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BATES WINS STATE TITLE

BOBCAT HARRIERS ARE CHAMPIONS OF NEW ENGLAND CROSS COUNTRY

GARNET ELEVEN DEFEATS COLBY 14-0 FOR SECOND CHAMPIONSHIP IN ROW

LEAD NEW HAMPSHIRE AND MAINE TO GET TITLE 32-49

Whitten Gets Second in Spite of Cramps—Hobbs Finishes Sixth; Viles, Hayes, and Jones in Tie for Seventh—Garnet Gets One of Lowest Scores in Event.

By RUSSELL CHAPMAN

The Bates cross-country team again ran their way to a New England title when they led the strong New Hampshire team to the tape by a score of 32-49 at Franklin Park, Monday afternoon. Maine University finished third with 85 points and M. I. T. fourth with 118. The remaining teams finished in the following order: Conn. State, Holy Cross, R. I. State, Northeastern, and Boston University. The Bates score was one of the lowest ever secured in a New England title race.

Hazen is Individual Winner

The individual winner was Hazen of New Hampshire. At the start of the race Whitten, the Bates flash, took the lead, followed by Hazen and Gilman of M. I. T. As these three approached the two-mile mark they had established a good lead on the rest of the field. As the leaders entered the third mile Whitten was seized with stomach cramps and thereby forced to surrender the lead to Hazen and Gilman. As the fourth mile appeared, better luck came to the diminutive Bates man, and the cramps began to disappear. Then he opened up, overcame the Tech runner, and attempted to maintain a lead. However, he started to run off the course and Gilman, sacrificing some reserve energy, called him back to the proper path. From then on the pair had a hard struggle to the finish with Whitten winning out by a scant margin and holding Hazen's lead to one hundred yards. The second Garnet runner to finish was Elly Hobbs, who finished in sixth place. For three consecutive years Hobbs has held this position in the title race. Much credit is due his consistency. With two men in, all Bates needed was the rapid finish of three others to clinch the victory from New Hampshire who, like Bates, had already finished two.

Not Long to Wait

Not long were these three wanting, for Captain Viles, Hayes, and Jones stepped into the breach with a triple tie for seventh place. This tie definitely settled the outcome, for even if New Hampshire had finished the next three men they would still be supporting too many points for a victory. It may be well remembered that the trio that made victory certain Monday is the same that led the team of 1931 to many a Freshmen win. Viles, in spite of the after effects of the gripe, and Hayes, ran a front race most all the way, while Jones, began to pick up ground from the third mile on. Chapman and Furtwengler, running as Bates sixth and seventh men, stayed up in the front most of the way, finishing 17th and 32nd. In all due fairness it must be said that Furtwengler would have finished earlier among the group if his lame arch had not hampered him.

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SENIORS TO HOLD CHRISTMAS DANCE

On Saturday night, December 13, the Senior Class will hold a Christmas Dance at Chase Hall, it was announced Friday. The dance will be informal, but the number of tickets is limited and reservations must be made in advance. The committee, of which Harry Green is the chairman, promises something quite different from the usual run of dances. More details are to be given later on. Reservations may be secured from Gladys Underwood, Dorothy Stiles, Rogers Lord, or Harry Green.

4-A PLAYERS OPEN SEASON WITH THREE ONE-ACT PLAYS

Commendable Work by Newcomers in First Production—Raymond Hollis and Ruth Benham are Outstanding—Audience Makes Effective Portrayal Difficult

By ROBERT G. BERKELMAN

The English 4A Players presented three one-act plays that pleased the audience which packed the Little Theatre last Friday evening.

If the performances fell a trifle short of the higher levels attained by the Players in the past, the cause may be attributed to the fact that the majority in the casts were making their college debut. Added to this circumstance there is the possibility that the plays were not quite so happily chosen as usually.

Raymond Hollis Stars

Of the three, the last, "Columbine", was perhaps the most effective, largely because it was best adapted to its cast, which had sufficiently strong players of experience to carry along the newcomers. Offering contrasts reminiscent of "Midsummer Night's Dream", Raymond Hollis did more than justice to the role of Bottom-like Dan'l, and Ruth Benham made a very Titianian Columbine, both of them giving their versified lines with expression as well as naturalness, as did also Walter Gerke, playing Harlequin. The versatile Hollis, not very long ago a meek gentleman of the cloth, should receive the palm of the evening. Nobody hereabouts could have improved much upon his vacuous, harmless, illiterate Dan'l. Not every amateur can play successfully the wide range of characters assumed by this hoary veteran during the past three years. If his dormitory mates have not already fastened the name of Proteus upon him they should go brush up their mythology. The others—Harold Lerer, Kenneth Campbell, and Clyde Holbrook, all freshmen—may be congratulated upon surviving their first appearance without sinking through the stage. The frequent collapse of the delicate verse into jarring, inexcusable slang served to measure the event a success.

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Debaters Back From Northern Maine Journey

By SHIRLEY CAVE

"See Aroostook First" was the motto of one F. Brooks Quimby and four Bates men as they talked their way through the expanses of northern Maine. The merits and demerits of the various Maine chain stores provided food for the arguments of Frank Murray '34 and Harrison Greenleaf '32 with the negative team of Scott Treworgy '31 and Lawrence Parker '32, at Ellsworth Calais, and Presque Isle.

The first debate at Ellsworth on Thursday evening was featured by the introduction of Mr. Treworgy as a native son of the suburban district of Surry. A Bates flavor was added to the official workings of the program as "Dell" Luce '30 distributed the programs. Murray's open-minded admission that he partook impartially of independent and chain store food at dinner was a factor which contributed to influence the audience decision in favor of the affirmative. Parker received the laurels of best speaker.

At Calais, the audience agreed to abide by the decision of the citizens of Ellsworth and gave their decision to the affirmative team and Parker.

At Presque Isle

At Presque Isle the affirmative, opposed incidentally to the principles of chains, added another link to their private chain of favorable decisions. Murray, however, prevented Parker from receiving a perfect score on individual victories. The potato center proved a gathering place for an unofficial alumni

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SID FARRELL SCORES TOUCH-DOWNS BY BRILLIANT RUNS

By PARKER MANN

Before the largest crowd ever to jam its way into Garcelon Field in the history of the college, a supreme Bates eleven rode a fighting Colby outfit into the dirt to the tune of 14-0 to annex their second consecutive title of State Champions.

Burning Dummy Ends Practice

Impressive Ceremony Marks Final Football Practice For Many Veterans

Just as darkness fell over Garcelon Field Monday night Dave Morey sent his Bobcat aggregation thru a few last plays and officially closed the training season of 1930 as the student body, led by that remarkable Bates band, marched on the field to observe the impressive ceremony of burning the dummy.

It was appropriate that Red Long touched the torch to the oil-soaked dummy that he had been outstanding in battering thruout the strenuous season, and, while the blaze lighted the corner of the field, Coach Morey expressed his admiration for the faithfulness and perseverance of the hard-fighting Garnet team. It was a moment inspiring emotion to everyone present, but for ten members of the 1930 squad it was an occasion of greatest significance. It was the last practice for Bornstein, Butterfield, Carnie, Fuller, Garcelon, Hoyt, Kenison, Peabody, Rogers and Shapiro after three years of faithful varsity service.

Altho the affair bore some of the earmarks of being a Ladies Night there were plenty of baritones and basses to blend with the sopranos when Howard Thomas led individual cheers for the members of the team and Coach Morey, and ended the impressive ceremony with the strains of the Alma Mater. It was symbolic that the embers of the dummy still glowed when the squad left the field to wait to see what fate had in store for them on the morrow.

Dr. Greene Of Harvard Is To Lecture Soon

Next G. C. Chase Lecture to be Nov. 17—"Self-Revelation in Virgil" is Subject

Another George Colby Chase lecture will be given by Dr. William Chase Greene in the Little Theatre, Monday night, November 17, at 8 o'clock.

Dr. Greene, who is associate professor of Greek and Latin at Harvard, is to give a lecture on "Self-Revelation in Virgil". Bates College is most fortunate to be able to secure Dr. Greene. His past experience is of such a nature that he is admirably fitted to deliver a learned and interesting lecture on Virgil.

Has Many Honors

He has A.B. and Ph.D. degrees from Harvard, received a B.A. from Oxford in addition to the honor of winning the Newgate Prize for English Verse. Several years after Dr. Greene received his Oxford degree the Harvard Press edited his book entitled "The Achievement of Greece, A Chapter in Human Experience".

During the past summer he has been a lecturer on the Virgilian Pilgrimage and Aeneid Cruise in the Mediterranean Countries. During the year 1931-32, Dr. Greene will be on leave of absence from Harvard.

Sid Farrell, who, because of a severe injury, was denied the opportunity to play against Colby a year ago, rose up to-day as the hero of the hour by his 76 yard jaunt thru the right side of the Colby line for the first score and his 25 yard run thru the same place for the second tally.



SID FARRELL

Captain "Wally" Donovan led a team of Colby huskies onto the field which was dangerous both offensively and defensively. The great "Wally" himself showed glimpses of his usual brilliancy, but at no time during the game did he get away for a flight of more than fourteen yards and on that play he was on the receiving end of the only lateral pass of the day. However his punting was consistently good and it was Colby's advantage in this department that kept Bates on their toes throughout the scoreless first half.

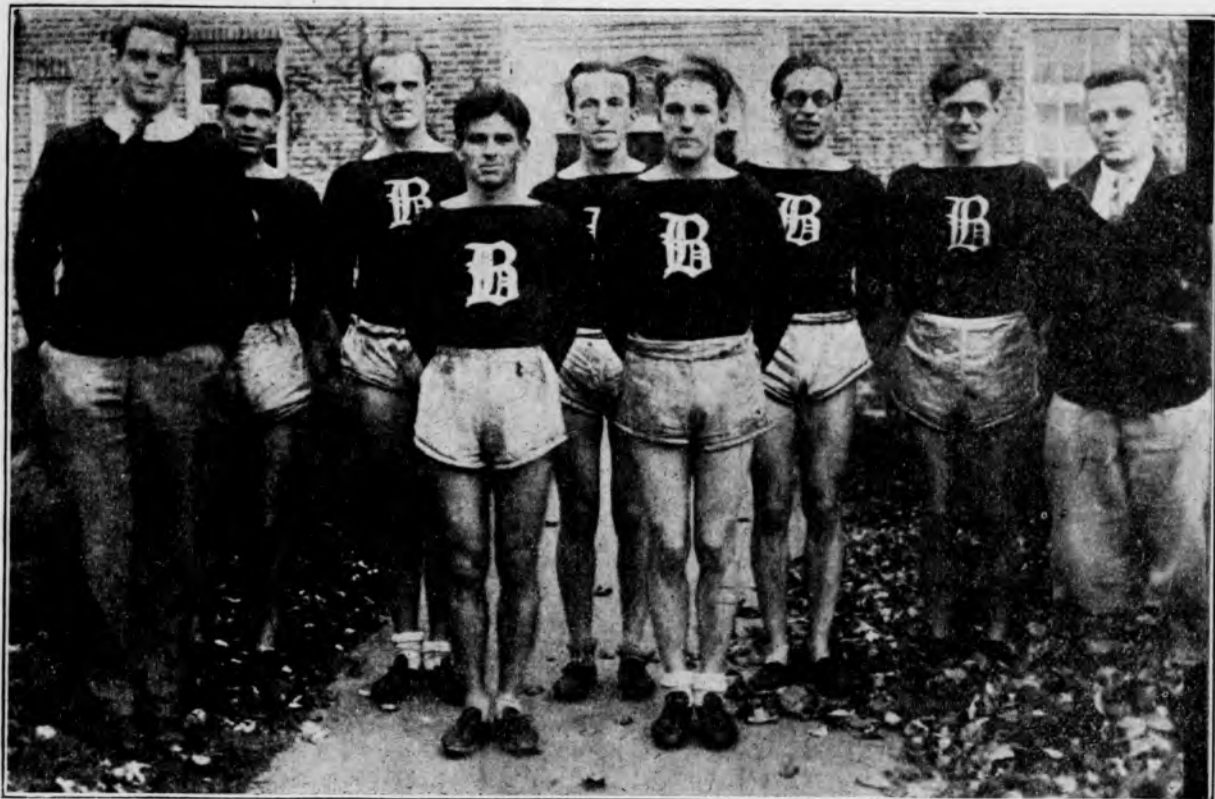
Bates Kicks Off

The game opened with Carnie kicking off to Karkos. After one try at the line, Donovan punted and for the rest of the period there developed a duel between McCluskey and Donovan. Bates was kicking on the second or third down, content to remain on the defensive, but Colby's backfield wasn't clicking and the result was that neither team made any sustained drive. In the last minute of the first period, one of McCluskey's punts was blocked and recovered by Glazier on Bates 34 yard line. Here was Colby's first break. Donovan took the ball thru left tackle for 4 yds. as the period ended.

Colby Threatens

Johnstone was stopped for no gain and then Donovan got away to the 23 yard line for a first down. Things looked threatening for a few moments but four plays later the ball was given to Bates on downs and McCluskey punted out to mid-field. After another exchange of punts, it was Bates ball on the 10 yard line. Farrell made eight yards thru left tackle and McCluskey made it first down. On the next play Ted Brown lugged the ball 23 yards, finally being downed on the 44 yard line. At this point the referee tacked a fifteen yard penalty on Bates. Three plays later the whistle blew for the end of the half with the ball in Colby's possession. Each team made but two first downs during the first half.

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NEW ENGLAND CROSS COUNTRY CHAMPIONS

