Numerical Averages Are Abolished

Trackmen Point For Second At Waterville

Faculty VotesYTE By Letter Grades

Beginning In Fall

"No One Can Judge Within Five Points," States President Clifton Daggett Gray In Explanation Of The Move

Numerical averages were abolished in favor of a straight letter system of grading by a vote of the faculty in meeting Monday morning, according to a report which was confirmed by President Gray last night early last evening. The suggested and significant change was suggested by the committee on registration, which will, within the next ten or twelve weeks hold a series of meetings in order to work out details concerned with eligibility for honors, Phi Beta Kappa, and standing in college curricula.

President Gray explained that the change came about after the suggestion of a committee on registration, which was appointed last year, to study the whole subject of numerical averages and to see if something could be done to improve the situation of students. The powerful decision of President Gray was made last night at the request of the committee, and was most acceptable to the faculty.

The change in college policy is based on the belief that students should be judged on their individual abilities and not on the basis of numerical averages. President Gray explained that the change was made because he felt that the numerical system was not completely fair to all students.

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fact is largely with the students. Until
recent years, propaganda and organized, the
individual students can help by at least grouping soft-
ly, or he need not be another, or by admitting
ly, and quiet smoking is
very often valuable.

For some serious investigation and consider-
ations of the present chapal situation as a construc-
tive step for the student advisory policy group of campus
leaders which has been in the making for some time, our
students and the students should have been
able to discuss the matter with some rem-
edy? An organized group, such as those which have
sought the Laboratory for the first time. This year,
they have been attended through the continuous
of practices current in other colleges and
The chips of melting ice that gleam a moment
The altar shatter into tinkling fragments;
When she sailed to Europe, she took letters to nearly everyone of
America—this time in Florida.

JAMES P. MURPHY CO.

For He took forth the Rib and fashioned Woman,
"Gees, he's got a chirp on his neck!"

...by Ruth Robbins '39
...the career of the Nile begins with the

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By the way, I believe that they had a few minutes for Junior,

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...but after years of study and experience, the

"Gertrude" in German

..more and more was our new friend Miss Maud Norton,

Remember 1

"For Mother’s Day"

...But according to Dr.'Fisher

By Ruth Robbins '39

...the Nile, The Life Story of a River, by Emil Ludwig

This is perhaps the strongest subject a biographer has ever at-
tack. Mr. Field was educated at the

..."Maine", "Willamette", and "McKinley Woodards" are evidences that Miss

"There are some people, saving of emotions.

...with their eyes dipped in the Winter skies.

The poet conveys the effect of Nature on human character. The
simple meter corresponds to simplicity of subject-matter; yet this
very simplicity becomes monstrous because of constant emphasis.
Delightful exaltation in such phrases as "the gnome-like faces of

...and "the mothball-mocking" of a stilt in fog makes for

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Ball Team, Victorious Over B. U., Faces Strong Maine Team

SPORT SHORTS

By SAM LEAKE '39

The much anticipated Bates-Maine game, which was scheduled for the 30th, is now

(Continued from front page)

Bates edged out the University of Maine with a score of 19-9 to claim the annual IC4A Meeting this season. The win by Bates was not only historic, but also

President Hiram W. Bell, U. of Maine, was on hand to present the trophy to Coach Thompson of Bates. The Maine team was represented by Coach Thompson.

Bates scored both its runs in the

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