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PRICE TEN CENTS

GARNET SIX CLOSES SEASON WITH DECISION OVER N. H. U.

Turn Tables on clever New Hampshire Team by 3-1 count McCluskey and Pooler supply Garnet Scoring Punch

The Bates hockey team defeated the University of New Hampshire six, 3 to 1, in a fast, clean game played at Durham, Saturday afternoon. Bates snatched an early lead a few minutes after the first period started when McCluskey shot a goal unassisted.

The fast-skating Garnet showed a great passing attack which constantly out-manoeuvred the Wildcat defense-men. The second period saw the Bobcats scoring twice, the first tally coming at the end of six minutes of play when Captain Pooler received a pass by "Zeke" Secor from a skirmish in front of the New Hampshire goal and shot a fast one by Hunt, the New Hampshire goal tender. With three minutes to play in the second period the Freshman star, McCluskey, speeded down the ice eluding the New Hampshire guards gathered in a rebound and shot it into the cage.

New Hampshire fought desperately in the third period to avert a white wash and sent four men down the ice. With four minutes to play Reinhart scored on a pass from Plourde. From this point on the Wildcat skaters were halted in their footsteps.

This was the final game for both teams. Bates was scheduled to play New Hampshire on Friday and Brown at Providence, Saturday evening. Friday's meeting was postponed on account of the snow storm while the encounter with Brown was called off owing to a lack of a contract.

The manner in which the Garnet closed its season prophesies well for next year. Pooler, Malia, and "Pete" Maher, all defense men, will be lost by graduation.

Summary:
BATES (3) N. H. (1)
Secor, lw rw, Hittins
McCluskey, rw lw, Reinhart
Cogan, c c, Plourde
Pooler, ld rd, McFarland
Malia, rd ld, Colburn
Farrell, g g, Hunt
Spares, Bates: Johnson, Murphy,
Anderson, Maher.
Spares, New Hampshire: Young,
Moore, Mitchaud.
Scoring:

First Period
1—McCluskey, unassisted, 4.05.
Second Period
2—Pooler, on a pass from Secor, 6.30.
3—McCluskey, unassisted, 12.00.
Third Period
4—Reinhart, pass from Ploude, 11.00.
Time, 3 15's. Referee, Russell.

Dr. Lerrigo to be Speaker at Vesper Service

Has Wide Experience in African Mission Work

The Day of Prayer will be held at Bates College next Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the college chapel, when vesper services will be given at which the principal speaker will be Peter H. J. Lerrigo, M. D., D.D., Home Secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Missionary Society. A daughter, Miss Edith Lerrigo, is at present attending Bates College, being a member of this year's entering class.

Dr. Lerrigo has had a long and varied experience in the work of a missionary, and is well qualified in information, as well as in personality to speak at the chapel exercises Sunday afternoon. He began his career in the missionary field in Kansas about 28 years ago and has been engaged in that work ever since. He is well known as a writer, speaker and an authority on Africa, especially of the Belgian Congo region where he spent several years as a medical missionary. Africa has been the most recent field of his labors, he going there in 1922 for a year, and returning there again last spring for a visit until a few months ago. He returned to the United States last November. The object of his most recent visit to Africa was the 50th Jubilee Conference of Missions of the Belgian Congo.

After his first years as a missionary in Kansas, he obtained a medical education and preparation in New York, and was sent from there to Alaska, where he remained for two years. When the Spanish War opened up the missionary field in the Philippines, Dr. Lerrigo applied for an appointment and

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Spooner to Speak in Little Theatre

Lawrance Chem. Society Invites Scientist to Speak Here

A graduate of Bates, class of '05, now prominent in research work along physical lines has favored Bates by choosing her as one of the colleges at which he will speak during 1929. Thomas Spooner, the gentleman in question, has been employed by the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company since 1909, the year of his graduation from M. I. T. He is a former resident of Auburn, being a nephew of Miss Augusta Prescott, formerly a teacher of French in Edward Little High School.

Mr. Spooner was born January 1, 1884 and is the son of the Rev. Thomas Spooner, also a graduate of Bates in the class of 1874. The present Mr. Spooner has one sister, Mrs. Elizabeth Spooner Tuttle, Bates '06. Mr. Spooner is married and has three children. In the years between 1905 and 1909 he was employed by Stone & Webster and the Odell Company and took courses at M. I. T. His present title is Research Engineer Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. He is also Chairman of the Magnetic Properties Committee of the American Society for Testing Materials; Member of American Institute of Electrical Engineers; and Member of American Physical Society.

On September 5, 1927, Time published an account of an invention by Thomas Spooner whereby an aviator is enabled to illuminate a landing field to which he may be coming. The device works thru the amplification of an electric current by some 100 million times, the original current being started by the sound of the plane's motor. The amplified current throws the switch controlling the field lights.

Mr. Spooner's work with Westinghouse has been along lines similar to those pursued by the late Charles P. Steinmetz. In 1927 the McGraw-Hill Book Company published *Properties and Testing of Magnetic Materials*, a 378 page book by Thomas Spooner. A copy of this treatise is available at Coram Library.

Mr. Spooner comes to Bates at the invitation of the Lawrance Chemical Society and will speak at Little Theatre, March 6, at 8 o'clock on the subject "Industrial Research". A cordial invitation to attend his lecture is extended to everyone whether students of Bates or friends of the College.

Diamond Crew Gets Pre-season Practice

Heavy Schedule Complete Twelve State Games New Feature

Along with the balmy days of early spring and the soft slush under foot comes the first call for baseball candidates and the Bobcat has already begun to sharpen his claws for the annual Maine college baseball scrap.

Over 40 candidates reported last Monday on the indoor diamond and Coach Wiggin is working with the squad each afternoon looking forward to the Patriots Day game with Bowdoin. The early training program is not strenuous and the pitchers and catchers are getting the largest share of attention. The Class of '32 is well represented on the squad as nineteen freshmen reported.

There are a number of players on last year's championship team who will be greatly missed this season. The graduating of Capt. "Ellie" Small, a fine leader and a great ball player, has left a big vacant spot at the hot corner. "Manny" Palmer's capable work behind the plate and his ability to come through in a pinch are vivid memories of his Senior year on the diamond. Not many Bates fans will forget the sensational ball tossing of John Marston in the crucial game with Colby. Johnny received his sheepskin last June. Rhuland's mighty bat is also a memory of last year.

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Women Debaters Win from McMasters

Bates Women Easily Win Unanimous Decision

The ability of Bates women to debate has been ably attested since the co-eds invaded the forensic field, and once more Bates supremacy has been shown. Last evening Bates women defeated McMasters women in an international debate by an unanimous decision. The question for discussion was, Resolved, That the Jury System should be abolished. Each team had two members, the Canadian debaters being Adeline Elliott and Evelyn MacNamara, and the Bates representatives, Ruth Shaw and Gladys Young. Mrs. Clifton D. Gray presided. The arguments pro and con and the discussions of our present jury system were lively and interesting.

Bates objected to the present jury system because of the delay, expense and erroneous verdicts which they claimed were due to that system. They objected to what they termed "justice by amateurs" and wished to substitute a system of expert judges. McMasters, on the other hand, claimed that the jury is a safeguard against a biased judge and that the judge is an expert and as such works with the jury. They praised the system as being a symbol of democracy, and a safeguard against Bolshevism and Communism. They admitted that it has many inherent faults but claimed that reform was needed, not abolition, that the system would, by a gradual evolutionary process correct its own faults.

The affirmative was allowed a five minute rejoinder in which the opportunity was taken to point out cases where a system of expert judges was already in successful operation.

The question is a vital and interesting one, and no doubt much more discussion will take place in the future as regards this very significant feature of our judicial system.

The judges for the debate were: Mrs. Maud Gay, Mrs. Hilda Ives, and Mr. J. Weston Welch. The timekeepers were Edith Larrigo and Constance Withington.

Husky Noses out Bobcat on Track

The fighting Bobcat trackmen battled injuries, ineligibilities, and a powerful host of runners from Northeastern University for three hours Saturday afternoon, but eventually lost their duel as the result of the last event, the relay. Up to this time it had been a bitter struggle, brilliant running by Adams, Viles and Chapman gradually wearing down the formidable lead piled up by the visitors early in the fray as the result of first and second places in the dash, and a clean sweep in the timber-topping event. However, their valiant efforts only succeeded in giving Bates a one point lead, 41 to 40, at the time the baton passing was about to take place. The Northeastern quartet, composed of Shea, Burke, Hanson and C. W. Thompson, set up a new gym record in this of 2 minutes, 38 1/5 seconds.

Wally Viles ran a brilliant mile, making a new gym record of 4.34. Wally took the lead from the start, and was never threatened. He finished in fine condition, reserving his strength for the two mile run, so that it is uncertain just how fast he might have covered the distance. Wendell Hayes made a thrilling finish to take second place in time that was also commendable.

Captain Adams, who had a busy day, was easily master of the 300 yard men. (Continued on Page 3, Column 4)

MIRROR PICTURE GROUPS
Harry Plummer's Studio
at one o'clock
Mon., March 4, Men's Politics Club.
Tues., March 5, Men's Glee Club; Commons Committee.
Wed., March 6, Jordan Scientific Society; Lawrance Chemical Society.
Thurs., March 7, Lambda Alpha; Der Deutscher Verein.
Fri., March 8, La Petite Academie; Phi Sigma Iota.
Sat., March 9, Macfarlane Club.
No cuts will be excused for these pictures unless students report to classes as soon as possible after the picture is taken.

BOBCAT SEEKS NEW HONORS IN I.C.4A. MEET TOMORROW

Will Contend Against Country's Best in Two-Mile Relay Event. Capt. Adams, Chesley, Viles, Chapman, and Lind are Members of Group for New York Invasion

Gym Exhibition Date Announced

Co-eds Plan Gym Contests at Rand on March 14th

When? March 14 at 7.45 o'clock.
Where? Rand Gymnasium.
What? The girls' gym demonstration.

And why? Because it is hoped that everyone is as interested in the P. E. activities as are the girls—and perhaps, touched with just a bit of curiosity, too.

As was done last year, there will be two groups, the Garnets and the Blacks, the point being—points! Judges, who will be Eth Hoyt, president of W. A. A., "Kysie", president of Stu. G., and Fran Maguire, president of Y. W., determine the side making the best demonstration; points are scored, and the grand total determines the winner. It sounds simple and serene, but just wait until the action and cheers get going, and perhaps it may be discovered that there's a bit of spice to it after all! And it's another sure bet that it will take real work on the part of each and every girl to make her side win.

There will be the fundamentals of gym work, stunts and tumbling, apparatus work, and dancing.

Tickets will soon be in circulation, and though everyone is cordially invited to be present, the committee wishes to emphasize the fact that the seating capacity is limited, and therefore every spectator must present a ticket at the door.

Women's Debating Team Returns from Successful Tour

Win Unanimously at Smith, Lose at Brown 2-1, also Meet Radcliffe

The Misses McMichael, Southard, and Withington returned Sunday from a debating tour in which they met three of New England's foremost colleges. They held debates with Smith, Radcliffe, and Brown. With Smith and Radcliffe they debated on the question of co-education, while at Brown the question was concerning the tendencies of modern advertising. At Smith they won unanimously, at Radcliffe it was a no-decision debate, and at Brown, they lost by a vote of 2-1. Mrs. Ramsdell accompanied the young women on their tour.

It was a most successful and enjoyable trip. The debaters have high words of praise for the courtesies shown them during the trip at the various colleges which they visited.

While staying at Providence, the Bates Alumnae Club entertained them at a luncheon. At the affair there were about twenty present.

Reports are already coming in from people who were present at the debates, complimenting the Bates women upon the pleasing manner in which the debates were conducted. If these letters are a criterion by which the success of the tour may be judged, then the Bates women were extremely successful in their three debates.

SOPH DEBATERS WILL CLASH ON MARCH 18th

The Sophomore Prize Debate will take place on the evening of March 18th. The question for debate is "Resolved: that the United States should recognize Soviet Government of Russia."

Reginald Colby, Howard Gerrish and Jannette Stahl will uphold the affirmative of the question against Gordon Cross, Wendell Hayes, and Luthera Wilcox.

Prizes will be awarded to the team presenting the best case, and to the best individual speaker of the debate.

A quintet of Garnet speedsters left the campus early this morning with Coach Thompson for a conquest in a hitherto unexplored field. Undaunted by a defeat in the B. A. A. relays, that defeat not marking the Bates two-mile team inferior to those against whom it ran, Coach Thompson's speediest warriors of the ancient game of running, are aiming for the I. C. A. A. A. indoor two mile relay championship at New York tomorrow night. Those who make the trip are Capt. Royal Adams, Ossie Chapman, Wally Viles, Paul Chesley and Rag Lind, along with Coach Thompson, and manager.

No predictions are prevalent on the campus as to the outcome of the race tomorrow night. It is regarded as certain that the opposition will be a great deal stronger than that encountered in the B. A. A. relays in Boston a month ago. Some of the best teams from the strongest colleges and universities in the East have entered the two mile relay race, and Bates will have to contend with a field comparable in swiftness and strength to that which any team ever faced at the Penn relays. But the Bates runners have been doing well, and if they raced in the meets previous to tomorrow night's, they will outdo themselves in Gotham in an endeavor to bring back the spoils of the conqueror to the campus at Bates.

These few instances will serve as an indication of the strength of opposition to be encountered in New York. Georgetown, which has for long held a record for powerful relay teams, and which for a time held the championship of the nation, will be one of the fifteen or sixteen, no less than twelve, colleges entered. N. Y. U. has Edwards and Veit, who have the reputation of being the two of the fleetest half milers in the East. They ran first and second, respectively, in a 1.12, 600 yard run the other night. A glimpse of the time made is enough to assure anyone of the showing these two runners will make in a relay if supported by two other fair runners.

Then there is Princeton, who is also entered in the I. C. A. A. meet, and who has what is believed to be the fastest two mile relay team that has been brought to light this season. They recently ran the two mile distance in 8.05 2/5 in a dual meet. With the added competition in an intercollegiate meet it is possible that this figure may be reduced a trifle.

Yale, Harvard, et al, will have quartets to represent them, and it is possible that Chesley and Adams will recognize some of the runners they beat at the Penn relays last year.

The Bates men have been drilling all week. With competition given them in the Northeastern meet last Saturday, all of the runners are in trim with the exception of Chesley. A two-week's illness has considerably sapped his strength, this illness accounting for his absence in the meet last Saturday, and although he has gradually recovered, and is now in a position to run again, it is not absolutely certain that he will start tomorrow night.

Five men were taken along, one as utility, and the coach has had a difficult problem in deciding the fifth man. Hayes and Lind have both showed remarkable improvement in the past few weeks, and the choice was between these two, the ultimate selection falling upon Lind. Lind and Hayes came to the fore as contenders for places on the two mile team through their sterling work in the Northeastern meet, Hayes in the mile and Lind in the 1,000. Should Chesley be unable to run tomorrow night, Lind will break into AI competition for the first time. If, on the other hand, Chesley is in any condition at all to make a good show-

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Pick the Team Which is to Meet Carleton

A team has been picked to meet debaters from Carleton College, Northfield, Minnesota. The team is made up of John Manning, '30, Randolph Weatherbee, '32, and Samuel Gould, '30. The debate will be held at Bates on the evening of March 25th.

Bates will uphold the negative of the question, "Resolved, that the jury system should be abolished."

BOBCAT SEEKS NEW HONORS
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ing, he will be started, as his four years of track experience have made him invaluable in track generalship. All of the other three runners, Adams, Viles, and Chapman, have showed good speed in the time trials, Chapman running the half under two minutes the other day. Viles is in good trim, and Adams is sure to cover the ground in fine style, whether in gaining or opening up ground. But one thing is certain, and that is that the Bates team will have to run faster than ever before. Whether they can be successful in their new endeavor is a conjecture which it is unsafe and undesirable to predict. If the home team is defeated, in view of the competition encountered, it should be neither a surprise nor a disappointment. If, on the other hand, the news should be flashed from New York that Bates had placed among the leaders, it should be heartening to the campus in general, and it should be understood that the Garnet runners had run one of the hardest races of their careers.

DIAMOND CREW GETS PRE-SEASON PRACTICE
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In spite of these heavy losses "Wig" has a fair nucleus of veterans to work with. Capt. Cole, who starred at short last year; Neil Turner, veteran second baseman; "Pooch" Pooler, lanky first sacker; "Casey" Cascadden, an adept ball hawk; and Giroux and Marston, the veteran hurlers, comprise a sure foundation to build on. The veterans will undoubtedly have to hustle to keep their positions. All the positions are open and there are a half dozen freshmen who have real merit. The hurling staff shouldn't provide very much trouble. Marston, the "Wiffo" of the State league last year, "Benny" Chick, Giroux, Anderson, and Lane saw service last year and LaFlamme and Phillips are the freshmen hopefuls. Three candidates are working out in the catching department. Luce and "Tripp" Gerrish were subs last year and Brown '32 is a newcomer.

For the first time Bates will play 4 State series games with each of her Maine college rivals. There are no exhibition games this year. Bates had a championship team last year but this season is just another year and Coach Wiggin is still looking for hitting strength and pointing toward the first State series game with Bowdoin on April 19th.

The schedule for 1929 is as follows:
April 19 Bowdoin.
22 Northeastern at Boston.
23 Harvard at Cambridge.
24 Tufts at Medford.
27 Maine.
May 4 Maine at Orono.
7 Lowell Textile.
11 Bowdoin at Brunswick.
13 Colby.
15 Maine.
17 Colby at Waterville.
24 Bowdoin at Brunswick.
27 Bowdoin.
June 1 Colby.
4 Colby at Waterville.
8 Maine at Orono.

Dr. Lerrigo to be Speaker at Vesper Service
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was accepted. On the Island of Panay, specifically at Capiz, he established the first hospital as a pioneer and in addition to his capacities as a medical man, served as preacher, evangelist and translator. His work in the islands of the Pacific included thirteen years, after which ill health in his family forced a return to America.

Dr. Lerrigo, in the last fifteen years, has served in numerous capacities, including the district secretaryship of New England, director of the Five-Year Program campaign, and since 1920 he has been Candidate Secretary and Home Secretary of the American Baptist Foreign Mission Society in charge of work done in connection with the home base, of the medical work of the society, and of the Belgian Congo Mission. Last year he was elected as chairman of the committee of Reference and Counsel, the executive committee of the Foreign Missions Conference of America.

Some of his most interesting experiences were give Dr. Lerrigo on the two trips which he made into Africa, and he has become entirely familiar with the needs of the African missions. He has found it common to find stubborn resistance among the African natives when the matter of the religion of Christ, and the ways of the white man were offered them. He has carried away many vivid impressions from his sojourns there, and it is universally felt that the progress made in the Congo in the last 50 years has been the most satisfactory, and the most gratifying in all mission history. Nearly 18,000 Christians have been the fruits of the half century of labor in one of the most impossible portions of the globe.

Progress in Africa has been most rapid in the last seven years, hundreds of heathen villages being ready to welcome the new religion, and its attendant benefits. And it is said by those familiar with the new converts, that they are faithful to the new religion to a higher degree than the White Man.

In addition to his work as a medical missionary in Alaska, the Philippines and Africa, Dr. Lerrigo's travels have also taken him into Japan, China, and other parts of the globe. His experience in religious fields makes him eminently qualified to speak at the Day of Prayer at Bates College.

Rev. Harold Carter is Guest Speaker to Y. W. C.

Last Wednesday night the Y. W. C. A. was especially favored in having as its guest and speaker, Rev. Harold Carter, the new rector of the St. Michael's Church in Auburn. In a very jovial and fascinating manner, he expressed some worthwhile thoughts concerning our search for satisfaction. Picturing life as a changing complex of appetites and desires which must be satiated, he revealed the varying degrees of pleasure found in intellectual pursuits, hobbies, art, and such activities. To him the intimate and sincere relationships existing between real friends is the height of earthly satisfaction and approximates the supreme satisfaction found in the personal relationship between the individual and his God. With this delightful informal talk, a cello solo by Barbara Peek accompanied by Ruth Wilson, completed the program.

Freshmen have Big Lead in Hoop Tilt

The Seniors romped away from the Junior hoopmen last Monday night to the tune of 33-16 and slipped into a second place tie with the Class of '30 in the inter-class basketball race. From the first the game was never in doubt. Svetkey and Giroux accounted for 22 points and their accurate shooting soon smothered the Juniors in defeat. Whittier was the only opponent who could pierce the strong defense of the Senior quintet. The race this year looks very much like a close battle between the crack Frosh team and the Senior outfit.

Seniors	G	FG	Pts.
Topolosky, lf	2	0	4
Cole, rf	0	0	0
Malia, rf	1	0	2
Luce, c	3	0	6
Giroux, lb	4	3	11
Svetky, rb	5	0	10
	15	3	33

Juniors	G	FG	Pts.
Fisher,	0	0	0
Milton,	0	1	1
Whittier,	3	1	7
Brown,	0	1	1
Houle,	1	0	2
Jackson,	2	0	4
Louder,	0	1	1
Appleby,	0	0	0
	6	4	16

Red Flaherty and his Freshman basketweavers took a fall out of the Sophomore quintet winning a fast inter-class game 32-19 last Tuesday night at the gym. The Sophs made a good battle out of it but were no match for Flaherty and his mates who rapidly increased their 12-6 advantage at half time. Bornstein and Butterfield played well for '31. They registered 15 points between them. Thus far the Freshmen have a clean slate and are several laps ahead of the other class teams.

Sophomores	G	FG	Pts.
Caulter	1	0	2
Bornstein,	3	1	7
Butterfield,	4	0	8
Rogers,	0	0	0
Ottley,	0	0	0
Shapiro,	1	0	2
	9	1	19

Freshmen	G	FG	Pts.
Knox,	2	0	4
Murphy,	0	0	0
Flaherty,	5	2	12
Jakonski,	0	0	0
Bucknam,	2	1	5
Mandelstam,	2	0	4
Sprafke,	2	3	7
	13	6	32

HUSKY NOSES OUT BOBCAT ON TRACK
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The Garnet speed king made his bid in the last lap, and was a full eight yards ahead of Hanson of Northeastern who took second. In the 600, which Chapman ran in the remarkable time of 1.16 3/5 for another gym record, Adams failed by inches to take second, falling face first into the einders in a vain effort to nose out C. Thompson of the visitors.

In the 1000, Chapman again showed his worth. "Rag" Lind was in front practically all of the way, and Ossie made a gallant attempt to push him in ahead by cleverly boxing Thompson back throughout the last lap. The latter's burst of speed, however, was too much for the faltering Lind, so Chapman, a few yards from the finish, bolted to victory, while his teammate managed to tie with his rival.

The two mile was a slow race, as competition from the visitors was not keen. Viles was easily the class of the field, but the lithe sophomore was content to rest on his laurels while he permitted others to share in the glory of the day. After his efforts to urge and pace Bull to victory had failed, he waited for Buck Jones and Whitten to overtake him. After joggling along with them until the last lap he fell back, allowing the two to lock hands and race across the tape abreast, thus acquiring their varsity "B".

The relay team that defeated Bates was the same that turned the trick at the B. A. A. games the first of last month. In the first heat, Adams ran his man practically even, despite the fact that he was tired from his other

efforts, and Sam Gould also managed to hold his own. However, his pass to Knox was not perfect, and to add to that, the colored lad stumbled slightly on the first corner. He handed the baton to Cole with a ten yard handicap, and the race and meet was lost. Rymph of Northeastern heaved the shot 39.3 feet for another gym record. There was no discus throw, broad jump or pole vault events in which the Garnet is particularly strong, which greatly handicapped its chances for success.

Point Scoring

Event	(B)	(N)
40 yard dash	1	8
45 yard hurdles	0	9
Mile run	8	1
300 yard run	5	4
600 yard run	6	3
1,000 yard run	7	2
Two mile	9	0
High jump	1	8
Shot put	4	5
Relay race	0	5
Totals	41	45

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Ten years ago a helpless, shattered Germany was at the mercy of the world. In that same year the German people threw off the shackles of autocracy and under the inspiring leadership of Chancellor Ebert they strove to build a new democratic state. Their progress in the last ten years has been nothing short of remarkable. After weathering the economic and political tempests which have shaken the past war world to the foundation the young republic still stands. In the last election the people decided definitely for democracy when they gave the Social-Democratic and the Democratic Parties a large majority in the Reich. The German youth are imbued with a new spirit of Liberty and Right which was long repressed under the old autocracy. The attitude of conciliation, sincerity and co-operation shown by such leaders as Herr Muller, Chancellor of the Reich, and Herr Stressmann, the German Foreign Minister in directing German foreign relations, deserves the help and support of the United States and should give the world real cause for rejoicing.

China Engaged In Reconstruction:
The infant giant of the Far East has at last settled down with determination to build a new China. With its government definitely established at Nanking the unification of China is practically completed, but the equally important project of reconstruction remains to be dealt with. The first of this month China took over the collection of her own tariff which was made possible by treaties with ten foreign powers signed last year.

Four of these treaties provide also for the relinquishment of extraterritoriality on Jan. 1, 1930. Assured of an adequate revenue through tariff duties the government is trying to reduce her number of armed soldiers to 600,000 and to find employment for the million remaining. Mr. Yen, a graduate of Yale, and a member of the Chinese Executive Council has high hopes of getting 7,000 miles of China's railroads into efficient working order by 1930. The government is also backing a mass movement for education. China faces a big task but there is hardly a doubt that a new youthful China will arise from the ashes of old Cathay.

The Reparations Tangle:
A group of experts are now meeting in Paris to attempt the unraveling of this tangled question of German Reparations which many times has threatened to strangle European peace. Their chief task is to determine the total amount which Germany will have to pay. This is no easy task for the different delegates have conflicting views on the subject. The fact that the U. S. in the last 5 years has loaned Germany \$1,100,000,000 while Germany has paid reparations during the same period to the amount of \$1,300,000,000 seems to prove that the U. S. has paid the majority of the reparations thus far. The American members of the Committee are Owen D. Young and J. P. Morgan and the world wishes the Americans the same success that attended the formulating and enforcing of the Dawes Plan. The Observer.

TO SENIORS

Who are planning to enter the Business World

What Other College Men Have Done With Kresge

"Graduating from Western Reserve University in 1921, I began business life with an idea that I was fitted for managerial work. I left my comfortable desk work and started in the stockroom. Then I worked successively as floor manager, assistant manager, and manager. I then received my biggest promotion, and today I am happily located in an executive position, with increased responsibilities. The financial return that has come to me exceeds all that I had expected."

Colby B. S. '15—Wesleyan M. S. 1917—A Phi Beta Kappa man became an instructor until 1920, then assistant head chemist for an Eastern manufacturer until 1922 when he entered the Kresge organization to take the training course. He is now a manager of a Kresge store and claims: "Today I find myself receiving a greater income than the teachers and industrial acquaintances who sought to discourage me for making such a radical change of occupation."

A Missouri University graduate enthusiastically relates the following: "In June of 1923, just after I had been presented with my much treasured sheepskin, a gray haired gentleman with years of experience said to me: 'Just what the future holds for you will depend largely on the seeds you sow during the next few years. Take my advice and select some good company, begin at the bottom and work your way to the top.' I followed his advice by starting in the stockroom of a Kresge store on December 8, 1923. Today I am managing my first store, happy in the thought that I am on the road to success."

AFTER the years of college then there comes to many men the most trying period of their careers. What place does the world have for them? For what niche has their training best suited them? Where do they fit?

It is to these seniors who have not yet fully decided on their future that this advertisement is addressed.

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A Bucknell College graduate writes: "After graduating from college with the degree of B. S. and M. A. I accepted a position as Chemistry instructor in a small college. After two years as an instructor, I became dissatisfied and decided to enter the business world.

I became acquainted with an enthusiastic Kresge manager, who gladly explained their system of training men to become store managers. Shortly after that I started in the stockroom, received promotions according to my ability to earn them, and today although a successful store manager I am in line for still greater responsibilities.

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An alumnus of the University of Michigan class of 1922 says: "The most important problem confronting me the last semester in school was choosing the 'Job' that would begin when campus days were over. To make the right start in the business world was my ambition. I turned down several soft snap jobs, the kind that paid fairly well to start but held no future, for a stockroom job with the Kresge Company which paid little to start but offered a definite future. I combined my education with good common sense and after applying myself diligently, I was rapidly promoted to greater responsibilities.

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