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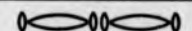
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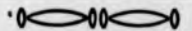
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## CALENDAR

### THURSDAY, JUNE 4

- 6.00 P.M. Piærian Society Banquet, Lake Grove.  
7.15 P.M. Spofford Club.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 5

- A.M. Bowdoin vs. Bates at Brunswick.  
4.30 P.M. Press Club.  
7.30 P.M. Bates Interscholastic Debating League, Champion Debate.  
Leavitt Institute vs. Rumford H. S.

### MONDAY, JUNE 8

- 1.00 P.M. Junior Current Events Club.  
4.40 P.M. Student Volunteer Band.  
6.00 P.M. Musical Club Banquet, Lake Grove.  
6.45 P.M. Senior and Junior Current Events Clubs.

### TUESDAY, JUNE 9

- 6.45 P.M. Cheney and Milliken Current Events Clubs.

### WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10

- 6.45 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Senior Meeting.  
"The Greatest Things Bates Can Give."  
6.45 P.M. Y. W. C. A.  
7.45 P.M. Junior Exhibition, College Chapel.

### THURSDAY, JUNE 11

- 9.45 A.M. Last chapel.  
2.00 P.M. Ivy Day Exercises.

### FRIDAY, JUNE 12

Final Examinations begin.

## Y. M. C. A.

The Y. M. C. A. meeting on May 27, was held on the library lawn. Prof. Leonard gave a very interesting and concise talk on "Student Life in German Universities." A feature of the University differing much from our colleges is the apparent disregard for soliciting students. The attraction of the different Universities lies in their faculty. There are two main divisions open to the students, the classical and technical. No entrance examinations seem an inducive feature, but the

previous work required counteracts this, as a diploma from the lower schools is necessary for entrance to the University.

A student may sign up for as many courses as he wishes and charges are based on the amount of work taken. Final examinations of the University are oral, and failure in these examinations means loss of many opportunities for the German student.

In closing Prof. Leonard referred to the fact that there is little Y. M. C. A. work among the Universities. Chapel services are unknown, but the study of the Bible is part of the curriculum.

## BATES PAGEANT

Work for the pageant which is to help celebrate the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of Bates College, is being enthusiastically carried on. Mrs. Blanchet from Emerson College is in general charge. The Bates pageant is to be a stationary one in contrast to the older or processional forms. It is to be held, weather permitting, on the steps of Coram Library, otherwise in Hathorn Hall. Twelve scenes, at least, will be represented dating from the burning of the old Parsonsfield Seminary to the present graduating class. Altho many minor parts have been filled, the most important ones are not yet chosen. President Chase and Dean Buswell have the selection of the parts in charge. Prof. Hertell is arranging for the music, Miss Bell for the dancing, while Miss Mabel Merrill, a former Bates graduate, is writing all the poetry for the occasion.

## ELECTION OF TRACK CAPTAIN

E. O. Small, '15, was elected captain of track for the ensuing year at a meeting of the "B" men held last Saturday. Small, who is a graduate of Starkey Institute, Ithaca, N. Y., has been a member of the track team for three years. This year in the Maine State Meet he won his letter by taking third place in both the hundred-yard dash and two-hundred-and-twenty-yard dash.



## MAINE COLLEGE STANDING

	Won	Lost	Per ct.
Bates	4	1	800
Bowdoin	3	2	600
Colby	2	4	333
Maine	2	4	333

## BATES 4, BOWDOIN 6

Bates lost her first game in the Maine series to Bowdoin, Saturday, May 30th, in an eleven inning game. The winner could not be picked until the last man was out, for nearly all the runs of both teams were made with two men out.

It was an ideal day for the game, the morning shower leaving the diamond in perfect condition.

Bowdoin scored one run in the first when Cobb failed to hold a hard grounder from McElwee. In the second inning Bowdoin scored again when Tuttle singled, was sacrificed to third and came home on Knight's single.

In the last half of the second Bates tied the score when Eaton, Bowdoin's first baseman, dropped two throws. On Eaton's first error, Butler made first base, and on the second error he scored and Moore made third. Stinson's single scored Moore. Stinson got as far as third on Coady's list and then made a desperate attempt to get home on a short passed ball. The umpire called him out.

Stinson's control and fielding were faultless and Bowdoin failed to score until the fifth when one man crossed the plate on a single and a three-base hit, with two out. Bowdoin sent in another tally in the seventh, making it 4-2.

Bates, however, came back in the eighth, and after a hard fight, tied the score. MacDonald started the rally with a single and Talbot followed with a three-bagger. Moore, Cobb and Drake singled in succession, scoring the necessary two runs and filling the bases. Stinson then had a chance to win the game, but his grounder to Chapman was an easy out and the rally was over.

In the ninth and tenth neither side was able to score. With two men out in the eleventh, Knight, Bowdoin's pitcher, drove a

long triple to left field, and came home on Phillips' single. Bowdoin got another run in this inning, just for good measure. Bates failed to score in the last half and the game was over.

The summary:

## BOWDOIN

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Phillips, lf....	6	2	2	1	0	0
Stetson, rf....	5	2	3	2	3	0
Weatherill, 2b	3	0	2	3	3	1
McElwee, 3b..	5	0	2	3	2	1
Chapman, ss..	5	0	0	2	0	2
Tuttle, cf.....	5	1	1	2	0	0
Eaton, 1b....	4	0	0	11	0	3
LaCasce, c....	4	0	1	9	2	0
Knight, p.....	5	1	2	0	3	0
Totals .....	42	6	13	33	13	7

## BATES

	AB	R	BH	PO	A	E
Coady, 3b.....	6	0	2	1	0	0
MacDonald, ss	5	1	1	4	1	0
Fuller, 2b....	4	0	1	5	3	0
Talbot, c....	5	1	1	4	1	0
Butler, cf....	5	1	1	2	0	0
Moore, rf....	5	1	1	1	0	0
Cobb, 1b.....	5	0	1	15	0	1
Davis, lf.....	2	0	0	0	0	0
Drake, lf.....	3	0	1	1	1	1
Stinson, p....	5	0	1	0	1	0
Totals ....	45	4	10	33	7	2

Bowdoin ..... 1 1 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0 2-6  
 Bates ..... 0 0 2 0 0 0 0 2 0 0 0-4

Two-base hits—Weatherill, Coady. Three-base hits—Knight, McElwee, Talbot, Fuller. Struck out—by Knight 9, by Stinson 3. First base on balls—off Knight 1, off Stinson 1. Stolen bases—Phillips, Stetson, McElwee, Coady, Butler. Umpire—Daley.

## BATES 4, N. H. STATE 3

Bates won again from New Hampshire Wednesday, May 27th, at Garcelon Field in eleven inning game, by the score of 4 to 3. Although the fielding of both teams was very poor, the game was at all times exciting. The game was won and lost several times. Bates scored one run in the first inning, but New Hampshire went into the lead in the third by

scoring two runs. Bates tied the score in the sixth when Talbot hit a three-bagger and came home on Butler's sacrifice. Bates got the lead again in the eighth, when Butler tripled and came home on a pass ball, only to be tied again in the ninth. Neither side scored in the tenth inning. In the eleventh Bates got the winning run through errors.

The score by innings:

Bates .....	1 0 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 1	—4
N. H. State ....	0 0 2 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0	—3

Hits—Off Lindquist, 7 in 8 1-3 innings; off Stinson, 1 in 2 2-3 innings. Two-base hits—Paulson, Hazen. Three-base hits—Talbot, Butler. Struck out—By Lindquist 4, by Stinson 1, by Paulson 9. First base on balls—Off Lindquist 4. Stolen bases—W. Brackett, Welch, R. Brackett 2, Reardon, Coady 2, MacDonald, Butler. Double plays R. Brackett and Hazen, Lindquist and Cobb and Talbot. Umpire—Ireland.

#### INTERCOLLEGIATE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Tomblen, Bates '14, won the championship in the singles of the Maine intercollegiate tennis tournament which was held at Colby College May 25-28, by defeating Gowen of Maine in the finals, the score being, 6-2; 10-8; 6-3.

In the preliminaries of the doubles Tomblen and Purinton of Bates were defeated by Goodspeed and Bartlett of Maine, 3-6; 6-2; 9-7. Also Lee and Richardson of Bates were defeated by Eaton and Larrabee of Bowdoin, 9-7; 6-2; 6-2. Although Lee and Richardson lost two sets out of three, they were the only team in the State that won a set from Eaton and Larrabee, the champions of the doubles.

#### WOMEN'S SOCIAL SOCIETY

Tuesday evening, May 26, the young women interested in the plan, met in Fiske Hall and talked over the formation of a Social Club. During the evening, Miss Shores, '14, served as chairman, and Miss Roberts, '15, as Secretary. A constitution was adopted and plans for a later meeting for election of officers were made. The club has for its aim, the promotion of social life at Bates.

#### EUROSOPHIA

At the meeting of the society last Friday night many important matters were discussed. Questions of changes in the constitution were taken up and it was voted to amend the articles referring to the time of meeting and to the term of the officers, to conform with the recommendations made by the faculty committee, namely, that the meetings should be held once a fortnight and the officers should hold office for only one semester. It was further decided to limit the society to twenty-eight members, seven new members being elected February of each year. All the meetings of the society shall be with closed doors. General plans for the first few meetings next year were made.

#### PIAERIAN SOCIETY

At the meeting of Piæria last Friday night radical changes in the constitution were noted, following out the suggestions of the committee of the faculty for re-organizing the literary societies. Plans were made for the meetings of next year. It was voted to hold the meetings every other Friday night. It was also decided that the officers of the society should be elected semi-annually. The membership will be strictly limited, only seven men being elected to the society in one year, all elections to the society to come the first of the second semester. The meetings of the society will be held with closed doors. The matter of a society pin was left in the hands of the Executive Committee.

Final arrangements were made for the Piærian Banquet to be held next Friday night at Lake Grove. This banquet will include the women who were formerly members of Piæria.

#### JORDAN SCIENTIFIC SOCIETY

The last meeting of the society will be held Monday, June 8, at 7.30. It is desired to have the attendance of all the members as important business is to be transacted. Election of officers, election of new members, and full arrangements of the banquet are to be some of the things to be considered.



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## ALUMNI

*To the Editor of the Student:*

On the 16th of June occurs the eightieth birthday of Prof. Stanton. We make this announcement that all may know. Further comment is not needed. Words would be superfluous. For a half century he has spoken his own word to every son and daughter of Bates.

May his eightieth anniversary be made joyous by greetings from a thousand Bates men and women who love him.

1904.

Plans are rapidly being made for Alumni Day, June 23. Word has just been received from the class of 1904 that they will be on hand with something good, preferring, however, to conceal the nature of their program until the "psychological moment" Last week the plans of 1912 were printed in the columns of the STUDENT. These are evidences that Bates alumni are everywhere awakening to

the fact that this is to be the most important commencement in the history of the college. The success of Alumni Day will depend upon the loyalty of the classes in their endeavor to present the best get-up in the historico-humorous parade. This part of the program will be carried out in the forenoon. The afternoon will be given over to the historical pageant, which will be presented on the steps of the Coram Library. The work has already been taken in charge by Mrs. M. L. Blanchet of Manchester, N. H. Let us have lots of enthusiasm with plenty of work to make this occasion a happy and memorable affair to every one interested in our college.

## COMMENCEMENT SPEAKERS

The commencement speakers have been elected and the following list chosen:

Mr. George Charles Marsden.  
Mr. James Roy Packard.  
Mr. Harold Norman Smith.  
M. Wilbert Scamman Warren.

### Ladies

Miss Clara Augusta Chapman.  
Miss Edith Gertrude Fales.  
Miss Harriet Lucy McCann.  
Miss Rachel Louisa Sargent.

Among the new arrangements it has been decided to have but six speakers this year. Mr. Warren and Miss Fales have resigned.

## Y. M. C. A. COMMITTEES

The Association's committees are putting on the final touches of the year's work by laying careful plans for the beginning of next year's work. Some of the committees have had their last session, all plans having been made for a good start next fall. The Social Service Committee, having furnished deputations for four churches in the last three weeks, beside other activities, have completed their work. Extensive plans have been made for work among high school students, for work among foreigners, for work among boys, as well as various forms of deputations. The committee is composed of the following men:

J. L. Moulton, *Chairman*  
R. D. Stillman  
J. L. Meader  
S. E. Keneston  
J. L. Sherman

The Recruiting Committee have arranged for and are carrying out a splendid course of Wednesday evening meetings. The last meeting held on the campus and led by Dr. Leonard was well attended and the address was very instructive and interesting as have been the others. These were advertised by a neat little blotter also containing the football schedule for next fall. The names of those men who have been active in Association work and who are going to some of the larger cities will soon be compiled and sent to Mr. O. F. Cutts, who has charge of the alumni work of the Y. M. C. A. Meetings are being planned for next fall and the committee has been active along other lines of its work as well. The members of this committee are:

K. F. Witham, *Chairman*  
 R. Greene  
 H. Hilton  
 E. A. Elwell  
 P. W. Lane  
 M. H. Wiggin  
 G. F. Currier

Upon Monday evening, May 25, the second of the series of meetings was held in Roger Williams Chapel. Mr. Cushman presided at this meeting. The last meeting of the year was held in the same place last Monday evening.

These meetings have been held for the benefit of those who are anticipating leading classes next fall. The meetings have been well attended and each man given an opportunity to get much to be of use in his class work.

Much credit is due Mr. Cushman who has set out the work in a clear and practical manner. He laid great emphasis upon the need of a thorough preparation for each leader—and suggested various plans for leading the groups.

The committee has spent much time in selecting and arranging suitable courses for the four classes. A tentative division of classes in the various dormitories with a leader for each, has also been made.

The Committee upon Religious Education is:

Carey  
 Clifford,  
 Gustin  
 Sanford  
 Snow  
 Buker

The beginning of the Religious Educational Work of the College for the coming year was made Friday evening, May 22. At this time a banquet was held at the college commons. After the banquet a number of brief addresses were listened to. The talks were arranged representative of an athletic contest and the following program followed:

Prof. Baird—Preliminaries.

Mr. Cushman—The Game Outlined.

Prof. Purinton—Coaching.

John Greenan—Comments from the Field.

Prof. Turner—Sentiments from the Grand Stand.

Rev. Mr. Leslie—Scoring.

The Campus Service Committee has been busy getting its organization perfected. Its lines of activity are more varied than the other committees and the nature of its work demands a large force. One or two new lines of work have been initiated. June 1 was set apart as membership day in order to give all those who had not joined the opportunity to do so. In order to let the student body and especially incoming Freshmen know the nature and scope of their work, they published a neat little folder describing the work and naming the committees. Its contents are as follows:

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#### VI. SOCIAL

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Membership—H. P. Johnson, '16; A. C. Parker, '16; T. H. Blanchard, '15; R. B. Prew, '17.

New Student—R. E. Merrill, '16; R. Greene, '16; E. B. Hutchinson, '16.

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#### GOD'S NAME IN VAIN

She goes to church on Sunday,  
Dressed in her Sunday best,  
Her hat the latest fashion,  
Slit skirt and all the rest.

"Oh, see the little darling"  
The rowdies say and smile.  
"See how she holds her prayerbook,  
And preens her clothes the while."

Behold our stylish maiden,  
In Tango slippers shod,  
With smirk self-satisfaction,  
Enter the house of God.

The hush, the solemn stillness,  
The dim and hazy light  
Inspire the soul to worship,  
And set the styles off right.

For stop, you idle scorner,  
And the fine effect confess  
Of the light from colored windows  
Upon a Tango dress.

The organ calls to worship,  
Sweet music fills the room,  
The organist is peeping  
In the mirror at her plume.

Oh, tell me, Thou who knowest,  
Who the inmost heart can't see,  
Is she trying thru her music  
To offer praise to thee?

High down from the altar window  
With sad and pitying smile,  
The image of the Master  
Looks on the latest style.

"My Jesus, how I love thee,"  
The maiden softly sings,  
Wishing now she's had her hat trimmed  
With flowers instead of wings.

The minister is praying,  
She bows low with the rest,  
Folds her hands in just the manner  
That will show her gloves up best.



She listens to the sermon,  
As stylish maidens should.  
She listens to the sermon,  
And calls it "very good."

Then from that house of worship,  
From the presence of the Lord,  
She goes in all her glory,  
Inspired by His word.

Then can you even wonder  
That her soul is filled with pain,  
When she hears a ragged street boy  
Take the name of God in vain?

Her mouth is round with horror,  
And she quickly trips away,  
And wonders at such blasphemy  
Upon the Sabbath day.

Yet stop, you stylish maiden,  
And see if you can say,  
With justice in your judgment,  
Just who blasphemed to-day.

He took the name of Jesus,  
He of environment so low,  
He took the name of Jesus,  
Because he did not know.

You took the name of Jesus,  
You, the slave of fashion grim.  
You took the name of Jesus,—  
When your thoughts were not with Him.

Oh, take your hat to heaven  
You woman of to-day.  
Oh, take your hat to heaven!  
It is the only way.

For stripped of all its finery,  
In that final "fashion strike"  
When you've lost your prop of virtue,  
What will your soul be like?

—1915.

#### ALUMNI NOTES

1868—President George C. Chase is to deliver the baccalaureate sermon for the graduating class of Ricker Classical Institute, on June 14th.

1873—William Rynne is a practicing physician in Portland, Maine, located at 235½ Congress St.

1874—Frederick B. Stanford, who is doing literary work in New York City, is now living in Brooklyn, Conn.

1883—Oliver H. Frisbee of Portsmouth, N. H., is a vice-president and member of the

board of managers of the Atlantic Deeper Waterways Association.

1904—Rev. E. M. Holman, pastor of the Bristol, Vermont, Free Baptist Church, recently received five new members to his church by baptism. He is to be sent by the church to the Northern Baptist Convention, in Boston.

1906—Elmer R. Verrill, for several years principal of the academy at Lee, Maine, has been elected principal of the East Maine Conference Seminary, at Bucksport.

1908—Invitations have been sent out to the marriage of Miss Elisabeth Williams Anthony, Bates, '08, to Mr. Robert Cloutman Dexter, on June 12th. They will be at home after August 1st, at 15 Columbia Street, Brockton, Mass.

1909—Rev. H. I. Holt of Guilford, delivered the Memorial Day address at Abbot, Me.

Rev. George F. Bolster of South Medford, Mass., is to take the pastorate of the West End Church, Halifax, Nova Scotia.

"1910" is busy and will be ready to play its part at the Semi-Centennial of Bates.

1911—The STUDENT wishes to correct the error that Mr. Irving Hill Blake who wrote the words of "Alma Mater" was a member of 1912. He is, however, a member of the class of 1911. At present he is in Corvallis, Oregon, where he is teaching in the State University. He has been very successful and is in line for further advancement.

1912—Clarence H. Brown, who until recently has been teaching in Island Falls, is now principal of the high school at Limestone, Me.

1913—Blynn E. Davis is Head of the Department of Mathematics in the high school at Pawtucket, R. I.

#### POLITICS CLUB

At the last meeting of the Politics Club, officers were elected for the coming year:

President—J. Greenan, '15.

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Second Vice-President—L. Knight, '15.

Secretary—E. Harding, '15.

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The program of the evening consisted of reports from those attending the Intercollegiate Civic League Conference at Washington. The club plans to hold a ladies' night June 10.

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