

THE COLBY ECHO.

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WATERVILLE, ME., THURSDAY, JAN. 20, 1898.

PRICE FIVE CENTS.

COMING EVENTS.

- Jan. 20. Senior articles due.
- Jan. 25. 6.45 P. M., meeting of Women's Conference Board at Ladies' Hall.
- Jan. 27. 7 P. M., Conference in Chapel. Address by Rev. R. W. Plant, of Gardiner.
- Jan. 28. 8 P. M., Lecture in Athletic Association Course, by Roberts Harper, at the Baptist Church. Subject: "Monte Carlo."
- Jan. 31. 7 P. M., Meeting of Men's Conference Board at President's house.
- Feb. 1. 7-10 P. M., Reception at President's house.
- Feb. 14. 8 P. M., Concert by Colby Musical Talent, at City Hall.
- Feb. 25. 8 P. M., Lecture at City Hall, by W. M. R. French. Subject: "Wit and Wisdom of the Crayon."

THE PRESIDENT.

- Feb. 13. Will preach at Williams College.

Song Recital.

Tuesday evening at Ladies' Hall, the members of the women's college, the faculty with their wives and a few invited guests were afforded the pleasure of attending a song recital by Mrs. Lillian Roberts-Hayman of Brookline, Mass., assisted by Miss Emily Peace Meader of Waterville.

Mrs. Hayman represents the Italian school of voice culture and is a well-known figure in Boston musical circles. Her voice has the rare power of combining sound with sentiment and expresses to her audience the strength or sweetness, pathos or joy of the song.

Both Mrs. Hayman and Miss Meader were repeatedly encoored by their thoroughly appreciative audience. The Swallow Song, music by Miss Meader and words by Miss Sawtelle, the dean of the women's college, was heartily applauded.

The programme was as follows:

PROGRAM.

1. Piano—Prelude.....Chopin
Miss Meader.
2. Prolog.....Grieg.
From "Reminiscences of Mountain and Fjord"
Mrs. Hayman.
3. (a) King Olaf's Lilies..... Margaret Lang.
(b) Garden of Roses..... "
Mrs. Hayman.
4. Ingeborg's Lament.....Max Bruch.
From Fritjof Saga.
Mrs. Hayman.
5. Piano—(a) The Brook.....McDowell.
(b) Klakoviak.....Paderewski.
Miss Meader.
6. Selections from "The Eliland".... Von Flieitz.
Mrs. Hayman.
7. (a) Swallow Song .. Meader.
(b) Ich Liebedie.....Grieg.
(c) Autumnal Gale..... "
Mrs. Hayman.

Athletic Association Course.

The Athletic Association announce a course of three entertainments to be given in the near future. The course will consist of a lecture by Roberts Harper upon "Monte Carlo," Jan. 28; a concert by the musical talent of the college, Feb. 14; and a lecture by W. M. R. French of Chicago, upon "Wit and Wisdom of the Crayon," Feb. 25. The course tickets are \$1.25 including reserved seats and are now on sale at Larabee's. Further notice of the course will be given next week.

In Memoriam.

FRANCIS EDWARD HEATH, '58.

Col. F. E. Heath died at his home in Waterville, Dec. 20. The immediate cause of his death was internal hemorrhage. Col. Heath was one of Waterville's best known and respected citizens. Few men in Waterville have been more sincerely missed than he, and few had more true friends than he.

Col. Heath was born in Belfast 59 years ago, the son of Solymon and Emily Redington Heath. He received his early education in the schools of Waterville and was a special student at Colby in the class of '58. He went to war and at the age of 22 received his commission at Lieut. Col. of the 19th Regiment. He was rapidly promoted for bravery and when he retired from service on Nov. 4, 1863 he was made a brevet brigadier general.

After the war, he was engaged successively in the tobacco business in Portland, an iron mine in Virginia and the oil trade in Canada. Finally he went into the pulp business and became a large owner in the pulp mills in Benton Falls, Skowhegan and Fairfield.

Soon after the war, Col. Heath married Miss Clara Moore, who died a few years after marriage. One son survives them. Col. Heath was a member of the Legislature in 1881 and of the State Senate in 1883 and 1885. He was a staunch Republican and a constant attendant upon the Congregational church.

In the midst of his last year of study, he was called home by what proved to be the last illness of his father. He returned to the law school resolved to make up all work lost by his absence and thus be able to graduate with his class in the spring. This was not to be. In January last he was prostrated by severe hemorrhages and was advised by his physician to go at once to a warmer climate. Accordingly several months were spent in the South. He returned to his home in the early summer and superintended the work of the farm until October last when he went to San Antonio, Texas. While there he rapidly grew worse until the end.

The only surviving member of the family is his mother to whom the tenderest sympathy of friends is extended in this time of sore bereavement.

WHEREAS, It has pleased the Almighty in His infinite wisdom, to call away from us our beloved elder brother in Tau Kappa Phi, Col. Francis Edward Heath of the class of 1858,

Be it Resolved, That the Chi Chapter of the Zeta Psi Fraternity of North America, hereby express their deep regret for the loss they have sustained, and extend their heartfelt sympathy to the family of the deceased.

F. RAYMOND PIERCE, } Committee.
FRANK W. ALDEN, }
WARREN F. HARDY, }
Hall of Chi of Zeta Psi,
Jan. 12, 1898.

The Art Course of Last Term.

Prof. Warren's art courses, elective for the senior classes during the year, have gained too well-known a reputation to need commendation of any sort. The course in architecture during the term just closed was, however, attended with even more than usual profit and interest. Prof. Warren has traveled extensively abroad, and in addition to the many fine photographs and etchings with which his lectures are profusely illustrated, can add many interesting and curious items gathered from his own personal observations. The collateral work done by the students in preparing articles on various subjects of interest touched upon in the lectures was of unusual excellence, and it is hoped that certain of these sketches may be published soon in these columns. Another fact that added greatly to the interest of the course, was that two of the students had also been abroad and could add their personal testimony in relation to many of the things they had seen. At the close of the term, Prof. Warren placed on exhibition in the college chapel, the complete series of photography, etchings, etc., used during the course, the picture being arranged and grouped to show relatively the various styles of architecture. The course for the present term will consist of a study of the masterpieces of sculpture, and will well repay all who can spare the time to attend.

The Y. M. C. A. Course.

Furnishings

During the past term and the beginning of the present term the Y. M. C. A. has been presenting to the students and citizens of Waterville a course of lectures and concerts, which have been well attended and very much enjoyed.

The first number was furnished by the Oxford Musical club of Salem. They furnished an excellent programme of vocal, instrumental and descriptive numbers. They were exceedingly well received and may be sure of a warm welcome if they come here again.

Thomas R. Dawley, Jr., a press correspondent in Cuba, gave a lecture upon that island as a second number in the course. The lecturer made some statements which were very interesting to the audience and revealed a state of conditions on that island which is not generally known in this country.

The third number of the course was devoted to a concert by Miss Elise Fellows, the well-known violinist, assisted by Prof. R. B. Hall and the Temple street quartette. The playing of Miss Fellows was by far the finest heard here for many years. She received well merited applause and added another to her long list of successes. Prof. Hall received his usual warm reception and the duets of Mrs. Hubbard and Mrs. Flood were excellently rendered. The selections by the quartette were of their well known excellence and heartily applauded.

The next lecture was by Pres. Butler, who took as his subject, "On Literature and Its Uses." The subject was treated by one who is amply qualified to discuss it and further comment is unnecessary.

The closing entertainment was given Monday evening and devoted to the recital of Much Ado about Nothing by Mr. George B. Williams of New York, the noted Shakespearian reader. Mr. Williams is thoroughly acquainted with Shakespearian characters having made a thorough study of them and his portrayal of them is excellent.

WHEREAS, Our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom has called to Himself the sister of Delia Hiscock, our beloved sister in Beta Phi, be it therefore

Resolved: That we who mourn her loss with her extend to her our tenderest sympathy in this her time of trial. And be it also

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be sent to our sister and furthermore be it

Resolved: That a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the records of the society and that they be published in the COLBY ECHO.

HELEN G. SULLIVAN, } Committee
LAURA H. SMITH, }
LOU W. PEACOCK, } Resolutions.

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite wisdom to call home our beloved sister in Sigma Kappa, Alice Bray Hedman, class of '95, therefore be it

Resolved, That while we, the Alpha Chapter of Sigma Kappa, mourn the absence of our sister from our Sigma home, we know and rejoice that our loss here is the gain of that fairer Chapter in the home above, be it also

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be placed upon the records of the Society, and that they be published in THE COLBY ECHO.

MABEL A. HUMPHREY, } Committee
ALICE W. CHASE, }
MARY G. PHILBROOK, } Resolutions.
Sigma Kappa Hall.

Prof. Hitchings Selected.

Prof. E. F. Hitchings of the department of Biology and Zoology, was Monday evening elected superintendent of the Waterville public schools to succeed W. L. Waters who has resigned. Prof. Hitchings will begin his duties Feb. 1, but will finish out his present course in Zoology with the seniors.

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ANOTHER STEP IN ADVANCE.

A little less than twenty-one years ago, the students of Colby launched upon the sea of college journalism, a publication which was known as THE COLBY ECHO. Once each month, it gave to the alumni and students the news of the college and its best literary productions. THE ECHO continued to appear as a monthly for ten years.

With the initial number of volume XI, THE ECHO became a bi-weekly, appearing in the same dress as the monthly on every other Friday of the college year. On this schedule, the paper continued publication until last Commencement. At that time, it became evident that the news and literary departments were both suffering for lack of room.

During the past term, no paper was published as the business affairs of the paper were found to be in a very unsettled condition and a general overhauling was needed. The accounts were carefully gone over and the amount of the indebtedness ascertained. It was decided that THE ECHO could not be run with profit any longer as a bi-weekly and the next logical step was therefore a weekly.

In presenting itself as a weekly, THE ECHO places itself in the front rank of publications issued by small colleges. The new departure means much, in literary improvement, in gain of college interest, and in moral influence and authority. Not only do we believe that all members of the student body and alumni will be better satisfied with the paper, and more interested in its success and support, but that this is a movement which was rightfully due to the advancing interests of the college and obligatory upon the publishing association.

Our purpose is to give to the news and literary departments the full recognition which has been heretofore denied them on account of lack of space. To this end each week we intend to publish a paper containing the current events of the college, news of interest to the alum-

ni and the important topics which are agitating other colleges from time to time. Once each month, the paper will be given up entirely to literary matter and we hope to give in these literary numbers the best that has been written by the students and from time to time interesting papers by graduates of the college.

In any college paper, the essential feature must be the support, both financial and literary of the students and alumni. If the students of Colby realize that the reputation of the college among other colleges and those who are interested in the institution, is largely if not wholly dependent upon the character and conduct of THE ECHO, they will see how necessary it is that their own individual support both financial and otherwise be cheerfully accorded. The student certainly cannot expect much from his or her college paper who does not put much into it. The success of THE ECHO cannot be alone determined by the editors. We are willing to do our utmost to place the paper upon a proper footing but we must insist upon the hearty co-operation of all.

THE EDITORS.

OUR PART.

The earnest efforts put forth by Dr. Butler during the past few months to secure the amount necessary for the completion of the \$50,000 fund have met as we all know with the most unqualified success. It has been a great personal pleasure to our president to see the heartiness and cordial spirit with which his requests for assistance have been met on every hand. The graduates of the college have responded nobly, the citizens of Waterville have done their part, the friends of the institution have been generous in the extreme, and the faculty and trustees have shown how heartily they are interested in the welfare of the institution with which they are connected.

So far, so good, and we all thoroughly appreciate the hearty spirit of co-operation but there is one class still remaining whose interests are more directly concerned in the raising of the fund than those of any of the classes above mentioned. The undergraduates have as yet contributed but little. Certainly, we, if any one, should be vitally interested in the raising of this fund and should desire perhaps more than any one else to have a share in its completion. We have such an opportunity.

Between one and two thousand dollars yet remain to be raised within the week. At least two-thirds of this amount could easily be subscribed by us, but in order that all may have a part, these pledges must not be large but small, so small as to tax no one. Pledges of one dollar a year for four years by the individual members of the classes would amount in the aggregate to about one thousand dollars. Let us not lose this opportunity, our last, of having a share in the raising of this first sum toward the better equipment of Colby in the near future!

'97 H. H. Chapman is principal of the High School at Patten.

Y. W. C. A. NOTES.

The Y. W. C. A. will give at no late date a social at the Baptist church in the interest of Northfield.

May all bear in mind the annual Deputation Meeting and plan to go! It will be held in Portland this year, the last of February.

The "city work" that the Y. W. C. A. for several years has been engaged in was well cared for during the last term, nearly every Tuesday evening two or more of the women spending an hour at the Y. W. C. A. rooms teaching. The same work will be continued during the coming term and the co-operation of all the girls is earnestly requested.

Special mention should be made of the Missionary class of last term under the leadership of Miss Smith. The class met at 2.15 every Sunday afternoon, this interfering with none of the Bible classes, and spent an hour in the study of missions. The work last term was a general survey of the Missionary field with special regard to Mr. Mott's tour. The great interest of the class speaks for the value of the study. Africa will be the subject for the present term and the class will probably meet at the same hour. All who are missing this course of study and desire to join the class now are most cordially invited.

No woman in college can afford to miss the courses in Bible study offered by the association this year as follows: Freshmen, the Life of Christ; sophomores and juniors, Life of Paul, seniors, Bible Study by Brooks including one each of the prophetic, historical and poetical books of the Old Testament. It is intended that the junior course next year shall be "Foreshadowings of Christ, in order that the study for the four years may be in as large a sense as possible complete and consecutive. Small classes are formed which meet for an hour on Sunday morning very informally, the leader being a student. Every new student is invited to join. To reject this is to lose a very vital part of the collegelife. Any who are yet undecided are given a most cordial invitation to enter the classes.

OTHER COLLEGES.

At a meeting of the Bowdoin Football Association, the following officers were elected: Roy Leon Marston, '99, Skowhegan, president; Harry Clinton McCarty, 1900, Portland, vice-president; Louis Mahlon Spear, 1900, Gardiner, secretary and treasurer; Charles Glidden Willard, 1900, Newcastle, fourth director; John Gregson, jr., 1901, Worcester, Mass., fifth director. Henry Warren Lancey, '99, Pittsfield, was elected manager for the season of 1898, and Robert Franklin Chapman, 1900, Portland, assistant manager. Walter Bradley Clarke, '99, was unanimously elected captain of the 1898 team.

The Bowdoin Quill.

One of the most valued of the college papers which come to the Exchange editors' desk is THE BOWDOIN QUILL. The January number has just been received, issued by the new board of '98. It contains an excellent discussion of Practical Idealism by Prof. Emery and an interesting college story by a member of the senior class. Our old friend, Jack Minot, contributes a poem in his characteristic style. The Silhouette and other departments are full of breezy matter and the new board is to be congratulated on the excellence of its initial number.

The receipts from the Lafayette-Pennsylvania game amounted to \$12,000 of which \$4,000 went to Lafayette.

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GRADUATE NOTES.

'53. The class of '53 will hold its 45th anniversary banquet at the coming Commencement. The class graduated fourteen members, seven of whom are living, and are confidently expected to be present at that time. Probably no class of that decade has a larger percentage of surviving members, and they every one intend to be here when the roll is called. Stephen Rollo Thurston of Chicago is the secretary of the class, and Prof. Hall recently received a letter from him, stating the intention of the class. The other surviving members of the class are Hon. Jotham Francis Baldwin, one of the leading lawyers of Cincinnati, O.; Hon. William Pitt Bartlett of Eu Claire, Wis., president of the board of regents of the Wisconsin State University; Rev. George Bullen of the Newton Theological Seminary; Alfred Owen, D. D., ex-president of Denison University; ex-governor of Maine, Harris M. Plaisted of Augusta, and Dr. Robert Folger Stratton of Saint Joseph, Mich. The last member of this class to pass away was Hobart Wood Richardson, the late editor of the Portland Advertiser.

'62. There are many people in Maine who will be interested in the welfare of Representative Richard C. Shannon, who is serving a second term from a New York district. He is a graduate of Colby and some years ago presented the university with money to build the Shannon physical observatory. Last winter Mr. and Mrs. Shannon occupied a house on Massachusetts avenue, in a fashionable quarter. On account of Mrs. Shannon's poor health they have recently taken splendid apartments at the Portland; a hotel patronized exclusively by wealthy and cultured people. Their quarters are the finest in the building and luxuriously furnished. Mr. Shannon is a member of the House committee on the District of Columbia, the body that has most to do with the government of the District of Columbia. He is recognized as a very careful legis-

lator and a very safe man, on whose judgment lawmakers can rely.—*Washington Cor. Lewiston Journal.*

'88. Miss Hattie M. Parmenter who has been spending her vacation with her mother in this city, has returned to Northfield, Mass.

'95. W. L. Waters, for the past three years superintendent of the public schools of Waterville, Jan. 7th tendered his resignation to the School Board, to take effect on Feb. 1st. Mr. Waters was elected to the position immediately at the close of his college course, which was indeed a high honor for so young a man. Since his taking charge of the Waterville schools, the courses of study have been entirely changed, and to-day the schools of the city are in better condition than ever before. He has made a thorough study of the school systems of other cities. Mr. Waters is a native of Colorado, and came east to attend Colby. He will commence the study of law as soon as he has been relieved from his duties. Mr. Waters has desired to resign before but he has been prevailed upon by the board to remain.

'95. Miss Carrie M. True has returned to her teaching at Westbrook Seminary, after spending the Christmas vacation in this city.

'96. Miss Jessie E. Pepper spent the Christmas holiday in Haverhill, Mass., the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Padelford.

'96. Miss Evelyn M. Whitman has resigned her position as assistant in the Deering High School and is teaching in the North Grammar school of this city.

'97. Miss Mercy A. Brann has accepted a position as assistant in the Bar Harbor High School.

'97. Miss Edith M. Larrabee is teaching in Attleboro, Mass.

'97. Miss Tena McCallum is teaching in the Cherryfield Academy.

'97. Miss Hattie Vigue is teaching in the South Grammar school of this city.

'97. Miss Alice L. Nye of Auburn was the guest of Miss Annie H. Pepper for a few days last term. Miss Nye is teaching at the Ricker Classical Institute, Houlton.

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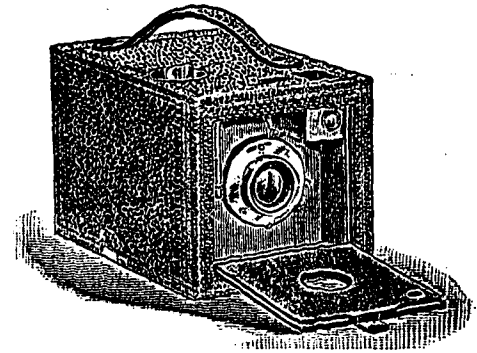
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OF INTEREST.

Senior articles due today.

Helen Beede '93 was in town recently.

Miss Nellie Crie 1900, will not return to college this term.

Miss Blanche Walker '98, is soon expected to join her class.

Miss Annie Pepper '98 spent a part of her vacation in Portland.

The friends of Mrs. Gale, nee Hanson were glad to see her in town recently.

Sarah Orne Jewett has just sent her two latest works to the women of Colby.

Mr. Pike of Westboro has been visiting his daughter, Miss Gertrude Pike 1900.

A bill-board has been placed in Laddie's Hall for the use of the Women's college.

The women of the senior class were most pleasantly entertained by Miss Sawtelle, Dec. 3.

Miss Ellingwood, Wellesley, 1900, was the guest of her friend, Miss Stella Jones, 1900, Sunday Jan. 9.

Miss Delia J. Hiscock 1901 has not yet returned to college, owing to the death of her sister, Mrs. George Singer.

The entrance prize of \$50 for superior excellence in preparation for college was won by Edgar B. Putnam of Danforth.

On account of the illness of J. E. Nelson '98, one of the disputants in the debate with Bates, Colby has asked for a postponement of two weeks which will set the date in the first week in March.

It is almost certain that the orator before the Phi Beta Kappa society at its meeting at Commencement '98 will be Rev. William Rainey Harper, D. D., president of the University of Chicago.

The honorary junior parts have been announced as follows: Greek, Spencer and Miss Small; Latin, Conforth and Miss Bowman; French, Stevens and Miss Chase; German, Hanson and Miss Lowe.

The members of the Kappa Alpha were entertained by seven girls of the junior class at 11 Centre street, Dec. 2. Kappa Alpha enjoyed herself immensely and brought away some beautiful souvenirs. Kappa Alpha never forgets.

Miss Sawtelle has prepared a course of lectures which will be introduced into the university extension course. The subjects of the lectures are connected with Miss Sawtelle's student life at Paris and in other foreign countries.

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GRADUATE NOTES.

'53. The class of '53 will hold its 45th anniversary banquet at the coming Commencement. The class graduated fourteen members, seven of whom are living, and are confidently expected to be present at that time. Probably no class of that decade has a larger percentage of surviving members, and they every one intend to be here when the roll is called. Stephen Rollo Thurston of Chicago is the secretary of the class, and Prof. Hall recently received a letter from him, stating the intention of the class. The other surviving members of the class are Hon. Jotham Francis Baldwin, one of the leading lawyers of Cincinnati, O.; Hon. William Pitt Bartlett of Eu Claire, Wis., president of the board of regents of the Wisconsin State University; Rev. George Bullen of the Newton Theological Seminary; Alfred Owen, D. D., ex-president of Denison University; ex-governor of Maine, Harris M. Plaisted of Augusta, and Dr. Robert Folger Stratton of Saint Joseph, Mich. The last member of this class to pass away was Hobart Wood Richardson, the late editor of the Portland Advertiser.

'62. There are many people in Maine who will be interested in the welfare of Representative Richard C. Shannon, who is serving a second term from a New York district. He is a graduate of Colby and some years ago presented the university with money to build the Shannon physical observatory. Last winter Mr. and Mrs. Shannon occupied a house on Massachusetts avenue, in a fashionable quarter. On account of Mrs. Shannon's poor health they have recently taken splendid apartments at the Portland, a hotel patronized exclusively by wealthy and cultured people. Their quarters are the finest in the building and luxuriously furnished. Mr. Shannon is a member of the House committee on the District of Columbia, the body that has most to do with the government of the District of Columbia. He is recognized as a very careful legis-

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'88. Miss Hattie M. Parmenter who has been spending her vacation with her mother in this city, has returned to Northfield, Mass.

'95. W. L. Waters, for the past three years superintendent of the public schools of Waterville, Jan. 7th tendered his resignation to the School Board, to take effect on Feb. 1st. Mr. Waters was elected to the position immediately at the close of his college course, which was indeed a high honor for so young a man. Since his taking charge of the Waterville schools, the courses of study have been entirely changed, and to-day the schools of the city are in better condition than ever before. He has made a thorough study of the school systems of other cities. Mr. Waters is a native of Colorado, and came east to attend Colby. He will commence the study of law as soon as he has been relieved from his duties. Mr. Waters has desired to resign before but he has been prevailed upon by the board to remain.

'95. Miss Carrie M. True has returned to her teaching at Westbrook Seminary, after spending the Christmas vacation in this city.

'96. Miss Jessie E. Pepper spent the Christmas holiday in Haverhill, Mass., the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Frank W. Padelford.

'96. Miss Evelyn M. Whitman has resigned her position as assistant in the Deering High School and is teaching in the North Grammar school of this city.

'97. Miss Mercy A. Brann has accepted a position as assistant in the Bar Harbor High School.

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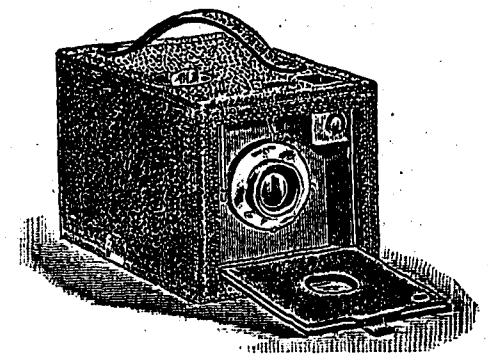
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Miss Ellingwood, Wellesley, 1900, was the guest of her friend, Miss Stella Jones, 1900, Sunday Jan. 9.

Miss Delia J. Hiscock 1901 has not yet returned to college, owing to the death of her sister, Mrs. George Singer.

The entrance prize of \$50 for superior excellence in preparation for college was won by Edgar B. Putnam of Danforth.

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