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LEWISTON MAINE, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY, 25, 1921

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BATES WINS IN BAY STATE

Drops Game to Harvard, Wins From Northeastern, M. I. T. and Lowell Spratt and Davis Star

Eight determined warriors from Bates invaded Massachusetts last Wednesday and played four of the best basketball combinations of greater Boston. Harvard alone was able to snatch a victory from them and this was due to an injury to Captain Spratt which caused his removal from the game. M. I. T. and Lowell are recognized as the crack quintets of the Bay State, but the Garnet defeated both teams. The men from Bates played fast, furious basketball in all the contests and proved themselves worthy of more support than is seemingly accorded them at their home games. With such victories away from home, over teams of such worthy calibre, the prospect for a championship team next year is most promising. Especially is this so when the fact is considered that five men on the regular squad are freshmen, two are sophomores, and one a senior. The latter, Captain Spratt, to be sure is the mainstay of the team, but the youngsters are fast developing into excellent material.

Harvard 38; Bates 24.

After but a few minutes of play in Hemenway gymnasium, it was apparent that the Bates and Harvard teams were very evenly matched. At the end of the first period the score was 11-10 in favor of the Crimson. The second half witnessed the same doubtful score, the Garnet still remaining a point or two behind Harvard, but full of confidence that they would be able to forge ahead and come out victorious. But Captain Spratt was injured by a blow that caused a bad gash over his eye, and Gormley took his place on the floor. With their leader gone, the Bates men lost heart and Harvard began to cage the ball easily.

The summary:

| BATES | | | |
|-----------------|----|------|------|
| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
| Coronios, lf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Kempton, rf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Spratt, c, | 3 | 8 | 14 |
| Wilson, lb, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Johnson, rb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Davis, rb, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Gormley, lb, c, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 8 | 8 | 24 |
| HARVARD | | | |
| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
| Pallo, lf, | 1 | 10 | 12 |
| McLeish, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Hartley, rf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Fitts, c, | 4 | 0 | 8 |
| Baker, c, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Barker, lb, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Chase, lb, | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Miller, rb, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| | 14 | 10 | 38 |

Referee, Souders. Umpire, McGuinness. Time, 20-minute periods.

Thursday night the Garnet quintet played Northeastern College in the Boston Y. M. C. A. gym. The latter team was defeated by a single floor goal in City Hall last month and planned an easy trimming when Bates should be their visitors, but the Garnet smarted from the walloping of the night before and overwhelmed the Boston boys to the tune of 38-10. In the initial period the Bates defense was so well organized that Northeastern merely scored three foul goals, and her first goal from the floor came after the second half was (Continued on Page Three)

BATES WIN FROM MAINE 24-23

Teamwork and Clever Shooting Brings Home the Bacon

In one of the fastest games seen on the local floor in years, accompanied by a pandemonium of noise from the fans, the Garnet last night defeated Maine by a margin of a single point. In the middle of the first half Maine was leading 9-4, but Coronios and Burrill got busy and cut down the lead, leaving it 11-8 at the end of the period. In the interim between halves the Garnet-wearers must have received some real inspiration, for they soon started in a whirlwind of attack, featured by that bit of lightning, Kempton, who dropped in four baskets, making the score 23-14 with five minutes to play. Maine now had a flash, and tied the score. But Captain "Jack" got a chance to shoot from the foul line,—and the game was over. Both teams played fast, snappy basketball, and clean indeed for the speed of the action.

In a preliminary game the Freshmen defeated the Berlin (N. H.) High School, 22-18, in a game in which the yearlings clearly had the edge in ability to shoot baskets. Had the High School lads been as clever in shooting as in passing, the score might have read differently.

Space prohibits, in this announcement, the detailed score.

GIRLS' INTER-CLASS SERIES

After weeks of hard practice and strict enforcement of training rules the class basketball teams have been chosen and now all interest is turned towards the interclass games. The schedule for the coming week as arranged by the manager, Frances Hughes, is as follows:

- March 1 at 4.30—Sophomores vs. Seniors.
- March 2 at 4.30—Juniors vs. Freshmen.
- March 3 at 4.30—Sophomores vs. Senior 2nd teams.
- March 4 at 4.30—Losing 1st teams.
- March 5 at 4.30—Juniors vs. Freshmen 2nd teams.
- March 5 at 7.30—Winning 1st teams.

DR. TUBBS SPEAKS TO Y. M. C. A.

Dr. Tubbs addressed the meeting of the Y. M. C. A. Wednesday night, February 23d, in Chase Hall. He took for a general topic, the thought of character. As a prelude to his main thought, Dr. Tubbs presented a few of the questions which come to him every year in regard to Bates graduates who are seeking positions. These questions deal almost entirely with character. Dr. Tubbs then went on to paint vividly the striking points in the characters of greatest men, Washington and Lincoln.

proved more welcome than Dr. Roselli. His lecture was a treat that no one could well have afforded to miss and the many students, as well as townspeople who were present, went away highly pleased.

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THE BATES OUTING CLUB

What This Organization is Doing For The Students--The Carnival

Last year for the first time in the history of Bates College an organization under the name of "The Bates Outing Club" was originated. The purpose of this club was to arouse the student interest, and also serve as a means of recreation during the season of the year when too many "indoor sports" would seem monotonous. Although this was an experiment at Bates, the club proved to be a great success.

All can enjoy tennis and baseball in the spring, but when football and cross-country have been put upon the shelf what sports can be participated in during the dreary winter? The answer is that there are many exclusively winter sports, such as snow-shoeing, skiing, tobogganning, and hockey, which all the students may enjoy under the supervision of the Outing Club, by merely becoming a member of the organization; thus partaking of the greatest health producer known to mankind, "God's Pure Fresh Air."

This out-of-doors spirit last year was the real Bates spirit, crystallized by the Bates Outing Club. The club provided snow-shoes, skis, and toboggans for the use of many of the students who wished to take part in these sports, but lacked the necessary equipment. A toboggan slide was built on the east side of Rand Hall; there, also, skiing was enjoyed by many. Lake Andrews served as a skating rink where all students could skate at any time, and particularly, where the intercollegiate hockey games were held.

This year, in addition to the methods of last year, the club had many new plans, but because of the light snowfall thus far has been unable to carry them out. It was planned to purchase a camp near Lake Sabattus, where snow-shoeing parties could spend week ends, but in face of existing conditions this move was considered unwise at this time.

It is a lamentable fact that two of the greatest of outdoor sports, tobogganning and skiing, have not been much enjoyed this year by the students. This is not, however, the fault of the Outing Club, but rather due to the extreme niggardliness of the Snow-god. There has, however, been no dearth of skating weather, and Lake Andrews has been kept clean of snow and flooded often enough to keep the surface smooth. Hockey games, to which all members of the club are admitted free of charge, have aroused a great deal of interest, the spirit shown this year having been remarkable.

Admittedly the crowning event of the season is this week's carnival.

Already part of the program has been disposed of. The plans for this evening include a hockey game between Bates and the fast Springfield College seven. After the game there will be an opportunity for any and all to skate to their heart's content.

Saturday is to be the big day of the Carnival in every sense of the word. The afternoon is to be taken up with skating events including: 100 yard dash for men. 50 yard dash for women. High jump—men. Two laps backward—men. One lap backward—women. Mile race—men. Inter-class relay—men. Inter-class relay—women. There will also be a skate relay race (Continued on Page Two)

ACCIDENT MARS CARNIVAL

In the 220-yard snowshoe race yesterday afternoon, Charles W. Peterson, '21, secretary of the Outing Club, had the ill-luck of a spill. This was nothing unusual yesterday, but "Charlie" was unlucky enough to catch his arm underneath him in his fall, sustaining a compound fracture of the bones of the left elbow.

PROFESSOR CARROLL EMERGES TRIUMPHANT

Cold Logic Wins from Noted Orator in Warm Debate.

Professor J. M. Carroll of Bates met Dr. Harry W. Laidler, lecturer for the Intercollegiate Socialist Society in a very interesting debate last Wednesday evening on the subject: "Resolved, That socialism will provide a larger degree of social welfare than does the present system of capitalism." The affair was under the auspices of the Politics Club and Dr. Laidler as the challenger, of course had the affirmative.

Dr. Laidler opened the discussion with a polite eulogy of his distinguished opponent, saying that he had been to Bates twice before and had always enjoyed the hospitality of the professor and of the college in general. He then proceeded to define socialism, saying that the real socialist believed in the public ownership and operation of essential industries, and was not necessarily an anarchist or Bolshevik. After this lucid definition of the proposition, Dr. Laidler took up the three issues on which he rested his case, contending that socialism would provide a larger degree of social welfare than the present system of capitalism in that it would be more efficient, would furnish an equal opportunity to all, and would give rise to a universal development of personality. Each of the issues was ably supported. As a speaker, Dr. Laidler captivated his audience. His calm, confident poise and ready flow of words, together with his courteous bearing, made Dr. Laidler a charming speaker.

Great applause greeted Professor Carroll as he rose in reply. The professor stated that the best way to meet insidious radical doctrines was in the open, and declared he preferred openly to meet the doctrines of such men as Eugene Debs, who was "wearing his life away in jail." He then attacked Dr. Laidler's arguments directly, and contended that capitalism was the best hope for modern welfare, as it has the positive merits of considering the value of individual initiative which can be induced only through private manipulation of all industries essential and otherwise. "Shall we discard a useful system for an untried one, and shall the fruits of all civilization be now cast aside for a doubtful and at best untried proposition?" asked Professor Carroll in concluding his main speech.

Each speaker had fifteen minutes for rebuttal, and valid objections were made to each other's contentions. The rebuttals, however, were for the most part, but further development of the main speeches.

President Gray, who presided, speaking in chapel the next morning, remarked that had the debate been judged, Professor Carroll would have been the victor by a unanimous decision.

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EDITORIALS

SOCIALISTIC SOPHISTRIES

Bates College has had an opportunity to hear the evidence in favor of the modern radicalism of the Socialists. In public debate, the Socialist leader and orator, Harry Laidler, presented the strongest known arguments in favor of his Utopia. Laidler's speech, based upon a condemnation of Capitalism in isolated instances, well represented the attitude of the malecontents who, with warped viewpoint, attack an existing system solely on the basis of occasional flaws. Professor Carroll silenced his opponent with the truth that "hand-picked evidence constitutes the greatest lie conceivable," an accusation which goes to the very heart of Socialism.

Although challenged to do so, Laidler either would not or dared not describe how Socialism would work in actual operation, whether it would be adopted by revolution, and how leaders would be selected. The whole debate demonstrated unmistakably that Socialism, driven out in the open and subjected to the test of facts, cannot stand upon its own merits.

America has had enough destructive pipe-dreams, and our system of industry has too long been declared worthless by those who refuse to see the successful whole rather than the occasional flaw. As a dime placed before the eye will appear larger than the moon, so Socialism's doctrine shuts out the truer vision of a successful Capitalism. Bates can render no better service than to show up the teaching of Laidler and his kind, as detrimental to this or any other country.

THE BATES OUTING CLUB

Bates is in the midst of the second annual carnival of our Outing Club, hence a few words concerning the club itself may not be amiss.

Started by the efforts of a small group of far-sighted men, the Outing Club is daily gaining both in strength and popularity. It is meeting a college need for outdoor activity which is of prime importance, and it is placing Bates on the map as a progressive college which is keeping up with the times.

The individual club member, and the term includes practically all of us, has at hand plenty of opportunity for securing all kinds of healthy exercise mixed up with real sport. Have you spent any time on the rink, kept in condition by the club? Have you shot down that sporty little ski jump and felt yourself sail through the air, upside down or otherwise? Have you crouched on one of the club's express toboggans while it slipped down the "shoot-the-shoots"? Of course you have, and had the time of your life doing it. That's what the club offers to its members as inducements to get out in the open and live. The Health Commissioner of Chicago was certainly right when he said, "Too much fresh air is just enough!"

A club which gets its members out doors for their fun is not only helping itself and its members, but is doing a real service to the college. Brains operate much better after having had their owners out for a snowshoe hike, and grouches get out doors and get lost—the result being that everyone is both healthier and happier. Our Outing Club is doing all this, and deserves the support of every one of us.

The call of the outdoors is a great call, but that call is ably answered through the agency of the Bates Outing Club.

WHAT IS WHEN

Friday, Feb. 25

Round Table, Chase Hall.
Hockey, Springfield, 8.00.
Skating, after the game.

Saturday, Feb. 26

Outing Club Carnival, Skating Events, 1.30.
Grand Masquerade and Skating Party 7.30.

Wednesday, March 2

Basketball, N. H. State at Durham (Pending).

Chapman Concert, City Hall.

Y. M. C. A. Meeting, Chase Hall.

Saturday, March 5

Chase Hall Movies (Earle Williams in "Fortune Hunter"; Larry Semon in "Head Waiter.")

THE BATES OUTING CLUB

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between Edward Little and Jordan High Schools.

Saturday evening is expected to be the best of the entire carnival. The skating area is to be lighted by colors and a fine spectacular effect is promised. There is to be a band in attendance to add to the general good time and to cheer the skaters as they recover from their falls. At 7.30 the masquerade starts. It is hoped that a large number of the student body will enter into the spirit of the occasion and make the masquerade a success, by appearing in costume. Prizes are to be given for the best lady in fancy costume; gentleman in fancy costume; comic lady; comic gentleman; couple in fancy costume.

At 8.30 there is to be a fancy skating competition open to all, after which there will be the announcement of the prize winners in all the Carnival events, with the presentation of the prizes. From nine o'clock on there will be a general skating party and the big bonfire will be lighted. Later in the evening, after all have enjoyed themselves sufficiently to work up an appetite, there will be an abundant and varied refreshment menu presented.

Those in charge of the Carnival have spared no time and effort in their endeavor to make the Carnival a success. Bates is one of the few colleges having an Outing Club, and none have a club with a larger membership. Given good weather conditions the second carnival promises to far exceed the success of the beginning made last year.

ENKUKLIOS RECEPTION

Enkuklios held its annual reception in Fiske Room, Tuesday evening, February 22nd. A pleasant social evening was enjoyed. In the reception line were Edna Merrill, '21, president of the club, Dean Buswell, President and Mrs. C. D. Gray, Miss Niles, Mrs. Scott Wilson, Ruth Fisher, Mrs. Schafner. During the evening, musical selections were offered by an orchestra consisting of Faust '24, Ireland '22, Miss Judkins '22, and Gagnon '23. Refreshments were served in the form of ice cream.

Y. W. C. A. CABINET ENTERTAINED

The Cabinet officers of the Young Women's Christian Association were delightfully entertained Saturday afternoon by Mrs. R. A. MacDonald and Mrs. Arthur Leonard, at the home of Mrs. Leonard.

The guests were reminded of the approaching holiday, as all the games kept George Washington's birthday ever before the mind.

After each girl had had an opportunity to try her skill in these, a cherry tree was brought in and the Martha Washingtons present cut off the cherries and found in them various stunts to be performed.

When all the cherries had been cut from the tree, a short program followed as the girls did their stunts. Tableaux of the cutting of the cherry tree and the making of a Washington pie were presented. An oration on George Washington was next delivered, a minut demonstrated and a patriotic song rendered.

After the program, delicious refreshments were served, and the prizes awarded the winners. These were very unique and pleasing, each winner being given a bulb of some sort, which was already potted and ready to grow.

The afternoon passed quickly and it was a very happy group of girls who bade their hostesses farewell, after such an enjoyable occasion.

OUR GRADUATES

1887—Mrs. Maggie Smith Hathaway, widow of Benjamin Tappan Hathaway of class of 1877, is serving her third term in the Montana House of Representatives, and is the minority floor leader. Mr. Hathaway was Deputy State Superintendent of Schools, when he died and had filled the position with credit to himself for many years.

1920—Gladys Logan, who has been teaching in Scarborough for some time, has been elected a member of the staff of South Portland High School and has recently taken up her duties there.

1887—Announcement has recently been made of the organization of a new firm of attorneys in Portland, consisting of the former firm of Woodman & Whitehouse composed of Albert Stanton Woodman, Bates 1887, and Robert Treat Whitehouse, to which will be added Honorable Arthur Stevens Littlefield of Rockland. This firm will be equipped to engage in the branches of the practice of the law, and will be located at the present offices of Woodman & Whitehouse, 85 Exchange street, Portland.

1919—Sara Tackaberry is teaching in Roxbury, Mass.

The annual meeting of the Lewiston Y. W. C. A. held recently, shows the following Bates graduates elected to officers for this year: Mrs. George M. Chase, 1900, president; Mrs. S. F. Harms, 1913, assistant recording secretary; Mrs. Harry Childs, 1906, treasurer.

1912—Rev. Howard A. Welch, recently commenced his pastorate with the First Baptist Church of Brewer. After his graduation from Bates in 1912, Mr. Welch took his divinity course at Newton Theological Institution at Newton Centre, Mass., completing the three year course in two years. While in the theological seminary he supplied pulpits of churches in the vicinity of Boston, including Haverhill, Salem, Dedham and Attleboro. In 1914, he became pastor of the Littlefield Memorial Church in Rockland, and under his leadership the church has grown from a small, struggling body to a self-supporting church. At the time of his leaving Rockland, Mr. Welch was moderator of the Lincoln Baptist Association which includes the Baptist churches in Rockland and that section of the State.

Bates Alumni Have a Luncheon.

Bates Alumni of Portland held an informal get-together and luncheon at the Preble House, February 5th. This is the second time the club has met in this manner and it is expected that these informal sessions will be held at least once a month. The object is to foster the good fellowship, that has always prevailed at the school. Those present were R. M. Bonny, L. M. Sanborn, Louis B. Farnham, Norman Richardson, Dr. Estes Nichols, E. H. Drake, Albert S. Woodman, Walter S. Deering, Charles L. Foster, I. F. Furnival, and Thomas D. Sale.

The next meeting of the club will be on the first Friday in March and it is expected that a large number of the alumni will be present.

DR. HERR SPEAKS AT VESPER

At the Vesper service, in the College chapel, Sunday afternoon, President Herr, of Newton Theological Seminary, took as his subject, "The Teacher Who Came from God."

In the course of his sermon, Dr. Herr told why the man-Nicodemus was attracted to Christ. "Nicodemus was an anthracite-coal sort of man," said Dr. Herr. "It took some time to set him glowing, but once he was set afire, he burned steadily. Nicodemus was impressed by Jesus because Jesus spoke with authority—as one who had power."

"In the Phaedo, Plato gives us an account of the last hour of Socrates. In the Bible we are given an account of the last supper of Jesus. Both of these great spiritual leaders, before facing death discussed the same subjects—The Immortality of the Soul. But one cannot compare these two scenes without realizing the difference between mere philosophy and Divine inspiration.

"There is a call of the blood which makes all men the kin of Christ. Often I have thought of a beautiful June day—of the golden sunrise that ushered it

in—of the golden hours that followed—and of the heavenly sunset that closed this beautiful day. Christ came into the world as no other man did. His advent was a glorious sunrise. His deeds of power—the words of wisdom which he spoke—these were the golden hours of his life. The Resurrection was the glorious sunset which brought that life to a close."

In speaking of the thirty miracles which are mentioned through the New Testament, Dr. Herr said "they were only a few of the many drops which fell from that brimming cup of omnipotence. The Bible does not make Christ. The relation of the Bible to Christ is that of a telescope to a star. We look at Christ thru the Bible."

Dr. Herr also gave a talk to the student body at the regular chapel service, Monday morning. Among other things he said, "I can never face a great body of college men and women, without feeling as tho I were in the power-house of a great manufacturing plant, like that of the General Electric at Lynn. You college men and women have great powers within you. You are the men and women of tomorrow. You yourselves are determining what kind of men and women you are going to be!"

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GARNET HANDS BOWDOIN 2-1 DEFEAT

Captain Al Morrell of the Bowdoin ice artists set out in quest of a little competition last Tuesday, and accordingly brought his warriors to Lewiston where he waged war with the Bates septet on the little patch of ice behind the gym. Some few weeks ago this same Al officiated at a game in Portland so well that the enthusiasm he aroused among the Garnet rooters and team lasted over and was one of the features of his late disastrous trip to Lewiston. Bowdoin died hard, but what could she do against an aggregation that has such a splendid record as our "little old" team has? Do not get the wrong impression, for Al brought with him some real hockey players that any college would do well to boast of. Among them Whitman and Holmes were especially noteworthy and Miguel at goal did remarkably well by stopping all but the two fatal shots out of nearly two hundred drives headed for the cage which he was defending. This little goal tend was exceedingly busy for thirty-six trying minutes. Joe Cogan hectoring him the most, but Dick Stanley, Eddie Roberts, and Carl Rounds drove him a few each that worried him. And then Belmore and Kelly Smith had a mean way of creeping up from the rear and pestering that goal tend from Brunswick. Acting Captain Wiggin rested easily against his cage and merely shouted words of encouragement to his men. Only twice did he have to deflect the puck as it strove to seek a refuge in the cage behind him. The contest was three full periods of competition.

| Bates | Bowdoin |
|-------------|-------------------------|
| Smith, rw | lw, Whitman |
| Cogan, c | c, Holmes |
| Stanley, r | r, Stonemetz, P. Putnam |
| Roberts, lw | rw, Young |
| Rounds, cp | cp, R. Putnam |
| Belmore, p | p, Morrell |
| Wiggin, g | g, Miguel |

Goals, Cogan 2. Referee, Profit. Umpire, MacDonald. Goal Umpires, Sampson and Mahoney. Time three 12-minute periods.

BATES 2nd, 4; HEBRON, 1

"Gob" Allen with nine men held in reserve if needed, defeated the Hebron Hockey Team, 4-1. What the visitors would have done to the other nine men, without the sailor, is a matter of conjecture, for the prep school lads showed lots of fight and battled hard until the final whistle. The work of Captain Dee and Stone for Hebron, was pre-eminent, and excellent college varsity material is in their makeup.

The summary:

| Bates 2nd | Hebron |
|-------------------------|----------------|
| Bartlett, rw | lw, Farrington |
| Allen, c | c, Stone |
| Scott, r | r, Patten |
| Green, Kelley, lw | rw, Nichols |
| Wade, Hall, Jenkins, cp | cp, Dee |
| Delaney, p | p, Neal |
| Batten, g | g, Pettingill |

Goals, Allen 4, Dee 1. Referee, MacDonald. Umpire, Profit. Timer, Bly.

BATES WINS IN BAY STATE

(Continued from Page One)

Eight minutes old. The Garnet, however, found the hoop large and accommodating for she netted twenty-four points in the first period, and taking things easily in the second, scored fourteen more. Young Kempie scored the greatest number of field goals sinking the ball five times.

The summary:

| BATES | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|---------------|----|------|------|
| Gormley, lf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Coronios, lf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Burrill, rf, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Kempton, rf, | 5 | 0 | 10 |
| Spratt, c, | 3 | 9 | 17 |
| Johnson, lb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilson, lb, | 3 | 0 | 4 |
| Davis, rb, | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| | 14 | 10 | 38 |

NORTHEASTERN

| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|---------------|----|------|------|
| Kneupfer, lf, | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Thompson, rf, | 0 | 2 | 2 |
| Bearse, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Robbins, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Carlson, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Shea, rf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| West, c, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Parker, lb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Crabtree, rb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |

| | | | |
|------------|---|---|----|
| Flood, rb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 3 | 4 | 10 |

Referee, Souders. Time, 20-minute periods.

Bates 19; M. I. T. 16.

The second invasion of Cambridge took place Friday and Bates shook the dust of that city off their feet as conquerors. Walker Memorial gym was the scene of the battle and it was a close one throughout. The lanky Garnet leader won the game on foul goals from the floor.

The summary:

| BATES | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|---------------|----|------|------|
| Gormley, lf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kempton, lf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Burrill, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Coronios, rf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Spratt, c, | 0 | 11 | 11 |
| Johnson, lb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilson, rb, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| | 4 | 11 | 19 |

M. I. T.

| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|--------------|----|------|------|
| Landis, lf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Blood, lf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Boyer, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Sawyer, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Bretting, c, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Hubbard, lb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Tonon, rb, | 4 | 4 | 12 |
| | 6 | 4 | 16 |

Referee, Hoyt. Time, 20-minute periods.

Bates 24; Lowell Textile 21.

Saturday night the Garnet wound up the Massachusetts invasion with her third victory, defeating Lowell Textile, 24-21. The two centers starred for their teams but Spratt was easily the better man of the duet.

BATES

| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|---------------|----|------|------|
| Gormley, lf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Kempton, lf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Burrill, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Coronios, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Spratt, c, | 4 | 6 | 14 |
| Johnson, lb, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Wilson, lb, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Davis, rb, | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| | 9 | 6 | 24 |

LOWELL TEXTILE

| | G. | F.G. | Pts. |
|----------------|----|------|------|
| Carpenter, lf, | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Smith, rf, | 1 | 0 | 2 |
| Snyder, rf, | 2 | 0 | 4 |
| Stevens, c, | 3 | 0 | 6 |
| Mathews, lb, | 1 | 6 | 8 |
| Lombard, rf, | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| | 7 | 7 | 21 |

Referee, McIntyre. Timer, Marshall. Time, 20-minute periods.

BATES MAN WRITES FROM SYRIA

Corley of '13 Describes Country—States Need for Workers

American University of Beirut,
 12 Jan. 1921.
 The Editor, Bates Student,
 Lewiston, Maine.

My Dear Sir,—I believe that you will be glad to receive any kind of an article from a Bates graduate resident abroad, and I have, therefore, set down a few thoughts that I should like to place before the men who are now in college, especially those who are about to graduate.

On completing my work for the Doctor of Theology degree at Harvard in 1919, I accepted an appointment here, and have very much enjoyed my work here up till now. The appointment was for three years, renewable if it be agreeable to both parties. I have managed to learn a good deal of Arabic in the year and a half that I have been here, and have learned to talk French tolerably well, so I can tell from personal experience some of the benefits of life in the East. At present my mind is not made up as to whether I wish to remain in the East, but should I return to America in 1923, I am sure I shall always be glad that I spent three years at Beirut.

Yours very cordially,
 (Dr.) DOUGLAS HILARY CORLEY, '13.

AFTER GRADUATION—WHAT?

Dr. Douglas Hilary Corley, '13.
 We are approaching the time of year when underclassmen seek remunerative employment for the summer vacation and Seniors begin to ask themselves the interesting question: "What am I going to do with my sheepskin when I get

it? Is it to be teaching or preaching, business or graduate study?" This letter is intended to get the ear of the prospective B.A. who wishes either to teach or to preach or eventually to do graduate study.

There are every year some ten or twelve positions open for instructors at the two leading educational institutions of the Near East, the American University of Beirut, and Robert College, Constantinople. The appointments are made at New York, where the men are chosen by the Executive Secretary of the two Boards of Trustees, Mr. Albert W. Staub, 18 East 41st street. The terms of service are as follows, traveling expenses are paid to and from the Orient, a furnished room is provided, good board, besides a salary of \$600 and a small summer allowance. Last summer every American instructor in Beirut obtained summer employment in Y. M. C. A. work in Turkey.

The advantages of such a position on the staff of either of these colleges may be briefly recapitulated: The opportunity to travel in very interesting lands with all expenses paid; the gaining of teaching experience, a chance to save some money against entering the graduate or divinity school, the opportunity to practise spoken French and to acquire Arabic or Turkish, and the possibility of meeting some of the most interesting men in the world in all walks of life.

This last mentioned point may well be enlarged by a reference to some recent visitors to Beirut, among whom are Generals Allenby and Gouraud, the Emir Feisal, the Anglican Bishop in Jerusalem, Drs. Breasted and Luckenbill of Chicago University, Mr. Woods of the South End Settlement House, Boston, and Dr. Sherwood Eddy of the International Y. M. C. A.

For those who accept appointment to Beirut, there is always the trip to Damascus, Ba'albeck, Nazareth, and Jerusalem in the the spring vacation as a pleasing possibility, and the Gizeh Pyramids can usually be reached by a short detour on the way out by leaving the steambot at Alexandria and rejoining it at Port Said. Familiarity with the historic Biblical sites will go far to make a Divinity Course later much more worth while than it could otherwise be, and it would be no exaggeration to say that the Divinity man who has spent three years in the East will gain fully double from his study. Moreover, this work is really missionary activity and can be begun at once, since all the instruction is in English and the teacher does not have to spend two years in acquiring the vernacular.

There is only one Bates man in Beirut and he is rather lonesome for company; Dartmouth has at least three men, and Amherst, four. There is no better opportunity for laying out three years of life to the advantage of others as well as one's self than to join the staff of one of these pioneers of American civilization and culture in the historic lands of Western Asia.
 American University, Beirut, Syria.

THE SINGLE TAX

At a meeting of the Politics Club held Thursday evening, Feb. 17, in Chase Hall, several phases of the Single Tax movement were explained by Robert C. Macconley of Philadelphia, visiting speaker of the evening. Mr. Macconley, who is considered an authority on the subject, is Secretary of the National Single Tax Committee, and was a recent candidate for the presidency on the Single Tax ticket.

In his lecture, Mr. Macconley pointed out how the present system fails to solve many pressing economic problems. He then proceeded to give his arguments for the Single Tax.

"Under the present system less than 5% of the people own any of the land, which means that the remaining 95% are not property owners. Under a single tax regime a new economic era would be issued in. "Single Tax means the freedom of mankind," said Mr. Macconley. "It is practical applied religion. It is writing the golden rule at the base of life."

At the close of his lecture Mr. Macconley conducted a question box and answered various criticisms of the movement. After an informal hour of discussion the meeting adjourned. Bates men who attended the meeting now have an intelligent understanding of this new political theory, and we may expect further discussions of this interesting subject in the future.

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Pressure, then, is merely a matter of bombarding molecules.

When you boil water you make its molecules fly off. The water molecules collide with the air molecules. It takes a higher temperature to boil water at sea-level than on Pike's Peak. Why? Because there are more bombarding molecules at sea-level—more pressure.

Take away all the air pressure and you have a perfect vacuum. A perfect vacuum has never been created. In the best vacuum obtainable there are still over two billion molecules of air per cubic centimeter, or about as many as there are people on the whole earth.

Heat a substance in a vacuum and you may discover properties not revealed under ordinary pressure. A new field for scientific exploration is opened.

Into this field the Research Laboratories of the General Electric Company have penetrated. Thus one of the chemists in the Research Laboratories studied the disintegration of heated metals in highly exhausted bulbs. What happened to the glowing filament of a lamp, for example? The glass blackened. But why? He discovered that the metal distilled in the vacuum depositing on the glass.

This was research in pure science—research in what may be called the chemistry and physics of high vacua. It was undertaken to answer a question. It ended in the discovery of a method of filling lamp bulbs with an inert gas under pressure so that the filament would not evaporate so readily. Thus the efficient gas-filled lamp of today grew out of a purely scientific inquiry.

So, unforeseen, practical benefits often result when research is broadly applied.

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FORTY-LOVE

The Young Lady Across the Campus says: "I think we ought to be proud of our basketball team; it did such excellent work on its Massachusetts trip."

RECENTLY WE received a request from a friend of ours to nominate a list of Cabinet men from Bates College, and altho the President-elect has already announced his tentative selections, we submit our choice and anticipate radical changes may be made in positions of Cabinet members on or before March 4th:

Secretary of State: President Clifton D. Gray.

Secretary of Treasury: Bursar Harry W. Rowe.

Secretary of War: Coach C. H. Smith. Attorney-General: Professor A. C. Baird. Postmaster-General: Cecil Holmes.

Secretary of the Navy: Carl Woodcock. Secretary of the Interior: Professor R. R. N. Gould.

Secretary of Agriculture: Barber, Renaud.

Secretary of Labor: "Bob" MacDon-ald.

Secretary of Commerce: "Express Agent" Jones.

"I GUESS I'LL take a day off," said the student as he tore a sheet off the calendar.—Yale Record.

"La vie est brève.
Un peu d'espoir,
Un peu de rêve,
Et puis,—bon soir!"

Love's Labor Lost.

(A short story in two halves.)

PART I.

It was in the springtime when the trees were leaving that it happened. His name was Bill. He had received the title because when the doctor attended the dedication exercises he brought along the bill for his services. He was standing on the steps of the town library just before sunset and saw an automobile speed up the avenue. It contained a beautiful damsel, and altho he simply caught a passing glance, it was love at first sight. He fell hard but was not seriously injured.

Romance and adventure seized him at once. He gave one bound and landed in the street. Another gentleman happened along and asked him where the road went. Bill said: "We'll see." So the two went along with the road until they came to the skirts of the town which were hemmed in. There they stopped. Bill's companion suggested that he had left the library in such haste he had forgotten his hat, so Bill put on his knee-cap. An automobile came along from a distance.

Bill stooped over and built a tee in the center of the road. Then he cried: "Fore!" He drove the car until it was late and he and his friend were hungry. They came to a fork in the road where he turned the automobile turtle and cooked it on the 'firewater' in the gasoline tank. With the aid of the fork in the road they managed to eat a hearty supper while they had the mud guard them. After supper they discovered the sun had set and went to gather the eggs, which they would use for breakfast.

(Watch for Part II, next week.)
—O. Henry II.

The Audient Student:

"Decapitation is not easily remedied by surgical operations."—"Proxy" Gray.

"Some of us are more angular than others."—Dr. Tubbs.

"Tact is skill in contact."—Prof. "Mac."

P. S.—"Common sense is about the only article not being advertised."—Life.

"THE MARRIAGE PIT"

A good number of students and friends of the college were present at the movies in Chase Hall last Monday evening, the eve of Washington's birthday. Frank Mayo, in the "Marriage Pit," was much enjoyed. The animated cartoons were on the job again and aroused the usual amount of laughter. Considerable comment was heard in regard to the dimmers recently to the lighting system in our movie hall. The dimmers certainly work well. Our movies are getting to be the real thing, with all the modern improvements.

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