there is no need of Arabic, even though some knowledge of it is convenient. Our college needs a large corps of American instructors in June, and I should be glad to see some Bates men join our staff. The pay for single men is \$600 a year and transportation to and from U. S. on a 3-year engagement, with liberal allowances. Owing to the rate of exchange favoring us, this is much better pay here than it would be in the States, and as board is included, the instructors are really better able to travel in vacations than those who, like the professors, keep house. The offices in New York are at 18 East 41st street, in case you know of prospective graduates of 1920 who would be willing to apply for an appointment here.

With my kindest regards, Cordially yours,

DOUGLAS HILARY CORLEY.

On the evening of May the twenty-seventh the Bates Club of Boston will entertain as a guest the new President of the College, Dr. Clifton D. Gray. The base ball team, which on that date plays Boston College, has also been invited to be present at the dinner.

Dear 1919: We thank you for your "Memoirs" with its many interesting letters from which we obtain an excellent idea that 1919 is carrying on that excellent Bates spirit which always characterized them in college. We want to share with the rest of the family, some of the "Memoirs" state secrets.

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For special proficiency in any department, a student may receive an honorary appointment in that work. Such appointments for the present year are as follows: Biology, Harvey B. Goddard, '20, Lawrence W. Philbrook, '20, Oscar Voigtlander, '20; Chemistry, Edna D. Gadd, '20, Arlene S. May, '20, Charles Stetson, '20, Roland W. Tapley, '21, Howard D. Wood, '20, Winslow S. Anderson, '21; Latin, Clarence A. Forbes, '22; German and Spanish, Agnes F. Page, '20; Oratory, Julia H. Barron, '20, Leighton G. Tracy, '20; Assistants in English, John W. Ashton, '22, Gladys F. Hall, '21, Irma Haskell, '21, Robert Jordan, '21, Marjorie Thomas, '20; Mathematics, Donald K. Woodward, '21; Physics, Ransome J. Garrett, '20; Geology, Charles E. Hamlen, '20, Agnes F. Page, '20, Clarence E. Walton, '20, Elizabeth R. Williston, '20.

M. I. A. A. GAMES
HOWLING SUCCESS
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Trials: First heat, won by Wiggins, Bates; Pinkham of Maine, second, 10.3. Second heat, won by Averill of Bowdoin; Thomas of Maine, second, 10.4. Third heat, won by Butler of Bowdoin; Lindley of Bates, second, 10.3. The summary:

Track Events
 100 Yard Dash—Won by Wiggins, Bates; Thomas, Maine, second; Pinkham, Maine, third. Time 10 3-5s.
 220 Yard Dash—Won by Pratt, Maine; Parent, Bowdoin, second; Wiggins, Bates, third. Time 23 3-5s.
 440 Yard Dash—Won by Pratt, Maine; Castle, Maine, second; Smith, Bowdoin, third. Time 52 4-5s.
 880 Yard Run—Won by Richard S. Buker, Bates; Hereer, Colby, second; Hunt, Bowdoin, third.

One Mile Run—Won by Goodwin, Bowdoin; Ray B. Buker, Bates, second; Preti, Maine, third. Time 4m 24 3-5s. Record 4m 21s made by Frank Colbath, Bowdoin, 1911.

Two Mile Run—Won by Ray B. Buker, Bates; Goodwin, Bowdoin, second; Raymond, Maine, third. Time 10m 2 4-5s. Record 9m 54 2-5s made by F. P. Preti, Maine, 1914.

120 Yard High Hurdles—Won by Moses, Bowdoin; Thomson, Bowdoin, second; Fenderson, Maine, third. Time 17 2-5s. Record, 16s made by Vaughn S. Blanchard, Bates 1912, and equaled by Harry Woodman, Bates 1913. Record incorrectly given in meet program as 15 2-5s by Tobey of Bowdoin.

220 Yard Low Hurdles—Won by Parent, Bowdoin; Moses, Bowdoin, second; Thomson, Bowdoin, third. Time 28 1-5s.

Field Events
 Running Broad Jump—Won by Parent, Bowdoin; Pratt, Maine, second; Libby, Maine, third. Distance 20 ft. 10 1/2 in.

Running High Jump—Sewall, Maine and Crook, Colby, third. Height 5 ft. 2 in. Sewall won on jump off for medals.

Pole Vault—Won by Cook, Bowdoin; Rice, Bates, second; Pulsifer, Colby, third. Height, 10 ft. 6 in.
 Putting 16 Pound Shot—Won by Brakewood, Colby; Galvariski, Bates, second; Cook, Colby, third. Distance 36.16 ft.

Throwing 16 Pound Hammer—Won by Cook, Colby; Ellms, Bowdoin, second; Zettler, Bowdoin, third. Distance 114.47.


Throwing Discus—Won by Bucknam, Colby; Bishop, Maine, second; A. Smith, Bowdoin, third. Distance 110.55 ft. Record, 127 ft. 7 1/2 in. made by H. Perry Bailey, Maine, 1915.

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| | Bow. | Me. | Bates | Colby |
| Mile Run |5 | 1 | 3 | 0 |
| 440 yd. dash |1 | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| 100 yd. dash |0 | 4 | 5 | 0 |
| 120 hurdles |8 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| 880 yd. run |1 | 0 | 5 | 3 |
| 220 yd. dash |3 | 5 | 1 | 0 |
| Two mile run |3 | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| 200 hurdles |9 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| High jump |0 | 4 | 0 | 5 |
| Shot put |0 | 0 | 3 | 6 |
| Broad jump |5 | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Hammer throw |4 | 0 | 0 | 5 |
| Pole vault |5 | 0 | 3 | 1 |
| Discus throw |1 | 3 | 0 | 5 |
| Totals |45 | 31 | 25 | 25 |

SPRING OFFENSIVE LAUNCHED
Allies Go Over the Top at Zero Hour On Moist Battlefield

Carefully laid plans formulated at G. H. Q., last Wednesday, resulted in a decisive victory for the Allies, early Thursday morning. There was no grumbling when bunks were emptied shortly after midnight, and the men seemed eager to taste the excitement which was to follow. The battalion was formed in front of the barracks, commanded by the two lieutenants, and marched open order to a reconnoitering post. Vantage points were left well guarded, and a ruse, which failed to work, tried on the enemy. Followed quick commands, and enemy territory was soon reached. Breaking the musical fortifications, the Allies pushed on in spite of the tanks of the enemy. Bedsteads became howitzers, fire extinguishers shells, and a pitched battle raged for nearly an hour. The Allies successfully resisted the barrage of ball bats, during which both lieutenants covered themselves with water and glory. A human escalator proved of incalculable value, and brought back many enemy prisoners. One casualty was reported by the enemy.

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At this point, the caroling was interrupted by a secret service agent, and Wood would vamoose for the tall timber of which he got a smart taste later, when a detachment of volunteers eluded the vigilance of the secret service agent, and in a second raid recaptured their prey without resistance.

In the disposition of these prisoners, latent ability in hair dressing was discovered in three of the occupants of the orderly room.

An armistice was signed, and peace terms are in the process of formulation.

SOPHOMORE DEBATES
 (Continued from Page One)

The program follows:

MUSIC
 Prayer M. D. Webster

DEBATE
 Resolved: That the United States should assume mandatory powers over Armenia.

SPEAKERS
 Affirmative Negative
 Mary Clifford Lola Mitchell
 Elizabeth Becker Virginia Mixer

Alternates
 Gladys Deering Frederica Ineson

REBUTTAL
 Negative Affirmative
 Miss Mitchell Miss Clifford
 Miss Mixer Miss Becker

MUSIC
DEBATE
 Resolved: That the present excess profits tax should be removed.

SPEAKERS
 Affirmative Negative
 John Ashton George Hutchinson
 Aurie Johnson Robert Watts

Alternates
 Alexander Mansour Harold Mauter

REBUTTAL
 Negative Affirmative
 Mr. Hutchinson Mr. Ashton
 Mr. Watts Mr. Johnson

MUSIC
DECISION OF JUDGES

COLLEGES NEED
CHRISTIAN BASIS
 (Continued from Page One)

editor and publisher of several prominent Baptist magazines. Recently he was made managing editor of the "Baptist," which has one of the largest circulations of any denominational papers in the country.

At the business meeting the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, C. J. Atwater; vice-presidents, Beatrice Niell of Bristol, Amy Weeks of New Haven, and C. R. Clason of Springfield; secretary-treasurer, J. L. Meader of Hartford; executive committee, Leon McKuslek of Farmington, and Dr. W. N. Thompson of Hartford.

It was voted to hold sectional meetings of the association in Springfield, New Haven and this city in the fall of each year, and the annual meeting in May at Hartford.

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The U. S. Coast Guard announces a competitive examination, commencing July 12, 1920, for appointment of cadets and cadet engineers, which is an exceptional opportunity for young men of the right caliber to complete their education and receive special training at Government expense and to become commissioned officers in the U. S. Coast Guard, one of the military services of the United States.

Age limits, for appointment as cadet, are 18 to 24 years; and for appointment as cadet engineer, 20 to 25 years.

Cadets and cadet engineers are trained to become commissioned officers of the Coast Guard at the Coast Guard Academy at New London, Conn. Each summer the cadets are taken on extended practice cruises, which have included visits to ports in Nova Scotia, West Indies, the Canal Zone, and when conditions permitted, European ports. (The cruise this year extends to the channel ports of France and England.

Cadets receive the same pay and allowances as midshipmen in the Navy (\$600 per annum and one ration per day). Cadet engineers receive \$75 per month and one ration per day.

Upon graduation, after three years at the Academy, a cadet is commissioned by the President as a third lieutenant in the Coast Guard. A cadet engineer, upon graduation, after one year at the Academy, is commissioned by the President as a third lieutenant of engineers in the Coast Guard. Commissioned officers of the Coast Guard rank with officers of the Army, Navy and Marine Corps, and receive corresponding pay.

The examination is strictly competitive; appointments are made entirely on merit and are not apportioned by states or congressional districts.

The mental examination for cadets, which will follow the physical, will consume three days, and cover the following subjects as ordinarily given in high schools: Algebra, geometry, plane trigonometry, physics, spelling, composition, geography, general information and general adaptability. In addition, candidates for appointment as cadet engineer will devote an additional day and one-half to mechanics, electricity and steam engineering, as ordinarily given in colleges.

Examinations will be held at Boston, Mass., New London, Conn., New York, N. Y., Philadelphia, Pa., Baltimore, Md., Washington, D. C., Norfolk, Va., Savannah, Ga., Key West, Fla., Mobile, Ala., Galveston, Tex., Buffalo, N. Y., Detroit, Mich., Chicago, Ill., Fort Stanton, N. Mex., San Francisco, Calif., Seattle, Wash., and perhaps a few other places.

The opportunity this year is particularly favorable because there is an unusually large number of vacancies. It is hoped that an exceptionally large number of cadets and cadet engineers will be appointed.

A circular giving full information about the examination may be obtained by writing to the Commandant, U. S. Coast Guard, Washington, D. C. Any special information relative to the Academy or the Service will be furnished upon request.

By direction of the Commandant,
H. G. Hamlet,
Captain, U. S. Coast Guard.

SOPHOMORE GIRLS' CLASS MEETING

The Sophomore girls held a rousing meeting the other day to arouse interest in the spring sports. Jack Spratt Dearing led the cheers, while Stanton Woodman Cullens presided. Spunk Wills spoke about track, Baby Blue Davis about tennis, Mr. R. A. Traver about soccer, and finally Olin B. Drew told of the wonderful cup in store for the Sophomores if they but work for it. A full-fledged Sophomore orchestra furnished music, and surely by this meeting was interest stimulated in girls' spring athletics.

The Bates Band was conspicuous by its absence.

Bates was not beaten so badly in the dual meet as Harvard, in a very similar affair.

Looks like Bates in the Cross-Country next fall.



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