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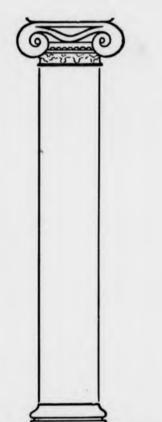


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The Silver Bay conference is under the auspices of the National Board of the Y. W. C. A. of the United States and is held each year at Silver Bay, Lake George, New York. This year, for ten days from June 18 to June 28, about six hundred students from the collegs, universities, and normal schools of New England, New Jersey and Eastern New York will meet there together for the consideration of all kinds of Y. W. C. A. work.

There, the morning hours of every day are devoted to Bible and Mission study classes led by competent leaders. Technical councils for advice in Association methods are also a feature. In the evenings the students gather in the auditorium for helpful and inspiring addresses by different great men and women from all over the country.

Every afternoon is given over to sports. Basket ball and tennis are enjoyed as well as aquatic sports. There are many delightful tramps and drives in the vicinity of Silver Bay and good opportunities for mountain climbing. Many quiet nooks also invite one to reading and rest. Then too, stunts by the various colleges form another interesting part of the good times.

Surely it will pay any girl to spend ten days of her vacation at such a conference as this. The spirit and inspiration of the conference cannot be pictured in words. To really appreciate the full meaning of Silver Bay, each girl must go there herself. We want our college well represented at Silver Bay this year. Will not every Bates girl think this matter over carefully and decide to go if possible?

Y. W. C. A.

An especially interesting meeting of the Y. W. C. A. was held last Sunday evening on the side of Mt. David. Appropriate, also, was this setting for a real live meeting devoted to the subject of Silver Bay. Miss Alma Gregory, '16, was the leader. She

called upon the following girls to speak: Misses Hazel Mitchell, '16, Winfred Jewell, '15, A. Lilian Leathers, '18, Ellen Harding, '16, and Esther Wadsworth, '15. These girls had either been to Silver Bay or expect to go this year, and gave short enthusiastic talks about the life there. The Girls' Mandolin Quartet furnished the music.

Misses Mona Hodnet, '16, Esther Wadsworth, '15, and Florence Clough, '18 attended the annual Silver Bay Banquet held at Farmington Normal School, as delegates from the Bates Association.

CAMPUS ACTIVITIES

The Spofford Club held its usual meeting last Thursday evening. The program was given by the new Sophomore members: Miss Cleaves, Capen and Lawry. A business meeting was also held in which the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Mr. Buker; Vice-President, Miss Mitchell; Secretary, Miss Johnson.

The Now-a-days Club held an open meeting last Tuesday evening. The program consisted of discussion of various current topics by Misses Durgan, Emerson, and Green.

"On to Sabattus" was the happy call of about thirty of the Bates boys and girls who boarded the Waterville car last Saturday afternoon under the leadership of "Uncle Johnnie" Stanton. A pleasant afternoon was passed by Lake Sabattus, and a picnic supper was eaten under the trees and "never did things taste so good." The way home was made merry with the singing of college songs and it was indeed a jolly crowd who ended a happy day with a rousing cheer for "Uncle Johnnie."

Miss Nola M. Houdlette spent the week end at her home in Dresden, Maine.

A Mandolin Quartet, consisting of Misses King, '16, Cole, '15, Chapman, '18, and Leathers, '18, accompanied by Miss Newman, '17, assisted at the 6th Street Congregational Church in Auburn, on last Thursday evening.

Miss Celia I. Smith, '17, entertained her mother, from Hallowell, on last Wednesday.

The Colby game was the best exhibition of Baseball seen in Lewiston this year. The people of Lewiston are satisfied that there is one good ball club in town even if they do get disappointed by their N. E. League team.

There were many phenomenal plays in the game Monday. But the one which excited the most comment was to see Monte score on a caught fly. Some men are gifted with speed.

Another satisfaction at the game was to see the Umpire command the field.

One of our most earnest seekers after scientific truth is William F. Manuel, '15. He has recently made a most important discovery.

Dr. Tubbs has lectured at several teachers' conventions during the past few weeks on, "Field Work in Maine."

The Massachusetts trip was a series of testing and practical games. But now we are due to win games.

The men have suggested that a criticism on the use of the telephone be voiced. There are a hundred men in Parker Hall and about a dozen monopolize the telephone. We believe in monopolies, but—Fix it up and then give somebody else a chance. Remember that the other fellow may be suffering from the same afflictions during these spring days that you are. He has a moral right to the same opportunities. Three minutes is all that should be necessary to take a straw vote.

Interscholastic teams tournament here today. Teams from Lewiston, Edward Little, Westbrook Seminary, Cony, Portland, will compete for a championship cup given by the Bates Athlete Association.

Our teams were defeated at tennis at Bowdoin last Saturday. Purington, '17, and Capt. Richardson, went as far as the Semifinals. They were beaten by Leadbetter and Eaton both of Bowdoin. The teams of doubles were beaten in the trials.

They've got the stuff. They are bound to win out, and we must allow them to make an error, even to lose a game, without throwing them down. We should know enough Baseball to know, that the world's Champions lose games, and that even Ty Cobb doesn't make a hit every time up. Now what do you say—Do we boost or knock?

The scrub league teams are playing most every day. At present Merrill's Team looks good to win the Championship.

Have you talked with Secretary Rowe about Northfield? If you want to know some interesting things, do so.

TRACK SUMMARY

Although the track team was overwhelmed by the teams from the other three Maine Colleges last Saturday, May 15, in the Maine Intercollegiate Championships held at Waterville, I must say that the boys did very well and that the track season was a very successful one, when you take into consideration the conditions under which we had to work.

When track work started last January there were only four B track men in college. In answer to the first call Capt. Small was the only veteran to report. With him came eleven novices and new men. As time wore on we succeeded in getting new men to come out every day, until the time of the first meet on April 24, when we had 146 men taking regular track work. For the most part, they were men who never had any athletic training or experience. From these men we had to pick our team.

In February, when the Maine Intercollegiate Relay Championships was contested at the B. A. A. games in Boston, our team which only had two and one-half weeks of training, succeeded in winning second place to Bowdoin in the fastest Maine Relay Race ever contested at the Boston games. Bowdoin, Colby and University of Maine are represented by track teams, the members of which are mostly all veteran and seasoned performers, and they have had several years' work together, while the Bates track team is an entirely new and inexperienced team, the only veterans being Capt. Small and Syrene '16, Doe and Lane having won their letters at cross country.

Instead of the four letter men that we started off with this winter, we now have 14. Ten men, viz.: Butler '17, Connors '17, Mansfield '15, Boyd '16, Quimby '18, Coleman '18, Drew '16, Pinkham '16, Keaney '16, De-

Wever '17, brought honor to the college and to themselves on the field of competition against other institutions, by winning their respective events or by scoring points in the championships.

Three of the men succeeded in making four new college records during the spring,

viz.:

Keaney in the broad jump, succeeded in clearing 21 ft. 1034 in., displacing Holden's

record of 21 ft. 51/4 in.

Drew changed the pole vault record of 10 ft. 6 in. held by Johnstone. On three different occasions he cleared 10.7, 10.9 and his best mark of 11 ft.

Lane, the Freshman long distance runner, easily proved that he is the best long distance runner that ever represented the institution. On several occasions he has displaced the old figures of 4.42 4-5 for the mile, held by Foss '98, and in the championship on May 15, he succeeded in covering the distance in 4.29 4-5.

He also created a new college record for the two miles, doing 10.15 against Bowdoin on April 24, displacing the old figures,

10.18 4-5 by Bosworth '08.

We won our dual meet against New Hampshire, and made a very creditable showing against Bowdoin and Maine in the duals with those institutions.

Of course we expected to score far more points in the championships than we did. But it is unreasonable to expect too much from novices and inexperienced men. It was the first big meet that most of them had ever been in and the competition and the performances were far faster this year than ever before. Our men did very well considering their experience. Pinkham jumped 5.7 in the high jump, but Palmer overshadowed this performance by hanging up a new record of 5 ft. 10 in.

Lane ran 4.29 4-5, fast enough to win on any other excepting the year that the record was made, but Bell of Maine was forced to do 4.26 to win.

Lawrence won his heat in the quarter in 53, fast enough to win any year, but he is not quite seasoned enough, having only trained two months, consequently he was not good enough against the veterans in the finals, although he was very close up. This was the case all through the competition.

The prospects for a good track team for next year are very bright, as the only point winners that will be lost by graduation this year, are Capt. Small, Mansfield and Stinson. All the men who took part this year will be experienced, and will improve a great deal, and some good material ought to be found in the incoming class. The following is a list of the point scorers in the various meets against other institutions during the year, and the number of points they scored:

Capt. Small, '15, 30¾; Quimby, '18, 22; Lane, '18, 19; Mansfield, '15, 16¾; Keaney, '16, 12; DeWever, '17, 11; Butler, '17, 10¾; Boyd, '16, 9¾; Pinkham, '16, 7⅓; Doe, '16, 7; Connors, '17, 6; Drew, '16, 5½; Syrene, '16, 3; Lawrence, '18, 1; Coleman, '18, 1; Stinson, '15, 5-6; Gibbs, '16, ⅓.

-Coach Ryan.

The following items are taken from some of the old Bates Students issued in 1881. They are interesting to us because they show the conditions existing at Bates then, and give us a more vivid appreciation of the development of our College.

A word to the wise: Freshmen, don't try to go out from chapel exercises ahead of the Sophomores.

The Juniors have petitioned the Trustees to have a day set apart for Field Day and Ivy Day.

At last the privileges of the water works have been extended to the inmates of Parker Hall. The water pipe has been laid into the cellar, and a faucet placed there, the only available place to have it during cold weather. The assiduous use of the faucet indicates sufficiently the favor in which the improvement is held. No inhabitant of Parker Hall has now any excuse for drinking anything but clear cold water.

On the morning of June 12, chapel exercises were conducted by Professor Stanton, for the first time within the memory of the oldest inhabitant, but it is the sincere hope of the students that it is not the last time.

The college conumdrum: Why have we not a Glee Club?

The female element no longer looks lonesome at chapel exercises. The time has now come when two settees are required for its accommodation; for, owing either to a fondness for the stove, or to a praiseworthy desire to abolish class distinction, the girls of the college sit together at prayers during the winter months.

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EDITORIAL

BATES NIGHT

Friday evening there will be held in Hathorn Hall a regular Bates Night. The occasion is one that brings out the real Bates Spirit, and no one can afford to be absent. A most excellent program has been arranged, refreshments will appear at the proper time. Some of the speakers and their subjects are: William Garcelon, '90, "Some Bates Victories;" Carl Milliken, '97, "Bates Spirit;" Coach Ryan, "Track Athletics"; Carroll Beedy, '03, "Delta Sigma Rho"; O. B. Clason, '77, "Baseball Championship.'

DO YOU KNOW THAT

Four "S" sweaters are annually awarded to students of Smith for best self control and allround development in physical training.

The undergraduate students at Oxford number only 900 this spring but the roll of honor, bearing the names of those fallen in battle, is growing fast.

Tufts has just broadened its admission requirements, thus offering much better opportunities to many high school students.

Secretary Bryan's latest step in the furtherance of world peace is the advocation of a Pan-American University at Panama.

ATHLETICS

GIRLS' ATHLETICS

Friday afternoon at 3.30, the Freshmen girls first walked proudly away with a victory over the Juniors, and then met the Sophomores in a hard fought contest in the Girls' Championship Volley Ball games. In the Sophomores, however, the Freshmen soon found more than their equals, and soon yielded up the series with scores of 18-21, 21-20,

This was the first of a series of events now being played by the girls in their annual spring championship games.

The entire program as prepared is as follows :-

May 24—Tennis Preliminaries (singles.)

May 25—Track Preliminaries.

May 26—Tennis Preliminaries (doubles.)

May 28—Base Ball Preliminaries.

June 5-Field Day.

WILLIAMS BASEBALL TRIP

The Bates Baseball team left Thursday morning on a trip which covered nearly 600 miles. The men taken on this trp were Capt. Talbot, Duncan, McDonald, Fuller, Butler, Davis, Marsdon, Lord, Moore, Davidson, Fowles, Manager Perkins, and Coach Purington.

The first game was played at Durham, N. H., with New Hampshire State. Two errors, one hit and a walk gave the home team a lead of 3 runs in the third inning but the visitors tied this score in the first half of the fourth, when Capt. Talbot drove a home run into left field followed by Fuller with a three

base hit and an error by the first baseman, N. H. added 2 more runs in the 4th followed by one in the 6th and 7 innings. Two more runs were added by the Bates team in the 7th, when Talbot singled, Fowler reached first on an error by the pitcher and McDonald doubled to centerfield scoring both men. The features of the game were the hitting of Talbot and McDonald, Talbot netting 2 hits for a total of 5 bases and McDonald the same number of hits for a total of four. Score: N. H. State 7, Bates 5.

Fowler who pitched the entire game had the misfortune of straining a ligament in his knee and returned home Friday from Worcester for medical treatment.

The game with Holy Cross was canceled because of wet grounds, and Friday the team left Worcester for Williamstown. This trip was full of excitment for when 12 miles from the Hoosac tunnel a wreck was encountered, which caused a delay of 2 hours, and the team barely reached Williamstown in time for the game. The Williams team is a very strong team having won from Yale, Princeton, University of Pennsylvania and other large colleges during the season. Davidson started the game but was replaced by Moore in the 5th inning. Bates outhit their opponents but the inability to bunch their hits lost the game. The feature of this game was the hitting of Duncan and McDonald. Score: Williams 8, Bates 4.

The team returned home Sunday ready for the Colby game Monday, full of fight and fully determined that they have fooled long enough with the state series.

M. C. I. 12, BATES SECOND 4

Fresh from a victory at Kents' Hill the speedy M. C. I. team kept on with its winning streak by defeating our second team 12 to 4, last Friday afternoon. Our team showed some ragged fielding and many of the runs resulted from errors. Both pitchers were hard hit although Maxwell was steady in the pinches and was given better support than Dyer. Maxwell also showed up well with the bat, getting two singles and a three bagger. For Bates Swicker, O'Connell, and Shattuck played a good game and Capt. Witham got the longest hit made on the field this season, slaming the ball in deep right field for a home run. 5 1 0 3 2 1 0 0 0—12 M. C. I. Bates 2nd 0 1 0 0 2 0 0 1 0 - 4

Two base hits, Swicker; three base hits, Maxwell, Dyer; home runs, Witham; stolen bases, Curtin, Maxwell, A. Glidden, Thurston, Phelan, O'Connell; base on balls, Maxwell 2, Dyer 3; struck out Maxwell 7, Dyer 5; double plays, Swicker to Shattuck, Harvey to Whitten; hit by pitched ball, Murray; umpire, Pidgeon; time 2 hrs.

BATES 11, COLBY 2

Bates easily defeated Colby last Monday afternoon on Garcelon Field, 11 to 2. Although it was the first defeat in the series for Colby, the Bates team had everything its own way. The two Colby pitchers were hit hard and often. Wright displaced Mathews in the fifth inning after two runs had been scored and no one out. Except for the sixth inning when Colby scored her two runs the Bates defense was impregnable.

Monte Moore pitched the entire game. He passed three men one of whom got as far as third. He allowed four singles, one in the fourth, one in the fifth and two in the sixth. In five of the nine innings Colby went down in order. Moore also contributed two singles and one run.

The entire Bates team met the ball fairly and squarely, and in the early innings worked the bunting game with great success. Capt. Talbot excelled his team mates with the bat, getting two singles and a double in the first three times up. Lord smashed out a fine three bagger, Thurston hit for two bases and Duncan came through with two singles.

In the first inning Bates scored two runs. Duncan was safe on Duffy's error and stole second. MacDonald was hit. Fuller bunted safely and, on LaFleur's error, Duncan scored. Talbot bunted and also got a hit, as first base was uncovered. Mathews threw at the base and MacDonald scored. Talbot stole second and Lord walked, filling the bases. Butler flied out, Davis fanned and Thurston went out on a ground hit.

Two more runs were added in the second inning. After Moore had been thrown out by LaFleur, Duncan hit safely to left field. MacDonald singled to right field, and Duncan took third. On the second attempt Fuller and Duncan worked the squeeze play. Talbot then singled, scoring MacDonald, but was put out stealing second.

In the fifth inning the entire Bates team

came to bat and five more runs were scored. Fuller was hit and took third on a bad throw to catch him off first base. Talbot doubled and Fuller scored. Lord walked. Butler scored Talbot with a single. At this stage Mathews was displaced by Wright. Davis was safe on Campbell's error. Thurston hit to Duffy and Butler was run down on third base line. The moment Butler was tagged Davis stepped on third and Thurston on second. Moore single to left, bringing in the two runs. The scoring stopped when Duncan sacrificed and MacDonald was thrown out at first.

Two more runs were added in the seventh. Thurston walked and stole second. Moore brought him in with a single to center. Duncan singled to left. MacDonald walked, filling the bases. Fuller's sacrifice fly scored Moore. Talbot flied out. Thus the game ended.

The sum	mar	y:							
BATES			AB		R	BH	PO	A	E
Duncan 2b				4	2	2	1	2	0
MacDonald ss				3	2	2	3	2	1
Fuller 3b				2	1 1	1	0	2	0
Talbot 1b				2 5		3	11	0	0
Lord c				3		1	6	2	0
Butler cf				5		1	4	0	0
Davis 1f				4		0	1	0	0
Witham I	f			1		0	0	0	0
Thurston rf				3		1	1	1	0
Moore p				4		2	0	3	0
Totals			3	34	11	12	27	$\frac{-}{12}$	1
COLBY				AB	R	вн	PO	A	E
Simpson If				3		0	4	0	0
Campbell 2b				2		0	2	1	0
Fraser 2b				1		0	0	1	0
LaFleur 3b				4		2	2	3	1
Deasey c				4		0	2 2 2 2	2	0
Allen rf				4		1	2	0	0
James cf				4		0	2	0	0
Smith 1b				3		1	- 9	0	0
Duffy ss				1		0	1	3	1
Mathews p				1		0	0	3	2
Wright p				1	0	0	0	1	0
Totals			2	8	2	4	$\frac{-}{24}$	14	4
Bates	2	2	0	0	5	0	2 0	x-	
Colby	0	0	0	0	0		0 0		- 2
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Hits, off Mathews 8 in 4 innings (0 out in 5th), off Wright 4 in 4. Two base hits, Thurston, Talbot. Three base hits, Lord. Sacrifice hits, Mathews, Duncan, Fuller.

Sacrifice fly, Fuller. First base on balls off Moore 3, Mathews 2, Wright 2. First base on errors, Colby 1, Bates 2. Stolen bases, Duncan, MacDonald, Talbot, Davis, Thurston, Campbell. Struck out by Moore 6, by Mathews 1, by Wright 1. Left on bases, Bates 8, Colby 4. Hit by pitched ball by Mathews (MacDonald, Fuller), by Moore (Simpson). Time 2.05. Umpire, McInnis.

AVERAGES	OF	В	ASE	BAI	L T	EAN	T	0	DATE
Players	AB	R	вн	TB	Avg	PO	A	E	Avg
Davidson	11	0	4	6	.363	5	21	2	.929
MacDonald	49	14	16	21	.358	14	28	7	.857
Moore	29	3	10	12	.345	0	20	3	.850
Capt. Talbot	51	11	17	19	.333	85	1	1	.989
Butler	47	10	14	16	.300	19	2	3	.875
Duncan	51	9	15	15	.295	20	31	7	.880
Fowler	7	2	2	3	.285	1	7	1	.889
Lord	51	8	12	14	.245	71	23	0	1.000
Swift	23	5	5	5	.215	79	2	4	.853
Davis	24	4	5	6	.208	9	1	3	.769
Swicker	5	1	1	1	.200	2	1	0	1.000
Thurston	26	6	4	5	.153	3	2	0	1.000
Fuller	46	7	7	9	.153	6	22	4	.875
Witham	7	0	1	1	.143	1	1	0	1.000
Marston	16	1	2	3	.125	5	0	0	1.000

Batting average of team 248. Fielding average of team 917.

ALUMNI NOTES

1886—Louis H. Wentworth, Bates, '86, died Apr. 24th, at his home in Somerville, Mass., from pneumonia. For the past twenty years he had been in the awning and tent business, and was manager of the American Awning and Tent Co., Boston. "Unassuming, refined, manly, with a pleasant voice, a rare smile, and a keen but kindly eye wherein ever lurked a twinkle. Louis Wentworth instantly impressed one as a true gentleman. It was in his home, however, that he expressed his finest self. Here, one felt his spirit of sincere hospitality, and sympathetic helpfulness, his loyalty to all things noble and true. Here, one appreciated his rare sense of humor and his keen delight in a wholesome joke. His domestic relations were ideal. To outsiders, Mr. Wentworth was a kind neighbor, an untiring worker, an efficient and successful business man, a dependable citizen, actuated in whatever he did by an unswerving allegiance to duty, right and honor. Remarkably cheerful and heroic under his physical sufferings of the past few years, quite forgetful of self in his service for others, living daily an outward life consistent with his inner one—a soul development of deep-rooted faith, of love, of purity, of holy desires, and of patient waiting—Louis Wentworth never failed to exert over those with whom he came in contact a quiet, but effective power for good."

1896—Prof. F. A. Knapp was the guest of the Hartford Alumni Association at their meeting on May 15th.

Oliver Cutts, newly appointed physical director at Purdue University, will take up his work there August 1.

1899—Allen C. Hutchinson is teacher of sciences in Utica Free Academy. His address is 1535 Kemble St., Utica, N. Y.

Since 1903, Oscar Adelmer Stevens has been in business at Ludlow, Maine, and is postmaster there.

After preaching several years in the West, Rev. Charles S. Calhoun is now living in Dexter, Michigan.

1903—Lillian A. Norton has been elected to an excellent position in the English department of the Hartford, Conn., High School.

1909—Rev. H. I. Holt is the pastor of the High Street Methodist Church at Auburn, Maine.

1912—Alice H. Richards is teacher of English, German, and Geometry in the high school at Conway, N. H.

Carl T. Rhoades teaches science in the Weston, Mass., High School.

Helen E. Magraw has a position in the eighth grade at Lucerne, N. Y.

Fredrika Hodgdon teaches mathematics and science in the high school at Plymouth, N. H.

Annabel M. Jones is at her home in South China, Maine.

E. Earle Bachelder, formerly of 1912, is practising dentistry in Northfield, Vt.

1913—Guy H. Gove is the principal of the new high school at Mapleton, Maine. In the

1913 class letter, Mr. Gove announced his engagement to Miss Doris Middlemist, of Minneapolis, Minn.

Clifton B. Holt is teacher of science at Rust College, Holly Springs, Mississippi. Rust is a co-educational colored school under the auspices of the Freedmen's Aid Society of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

Gordon Cave is professor of chemistry in Hillsdale College, Michigan.

Constantine Eliopoulos is the pastor of the Congregational Church at North Waterford, Maine.

Louise F. Sawyer teaches in the high school at Sherman Mills, Maine.

Wm. R. Kempton is sub-master of the Brewer, Maine, High School.

Rachel Thing teaches in the South Portland High School.

Joseph Vaughn is principal of the Rangeley High School, Rangeley, Maine. Beatrice Jones, also of 1913, is one of his assistants.

1914—Leon E. Davis is teaching in the Danforth School at Framingham, Mass. He is to be an instructor in Camp Wildwood, for boys, at Kineo, Maine, this summer. If anyone knows of parents who might like to send their sons to a camp of this kind, "Dave" would like to get into communication with them. It's a matter of dollars and cents with him.

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