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LEWISTON, MAINE, FRIDAY, MARCH 14, 1924

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CHEATING CHEATERS" CAST PROMISES BIG AUDIENCE

Rehearsals Held Every Day As Eve of Presentation Approaches

On March 19th Bates actors will present "Cheating Cheaters" by Max Marcin at the Empire Theatre for the benefit of the Gym Fund. The play is being coached by Miss Louise Clifford. of New York, who was responsible for the phenomenal success of "Nothing but the Truth'' two years ago.

The play to be given this year is of the crook variety, pearl robberies and house-breaking stopping just this side of unpleasant loss of life. There is suspense enough to keep everyone on



Lucy Fairbanks Courtesy of Lewiston Journal

enough humor not to obscure the plot; and there is just enough plot not to highly organized vertebrated types. In ously successful run on Broadwaywell, not too many years ago, and United the Maine Latercollegiate Track Chamsince that time it has been popular for onstrate the meaning of histology and

The part of the leading lady is an extremely difficult one, demanding beauty, eleverness, and so on, through quite of the tissues that make up animal a staggering list of good qualities. Lucy Fairbanks, '27, a Lewiston girl



Harold Simpson

Courtesy of Lewiston Journal has been selected to play it, and play out the aid of pillows or other padding. it she does, to perfection. Opposite her is Harold Simpson, '25, who has developed the matinee idol touch with astonishing ease.

The principal comedy part is taken by John Miller, '26, as yegg, butler, and gunman de luxe. Walter V. Gavigan, '24, will be Tony the Wop, Bernard Solar, '27 will be Ira Lazarre, place on Tuesday of next week. master mind. Sam M. Graves, '24, Dorothy Coburn, '24, Helen Lovelace, MacDonald, '25 are all gangsters, Smith.

JORDAN SCIENTIFIC HOLDS ANNUAL

EXHIBIT

On the evenings of March 13 and 14, the Jordan Scientific Society held in Carnegie Hall its seventh annual exhi-bald covered himself with glory when bition, to which were invited the general public and high school pupils of Marsters, two of the fastest middle dis-Lewiston-Auburn, as well as the undergraduate body of the college. Since 1917, this particular club has sponsored the idea of setting aside two evenings of the college year when anyone who breasted the tape first by a scant few so desired might become to some extent acquainted with the methods and pur- win the race. poses used in the different departments of scientific instruction offered at the Bates again ran off with the honors. college. Accordingly the instructors "Cyk" McGinley, the captain of the and students in each department have cross country team carried off first undertaken to present in a graphic and honors, winning the race by an easy attractive way the lines of that repre- margin. "Allie" Wills upset the dope sented by that particular phase of in- by finishing third in spite of the blisstruction and to show in a number of ters on his feet. ways why instruction in these things is In the 45 yard dash, Baker the latest considered worth while.

A certain part of building was set a two foot handicap. aside for the use of each department. Although the relay team was defeated where there were museum specimens yet to be defeated. the edge of his chair; there is just and drawings representing the various On measuring the track it was found microscopic plants and animals to the a world's record for this distance. another laboratory the work in histolto show the methods used in the preption of the development of vertebrate embryos was accomplished by the use of eggs opened at the various stages of incubation to show the progress in growth that the chick makes before hatching.

The second floor was given over to the work in chemistry and physics. The exhibition in chemistry included experiments in general chemistry, qualitative and quantitative analysis, industrial, organic, and bio-chemistry, with mashed potatoes, green peas, roast ine Lawton). Priscilla Frew '25, the Here one project was the complete pro- apple pie a la mode, coffee, nuts and '26 in "O, Juliet." Leah Shapiro covcess used in the manufacture and use of indigo dyes, taken from the coaltar stage and carried thru to the colored St. Patricks' Day, with green crepe Sleeper," the guest of the evening, ex- Wed. 7-Colby at Lewiston. fabric. To show the application of paper streamers, place cards, and green chemistry to industry, the analysis of pinks. steel and the electro-analysis of brass and copper was shown.

(Continued on Page Three)

Chandler will play the detective chief. Glee Club). Emma Abbott '24, one A squad of policemen have been chosen who will fill borrowed uniforms with-

The two cities and students who were here at the time remember Miss Clifford's last offering as one of the most finished amateur plays ever seen here, and rehearsals give promise that this year's production will be as successful in every way. Certificates are already on sale, and the seat exchange will take

The Orphic Society's orchestra of 30 pieces will present an elaborate pro-'25, Janice Hoit, '25, and Douglas gram under the direction of Allan B.

ARCHIBALD WINS GREAT RACE AT PORTLAND MEET

"Cyk" Victor in Long Grind Wills and Baker in Fine Finish

RELAY MEN FORCE FAST H. C. OUTFIT TO BREAK RECORD

Tuesday night at the Portland meet, given by the American Legion, the Garnet came through once again. The most exciting race of the evening was the 600 yard run. In this event Archihe defeated Jake Driscoll and Shrimp tance men in the country. Archie took the lead at the first bank and was never headed by his competitors. He inches but these inches were enough to

In the two and one half mile run

freshman sensation finished third with

The part of the exhibition belonging to by Holy Cross they turned in the fastthe science of biology occupied both est time of any of the Maine colleges. laboratories on the first floor. One This year the Warnester outfit is rep-

forms of living matter from the lowest that the Purple flyers had established of Bates' success in the field of debate.

This meet has been a revelation to the debating team. many of us, and our hopes of having Here the displays were intended to dem- pionship at Bates have taken a decided spective teams. rise. After such an exhibition the college is proud to have been honored by served and dancing was enjoyed until the deeds of our Garnet flyers.

KEEN COMPETITION SURE AS BASEBALL MEN REPORT

Coach Wiggin's Call Nets Fifty Candidates Four New Teams on Year's Card

CHAMPION TEAMS GIVEN TOASTS AT

faculty held a rally in Chase Hall in start indoor work in the cage at once. honor of the hockey, winter sports, track, and debating teams.

Frank McGinley opened the rally and jokingly told of the difficulty he experienced in obtaining President Gray as toastmaster for the evening. After much searching he cornered his man and made him consent to act in the roll of toastmaster.

Capt. Elberton J. Tiffany of the winter sports team told of the team's progress during the winter and Henry Rich supplemented Capt. Tiffany's remarks with a talk about the cups that the winter sports team has won this year. Prof. R. A. F. MacDonald, speak ing for the Outing Club, reminded the students that the purpose of the Outing Club is to cover activities not covered by other athletics and to provide enjoyment for all the students. Mr. James Carroll, Bates '11, spoke on the development of hockey at Bates, Capt. "Dick" Stanley in responding for the hockey team lauded the system of Coach Wiggin. The successes of the room was devoted to general biology, resented by one of the fastest relay track team were delated by Coach invertebrate and vertebrate anatomy, teams in Intercollegiate circles, and has Cutts. Capt. "Cyk" McGinley of the track team responded. Principal Moulton of Edward Little High School told William E. Young spoke on behalf of

> All the team representatives praised the systems of the coaches of the re-

After the rally refreshments were

CHASE RECEPTION

On Thursday night the students and

Girls' Glee Club Gives Banquet at DeWitt Hotel had for some time. A new feature

In celebration of the success of the time prince, gave a toast "To Cinde

The program consisted of short witty toasts, with Mildred Stanley '25, the Glee Club pianist, and accompanist to the recently organized Orphic society, Fletcher Shea, will present a medal in as toastmistress. Catherine Lawton behalf of Andrew Carnegie, while Bob '26 gave a toast "To Jan" (leader of

recent operetta, the Girls' Glee Club rella'' (Celeste Lombard). Ruth Wass held a banquet at the Dewitt Hotel, '25 and Belle Hobbs '27 gave a elever Monday evening at 6:30 o'clock. The Get,'' Elizabeth Powers, '24 in a short menu consisted of: cream of celery soup, poem, toasted "Miss Jones!" (Catherparticular emphasis on the last three, chicken, cranberry sauce, hot rolls, Romantic Girl rhapsodized Wilma Carll, ered everything in "To Ourselves! The decorations were in keeping with Janice Hoit, in her toast "To Mrs. Sat. 3-Brown at Providence, pressed the gratitude of the girls for Fri. 9-Lowell at Lewiston. the able direction of the operetta. Mrs. Sat. 10-Maine at Lewiston, Sleeper was presented with a Bates bar Wed. 14—Colby at Waterville.

Music was furnished by the Ladies' Wed. 21-Tufts at Lewiston. Trio. There were thirty-two members Fri. 23-Bowdoin at Brunswick, present. The committee in charge was Sat. 24-Maine at Orono. composed of Mildred Stanley '25, Hel- Wed. 28-University of Vermont at

FROSH PRIZES GO TO GOOGINS AND MISS FAIRBANKS

Last Saturday at 2:00 o'clock in Hathorn Hall the Freshmen Public extensive career in debating and public Speaking Prize Division contended in their annual event for the much coveted laurel. The competition was very keen and the judges had a great deal of difficulty in making their decision. Fourteen members of the Freshmen class were selected to speak. A good audi-

After much deliberation the judges finally awarded the prizes to Lucy Fair-

en Hamm '24, Vera Eldredge '24.

banks and Fred Googins. The former is a graduate of Jordan High where she won 2 medals and a cup for public Thurs. 5-New Hampshire State at speaking. The latter has had quite an

speaking at Deering High. The contestants were: Nathalie Benson, Francis Cutler, Lucy Fairbanks, Aline Johnson, Marian Peables, Jessie Robertson Katherine Thomas, Elmer Campbell Efthimios Couzinos, Edwin Goldsworthy, Fred Googins, Fletcher Shea, Bernard Solar, and Leon Town-

Monday night at Chase Hall Coach Wiggin met all candidates for the baseball team save the battery men who received their instructions from the mentor two weeks ago. About fifty reported to the Coach among them being seven letter men. These seven veterans are training to hold their position from new men. Short instructions were given to the men and they will

Charlie Ray, who was the thorn in the side of many an opponent on the football field, was among the newcomers. Charlie handled the hot corner in his High School days and will make a strong bid for an infield position. Roscoe Peck of the freshman class, who hails from New London, Conn., is reputed to be a first class performer on the initial sack. He will have to compete against the Jordan brothers combination in an attempt to hold his place permanently. Palmer, Hinds, Osgood, and "Hans" Dimlick were on hand to put in applications for positions on the keystone sack. Dimlick and Osgood have both won the coveted B while Palmer is a new comer. 'Rosy'' Young, formerly of Livermore Falls fame, is a contender for third base along with "Violet" Ray and "Johnnie" Daker.

Gny Rowe is the only veteran outfielder left, but there is plenty of good material on hand to furnish a good battle for the garden berths. All is in readiness for Spring. If anyone can invent a way to dry up Garcelon field in a week his fortune is made.

The full list of the men who reported to Coach Wiggin is as follows: Captain Cogan, John Daker, "Rosy" Young, Roscoe Peck, Knight, Holland, W. Gilpatric, Jakeman, Wade, Hintze, Haskell, Ray, Perham, Hinds, McCullough, Peables, Dimlich, Goody, Osgood, Adams, Kippy sr. and Kippy jr. Jordan, Guy Rowe, McGinley, Chandler, Burke, Holman, Milderberger, Wyllie,

Manager Sam Graves has announced the schedule. It is the largest and most complete baseball schedule Bates has this year is a trip to Vermont. Following is the schedule.

April

Sat. 19-Bowdoin at Lewiston.

Sat. 26-Bowdoin at Brunswick.

(exhibition) Wed, 23-Harvard at Cambridge, Thurs, 24-New Hampshire at Durham,

May

Thurs. 1-Tufts at Medford. Fri. 2-Providence College at

pin, a token of appreciation and esteem. Fri. 16-Bowdoin at Lewiston.

Thurs, 29-Middlebury at Middlebury. Sat. 31-Pending.

June

>>>>>>> Don't forget the big play of the year Cheating Cheaters at the Empire Theatre next Wednesday evening, March 19th. Tickets on sale in each dormitory and at bookstore.

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THE RECEPTION, THE COACHES, ETC.

Because we were, unfortunately, one of those most intimately involved, we cannot with modesty say much about the reception tendered on Wednesday evening to three Bates teams-no, four Bates teams, for the track men won a superb victory.

The victories of the hockey team, the winter sports team, and the track men, have been among the most distinguished in Bates history. Now, as we look back upon the winter sports season, we can appreciate best what our snow and ice athletes have done. Two state championships-in the only sports, as has been explained, in the dressing-room where all, or almost which Bates has a fair start with the other Maine colleges. The two championships are due, we know, in no little measure to the untiring work of the men and the indomitable and fighting spirit which was consistently displayed. A great portion of the credit, we feel sure, belongs to Coaches Woodward and Wiggin. Every Bates man should realize to what an enormous extent success in sport is due to proper coaching. The efforts of Messrs. Woodward and Wiggin have been untiring. Their examples to the men have been most inspiring, and have brought out superb results. No little portion of the formidable athletic position which Bates is rapidly gaining is due to her coaches.

Coaches Woodward and Wiggin are young members of the faculty who have demonstrated beyond the shadow of a doubt their ability. Bates should keep both of them. Now we all know that to men like Messrs. Woodward and Wiggin the desire to look for advancement is ever present. We know that they must have, from time to time, looked for advancement in their respective fields. They must have looked toward larger fields to conquer. Because of this, it is up to Bates to present sufficient opportunity to successful coaches, that they may do their advancing on our own campus. We do not know that the younger men at Bates have actually contemplated leaving us. We do know that the authorities here would make a fatal mistake if they do not exert every influence in order to keep with us men who have demonstrated their ability so convincingly. May the future careers of Coaches Woodward and Wiggin bring further glory to Bates! Bates needs them.

NEWSPAPERS

We know that college newspapers are regarded with great disgust and disdain by regular members of the profession. Whenever you want to make a newspaper man laugh long and loud, make some innocent remark about a college newspaper. And so, offering all due apologies to those worthies, we would say a word about contemporary

A student in a neighboring college has been receiving an enormous amount of newspaper publicity. Maine and Massachusetts newspapers have revelled in displaying all the sorry details in the largest type which they possessed. Why should newspapers print such copious and pitiful scandal? Why do newspapers delight in muckraking? As far as we know, the only justification for these disgusting tactics is that such muck is "news", and "what the public wants". William Randolph Hearst and his cohorts will tell you this. But if these estimable folk would carry the doctrine of "give the public what it wants" to its inevitable conclusion, the public would demand things which even their own yellow-journalism mentalities would refuse. You cannot give the public what it wants, for if you did, you would have to give everything banned from the Mosaic Decalogue to the Revised Statutes. In our opinion, there is no justification for "scandal sheets" and as soon as the decent public rises on its hind legs and puts them into the deep blue sea, the better.

******* In the Final Analysis

Again the dramatic season has lagged.

But if we may be allowed to disinter a little ancient history, we should like to say a few short words about the most recent 4a performance, the one at Webster Hall a month ago.

The whole subject was brought to our mind as we sat listening to the crisp remarks of Miss Louise Clifford as she viewed one of the first rehearsals of 'Cheating Cheaters.'' Some of the most talented of the performers were trying to bridge painful gaps in their memory with little improvisions of the 'er-er'' variety, but the forcefull young lady with the manuscript insisted that that document be given a chance.

"I think you will not be able to improve upon it," she said.

Three cheers for her. If she succeeds n breaking the histrions of this campus of the habit of thinking that to 'fake'' is more meritorious than to campus.' learn parts, she will have earned her salary ten times over.

Why, at the Webster performance, there was nothing to be heard back in his eye. stage except boasts of this variety:

"Ha, ha, ha, I forgot a speech back there, but I faked it for about a page, this young man who combines the asha, ha, ha,'

out a page, ha, ha, ha?"'

pages so as to get back into the story, Age'. The former I could stand, but ha, ha, ha. But we faked it all right, I would not touch the second with firethe audience never noticed it."

We felt the calamity of this state of mind at the time, and being out in and women confided to our care!" all the actors and actresses were shouted, "Fellow artists, this must not go on!"

Shut up, then!"

hair is not bobbed, and we do not live rather think that they did.

The honor system as it is administered around these parts was epitomized by the instructor who recently said to lem,' his class before giving them a written lesson, "Now you're on your honor, and I'm watching you, so I shan't

expect any cribbing."

We have attended mournful faculty neetings in our time, but we never have seen so grave and anxious a lot of professors as those who were present at the recent one to which we were called for consultation.

"Sir," said the president, "We need the assistance of someone who holds the public ear, and we believe you to be the man.'

"You do us no more than justice," we replied.

"A grave problem confronts us," he ontinued, "One of the gravest with which a Bates faculty was ever con fronted."

"Yes?" we queried, seeing that he was slightly embarassed

"Yes. Briefly it is this:

"There is at the present time on the Bates campus a person or a group of persons who are distributing literature of the lowest and most salacious sort among the students.

"The first evidence of their activities came when word was brought to us that a copy of 'Simon Called Peter' was being circulated through Parker Hall. We endeavored to learn who was responsible for this, we endeavored to capture the book itself, we put our agents to work-"

"Pfaugh, they are children!" we in-

terrupted angrily.

"We see it now," he said, "And we agents were able to do nothing. They Stanley Stuber '26could neither lay hands upon the vol-first brought it to the campus.

"All this was bad, but imagine our chagrin when on one day we were informed that "Simon Called Peter" had been seen in Rand Hall, and that a

new atrocity, "Horses and Men," written by one Anderson, later ascertained not to be Hans Christian, had appeared in one of the men's dormitories.

"Since that day, things have gone from bad to worse. These books seem to have a regular route of travel. Starting in John Bertram, apparently the headquarters of the movement, they go to Parker, thence to Rand, thence to innocent Cheney House, thence to even more innocent Chase House, from there down to Milliken and Whittier; and gentlemen, while I shudder to think of it, I must tell you the whole truth, these scoundrels, not content with polluting the minds of the girls of the Freshmen Class, do worse-they introduce those damnable books into Roger Williams Hall.

"Gentlemen," he continued, and the tears streamed down his face, "There was a time when not a vile nor an improper thought or word was harbored in all the Bates student body. There was a time when Bates men and women were never known to blush; they did not know that there was anything to blush about. But today all is changed, and I lay every bit of the responsibility at the door of the Judas Iscariot who is bringing improper books onto our

A sympathetic sniffle was heard from one of the professors, and the president continued. He had pulled himself together now, and there was a hard glint

"We are going to stop it," he shouted. "We are going to do it through tute detective with the able publicist. "Ha, ha, ha, did you notice we left Only today I learned that the villains have imported two new ones, a dog-"We had to go back and repeat two eared 'Decameron' and 'The Plastic tongs! Yet these books are at this very minute in the hands of the men

"Can you give us a clue?" we asked. "We possess two, one of which I gathered, we climbed upon a desk and have already given you, namely that the books seem to come from John Berrtam Hall. The second is that they "All right, they agreed unanimously, always pass through the Spofford Club, the Bates literary society. This club What could we do but comply? Our appears to talk over these books, in fact, as far as we can determine, that in New York. As for the audience not is all they do talk about. Shall we having noticed it, we watched their have them suppressed, or should we let faces as they left the hall, and we them go on in order to assist you with your work?"

"Let them go on by all means," we answered. "We think that we see our way clear to the solution of your prob-

"Gentlemen," we continued, "We runs. have concluded to accept the commission which you proffer us. Our office is at this minute swamped with the written matter incident to the carrying on of the twenty or more investigations which we now have on our hands. but out of our personal regard for you, we will accept and carry this case to a successful conclusion."

Having said this, we rose to take our leave, but we were unable to escape before the faculty had given three cheers for us and our investigation.

Let the panderers beware!

C. K. C.

Y. M. C. A. NOTES

"Is Christianity a failure," asked Dr. Alexander Purdy of Hartford Theological Seminary in an enlightening talk at the "Y" last Wednesday evening. In reply he indicated that it need not be, and then he discussed in a clear manner the difficulties encountered by the church and minister in being an adequate force for producing Christian life in the community. While he dealt with the necessity for a thoughtful decision, yet a clear call was sounded.

"DADDY" MORRELL ELECTED "Y" PRESIDENT

In the elections the following were elected for next year's cabinet: President, Herbert Morrell, '25, vice-president, Ronald Perham, '26; secretary, listed: "Steavie" had two temporary Fred Googins, '27; advisory board, are calling upon you. To continue, our Oliver Cutts. Clarence Clark '25, and

NOTICE

Owing to the Easter Recess there will be no issue of The Student next week.

Sport Notes

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Donald A. Hall, Editor

The celebration at Chase Hall in honor of the three championship teams was a most fitting compliment to the men who took part in bringing the honors to Bates. The success of the evening is due in large part to the Chairman Arthur Moulton and to the co-operation of the three departments who combined to make the event a successful

The great race run by Archibald against "Jake" Driscoll and "Shrimp" Marsters is still the talk of the campus. The fleet Garnet runner surprised everyone by defeating "Jake" as Driscoll was a heavy favorite before the event. "Archie" is in possession of a large silver loving cup as a reward for his well-earned win.

The annual interscholastic basketball tournament was run off without a hitch. All the competitors were pleased with the treatment they received during their stay on the campus. The refereeing of Cobb and O'Connell was of the best and no protests were entered against the work of these two men. Each year more interest is shown in the games, and it is certain that the tournaments will become a fixture in Bates athletics.

The baseball schedule recently annonnced by the manager is a very complete card. Four new teams appear on the schedule; Brown, Providence College, Middlebury, and the University of Vermont. Lowell Textile is once more on the schedule after a lapse of several years.

Seventeen games are listed on the baseball card of which but six are home games. The remaining eleven will be played away from Lewiston. Some criticism has been directed toward the small number of home games in baseball. But, two of the out of town games are scheduled at Brunswick which will enable Bates men to see the big games,

Two Maine Coaches have been picked to serve on the Olympic coaching staff Mike Ryan, coach at Colby and resident of Auburn will have charge of the training of the long distance runners. while Jack Magee of Bowdoin will assist in the field events and the long

It is reported that Holy Cross set a new world's mark when defeating Bates at Portland. If the track was correctly measured the wearers of the purple and white knocked one-fifth of a second off the old mark.

SOPHOMORE CO-EDS BASKETBALL CHAMPS

Sophomores-30 Juniors 16

The championship game, fought to finish Tuesday night-the finish of the Juniors-was alive from the start with growing vigor. The first half was an almost even game, each team snapping along, and the Sophomores only two in the lead, 10-8. With the second half, the Sophomore team gained momentum, plucking the ball from no where, and scoring basket upon basket unerringly. The center pass work was otable, and the forward's eye for the basket unfailing. The final score was 30-16, favor of the Sophomores.

Seniors-34 Freshmen-35

Between halves, Seniors and Freshmen teams played off, with a close vic tory to the Freshman, 35-34. Though far behind at the end of the first half, the Senior team showed a lot of fight before the close, losing by a solitary point. The baskets, as a class were good, but one stood out-Campbell's long shot from the center court was a beauty. No serious casualties are knock-outs but soon was back to the

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JORDAN SCIENTIFIC

HOLDS EXHIBIT

(Continued from Page One) In the physics laboratory were shown

all manner of machines and pieces of

apparatus for the demonstration of the

physical laws of nature. Here partic-

ular interest was focused on the operation of X-Ray tubes, the radio, and

upon the process of photography and

On the third floor the Stanton Na-

tural Museum, always a source of in-

of displays. A new feature introduced

this year by the department of geology

was the showing of a large collection

of Indian and historical relies loaned

for this purpose by the State Museum

The work in mathematics was repre-

sented by an extensive display of conci-

cal sections, solid mathematical figures.

plane tables and surveying instruments,

and other apparatus necessary for the

demonstration of the relations of num-

This society which was organized in

1910 under the auspices of the late

time the following membership: Elber-

ton Tiffany, (Pres.); D. Stanton Ross,

(Sec.); Linwood Hilton, Rudolph Kemp-

ton, Arthur Pollister, Arthur Bragg,

son, Howard Lary, Frank Dorr, William

Raymond, Elmer Watson, Kenneth

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Lytton's "Siege of Constantinople" epitomize a situation which is of keen College, since all who have entered her

man endeavor, her more than two thoususually without hope of large material for their parents. reward, to some cause which has for its high purpose the improvement of the general welfare through ameliorating uate of a college is in duty bound. It the conditions under which we live. is undoubtedly true that no college, They have learned the blessed privi- surely none maintaining chiefly an Arts lege of true service. Their devotion to course, is receiving from its students in a chosen calling, however, has not prevented them from according full measure of fealty to their Alma Mater, as was proved by their splendid support of comes in some degree at least a philan the Loyalty Fund, and their generous thropic institution which dispenses its contributions to the more recent Million largess in the form of education for Dollar Drive.

life have materially changed during the each student is the recipient of bene last quarter century. Because of the fits bestowed in some part by the hand rapid increase of population in our of philanthrophy. country, and because of a keen stimulation of interest in education among all classes, and its broadening lines, dent receives something which could new institutions of learning are spring- scarcely be paid for in terms of money. ing up everywhere. In addition to the What could recompense the love, solicitraditional lines of education, business tude, and tender care which a parent and technical training are greatly in bestows upon a child? Likewise, what demand, and the older institutions are could compensate a college for that finer finding more difficulty in maintaining something which a student derives from the traditional lines of education. Thus his Alma Mater which, like Bates, looks the problem of education is seen in a yearningly to the moral and spiritual partially new setting.

each becomes more dependent upon the not a relation established between our support of the clientele which it serves, college and its students which is sacred students, graduates, trustees and such we, each one, gained something from friends as each institution may raise our beloved Bates for which we can up by virtue of its good works, have scarcely make adequate return? become and must continue to be its chief supporters. It is not, apparently, graduate may well ponder; and in protoo much to say that in this way alone portion to his recognition of the value will our colleges be enabled to carry on of his experience, and to his right un-

which, it seems, our country cannot go forward to its high place as leader in promoting that idealism of which the These words borrowed from Lord world is so greatly in need. No longer may colleges justifiably look to the wealthy alone to support them out of interest to every graduate of Bates their generosity. While the munificence of Americans is proverbial in its portals as students have sought the extent and diversity, yet so great have beneficence within her power of bestow- become the demands upon our well-to-do that in many instances the situation American college men and women are amounts to nothing less than harrassnoted for their fine idealism. Inspired ment. The rich will continue to give, with a zest for service, they eagerly but with the rapid increase in the numgrasp every opportunity offered for ber of institutions seeking their aid, promoting the welfare of mankind. Of the colleges will inevitably more and no body of graduates is this more char- more become dependent upon their own acteristic than of Bates' men and resources. The direct beneficiaries of women. During the three score years each institution, its graduates and of her existence, in many lines of hu- friends, must cherish and provide for Alma Mater, as the dutiful son and and graduates have very generally de- daughter in token of filial gratitude voted themselves, often without stint, and appreciation love, cherish and care

Moreover, there is a definite obligation to the discharge of which the gradthe form of tuition and other payments more than a part of the expense of such education. The college, thus, bewhich it receives only partial payment. The conditions surrounding college Because colleges are not self-supporting,

Furthermore, entirely apart from the monetary cost of education, the stuwell-being, as well as to the mental As institutions of learning multiply, development of each student? Is there -the recipients of its benefits. The and worthy to be cherished? Have not

This is a problem which each undertheir indispensible work-work without derstanding of his obligation toward

Prof. Robinson to Attend Trustee Board Meeting

to atend a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the Curry School of Expression in Boston.

school-an institution which has trained guest at the Boston Bates Alumni Banmany successful teachers and public quet. speakers. S. S. Curry, the man who is largely responsible for its present im- planning to visit New York City. Here terest, and the exhibitions of geology portant place in the province of expres- it will be his delight to attend plays and mathematics completed the series sion, belongs to the modern school. He and concerts. Particularly is he inbelieves in straightforward and direct terested in seeing the spectacular propublic speaking as the expression of duction-"The Miracle Play."

the college will be his sense of gratitu-

tude, and the desire for its full expres-

sion in terms of loyalty. Accordingly,

one's obligation to his college is by no

means discharged by the mere giving

of money. The college vastly needs

something more than the necessary

funds, important as they are. The loy-

alty that springs from a lively realiza-

tion of the benefits received through

her manifold bestowals; from firm faith

in her ideals; from an abiding confi-

dence that her highest purpose is the

development of true Christian charac-

ter; from the assurance that integrity.

industry, service, are her watchwords-

this type of loyalty induces that appre-

ciation and consequent gratitude which

look upon the opportunity to bestow

the support which is so greatly needed.

mental, spiritual, and financial, as a

The value of a gift is by no means

measured in terms of dollars. The

spirit in which it is given, the joy which

rises from the pleasure of giving, is

a better criterion of its true worth.

It is said of the Japanese that the giver

thanks the recipient for the pleasure of

giving. May not we graduates of

Bates thank our beloved college for the

tinue our participation in her glorious

our good-will, and some proof of our

love for her ideals, in addition to mater-

ial support? The widow who cast two

more than many who put in a larger

ing of their graduates is a foregone

conclusion. Is it not well, then, for

uate, to give such attention to the needs

of the college as will enable him to un-

derstand her problems? The value of

a course at Bates will be substantially

college stands, her present needs, and

what she will continue to need for her

college and its students is one that en-

Bates College. Those who have been

and those who will be her beneficiaries

are under obligation to see to it that

er; that they burn ever brighter, fed

by the love and gratitude of her rapidly

GET OUT AND PUSH

ered with a net-work of railroads, Jere-

miah Small drove an old coach between

London and Exeter. The route covered

a long and very steep hill at a place

As the passengers entered the coach he would inquire "How will ye ride,

The passenger, unless familiar with

ticket, as everyone was huddled to-

gether and there appeared to be no ad-

vantage in being a first class passenger. At the foot of Barnsfield Hill the

coach would be slowed down to a walk

and then stopped and Jeremiah would

"Gentlemen, this be Barnsfield Hill,

a hard and long pull for the horses

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walk: Third class passengers get out

-The Optimist

appear at the door and say:

and push."

sir, first, second or third class?"

named Barnsfield.

In the days of romance and stagecoaches, before Great Britain was cov-

growing body of sons and daughters.

her altar fires be not allowed to

which inspired her act.

blessed privilege.

Professor G. M. Robinson will leave inner thought. Professor Robinson college on Tuesday, March 18, in order promulgates this same doctrine, and emphasizes particularly the student's breaking away from the sheer super-

On the following Saturday evening, other electrical inventions, as well as The professor is a graduate of this Professor Robinson will be the invited

CANTATA WILL BE

The faculty and student body will receive the announcement of the presentation of the cantata "The Seven Last Words of Christ'' with much anticipation. This composition is a meditation on the events of the Crucifixion Dr. Lyman Jordan, has at the present and the utterances of the Savior from the Cross. The music was written by Theodore Dubois.

CHRIST

privilege of being permitted to conprano Solo.

career through giving some evidence of for they know not what they do." Baritone and Tenor Solos, with

mites into the treasury gave vastly

sum without recognition of the blessed privilege of giving to a righteous cause, Third Word: "Woman, behold thy son. '-Soprano, Tenor, and Baritone That the future of American colleges

is to a very great degree in the keep. Fourth Word: "My God, my God, why hast thou forsaken me?"-Bari-

each student, while still an undergrad- Fifth Word: "I thirst."-Tenor and

Sixth Word: "Father, into thy hands I commend my Spirit,"-Tenor Solo with Chorus.

Soprano, Tenor, and Baritone Solos,

-Chorus.

Quartet)-Tschaikowsky. when seen in the light of opportunity Hymn: When I survey the wondrous

for direct service to mankind. The cross.

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First Word: "Father, Forgive them, Chorus.

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Solos, with Chorus.

tone Solo

Baritone Solos and Chorus.

enhanced by recognizing for what the Seventh Word: "It is Finished."-

with Chorus. support. The relationship between the Prayer: "Thee we adore, O Christ."

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Noted Speakers Heard at Conference

The second annual conference of the Maine State Student Volunteer Union, was held at University of Maine last Friday, Saturday and Sunday, with more than 175 delegates representing Bates, Colby, Bowdoin, Bangor Theological Seminary and the University of Maine.

During the convention addresses were delivered by some of the leading missionaries to the Near East and the Orient, foreign students from Greece, Serbia, China and Japan, as well as by the Maine college students. Much individual thinking was stimulated by numerous group discussions led by students upon various topics, including: Racial problems, with particular attention to campus problems at Maine colleges; foreign missionary enterprises; and world problems, with hearing on the linkage between racial, social and industrious problems with Christianity. The decisions reached were of a broad and tolerant nature, showing a spirit of endeavor for Christian service.

Among the speakers at the various sessions, were: J. Kingsley Birge, formerly a professor at the International college at Smyrna; S. Ralph Harlow, who was also at Smyrna, and is now on the faculty of Smith College; Dr. George H. Hamlin, who for eighteen years was an educator at Balasore. India: Homer E. Wark, professor of missions at Boston University and recently returned from the Far East: Miss Grace A. Denton, a missionary who has been in Japan for several years, and Dr. C. C. Little, president of the University of Maine, who gave a series of talks on the Principles of Religion.

The foreign students who spoke were; Henry Matsushita, a graduate of Waseda University in Japan, and now a student at Bates, Efthimios Couzinos, who formerly attended Anatolia College in Turkey, until forced to leave, and now a student at Bates; Miss Danitza Arancelovich, of Belgrad, Serbia, and Diong Dick Uong, of Fooshow, China. both students at the University of Maine.

The following officers were elected at a business session of the union: President Miss Helen E. Hill, Bates; vice president, eastern district, Virginia Baldwin, Colby; vice-president, western district, J. William Graham, Bowdoin; ceretary, Hazel R. Looke, Bates; treasnrer and registrar, Owen T. Williams, Bangor Theological Seminary; alumni secretary, Harold E. Mayo, Bates; Mary Harris: University of Maine.

ENTRE NOUS

Entre Nous had a truly literary meeting on Monday evening. From the English department three of the best written themes of the year were selected and read, though not by the authors. Frances Cutler played a mandolin solo, accompanied by Helen Benner. There was a reading, "Lasca," given by Natalie Benson, president of Entre Nous. Charlotte Haines, affirmative, and Elizabeth Shorey, negative, debated the question, "Resolved that the Freshmen Dormitories should have Buy your Ice Cream and Candies Pantries." The decision was granted to Miss Haines. Jeanne Low, Maystelle Farris, and Ruth Canham were the committee for the meeting.

Y. W. PRESENTS PAGEANT

The 1923 Y. W. C. A. Board brought the year to a successful close last Wednesday night in the Bates Chapel when the pageant "The Chalice and the Cup'' was presented.

The program was in charge of Elsie Brickett and Mary Worthley. Constance Barrett lead the meeting. The acting of Emma Abbott as "The Church" was excellent. Alice Swanson's portrayal of "The Association of Spirits" is also worthy of comment. All the parts showed careful handling and the music contributed greatly to the success of

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