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OUTING CLUB TO ERECT LOG CABIN ON MT. SABATTUS SITE

Attractive Lodge to be Built this Fall—Location One of the Choicest Spots in Surrounding Country—Plans Nearing Completion For Bigger Year in Winter Sports

Plans are underway, and are being rapidly developed which will make the coming year the greatest one that the Bates Outing Club has ever seen. The Club progressed to a high state of development and efficiency last year. The officers plan to continue where the work was left off, and to make the Club an even more vital factor in Bates life.

CABIN AT MT. SABATTUS

During last year it was planned to build an Outing Club cabin, preferably at Mt. Sabattus. During the summer negotiations were carried on with numerous farmers who owned property on the mountain, but not until late this fall was action possible. The Outing Club is now the lessee of a sizeable tract a very short distance from the summit of the mountain, upon what is probably the most desirable property in the entire locality. The location is sheltered, with a southerly exposure, so that the wintry breezes will not be too violent, but at the same time it affords a considerable view of the lake. The view may be greatly enlarged by stepping a short distance to the summit of the mountain, from which vantage point the Presidential Range, the Sandwich Range, the Ossipee Range, the Franconia Mountains, and the Rangeley Mountains may clearly and distinctly be seen. In the intervening country the Oxford Hills rise. Lakes galore may be seen on any point of the compass, and extend from spectacular Sabattus Lake, stretched at the observer's very feet, up through Greene, Wayne, Morrismont, the Tacoma Lakes, and the Belgrade chain. All in all, the view from Mt. Sabattus cannot be equalled from any other point which is at all accessible from the Bates campus.

It is planned to start work immediately upon the erection of a sizable log cabin upon the lot. Splendid hemlock trees are adjacent, and it is planned to build the cabin of these. There is a great deal of work to be done, and soon the directors of the club will call on for assistance from all who may be interested. Transportation to and from Lewiston will be furnished, and it is expected that campfire suppers may be served. The finished cabin will, as stated above, be of logs. It will include a fireplace and a cookstove, a large living or lounging room and a kitchenette alcove. There will be built-in bunks, with a roomy and comfortable loft for sleeping purposes. In short, it will be a complete, cozy woods cabin, with all the facilities for a perfect outing. It will be open at all times to any members of the Bates Outing Club. The erection of the cabin will be only possible with the co-operation of all the members of the club. Insofar as this co-operation is given, the plans will succeed. The cabin is to be modelled after the famous Dartmouth College chain cabins.

WINTER SPORT PLANS

Winter sports are yet a considerable way off, but already the prospects for another championship Bates team are forecasted. It is possible that this year the Bates team may compete either at Dartmouth, Lake Placid, or Montreal, for the Outing Club has had many requests that the team appear at larger, out-of-state competitions. There will still be the official Maine competition against the other three colleges and the season will apparently be more important and successful than ever.

FRESHMEN TRACK STARS NOSE OUT UPPERCLASSMEN

Intra-mural Cinderpath Meet Goes To Class of 1928—Wilson Wins 440

For the first time in four years the class of 1925 lost an interclass track meet. But last Monday afternoon the freshmen turned the tables and won the meet with a couple of spare points over the Seniors. The Sophomores came in third with the Juniors bringing up the rear.

Several new finds were uncovered in the meet. John Hooper of Auburn won the mile while Waddrell of Hebron finished but a few steps behind the winner. The work of Waddrell was a pleasant surprise to the track enthusiasts. Stacey Peck finished second to Wil's in the two mile grind.

The best race of the day was in the quarter mile. Corey, Wilson and Baker were the principals in this event. The three ran neck and neck to within a few yards of the tape. Here Baker was passed by Wilson and Corey to finish third, while Wilson just nosed out Corey at the finish. "Archie" easily won the half mile race.

Because of darkness neither the high hurdles nor the pole vault were run off. Another interclass meet will be held within a couple of weeks.

100 yd dash. Tie, Baker '27 and Burtil '25, third Fisher '28. Time 11 sec.

440 yard dash. Won by Wilson '25, second Corey '25, third Baker '27. Time 55 sec.

880 yard run. Won by Archibald '25 second Chase '28, third Anketell '26. Time 2:05 3-5 sec.

Mile run. Won by Hooper '28, second Waddrell '28, third McGinley '27. Time 4:51 8-5 sec.

Two mile run. Won by Wills '27, second Peck '26, third Chadbourne '25. Time 10:23.

60 yard high hurdles won by Burtil '25, second McCurdy '28, third Morrison '26. Time 11 sec.

High jump. Tie Costello and Rowe. No jump off. Second tie Paul and Knox. 5 ft. 4 in.

Broad jump. Won by Rowe '28, second Fisher '28, third Costello '28. Distance 18 ft. 5 in.

Shot put won by Leighton '26, second Ray '28, third Ledger '27. Distance 37 ft. 5 in.

Discus throw. Won by Tracy '27 second Leighton '26, third Rowe '29. Freshmen 37, seniors 23, sophomores 17, juniors 13.

DAVIS SUCCEEDS IN CONTEST FOR TENNIS LAURELS

Dudley Davis became the tennis champion of the Freshmen class when he defeated Evans last Friday in hard fought sets. Evans put up a good fight and showed some fine playing but lacked Davis' experience. The scores of the sets were as follows: 6-4, 4-6, 6-3, 6-3.

Both players are expected to make a good showing when the varsity try-outs are held next spring.

DEBATE COUNCIL MAKE EXTENSIVE FORENSIC PLANS

Expect to Have Important Home Contests as Well as Short Trips

Bates debating, during the past few seasons, has grown to such ambitious proportions that it is somewhat of a task to keep each year's schedule up to standard, but the one which is being formulated for the ensuing year promised to excel even those ambitious programs which have immediately preceded it.

While the plans of the Debating Council are rather indefinite as yet it is expected that a program modelled somewhat after that described below will be carried out. There will, in all probability, be two or three home debates for the men. It is expected that Colgate University, which returned this summer from a very successful, triumphal tour of the British Isles will be entertained at Lewiston. It will be remembered that a Bates team defeated Colgate a few weeks before the team went to England, and Colgate is out for revenge. Prof. Alfred C. Kallgren, professor of debating at Colgate, is one of the country's leading coaches, and the Hamilton, New York University pursues its debating victories as tenaciously as it does its football contests.

It is quite likely that speakers from Canada's premier institution, the University of Toronto, will appear at Lewiston this winter. Speaking with rather an English point of view, the young Canadians will present a contest even more interesting than that given by native Englishmen, for the sons of Canada combine the methods of both countries. Their greatest desire is for witty, humorous effect. Debating at Toronto is on a very high plane indeed, with large, appreciative audiences the rule.

Yale, which has not been heard here for two years, is due to reappear on a Maine platform this winter.

It is expected that a strong team will be brought to Lewiston to oppose the women's debating team, and negotiations are being carried on with several large institutions.

The University of Pennsylvania, victor over Bates in City Hall last spring, will be a likely opponent for the men's team, and the debate is due to be held in Philadelphia. In case this trip takes place, it is more than likely that other institutions such as Williams, Columbia, Princeton, Swarthmore, etc. will be taken on along the route.

While nothing has been definitely said, it is persistently rumored that Bates expects to send another team across the Atlantic at some time in the future.

The Women's team will probably take a trip, and negotiations are being carried on with George Washington University, in Washington, D. C. The Capitol City institution has a very capable women's team, and would certainly prove a worthy competitor for the Bates women.

THE FRESHMAN DEBATING CLUB

Under the leadership of President Canham of the Debating Council, the Freshman Debating Club held its first meeting, Wednesday Oct. 22, in Libbey Forum. The charter members chose a committee of three to draw up a constitution for the club which will be presented this coming Wednesday. This committee consisted of Wakely, Bladen and Carr of the entering class.

This year, more than any other, is one in which students have entered Bates because of their interest in debating work. This club will have its place in helping to maintain enthusiasm

COACH THOMPSON'S GRIDMEN CROSS SWORDS WITH STRONG HEBRON WARRIORS TOMORROW

Capt. Price Leads Varsity Against Rhode Island State Outfit Next Thursday—Both Games Should Be Replete With Good Football

DRAMATIC CLUB WILL GET UNDER WAY NEXT MONTH

English 4a Players Have Excellent Material Left To Form Club Nucleus

The English 4A Players will commence their year's work with a program of one-act plays to be given some time in November, it was decided at a meeting held last week. After having worked up a suitable repertoire, the club plans to make at least one out of town trip this semester. While considerable talent was, of course, lost with last year's Senior class, there is much excellent material left in the club, and it is proposed to recruit from all classes by means of play-readings similar to the one given last spring. Everything possible will be done to stimulate dramatic composition on the campus, and some sort of contest along this line will be held before the year is over.

The Little Theatre starts the year plus an excellent curtain procure through the efforts of last year, but decidedly minus any adequate scenery and the financial goal of the club during this season will be to raise funds sufficient to equip that department of the Hathorn Hall outfit.

for debating among the members of the freshman class.

Debates will be arranged by the Freshmen with various high-schools and academics and, it is possible, with the first year men of other colleges.

Every man in the class of 1928 who

As there is no football game Saturday scheduled for the Varsity all interest will be turned to the Freshman team which faces the strong Hebron eleven. Coach Dwyer has the strongest team in years this fall. The victory of the Big Green over Kent's Hill is a proof of the power of his team. By the victory of the freshmen over M. C. I., and the 6 to 0 defeat by Coburn Classical, Coach Thompson's team ranks as one of the fastest elevens in the State. Some of the followers of the sport declare Hebron to be stronger than Coburn while no one rates them weaker than the Waterville "preppers". It is a well-known fact, however, that Saturday's game will be replete with good football, and should furnish the fans with plenty of thrills.

Next Thursday, Nov. 6, the Varsity will face Rhode Island State College. Rhode Island State has never sent a team to Lewiston before, and therefore the strength of the eleven from the smallest state in New England will be a mystery. In the fall of 1921 Bates was scheduled to meet Rhode Island State in the season but due to an early freeze the game could not be played for the field was covered with ice bubbles. Captain Price's men are resolved to add another victory to the win column and are set on Thursday's game. There are but two more home games, and everyone should be on hand to see both of them. Coming in the middle of the week is going to keep the Lewiston fans from seeing the game, but there is no excuse for a full attendance of the Student body.

is interested in debating is eligible to join this club. The second meeting will be held Wednesday Nov. 5, in Libbey Forum at 7:30 P. M. Those interested are strenuously urged to attend.

HOW WOULD YOU VOTE

Student interest and enthusiasm, in more than one college or university in the country, is turning, as election day approaches, to problems of politics. More than one editor has taken a poll of his readers, and The Student feels impelled to fall into line. We are greatly interested to find out exactly what the political preferences of Bates students are, and so we are printing the voting blank below, in order that you may avail yourselves of the opportunity of casting a ballot.

Please take this proposition seriously. We wish that a good percentage of our readers might immediately put this suggestion into effect. DO IT NOW. Mark your ballot, tear it out, and drop it into the ballot box which will be found in Chase Hall.

VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE VOTE

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BATES FRESHMEN DEFEAT M. C. I. TEAM

The Freshmen defeated Maine Central Institute last Saturday, 7-0. McCurdy scored the touchdown after an end run in the second period, following five successive first downs. The Freshmen lost two other chances to score, the first when Fisher fumbled, and the second when Ulmer of M. C. I. intercepted a forward.

The summary:
Bates M. C. I.
Palmer, re re, Lindquist
Poster, rt rt, Sero's
Eulson, rg rg, Coombs
Smith, e e, Leander
Drabble, lg lg, Lutrel
Ulmer, lt lt, Savage
Leach, le le, Knapp
Pines, qb qb, Karkos
White, rh rh, Andrew
McCurdy, lb lb, Ulmer
Fisher, fb fb, Secans
Substitutions: Ray for McCurdy;
Knox for White; Duffey for Fisher.
Referee, Cutts; Umpire, Ross; Head-
inspector Chandler.
Time 4-12 minute periods.

LARGE CROWD OUT TO SAT. NIGHT HOP

The first big dance of the year was held in Chase Hall Saturday night. There was a large crowd present, in-
feeling fine after the game and gave many a co-ed a thrill.

Even the Freshmen showed their appreciation of the Chase Hall festivities by turning out in large numbers, the men resplendent in suspenders and neckties of green string. Faculty members also supported the dance wholeheartedly. The co-eds took advantage of being able to dance until the late evening many Bowdoin men. They were hour of 11.30 and filled all the seats around the floor.

The Collegiate Syncoators syncoated to the best of their ability and furnished fourteen dances, including artists.

The hall was kept warm during the dance in order to furnish a good market for the ice cream served during intermission. Effect followed cause in fine order.

The Varsity club is to be congratulated upon its success in staging the first big dance of the season. The efficiency of the committee composed of E. G. Woodcock, chairman, Clarence Archibald, and John Stanley Jr. deserves a word of credit.

Uncle: "Now I'll teach you to milk the cow."

Niece (from London): "Oh, uncle, I'm afraid of the cow. Couldn't I learn on the calf?"

The doctor was giving an informal talk on physiology.

"Also," he remarked, "it has been found that the human body contains sulphur."

"Sulphur!" exclaimed a girl student. "And how much sulphur is there in a girl's body?"

"Oh, the amount varies," said the doctor, "according to the girl."

"Ah," replied the student. "Is that why some of us make better matches than others?"

Miss Lighted: "I was very much admired at the wedding reception yesterday. I noticed one man who never took his eyes off me the whole time."

Miss Sharpe: "Did he have a black, waxed moustache?"

"Yes; do you know him?"

"I know of him. He is a detective. He was there to watch the presents."

A London sportsman, thinking his Highland gillie was not treating him with due respect, said "Look here, my man, you don't seem to grasp who I am. Do you know that my family has been entitled to bear arms for the last two hundred years?"

"Hoots, that's naething," was the calm reply. "My ancestors have been entitled to bare legs since th' time of William the Conqueror."

He: "I wish I'd known the tunnel was going to be as long as that—I'd have kissed you."

She: "Why—wasn't it you who kissed me?"

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