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ANNUAL FRESHMAN RECEPTION

Christian Associations Greet Class of 1924

On Saturday evening, Sept. 25, the reception to the Freshmen was held in Chase Hall with the biggest attendance ever. This reception is an annual affair, given by the Y. M. and Y. W. Christian Associations especially for the Freshmen, that they may become acquainted with the faculty, the upper-classmen, and members of their own class. Chase Hall, which stands for good fellowship and comradeship, welcomed royally the class of 1924, the second class to have the privilege of a Freshman reception within its walls. There was a genuine spirit of welcome and friendship everywhere. In the receiving line were Mr. Carl Belmore, '21, president Y. M. C. A.; Miss Lois Chandler '21, president Y. W. C. A. Mr. Gilbert, the new Y. M. C. A. Secretary; President and Mrs. Gray, Dean Buswell, Mrs. Schaffner the new "House Mother" of Rand Hall and Miss Davies, new assistant physical director for the girls.

After a social hour with the "I am; You are" cards which make getting acquainted so simple a matter, Mr. Belmore introduced Pres. Gray as the first speaker. Pres. Gray, with words of hearty welcome, attached to his speech a "sermonette" urging the members of the class of 1924, the largest class yet to enter Bates, to make the best possible use of the four years of college study, life and friendships ahead of them. Miss Irma Haskell, '21, then gave a humorous and very enjoyable reading from one of Holman Day's works. Miss Chandler was the next speaker, welcoming the Freshmen in her gracious manner in behalf of the Y. W. C. A. A feature of the program was a cornet solo by Mr. Kenneth Steady, '21, "The Rosary" by Nevin, which everyone enjoyed. The last speech was made by Mr. Belmore for the Y. M. C. A. Mr. Belmore tucked in a moral, namely, that every man of '24 can do something for the Y. M. C. A. and however small that something is it is needed and appreciated. At the close of the program, refreshments were served.

The committees consisted of Miss Crete M. Carll, '21, Miss Marion Bates, '21, Miss Dorothea Davis, '22 and Miss Elizabeth Atwood, '23, of the Y. W. C. A., and Mr. Charles L. Stevens, '21, Mr. Winslow S. Anderson '21, Mr. Clarence A. Allen, '22, and Mr. Russell Fogg, '23, of the Y. M. C. A.

The spirit of the Freshman Reception made the Freshmen feel already that they are members of the big Bates family because they could not help feeling the genuine and hearty welcome the Christian Associations had for them.

Notice to Subscribers.

The financial year of the Bates Student begins January 1, at which time all subscriptions for the ensuing year should be paid. Subscriptions for the year 1920 which remain unpaid October 15, 1920, will be dropped from the mailing list. Send in your subscription early and avoid the inconvenience of missing one or more issues.

William H. Hodgman,
Business Manager.

FRESHMAN WEEK INSTITUTED

BATES SOPHOMORES INTRODUCE NEW PLAN OF INITIATING THE CUBS

During the week just passed, the Freshmen have been most warmly received by their guardians of the Sophomore class. There have been contests, lots of them, to provide an outlet for much energy on the part of the two lower classes. The Sophomores have had every reason to enjoy themselves, while the Freshmen should have learned much valuable information.

The idea of such a week of activity was introduced by the Student Council, which body was seeking to instill "pep" into the initiation period. The plan was accepted by the Sophomores, and from that time on the class of 1923 took the helm. It has been evident to the entire student body that some change in the treatment of Freshmen should be made this year, and the plan adopted appeared as a most distinct improvement over the beginning made last year. It is hoped that as years go by there will grow up here at Bates a set of initiation traditions that will be valuable to the entering class, and at the same time present plenty of action for the second-year men.

To what extent the program of this year has thus far attained that goal, we leave to our readers to decide.

The complete program of events as run thru is as follows:

Monday—Baseball game

Tuesday—Introduction of Freshman caps, Freshman "sprouts", the hot oven

Wednesday—Tug of war over the slimy shores of Lake Andrews

Thursday—Special football field activity known as "push ball rush"

Friday—Sophomore posters; Gastro-nomical exercises for lower classes at the Commons

And with the ending of this banquet, have we not reason to believe that once more our campus will revert to its ancient peace and quiet—'til the next time?

Results:

Baseball Game—Sophs 9, Freshmen 5.
Tug of War—Won by Sophomores.

Faculty Committee Appointed Investigation Commences

A committee composed of members of the Faculty was chosen at the opening of the year to investigate the subject of dancing as a social activity at Bates. The committee has written to several colleges concerning the conditions at other institutions. At the same time they will consider the particular situation here at Bates. The investigation may cover a period of two months or more.

PHILHELLENIC CLUB

The Philhellenic Club held its first meeting of the year in Libby Forum Tuesday evening, September 28. The meeting was purely a business session for the purpose of planning the meetings for the coming year, appointing committees and discussing matters of importance to the club.

ADMINISTRATIVE SHAKE-UP IN SOME DEPARTMENTS

Since college closed last June many changes have taken place in the faculty. Mr. D. E. Andrews, who was superintendent of Grounds and Buildings, and assistant treasurer of the college since 1914, has accepted the position of principal of Maine Central Institute at Pittsfield. His position here is being filled by Bursor Harry Rowe who promises to have a different system than did Mr. Andrews. Mr. Rowe's former position as General Secretary of the College Y. M. C. A. has been filled by Mr. Lewis L. Gilbert.

Mr. Gilbert graduated from Wesleyan University last June and is especially fitted for his work here. During his college life he was very active in Y. M. C. A. work and attended many conferences. This last summer he at-



MR. LEWIS L. GILBERT

tended a Secretarial Conference at Lake Forest, Illinois. Mr. Gilbert is sure to put some real push in the Y. M. C. A. and every man in college should turn out to help him.

Prof. L. R. Grose who was instructor in Forestry since 1918 is now professor of Forestry at Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst, Mass. Mr. Bernard E. Leete has taken Prof. Grose's former position here. He comes highly recommended, being a graduate of Yale in 1913, with a M. F. from that University in 1915. For four consecutive years he was in the United States Forest Service, District II, having various assignments on National Forests in Wyoming, Colorado and South Dakota, and Forest Assistant and Examiner in the Herney National Forest, Black Hills, South Dakota. He left this service in June 1919, and was then in Highway Surveys in South Dakota for five months. From November, 1919, to last June he was assistant professor of biology and instructor in plane mining surveying in South Dakota State School of Mines, Rapid City, South Dakota. Mr. Leete believes that New England has unusual opportunities for Forestry, and the college in particular because of the large school holding in Alfred. Not only the land, but the operations going on them. He thinks it is possible to easily arrange to study the logging operations there.

Another face which has left the campus is that of Mrs. Kimball who was matron of the men since 1918. She is now assistant matron in Abbott Academy, a select school for girls in Andover, Mass. Dr. Sleeper will in some degree take her place here.

On the other side of the campus there is also a new face—that of Miss (Continued on Page Four)

FRESHMAN STAG RECEPTION

Wednesday night a Stag reception was tendered to the Freshmen at Chase Hall, under the auspices of the Y. M. C. A., about one hundred being present, good attendance for the first night of college. After a brief session with the usual "I am—You are" cards Mr. Belmore, the Y. M. C. A. President, gave the Freshmen a few words of greeting and welcome in behalf of the Association, together with some good advice as to college loyalty. When the refreshments had been served, three other speakers carried out the theme of loyalty, Judge Oakes, Bates '77, of the Superior Court of Maine, dwelling on loyalty with regard to the future; Lewis L. Gilbert, the new Y. M. C. A. Secretary, as a "Fellow Freshman" and President Gray welcoming the new students as the head of college activities.

BATES WINS FIRST GAME

DEFEATS FT. MCKINLEY 34-0

Football Season Starts Auspiciously.

In spite of the unusually hot weather Bates defeated Ft. McKinley in their annual practice game on Garcelon field Saturday afternoon with the usual margin. McKinley made first down but once although they played a very strong defensive game considering their weight and probable condition. Davis and Wiggin starred for Bates. Wiggin ran back the Forts kickoff for a considerable gain and Davis carried it the remaining distance on the next play. Then the soldiers went to work and the game became more interesting. Toward the last the Fort stalled a bit and delayed the game several times by crabbing the officials. The tackling by Bates in the first quarter was very poor but soon improved and the Fort found themselves unable to make first down but once during the entire game. The nucleus for a line left over from last year seemed to be Capt. Stonier, guard; Guiney and Ross, tackles; Luce, center. In the backfield Wiggin, Kelley and Rounds took turns at quarter, while Deane, Davis and Moulton worked the other backfield positions. Prominent among the new men were Newman and Seifert in the line while Gormley, Redman and M. Finnegan tried out in the backfield. At end positions Case and Descoteau seemed to be first choice. The squad consists of over 40 men and Coach Sullivan tried them all. Just who he considered good only the coach knows. They all looked snappy from the grandstand but Mr. Sullivan has a habit of seeing defects that others miss and we would venture to state that the team is only in the making. Assisting Coach Sullivan are Director Smith and "Jimmy" Carroll of Lewiston. Whether or not Bates is the runner-up in the State Series remains to be seen and it is safe to say that every loyal Bates man, woman and child will do the seeing for themselves.

Summary of the game:

Bates (34) Fort McKinley (0)

Case, (Gormley, Sullivan, Rich Kane, Guiney) le

re, Kroll (Stanley, Kileullen)

Guiney, (Ross, Stickney, Gilpatrick, It rt, Rollins (Dodge)

Stonier (Seifert, Tarr), lg

rg, Rottman (Ulrey)

Luce (Seager, Canty), c

e, Atkinson (Zine)

Newman (Peaslee), rg

lg, Barsniti (Dupont, Rottman)

Ross, (Canty, Mitchell), rt

It, Washburger, (Griffin, Dodge)

Descoteau (Foynes, Pierce, T Finnegan), re

le, Nickerson, (Falkas)

Wiggin (Kelley, Rounds) qb

qb, Triano

Davis, (Redman, Farley), lhb

rhb, Grogan (Apple)

Gormley (M. Finnegan, Allen), rhb

lhb, Whitelock (Bermudas)

Deane (Moulton, Leighton), fb

fb, Humes, (Apple, Grogan)

Touchdowns, Davis 2, Wiggin, Kel-

ley, Guiney 3, M. Finnegan. Referee,

O'Brien, Umpire, Cook, Maine. Head

linesman, Carroll, Bates. Time, 12m.

and 10m. period.

tell of are actually true—especially

those about queer medical practices.

Surely many of the girls present hoped

that some day they might have as in-

teresting experiences as those about

which Dr. Manter told.

DR. MANTER TELLS GIRLS OF CHINESE LIFE

BATES GRAD ADDRESSES CO-EDS

After dinner Friday, the girls gathered in Fiske Room to hear Dr. Manter tell some things about her recent travels in China. Dr. Manter is herself a Bates graduate.

These past few months she was one of a commission sent to investigate conditions of women's education in China. Her particular interest was to find out about the chance for women in China to obtain a medical education. Only two places are at all able to give this, and these two are very poorly equipped and staffed. During the time Dr. Manter was there, she had a most interesting house boat trip far inland to attend a religious festival. Here, she and the other members of the commission saw thousands of Chinese from far and near gathered to worship a very powerful idol. All kinds of street parades, and ceremonies at the temple of this idol went on during the time they were there. Dr. Manter assured the girls that all the queer practices arising from ignorance and superstition of people which returned missionaries

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EDITORIALS

PLAY BALL!

The season is on! For the team the season has been on for nearly a month. For the student body it has but started. The first game has been played, and won. The team has shown that it is a worthy one. The prospects for a successful season—so far as actual playing is concerned, are bright.

The student body is bigger than ever this year. That should mean a greater amount of enthusiasm and spirit. Last spring the student body got behind the baseball team, and backed it to the limit, and the team won! This year let every man or woman, on the Faculty, in the Student body, or in anyway attached to Bates get behind the team with all the spirit they possess.

Bates men and women, you are facing what promises to be the biggest and best year the college ever had. Get behind the team and with the drive, and power, and fight the team possesses and with your fullest support the team will win.

OUR OPPORTUNITY

We are at the beginning of a new year in the life of Bates College. We leave behind us a very creditable past. We look forward to a successful and brilliant future. But we are living in the present, therefore let us centre our effort on the present. This year which we are just beginning must be a banner year in the history of our College. It is the first full year of President Gray's administration. A new force, a strong and vital force is behind the interests of the college. We have seen that President Gray has put his heart and soul into his work. We know that our Alma Mater is being guided well.

Our athletes promise great things for the year. The football team has already won the first game. Other branches of athletics which come later have good material. We need not fear for the glory of Bates on the athletic field.

But what of us, those who are "just students"? Are we going to let President Gray look after every interest of the college alone? Shall we watch our athletes fight for Bates without our support? Are the presidents of our social organizations to provide interesting meetings for us without our showing any interest? No! We have our opportunity to serve as well as those who occupy a more prominent position in our little world. We have a responsibility as well as they. We can help the college by observing its traditions and living up to its ideals. We can aid President Gray by abiding by the rules and making it unnecessary for him to be forever on the lookout for infractions. We can support our athletic teams by our presence at games and by cheering. We can show our interest in other college activities by keeping ourselves in readiness to answer any call for our services. We can improve our scholastic record by keeping our minds on the work in hand.

We can do these things, and if we show the proper spirit and undertake them in the right way they will be easy. Let us realize our own opportunity and seize upon it. Let us show that we are true Bates men and women and say "We will."

TO THE FRESHMEN

No first issue of the STUDENT would be complete without a few words of advice to the new Freshman Class. You, Freshmen, are entered upon a new undertaking. You have adopted an Alma Mater whose traditions and customs you must learn and whose honor you must uphold. You will learn that there are certain forms which it is incumbent on you to observe and some things which you, as loyal Bates men must not do. Your support is expected for established college organizations. Some of you will represent the college on the athletic field. All of you will find a little niche in life which only you can fill.

The Class of 1924 is extremely fortunate in some respects. Hazing in the old sense of the term has been abolished for all time. Your initiation is practically over by now. You have come in contact with the Student Council, and know what it means and what it stands for. Remember it.

The old custom of tipping the hat to professors and upper classmen as a sign of respect is one that you will do well to continue. It is an evidence of good breeding and proper training.

Bates ideals must be upheld by Freshmen as well as others. Every one of us must be faithful to the traditions of loyalty and fidelity which have grown up within the college walls. There are many other things which time will teach you. Meanwhile "watch your step."

Some of these things may appear small and inconsequential, but the sum of life is made up of many minor details. A Freshman who renders himself obnoxious by disregarding the fundamental facts of college life soon finds trouble on his hands. But by following the example of those who know the college better than he does he will avoid a great deal of friction and help to bring peace and harmony into our college life.

OUR GRADUATES

Dear Alumni:

Your younger brothers and sisters want to know where you are this year. Do not blame the alumni editor if you see by this column that you are principal of an academy you never dreamed was in existence, or married to a person whom you never have met, blame yourselves. "Where is Mr. Smith, this year?" "Oh, I know," some undergraduate replies. "He's either married or teaching, I forget which. I saw it in the home paper and cut it out for my 'mem' book. I'll look it up." But that's something that never happens. We must have news so pardon the sketchy, skeletonous items. We will gladly fill in details when you send them in.

THE ALUMNI EDITOR,

Cheney House.

Mr. Jerome Crane Holmes 1907 and Mrs. Holmes, 1910, (Jennie Hazel Edwards) who have recently returned from the missionary fields of Japan, gave their younger sisters a most interesting and profitable talk Sunday afternoon at Fiske room. Mr. Holmes is at the head of the language school in Tokio, Japan. They were accompanied by their two children, a boy of five, Jerome, Junior, and a girl of two, who are very fond of exhibiting their real Japanese clothes.

Annabelle Paris '20 is teaching in Berwick Academy, South Berwick, Maine. Evelyn Varney '19 is commencing her second year at the same place.

Newton Larkum '20 is teaching in Warner, N. H.
Ardie Bangs '08 is principal of Sabattus High School.

Delbert E. Andrews '10, formerly superintendent of grounds and buildings at Bates, is principal of Maine Central Institute. Frank Stone '19, and Raymond Kendall '20 are on his staff of teachers.

Miss Arlene May '20, is head of the chemistry department at Mexico High School. (N. B. Her address is Ridlonville, Me., and she was not ever going to teach).

Marian Sanders '20, in spite of ardent protestations, is teaching at Somersworth, N. H.

Miss Myrtle Peterson '20 is teaching in Colebrook Academy, N. H.

Ralph Coates '19 and Gladys Hartshorn '19 are teaching at North Chelmsford, Mass.

Marjory Hamilton is teaching in Canton, Maine.

Louis Jordan '15, Clarence Elwell '19, Gerald Baker '20, Ransom Garrett '20, Raymond Kendall '20, Alice Harvey '18, William Lawrence '19, Marian Dannels '19, have been seen at the first football game and the Freshman reception where they succeeded in passing as Freshmen.

Alice Harvey is Girls' Work Secretary at the Portland Y. W. C. A.

Ransome Garrett is sub-master of Livermore Falls High School. Gerald Baker is teaching at Billerica, Mass.

Benjamin Rice '20 is teaching at Gardiner High.

Marian Dannels is teaching in Augusta.

Charles Stetson is working for the Diamond Match Factory at Oswego, N. Y. (From one match factory to another. Here's hoping he has as much success in the second as in the first).

Rachel Ripley '20 is teaching in Newport, N. H.

Mildred Soule '20 is teaching English at Keene, N. H.

Martin Phelan '18 is teaching at Presque Isle, Me.

Blanche Ballard '18 is head of the English Department at Hingham High, Mass.

William F. Lawrence '18 has recently completed a most successful summer's work as Hotel Inspector of Maine. (They could not put anything over on Bill).

Olive Everett '22 is teaching in Brownfield, Me.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Burns '20 (Ethel Magwood '22) are teaching in Cornish, Me.

Grace Harlowe '19, is teaching in Peabody, Mass.

Onsville Moulton '14 is teaching in Westfield, Conn.

Clark and Charles Rankin '16 are teaching at Howland, Me.

Gladys E. Holmes '19 is teaching at Naughtok, Conn.

Louise Sargent '20 is teaching in far off Michigan.

Mary Forest '16 is located at Mechanic Falls High School.

Alice King Merrill '16 has a daughter born May 6, 1920.

Anne Mae Chapell '19 is teaching French at Concord, N. H.

Mary Hodgdon '19 is teaching at Dover, N. H.

Olivia Tracey '20 is teaching at Brewster Free Academy, Wolfboro, N. H.

Leighton Tracy '20 is attending Dartmouth College.

Harvey Goddard '20 is at Harvard Medical School.

Clarence E. Walton '20 is at Leland Stanford University.

Hilda DeWolfe Poes '18 is located at Anyox, British Columbia, Box 216.

Lawrence Philbrook '20 was married to Arlene S. Grove of Lisbon on June 25, 1920. (As usual Phil beat 'em all).

Leon Cash '13 is superintendent of Buckfield schools.

Miss Amy Losier '18 and Miss Ethel Haggitt '18 are teaching at Bridgton High school.

Miss Helen Clark '18 and Earle B. Renwick '18 were married in the latter part of August at Bolster's Mills.

Roy Campbell '19 has resigned his position as Health officer of Oldtown.

F. E. Sleeper Jr., '13, is principal of Litchfield Academy.

Mr. and Mrs. William H. Sawyer '13 (Beatrice G. Burr '18) who were married Sept. 6, 1920, are residing at 6 Frye Street.

1904 Mae H. Carrow, for many years a successful teacher in Waterbury, Conn., died at her home in Lewiston this summer. She had an unusually attractive personality. Her gentleness, strength of character, and earnest purpose made her loved and respected in an unusual degree.

1906 Leon G. Paine, principal of the Rumford High School, died early in September. He was an efficient principal and an important member of the community. He was very much interested in his pupils and Bates owes to his loyalty many of her good students. His wife, Augusta (Briery) Paine, '06, has been associated with him in his high school work.

1912 Frederick P. Jecuson is an instructor in Abbott School, Farmington, Maine.

1914 Louis Sullivan, who has been for some time connected with the American Museum of Natural History, New York, is doing field work for the museum in Honolulu. He expects to be away about three years.

1808 Grenville C. Emery, Litt. D., is headmaster of Seale (Military) Academy, Palo Alto, Calif. Dr. Emery was for fifteen years a teacher in the Boston Latin School. He is one of the authors of the Bradbury and Emery Algebra, still the standard text book in the Boston Latin School, and in many other schools. He founded and built up the Harvard School of Los Angeles, which has now a patronage of three hundred boys. He plans to make the Seale Academy a school like Phillips Exeter, Phillips Andover, and the Boston Latin School. "Of course, of course, and of course again we supplement the intellectual training with the physical, and incidentally apparently, but with a keenness of pursuit and a depth of purpose in comparison with which all else is subordinate, we try to impress upon our charges the value of character, of right doing, of right living, and a clean life." Dr. Emery is the only surviving member of the second class that graduated from Bates.

1903 Carroll Linwood Beedy of Portland, Maine, has just been elected to the United States House of Representatives. Mr. Beedy is the first Bates graduate to enter Congress. He was a member of the Bates intercollegiate debating teams and later helped Yale to defeat Harvard in debate.

1887 Frank Wallace Chase, principal of the Bigelow School, Newton, Mass., has recently lost his wife, who died at their summer home at Belfast, Maine.

1919 John H. Powers has just been appointed Rhodes Scholar from Maine. He expects to sail for England in December.

Miss Mona Hodnett '16, is instructor in English at Northwestern College, Naperville, Illinois.

Miss Maud Murphy '16, is teaching in the commercial department of the Waterbury, Conn. High School.

Ralph E. Merrill and Raymond Stillman '16, received the degree of Doctor of Medicine from Harvard last June. Dr. Stillman is taking his internship at a Worcester hospital, while Dr. Merrill is located at the Boston City Hospital.

1916 A daughter, Barbara, was born to Mr. and Mrs. H. Crandlemire. Dr. and Mrs. R. E. Merrill have a little daughter, Mona, born May 27. Mr. and Mrs. Victor Seifeker '16, have a daughter, Muriel Elaine, born September 11.

Miss Hildred Robertson '16, is a chemist with the Merrimac Chemical Company, Woburn, Mass.

1914 Karl D. Lee is principal of the Petersham Agricultural High School at Petersham, Mass. This is his third year.

Charles E. Hadley is teaching Biology in the Hartford Public High School.

Ornsville J. Moulton is principal of the High School at Wethersfield, Conn. Hazel P. True, '18, is an assistant in the same school.

1916 "Spud" Drew is assistant physical director at Trinity College, Hartford, Conn. Drew attended the Y. M. C. A. College at Springfield 1919-20.

Ruth Rollins is teaching mathematics in the Hartford High School.

1917 Ernest Upham has returned to New Park Avenue School, in Hartford for his fourth year. Harold Gleave, '18, is also a teacher in the same school.

1918 Lester Duffett is teaching Physics and Mathematics at the high school in Medford, Mass.

Myron Townsend is studying at the University of Illinois where he is also an instructor in the biological department. This is his second year at the University. During the past summer Townsend studied at the Biological Station at Friday Harbor, Washington.

James Shattuck is physical director at the Westboro, Mass., high school.

Evangeline Lawson is teaching at Woodstock, Conn. She is also studying dramatics and elocution at the Hartford Theological Seminary.

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SOPHOMORES BEAT FRESHMEN
Annual Game Comedy.

The annual freshman game played Monday afternoon resulted in a 9-5 victory for the sophomores. The freshmen used twenty players and the sophomores ten. Bill Kennelly, an old Bates third sacker, took charge of that position for the sophomores and contributed a three base hit in the second inning but was out at the plate when he tried to stretch it to a home run. Alexander, the freshman second baseman, also got a three base hit. Second base was not taken care of in proper manner, however, by either team and short stop also seemed to be a weak position. There will be plenty of opportunity for new infield material to show up next spring. Hathaway started in the box for the sophomores and pitched well until tired when he was relieved by Menneally. Clarence Smith worked out for the freshmen. Although the sophs said he didn't have much he seemed to be using his head all the way and aside from hitting two batters pitched a very fair game. Dick Stanley, although late in the game seemed to cover third in a familiar manner. The summary:

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| Innings | 1 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 5 | Total |
| Sophomores | 0 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 9 |
| Freshmen | 1 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 2 | 5 |

Three base hits Kennelly '23, Alexander '24. Hit by pitcher, by Smith '24, Kennelly and Wolman. Umpires, Bly and Cusick.

The baseball game started things all right for the sophomores. Tuesday afternoon the freshmen gathered on Garelon field and under personal supervision of the sophs gave an entertainment for the delectation of the upper classes. After the titian haired quartet rendered a few choice selections and several lithe freshmen had exemplified the art of the hula-hula, the hot oven was installed. This affair seemed to be very successful in the eyes of the sophomores. Wednesday night the freshman tug of war team wallowed through the mire of Lake Andrews. As all the freshmen had not been treated to a bath two more teams were made up, both composed of freshmen. Team No. 1 took a snub around Delbert's ice house and team No. 2 made their end fast to an apple tree. After the deadlock was discovered and broken the defenders of the ice house took a hasty submarine trip and the day was over.

THRIFT IN COLLEGE

Students Practice Conservation

In a recent statement to college men and women on "Thrift", Dr. M. L. Burton, president of the University of Minnesota, says that any student who recognizes the unescapable implications of the whole process of education and future leadership in thought and action should be preparing himself to become an ardent advocate of the necessity of thrift.

"Why should the student of today be prepared to become after graduation a leader in his community in spreading the gospel of thrift?" asks Dr. Burton. "Unless other persons had been both productive and thrifty, no adequate educational facilities would now be available for the education of the present student generation. These splendid institutions have been organized, maintained and equipped out of the savings of the past."

"Moreover, the average student at the present moment is a non-productive member of society. The community in effect says to him: 'We value education so highly that temporarily we are willing to release you from the normal obligations which devolve upon every healthy citizen to be self supporting and agree to provide for your needs.' Society can make this marvelous offer only because others not only have believed in but have actually practised economy."

"It goes without saying that a university trained man should be a leader in his community in all movements calculated to benefit the people as a whole. It seems quite obvious then that any student who recognized the unescapable implications of the whole process of education will be preparing himself to become an ardent advocate of the necessity of thrift. Since the only way to have is to save first and then spend the remainder, the student will practise thrift on a small scale while in college. By so doing he will recognize the vital importance of

the whole process and know whereof he speaks when he assumes the responsibilities of citizenship."

"American schools and colleges owe a duty to themselves and to the nation in keeping constantly before students the fundamental realities of the problem of thrift. Just now America presents an awful spectacle. Never before has there been such a riot of expenditure and orgy of extravagance as now. We need to revitalize in some form the splendid old New England practise of thrift."

The first element of good citizenship is industrial competence, declares Dr. Harry Pratt Judson, president of the University of Chicago in a recent injunction to college men and women going forth not only to make their own way in the world but to make a place as leaders and directors of thought throughout the nation. Not only is it necessary for college men and women to be imbued with the idea of thrift but it is essential that they practise it and urge its practise if the influence is to bear fruit. It is to that end that educators all over the nation are working for the establishment of systematic habits of saving and safe investment in government savings securities.

Dr. Judson in his recent communication on the subject says:

"Certainly our colleges should train students to be good citizens and the first element of good citizenship is industrial competence. No one who is mentally and physically normal should be unable to earn a decent living but the essence of industrial efficiency is elimination of waste."

"This is what has made France so eminently successful in the economic field and our college graduates ought to be imbued with the fundamental ideas of thrift. Unless they learn this and if on the other hand, they learn carelessness which leads to wastefulness, they are contributing to the general industrial disturbances which are undermining our civilization."

CROSS COUNTRY PROSPECTS

Czech Johnston is again with us, and in busy farming what is hoped to be one of the most formidable Bates cross-country team in recent years. From last year's team there has reported Capt. Raymond Baker, Richard Baker, Levine, Batten, Clifford and Peterson. There are between 25 and 30 men out every afternoon. It will be remembered that Ray Baker took first place in the cross-country run a year ago. His brother is reported as better than ever and the rest of the veterans are coming along tip-top. With the few surprises that will come from the new material Bates should be able to finish well in the long grind.

PROCTORS UNION NO. 202

The latest and most novel organization to be formed at Bates is the proctors' union, consisting of the worthy proctors Mildred Edwards, Ruth Colburn, Mary Bartlett and Isabelle Morrison of Rand; Constance Walker of Cheney, Grace Gould of Milliken, Gladys Hall and Ruth Bradley of Whittier, Frederic Ineson of Frye Street, and Hazel Luce of Chase. This organization is to be affiliated with the Bricklayers' and Policemen's Unions, and at a future date will strike for more wages and an 8-hour day. Gladys Hall, the noted economist and stump-speaker, will be agitating secretary. Agitate away, Gladys!

DORMITORY CHANGES

There are a good many changes in the various girls' houses. Rand and Cheney, as usual, have Junior and Senior girls; Frye Street House and the new Chase House are the Sophomore houses, and Whittier and Milliken are now devoted to Freshmen. One exception should be noted. The first floor of Milliken is dedicated to Juniors. This fact is published lest anyone mistake them for Freshmen.

Up to the time of the opening of Chase House, the Sophomore girls to be there have been wanderers here, there, and everywhere, even including Chase Hall.

FRESHMEN ELECT OFFICERS

At a final meeting Thursday, Sept. 30, the freshman class elections were completed. Following is the list:
 President—Wilbur Batten.
 Vice President—Vera Eldridge.
 Secretary—Grace Hebb.
 Treasurer—Roland Leighton.

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FIRST CHAPEL

According to the custom of Bates, the college year began with chapel Thursday morning, Sept. 23. On this occasion President Gray said a few words of welcome to the Freshmen and instilled in them, and re-instilled in the members of the three upper classes, the necessity of loyalty to Bates and its traditions.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

October 2

Bates vs. N. H. State at Durham, N. H.
Colby vs. Fort McKinley at Waterville.
Bowdoin vs. Tufts at Medford.
University of Maine vs. Harvard at Cambridge.

October 9.

Bates vs. Massachusetts Agricultural College at Amherst.
Colby vs. Fort Williams at Waterville.
Bowdoin vs. Amherst at Amherst.
University of Maine vs. Brown at Providence.

October 16.

Bates vs. Colby at Lewiston, championship.
Bowdoin vs. Trinity at Brunswick.
University of Maine vs. Rhode Island at Orono.

October 23.

Bates vs. University of Maine at Orono, championship.
Bowdoin vs. Colby at Waterville, championship.

October 30.

Colby vs. University of Maine, championship.
Bates vs. Bowdoin at Lewiston, championship.

November 6.

Bates vs. Fort Williams at Lewiston.
Colby vs. New Hampshire State at Durham, N. H.
Bowdoin vs. University of Maine at Brunswick, championship.

November 13.

Bates vs. New York University at New York City.
Bowdoin vs. West Point at West Point.
Colby vs. Holy Cross at Portland.

University of Maine vs. New Hampshire State at Orono.

November 20.

Colby vs. West Point at West Point.

DEBATING COUNCIL CONVENES

Plans Made for Session of Busy Times For Our Speakers

On Saturday last the Debating Council held its first meeting of the year. At this time the policy of the Council for the coming year was moulded, and progress was made toward securing suitable opponents for the varsity teams.

This year, the call for debating candidates will be made early—within a week or so, probably. After the first cut in the list of aspirants, a squad of twelve men will be chosen to remain for the year. From these twelve will be chosen the various teams as they are needed. This system, similar to the athletic policy, insures that at all times we will have men in training for use in possible emergencies. Then too, the plan always provides training for new men, so that our future teams may be in the making.

As for opponents for the year, there is as yet little definite information. Yale will without doubt come to Lewiston to meet our men in the big home debate of the year. Princeton, Columbia, and the University of Pennsylvania are all possible opponents on their own floors. Altogether, there is big game in sight for our debaters, and there is every reason to expect another banner year in the history of Bates debating.

UPPER CLASS GIRLS GREET FRESHMEN GIRLS

Y. W. C. A. Gives Welcome

Friday afternoon the girls of all classes gathered under the pines on Mt. David to meet the new younger sisters of "the Bates family," and a most delightful gathering it was, with everyone dressed in their daintiest and fluffiest. Miss Buswell, whom the girls had already met, assured them of a warm welcome into Bates' circles. Lois Chandler, speaking for the Y. W. C. A. made each girl feel that every upper class girl just hoped for each of the new girls the best and happiest year ever. Mrs. Chase, our college mother, was heartily welcomed as she stood to speak, and her greetings were most cordial. Mrs. Schafner, who has come to be house mother to the girls, made each one feel that she was at her ser-

vice. Everybody talked to everybody else, while punch was served. During the afternoon, members of the glee club entertained by singing of Bates songs.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

The elections for 1920 for Glee Club are as follows:

Leader—Barbara Gould '21
Manager—Ruth Fisher '21

MISSIONARY VISITOR SPEAKS

Sunday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Holmes, Bates 1907 and 1910, respectively, gave a very interesting talk on their work in Japan, to the girls in Fiske Room. They are home on a short furlough and are at present visiting Prof. and Mrs. Purington.

MONASTERY BELLS

The monks of the cloistered precincts of Roger Williams Monastery, returning from their summer pilgrimage among the heathen, have found many startling changes in their abode.

Chief among these changes is the presence of a new cell on the first floor wherein the college queen holds sway. Pale monks slip quietly by this forbidding area—terrified lest they fall into the distracting influences there enconced.

Again, a new altar has been erected, at which all visitors to our campus lay their votive offerings of fifty dollars, 'mid many tears and gnashings of teeth. Truly, "the old order changeth."

But greatest of all came the blow at the very vitals of the monastic order—the terrible proclamation of the year. In short, no more may the monks, assembled in secret conclave, offer up clouds of vaporous incense to the gods. No more may the high priest puff the holy weed—smoking has been forever banished!!

But enough of sorrowful complaint—there still be oases of joy within our corridors. Sundry novices in the guise of Freshmen have arrived, gum chewing is still permitted, and Archangel "B," of Room 27 still leads the mighty choir.

Incidentally, there comes the news of the elevation of Brother Jordan to the position of High Priest—to fill a vacancy caused by the spiritual death of one Stevens.

And thus, friends, ends the story of the Monastery.

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Julia Davies of Augusta, recently chosen assistant physical director for the women. She is a graduate of Cony High and of Wellesley in the class of 1918. Since that time she has been assistant director of hygiene in the Packer Collegiate Institute at Brooklyn, N. Y.

Other minor changes have occurred in the French and English courses. Mr. Sidney B. Brown, who has been instructor in French since 1916 is on a year's leave of absence, studying in Paris. Coach Johnston of the track department is teaching French. The Dean of the Women has classes in Freshman English.

These changes may be for the better or worse for the college. That remains to be seen in the course of time. We can only wish the best of success to those who have left, and the best of success to those who have come to this institution in their new work here.

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