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## BATES 7 BOWDOIN 6

### GIFT TO THORNCRAG HELPS BATES CLUBS

#### Forestry Classes To Use New 26 Acre Tract

Thorncrag is now 26 acres larger, due to a gift, Oct. 24, to the Stanton Bird Club from Dr. Alfred W. Anthony, his sister, Miss Kate J. Anthony, and Mrs. Anthony.

These three have been responsible for the entire 171 acres of Thorncrag, which are valued at \$15,000 in money. As a delightful bird sanctuary, its intrinsic value to nature-lovers is incalculable.

Almost twenty acres of the new tract directly adjoin Thorncrag, and extend along Montello St. as far as the boundary line of the next residence in the direction of Thorne's Corner. The remaining portion, a little over six acres, is just across the road. Dr. Anthony suggested that the latter would be quite suitable for future playgrounds, parking spaces and camping sites, according to the plans of the Bird Club. If desired, it might even be used as the site for museums or other buildings.

A restrictive clause was inserted in the deed by the Club, providing for the use of the tract by Bates faculty classes for their projects. It is at Thorncrag that the new Outing Club Cabin is to be erected this fall.

Two members of the Bates Faculty, Professors Pomeroy and Ramsdell, are included in the new list of directors of the Stanton Bird Club.

In giving the land, Dr. Anthony wrote: "It will be gratifying to us who offer your club this addition to have all of this property used for the general objects of your organization as already clearly defined, by as many people of all ages, races and all classes and conditions as possible."

### Choose Twelve Debaters For New Women's Squad

Twelve women, representing all four classes, tried out Tuesday afternoon Nov. 2, in Little Theatre, for the Varsity Debating Squad.

The following women were chosen to take part in the next trials: Hall '26, Hineks '26, Lawton '26, Manning '26, Burek '27, Geary '27, Carlson '28, Giles '28, Southard '29.

Three Seniors remain on the squad from last year: Misses Butler, Greene and Mandelstam.

The judges were Professors Carroll, Browning, Chase and Robinson.

There are to be further trials on Nov. 16 and 17. In the first debate, the World Court question will be debated by: Affirmative—Lawton, Greene, Hineks. Negative: Butler, Burek, Manning.

On the 17th, the Child Labor Amendment question will be debated by: Affirmative—Geary, M. Hall, Mandelstam. Negative: Giles, Carlson, Southard.

These trials will be held in the chapel at 3.30 P. M. on the dates given. Two teams for the year, of probably three women each, will be chosen from these trials. There is a possibility that a third team will also be needed.

### FRESHMAN DEBATING COUNCIL

At a meeting of the Freshman Debating Council Mr. Walter Hodgkins was elected President. Mr. John Davis presided and read the revised Constitution of the Council which was accepted without amendments altho there was a vital insertion suggested by Mr. Brooks.

### DEBATING TRIALS HELD THIS WEEK

There are to be three trials to determine the ultimate members of the debating squad. The first trial which was held last Thursday reduced the number of contestants to the most likely candidates. The second trial is to be in the form of debates. Those who survive the second trial will remain as members of the debating squad. There will however be a third trial for the purpose of grading the debates according to their respective merits.

Debating at Bates this year is intended to assume a more democratic aspect than has been the case during past years. Activities in this department are to be carried out with the interests of the majority forming the dominant consideration. The divine right of the varsity man is to be abolished and in place of this idea if it exists at all, is to be the realization that each man starts upon an equal footing and attains to a superior position only as his merit warrants it.

As announced last week it is the intention of the powers that be in debating circles to employ as many men as possible in actual debates. This purpose is the result of the ulterior motive of developing good men for the lean years to come on one hand and, upon the other it is the result of the charitable motive of giving men a chance.

### BATES DEFEATED BY U. OF M. X-COUNTRY

The University of Maine harriers easily won the meet at Orono last Friday with 19 points. Bates was second with 51 and Colby third with 65.

The Maine runners were well bunched, coming in first, second, fourth, fifth, and seventh. This low score ties the record which was established back in 1915. The real race was between Taylor and Captain Hillman. The former beat out his captain by only a few inches in the final spurt.

Allie Wills placed third, but, being handicapped by a strange course which was exceptionally rough, was unable to give the two Maine runners much of a run. Wardwell was the second Bates man in and Sig Ward third. Brown, Peck, and Hobbs were bunched with Jack Miller seventh. The boys are not discouraged by this defeat and will enter the New England's with as much spirit as ever.

### Group Pictures For 1926 Mirror Begin Monday

The 1926 Mirror board has been working on plans for the past week or two and is now ready to put them into operation. The editorial board has already begun its preliminary write-ups on the faculty and members of the senior class.

The business manager has made arrangements with Harry Plummer, local photographer, to take all the group pictures. This work will commence Monday and all persons are asked to watch the bulletin board and the Student for announcements of the groups.

At a meeting held last Monday the seniors were asked to attend to their individual pictures and give the business manager a print for the engraver as soon as possible. Such attention on the part of the individuals will greatly facilitate the work of the Mirror board.

### BOBCAT MEETS MULE NEXT WEDNESDAY

Coach Wiggin's Bobcats will wind up the football season Wednesday when they meet Colby on Seaverns Field in the annual Armistice day clash. Two years ago Bates played Colby on Seaverns field and a record crowd was on hand to watch the game. The teams are about evenly matched as far as comparative scores go as both teams have defeated Bowdoin, and have been defeated by the University of Maine.

The playing of the State Series this year has been marked by serious upsets. Bates and Maine were rated as the under dogs, while Bowdoin and Colby were the favorites. Maine gave the dope bucket the hardest kick by taking games from both Bates and Colby setting them on top of the league for the time being. Maine cannot be deposed from her perch but either Bates or Colby can tie for first place provided that Bowdoin defeats the Orono team tomorrow. A win by Maine will give them a clear title to the championship, and a loss will put them into a tie with either Colby or Bates.

No matter whether Maine wins or loses the interest in the Bates-Colby game will be at a high point on Wednesday. Both teams are famous for their scrapping power, and with the result of the game in the air, the game promises to keep the fans on edge through the entire contest.

Bates will prepare for the game by one day's practice during the week, and the student body will start their work immediately. A rally will be held Tuesday evening, and the greater part of the student body will be present at the game to back the team.

### WILL PRESENT NEW BARRY PRODUCTION

The fourth Million Dollar Play is to be "The Youngest." This is a new drama, as yet not having appeared in printed form. "The Youngest" is a production by Barry, well-known author of "You and I".

Performances are to be put on at the Empire Theatre, January 13th and 14th.

Miss Louise Clifford, director of the previous Million Dollar plays, is to be director.

Fletcher Shea '26 is to act as Business Manager. George Jackson and Elmer Campbell are to act as Ticket Manager and Program Manager respectively.

### Frosh Tracksters Lose To Hebron

The Hebron cross country team defeated the Frosh harriers on the Bates course Thursday, October 29. The score of the meet was 23-33, and Standish of Hebron trimmed Hobbs of Bates by a few yards.

It was the first win of the season for Hebron and the first defeat for the Frosh. Also the old record was broken by both Standish and Hobbs. The new record is 15 minutes 48 seconds.

#### MIRROR PICTURES

Monday—Senior Class Officers.  
Tuesday—Junior Class Officers.  
Wednesday—Sophomore Class Officers.  
Thursday—Bates Student Board.  
All members of above organizations will report promptly at 1.00 O'clock at Harry Plummer's Studio.

### GARNET CLAD WARRIORS TAKE MEASURE OF BOWDOIN BEARS

Touchdown in Last Minute of Play Brings 7-6 Victory for Garnet. Andy Sinclair and Charley Ray Heroes of Play that Wins. Farrington Shines for Bowdoin.

### CELEBRATE BOWDOIN VICTORY BY DANCE

That the Bates eds and co-eds are not lacking in spirit was clearly demonstrated last Saturday. After the deciding point had been kicked which gave Bates the supremacy over Bowdoin a monstrous outbreak of enthusiasm swept over the followers of the Garnet which fairly shook the halls of Bowdoin College. This demonstration of spirit was not merely of the 2.75% kind but was 100% pure.

At the sound of the whistle which ended the game crowds of Bates supporters rushed onto Whittier Field to celebrate the victory. Hats were thrown into the air and it is reported that one student in the excitement so far forgot himself that he threw a perfectly good pipe away.

Souvenirs appeared to be plentiful upon the field and elsewhere and were immediately appropriated. It seems however, that the squad of Bates freshmen detailed to collect the goal posts in their joy forgot all about them, thus losing some perfectly good souvenirs. However, as they succeeded in collecting several good specimens of black and white caps this act of negligence was somewhat atoned for.

As souvenirs began to grow rare the Bates crowd fell in behind the band and to the tune of the Bowdoin funeral song enjoyed a dance thru the streets of Brunswick to the railroad station where a free-for-all was enjoyed.

Arriving in Lewiston at about six o'clock a parade was formed at the lower station, which led by the band marched to the campus amid songs and cheers.

To culminate the day's celebration a dance was held in Chase Hall in the evening which was largely attended.

The members of the winning football team were allowed to celebrate by a chicken dinner at the DeWitt Hotel immediately after their return from Brunswick.

### Rhode Island State Defeated By Bobcat

The Garnet won its second football victory in six days Thursday afternoon when they defeated the Rhode Island State University 13-0 at Kingston. Captain Joe Folsom scored the first touchdown when he intercepted a forward pass on his own 25 yard line and ran 75 yards for the touchdown. Charlie Ray scored the second on an end run from the 30 yard line.

Bates was playing better football throughout the game than the Rhodies, and only brilliant defensive work by the home team kept the score down. The work of Charlie Ray was the feature of the clash, with Captain Folsom, Karkos, and Dave Ray stepping in for their share of the glory. The Bates offensive was strong, and the many drives that they carried on kept the ball in the Home team's territory during the greater part of the game.

Charlie Ray's 30 yard dash was the feature of the game, and aided by great interference he slipped by every tackler to score.

A team of eleven garnet clad warriors took the measure of the Bowdoin Polar Bear last Saturday to the heart-breaking tune of 7-6. The finish of the game was one of the most exciting that has ever been staged on any gridiron. With the ball in the enemy's hands about one minute before the end of the game the Bates cause looked gloomy. A watchful end in the person of Captain Folsom scooped up a fumble, and a pass from Ray to Palmer started the ball on its 90 yard travel. A few passes that were not completed and then the play that put Charley Ray and Roy Sinclair in the Bates Hall of Fame.

Standing on his own 40 yard line Ray took the ball and ran back, guarded by four Bates backs, while the Bowdoin forward line bore down upon him, he took plenty of time, weighed his chances, located Roy Sinclair running down the left hand side of the field, and then heaved the greatest pass that Bates men have ever seen into the arms of Sinclair who dove through two Bowdoin tacklers for a touchdown. Bates went wild, their joy knew no bounds, but strangely enough there was no noise when Sinclair called signals for the try for point. There was not a sound to be heard from either stand as the little quarter barked out his "Heps". The ball came back and the Bates line held like a wall Sinclair seemed to hold the ball a long time, judging his distance and making sure of his boot. Leather met leather, and the ball sailed through the uprights giving Bates a victory by one lonely point. The Bates squad on the bench prayed for that kick to go over, and with but nine seconds to play the Garnet went wild.

Bates outplayed the black and white throughout the contest, making fifteen first downs to their opponents five. Bates started off with a first down on the first two plays, but Captain Folsom (Continued on Page Three)

### Cubs Play Kent's Hill In Home Game Next Sat.

Coach Ray Thompson gave his Freshmen gridders a long scrimmage session on Tuesday afternoon. The Cubs have a tough game ahead of them Saturday when they meet Kent's Hill on Gaelelon Field. The Hilltoppers have a fast team and will give Captain Wood and his hobkittens plenty of action.

The Cubs were given a short session of dummy followed by a signal drill before they were divided into two teams and set against each other. The first team had very little trouble in scoring half a dozen touchdowns. Many of the first team men will be out of the game on Saturday. Snell and Nilson are out for the rest of the year. It is hoped that Pressey, who hurt his side while tackling the dummy, will be in the lineup on Saturday. The men who showed good stuff in the scrimmage Tuesday and who will probably play a great part in the battle with Kent's Hill are: McElnea, Gates, Yamigiwa, and captain Wood.

The Y. M. C. A. has provided entertainment Saturday night for those who do not care to dance. Pool, cards, and other games may be indulged in by both men and women.



## CAST FOR ONE ACT PLAY ANNOUNCED

The casts for the three one act plays to be presented by the 4-A Players in Little Theatre, Hathorn Hall Nov. 20 have been announced.

"The Line of No Resistance" will be the first play. Alton Higgins '27, Lucy Fairbanks '27, and Eleanor Sturges '26 will compose the cast.

The cast of the second play, "Lady Anne", will include Kenneth Paul '28, Victor Bowen '27, Marion Garelon '28, and Gwendolyn Purington '26.

Jack Miller '26 and Raymond Chapman '27 will present the third play, "The End of the Rope".

John Davis '26 will coach the first play, Catherine Lawton '26 the second, and Jack Miller the third.

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kicked to Bowdoin. Bowdoin failed to make any great impression on the Bates line at this stage of the game. Later in the period the Polar Bear threatened, but were held on the twenty-five yard line from where Farrington tried a field goal. The ball hit the upright but was deflected back to the field. The ball seasawed back and forth from one end to the other, Bates having two chances to score in the first half, but just when things were bright, the Bates backs would lose their footing in the mud and be thrown back. The mud seemed to bother the Bates backs, but Farrington seemed to wade through it as though it were not there. Late in the second period the Bowdoin back took Charley Ray's kick and ran back 75 yards for the Bowdoin touchdown. It was a bit of brilliant running, and it marked the big halfback as one of the best backfield men in the state. The try for point failed and at the end of the half Bowdoin had a 6-0 advantage.

In the second half the Garnet showed her strength. Long runs by Ray and Karkos netted much yardage, both men being consistent gainers. Hubbard hit the line for gains of five and over, the Bates overhead game came into play, and worked to perfection. Bowdoin was being shoved back to their goal line. But again Fate tricked the Garnet. The ball was found to be inches short of a first down, and Bowdoin was given the ball. The Black and White drove down to the thirty yard line where the ball was given to Bates on downs when the Bowdoin Air game failed to register. Bates then started a march into Bowdoin territory which ended deep in Bowdoin territory when

Farrington knocked down a pass on the fourth down.

The pigskin moved back and forth up and down the field with Ray and Karkos tearing off gains for five and ten yards, and at the end of the quarter the ball lay on the Bowdoin fifteen yard line. Bowdoin took the ball on downs and punted. Charley Ray took the ball on the run and brought it back to the Bowdoin thirty yard marker. Bates again missed a first down by a foot and Bowdoin took the ball.

Following an exchange of punts the ball rested deep in Bowdoin territory. With only a minute to play the Garnet got the ball on Farrington's fumble, and from there the 90 yard drive which ended the game started.

After the Garnet took the lead by sensational playing Bates kicked to Bowdoin, and the ball was passed to Farrington who was dropped before he had gone very far. After the next play the whistle sounded, and Bowdoin was thrown into the depths of despair, and the Garnet climbed to the pinnacle of victory.

## FRENCH PLAYS HELD IN DECEMBER

The program of the French plays has been announced. There are to be two plays, "L'L'tuicelle" and "Rosalie." The cast of "L'L'tuicelle" includes Catherine Lawton, Marion Ripley and John Miller. This play is to be coached under the direction of John Miller. Professor Townsend has charge of "Rosalie" and the cast of this play includes Lillian Swan, Ruth Parsons and Julian Mossman. These two plays take place on the evening of December the fourth in the Little Theatre.

The Tony Sarg's Marionette Troupe played in the Fine Arts Theatre, Boston Saturday, October 24, matinee and evening. Ellouise N. Townshend is with this company.

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## LISBON FALLS BEAT FROSH

Lisbon Falls won from the Freshmen harriers, Wednesday afternoon, at the Bates course, by a score of 27 to 30. Hobbs easily captured the race in fast time, but two Lisbon Falls men scored before the second Bates runner.

A large group of students from the visiting school came to Bates with their team. They gave many cheers both at the start and finish of the race and helped spur their runners to victory.

C. Everett Woodman '25 is teaching Algebra and Physics and coaching football in the High School in New London, Connecticut. Stanley Wilson '25 is also teaching in the same school.



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**Bates Alumni Banquets At Congress Square Hotel**

A large number of Bates alumni were present at the Bates alumni banquet held at the Congress Square Hotel, on the evening of October 29.

The alumni gathering was held in connection with the State Teachers' Convention.

Harry W. Rowe, Secretary of the Bates alumni Association, acted as toastmaster. During the banquet greetings were received from Austin McCormick, Bowdoin Alumni Secretary in behalf of the Bowdoin Alumni Association, which was being held in another part of the hotel at the same time.

The after-dinner speakers were President Gray and Dean Pope.

New members of the Bates faculty, were introduced to those present.

The dinner party enjoyed college songs led by Prof. Robinson, Tom Blanchard '15 and Harold Clifford '16. The banquet was brought to a close by singing of the Alma Mater and a theatre party at the Jefferson Theatre.

Headquarters for the Bates Alumni were held at the Portland High School during the Convention.

**INTER-CLASS HOCKEY SQUADS ARE CHOSEN**

The line up of girls' hockey teams has been decided. Every year the competition between the four classes has been strong. The prospects for this year are equally as interesting. There is a good deal of enthusiasm among the girls for the game. The class contests attract much attention from the whole campus.

Each class has a first and second team. Virginia Ames leads the Senior squad; Grace Hussey is captain of the Juniors. Pamela Leighton and Doris David are captain of the Sophomore and Freshmen teams respectively.

Carl H. Miller '25 teaches History in the Brattleboro High School, Brattleboro, Vermont.

Arthur C. Desceoteau '23 and John F. O'Connor '25 are selling advertising for the Boston Traveler-Herald.

Priscilla Moore '20 is at present making a tour of the world.

**DEUTSCHER VEREIN**

The German club, Deutscher Verein met Monday evening in the Carnegie Science Hall. John Miller, the President, presided at the meeting. Mr. Berkleman gave a very interesting, and instructive, illustrated lecture on his trip to Germany last summer.

**COSMOS CLUB**

An open meeting of the Cosmos Club was held in Libbey Forum on Friday night, October 30th. Several guests were present and also the new candidates for membership. The special speaker was Stanley Stuber '26 who spoke of the necessity for making the club better known on the campus, since it was unfamiliar to many of the students. Helen Hill, Bates '25, also addressed the meeting.

After this, a business meeting was held, at which names were proposed for membership, and a date was set for a special meeting when the names might be voted upon.

**SPOFFORD CLUB**

The Spofford Club met on November 3 in Libbey Forum. Professor Hartshorn was nominated faculty advisor for the club. A Bohemian party was planned for next Tuesday evening at Libbey Forum.

After the business was transacted a literary program was presented. Ralph Blagden read "His First Sermon", and Ray Chapman read "The House of Dreams." Both were original short stories and aroused considerable discussion.

**Y. M. C. A.**

At the Y meeting Wednesday evening Harold Walker '26 gave a very interesting talk on the battlefields of Europe, and the need of a World Court. The talk was based on his travels of last summer throughout England, France and Belgium. The effectiveness of the discourse was much enhanced by the use of illustrations with lantern and slides. A large number of the fellows were present and the new system of bi-weekly meetings bids fair to be very successful.

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