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PRICE FIVE CENTS.

THE CALENDAR.

- Jan. 11. Conference in the Chapel. Address by Rev. C. C. Whittemore upon D. L. Moody, 7 P. M.
- Jan. 12. Preliminary speaking by candidates for debating team in the Chapel, 7 P. M.
- Jan. 25. Conference, with 15 minute address in the Chapel, 7 P. M.
- Jan. 26. The Senior Exhibition with Junior Parts, at the Baptist church, 8 P. M.
- Jan. 30. Meeting of the Conference Board of the Women's Division at Ladies' Hall, 6.45 P. M.
- Jan. 31. The Dean and members of Ladies' Hall will receive invited guests, 4 to 6 P. M.

STANDING APPOINTMENTS.

- Second Monday. Meeting of Prudential Committee at 8 A. M.
- Last Monday. Meeting of Conference Board of Men's Division 7 P. M.
- Last Tuesday. Meeting of Conference Board of Women's Division 7 P. M.
- Tuesdays. Meetings of Christian Associations 6.45 P. M.
- Wednesdays. Meeting of Faculty 7.30 P. M.

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A fuller list will be published next week.

CHANGES IN ECHO BOARD.

At a meeting of the managing board of THE ECHO, Dec. 18th, E. D. Jenkins handed in his resignation as editor-in-chief on account of ill health. Mr. A. M. Blackburn, '01, was nominated to succeed Mr. Jenkins and Mr. W. O. Stevens and Prof. L. E. Warren were nominated to succeed Professors Roberts and Hull who are absent. These nominations were presented to the student body on the following morning and elected.

ELECTION OF A. A. OFFICERS.

The officers nominated by the Athletic Association the latter part of last term were elected at the meeting held Monday morning. The officers are as follows:

President, H. L. Withee; treasurer, Prof. W. S. Bayley; secretary, F. W. Thyng; executive committee, C. F. Towne, W. A. Wren, F. J. Severy, S. E. Marvell, H. C. Libby, E. W. Allen, and R. R. Paine; alumni members, A. F. Drummond, Dr. F. J. Hill, and E. T. Wyman.

At a meeting of the executive committee Wednesday afternoon the sub-committees were formed as follows: Baseball committee, Prof. Stetson, Dr. J. F. Hill, F. J. Severy and E. W. Allen; football committee, Dr. A. M. Frew, E. T. Wyman, S. E. Marvell and H. C. Libby; athletic committee, F. P. H. Pike, A. F. Drummond, W. A. Wren, and R. R. Paine.

FIRST GRADUATE OF COLBY.

Extract from a Sermon by Rev. E. C. Whittemore, Delivered at the Baptist Church, Sunday Evening, Jan. 7.

The Rev. Sylvanus Boardman of Livermore has claim to the title of the Father of Colby College as well as of its first graduate. His overtures to the Bowdoinham Association finally led to the establishment of the "Maine Literary and Theological Institution" at Waterville. His son, George Dana, was born at Livermore, Feb. 8, 1801. A bookish boy, he became proficient in study surpassing his teachers in Yarmouth Academy by his mastery of the Latin Grammar and, after mastering and teaching successfully certain turbulent district schools, he entered college in 1819, one year in advance.

The Theological Department had been giving instruction for about one year, but Mr. Boardman was one of the first to enter the Literary Course. In his class was one other man, Mr. Ephraim Tripp, who afterward became the principal of Hebron Academy, a tutor, and then engaged in legal business in the South and West.

In Mr. Boardman's time there were about twenty students in the college, all but himself avowedly Christian men. After a time Mr. Boardman, largely influenced by Calvin Holton of the class of '24, who afterward went as a missionary to Africa and died there in 1826, made an absolute surrender of his life to Christ for service and united with the Waterville Baptist Church, July 16, 1820. He became an earnest worker in the recently established Sunday School. On his graduation in 1822, the position of tutor in the college was offered to him with the promise of a professorship in due time and President Chaplin openly expressed the hope that he would be his successor in the Presidency. Mr. Boardman accepted the offer under protest. He longed to be engaged in distinctively religious or missionary work. The death of James Coleman of the Burman mission led Mr. Boardman to say, "I will go and take his place." He was accepted by the missionary society and was directed to spend some time in study at Andover Theological Seminary. While there he sent letters full of Christian zeal to the students at Waterville, and made special inquiries concerning the "Missionary Field," a plot of about four acres, which the students were in the habit of cultivating for the benefit of missions.

In July, 1825, he was married to Miss Sarah B. Hall of Salem, a union which proved in every way helpful and delightful, and sailed for Calcutta en route to Burmah, where he prayed "To live, to labor and to die."

On account of the Burmese War, two years elapsed before he was able to go to Amherst whence, a little later, he moved farther on and opened a new station at Monlinein. His missionary work was successful. To an evangelistic ardor fed from the altars of a rich devotional life, he added the scholar's enthusiasm for education and the establishment of schools.

A little later, yielding to the judgment of his colleagues, Mr. Boardman went to Tavoy and established another mission. The city was a stronghold of idolatry with two hundred priests and over a thousand pagodas. The work of Mr.

and Mrs. Boardman took an unexpected direction. He had baptized a Karen, who showed apostolic zeal for his people, the wild tribes of the hills and the forests. They were without a written language or any system of religious belief. They had traditions that, because of their wickedness centuries before, the law of God had been taken from them and that sometime his messenger would bring it back.

One village was worshipping a book which a passing stranger had left them twelve years before. None of them could read a word in the volume which Mr. Boardman found to be a Prayer book, printed at Oxford. These people were ready to receive the gospel as preached by Mr. Boardman both at Tavoy and on his jungle trips which he continued until strength utterly failed. On his last journey he was borne on a bed for three days until he reached a place mid the mountains where many were waiting for baptism. These were examined and thirty-four were baptized in Mr. Boardman's presence. On the way back he died.

There in the Burman jungles, at the age of thirty, died the first graduate of Colby, a man worthy to rank with Brainerd in missionary zeal and with Edwards in Christian character.

Yet the work was worthy of the great powers which he gave to it. It was the beginning of that work which gave to the Karens a language, a literature, a civilization, a nationality—and all through the influence of the religion which they began to learn at the lips of the Boardmans. Nearly five hundred self-supporting churches, a good system of schools leading up to College and Theological Seminary, a wild people Christianized and become themselves vigorous supporters of missions, all this was accomplished in that ever-deepening and broadening stream of missionary influence which had its source in the life of Boardman. Splendid in its resource, heroic in its daring, Christ-like in its self-sacrifice and in its fruitage, there is inspiration for all who come after in the life of Geo. Dana Boardman, the first graduate of Colby College.

PALMER HOUSE RECEPTION.

Wednesday afternoon, January 10, there gathered at the Palmer House, from four to six, a goodly number of guests at the reception given by the women of the Palmer House and other college women. The reception committee consisted of Miss Russell, Miss Koch, Mrs. Marquardt, and Miss Jones. The parlor was tastily decorated with choice flowers, yellow being the prevailing color. The usual refreshments were served. This constitutes the third of these newly instituted college receptions and, like the others, it proved very enjoyable and pleasant.

THE SVENDSEN TRIO.

The Svendsen Trio, composed of Miss Louise Emelie Waitt, pianist, Miss Marie Nichols, violinist, and Miss Annie Laura Tolman, cellist, assisted by Mr. Chas. Williams, humorist and impersonator, has been engaged by the Athletic Association to give one of its interesting programs on January 30. This trio has a wide reputation and is highly endorsed by several members of the college as well as by the leading papers of the eastern states.

WATKINS-HELLENBRAND.

A notable event takes place at 8 o'clock Wednesday evening at the First Congregational church in Old Town, it being the marriage of Miss Marcia Louise Hellenbrand to Harry Thornton Watkins. The church has been handsomely decorated for the occasion by four ladies of the church.

Miss Maud L. Gould will officiate at the organ and will play the wedding march as the bridal party enters the church. The bride will be given away by her father, Walter E. Hellenbrand, and the Episcopal ring service will be employed, the nuptial knot being tied by Rev. William Williams, pastor of the church.

The bride will be attended by Miss Ethel M. Cousins of Old Town, and J. Colby Bassett of Waterville, will be the best man. The ushers will be Dr. G. E. Landry, Hannibal Hamlin Chapman and Alexander Fraser.

The bride will be gowned in a handsome dress of white taffeta silk, trimmed with white silk muslin cut en train. She will carry bride roses. The bridesmaid will wear white muslin over pink and will carry pink roses.

Miss Hellenbrand is the only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter E. Hellenbrand, and is a charming and accomplished young woman. She is a graduate of the class of '97, Old Town High School. Mr. Watkins is the son of T. B. Watkins, a retired U. S. N. officer, of Hanover, Mass. He is a graduate of Colby college, class of '96, and is fast advancing as one of the leading educators in the state. He was engaged as principal of the Old Town high school for the fall term of 1896 and has since filled the position with unqualified success.

After the wedding ceremony Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will be driven to the home of the bride's parents on Middle street, where a reception will be held from 8.30 to 10 o'clock to relatives and intimate friends. Those who will assist in serving at the reception are Miss Abby Cooper, Miss Eleanor M. Stevens, Miss Edee D. Gammon and Miss Frances Hinckley.

Mr. and Mrs. Watkins will take no wedding trip but will immediately commence housekeeping at the corner of Middle and Veazie streets. The bride was very generously remembered by handsome and valuable wedding gifts. Mr. and Mrs. Watkins have the congratulations of all for a happy and prosperous journey through life.

Among those from out of town in the city to attend the wedding are Mrs. T. B. Watkins, of Hanover, Mass., mother of Mr. Watkins, and Frank P. Henderson and family of Charlestown, Mass., Mr. Henderson being a brother of Mrs. Hellenbrand.

The wedding of Wednesday night will be all the more notable as it is the first wedding ever performed in the Congregational church in this city, although the edifice is one of the oldest in Old Town, having been built for more than 40 years. The church was built to take the place of one that was swept away by the fire that destroyed so much property. It is also understood that no weddings were held in the first church.—Ex

'04. The library has recently received a copy of "The Geology and Mining Industry of the Tintic District, Utah," by G. O. Tower and Geo. Otis Smith. This copy which is excellently illustrated is an extract from the nineteenth annual report of the survey.

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To the Managing Board of The Colby Echo:—

My doctor tells me that I must resign my position as Managing Editor of THE ECHO. It is with sincere regret, and a keen sense of pain that I am forced to obey his orders. Permit me to express my appreciation of the cordial support I have received from my associates in office, and also to extend to my successor the promise of my interested co-operation. Trusting that you will see fit to act immediately upon this resignation so that my successor may be chosen as soon as possible, and wishing THE ECHO an abundant measure of success.

Respectfully yours,
EDWARD D. JENKINS.

It is with a sense of great loss to THE ECHO, as well as to the college in general, that we have to note the illness and resignation of Mr. Jenkins from the editorship of this paper. There is no one in the college but feels that THE ECHO has prospered under his care and devotion to its interests, and no one more appreciates the great amount of sacrifice, hard work and intense loyalty shown by him than the present incumbents of THE ECHO staff. Of course college journalism is not in the same class with the work of furnishing "red hot" matter for every day public reading, but it requires pretty nearly the same sort of "stuff" to get out a readable college paper. Most of the work must be done by one man and in connection with daily recitations it becomes a duty which is not an easy one. We believe we are expressing the opinion of the college when we say that Mr. Jenkins has done his duty faithfully and has always had in mind the best interests of the college. A college paper must necessarily express the real tone of the institution with which it is connected and at the same time is an important factor in shaping the policy of its undergraduates. That this function has been performed during the

past term, readers of THE ECHO will agree and, while they will unite in regret that the paper should be deprived of so loyal a supporter, yet will hope that circumstances may permit him a speedy return to the head of the editorial board.

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Another misfortune has also fallen upon THE ECHO in the illness and consequent absence of Mr. Blackburn who was elected successor to Mr. Jenkins. Mr. Blackburn has had considerable experience in the work on school papers having been editor of the Cambridge High School Register and having also furnished a bright column for THE ECHO the present year. He will take charge of the paper as soon as recovered, which we hope will be in a short time. Meanwhile subscribers will have to endure the painful efforts of the news editor and are asked to graciously pardon mistakes till a more experienced and subtler hand takes the reins.

CHANGE IN PHYSICS DEPT'T.

By the resignation of Dr. G. F. Hull and the engagement of Prof. W. J. Drisko to succeed him, a change has taken place in one of Colby's most important departments, that of Physics and Astronomy. Dr. Hull, who has gone to Dartmouth as assistant professor in Physics in that college, has, during his two years' stay in Waterville, made friends among the entire student body by his geniality and earnestness in his work. Having come with the most flattering recommendations as to his character he added to them by his connection with this college and goes to his new field of labor with the gratitude and well-wishing of Colby's students.

Prof. Drisko, who has taken up his work with us, is thoroughly equipped for his department. His preparation for college was partly in the Addison High school and partly in the Boston High school, being supplemented by considerable work without any instruction. There was an interval of six years between his preparation for and his entrance into college. During this time he was accumulating funds for his college course by working as a millwright and engineer. He entered the Massachusetts Institute of Technology in the class of '05 and was graduated with it, having worked his way entirely through college. Since graduation his time was devoted entirely to teaching, aside from time spent in photography, which, as Prof. Drisko states, was something of a hobby because of a special interest in optics and optical instruments. Prof. Drisko taught four years in M. I. T. and gave the Sumner Course in Physics there for three years.

To Prof. Drisko, who comes to us so highly recommended and the history of whose life shows such an energetic and thorough character, the college extends its heartiest greetings and hopes that he may find Colby what it intends to be, a loyal and appreciative college.

The preliminary speaking by the candidates for the intercollegiate debate occurred last evening in the chapel. Four speakers contested and the choice of the judges fell upon F. F. Lawrence, A. D. Cox and L. C. Church, with A. L. Goodwin as alternate. The college orchestra furnished music.

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ANNUAL REPORT.

Of the Treasurer of the Colby Athletic Association.

Waterville, Dec. 15, 1899.

To the Executive Committee of the Colby Athletic Association:

Gentlemen—I submit herewith a statement of the financial operations of the Treasurer of the Colby Athletic Association for the year just ended. While the balance sheet shows a reduction of the debt to the extent of \$81.30 during the year it will be noted that the amount of bills still remaining unpaid at the close of the year is very large. This is accounted for by the fact that the collection of dues on the term bills is very slow. If the dues were paid promptly at the beginning of the several terms the association would not only save \$70.00 annually in interest, but your Treasurer would find it a much less laborious task to furnish money for the various sports that the Association feels necessary to encourage.

If the debt were wiped off entirely much relief would be felt by the treasury. I therefore recommend that every energy should be bent during the coming year toward paying off this debt, even though it should be necessary to sacrifice some one of the active interests of the Association to accomplish this purpose.

ABSTRACT OF TREASURER'S ACCOUNT.

PAID OUT.

Unpaid bills of 1898,	\$162.69
To finance sub-committee,	44.60
To football,	237.96
To athletics,	147.20
To baseball,	162.88
For interest,	66.41
For expenses of Intersch. A. A.,	82.29
For expenses Junior League,	12.15
Cash balance,	4.29
	\$920.47

RECEIVED.

Balance on hand 1898,	\$ 10.49
From term bills,	469.00
“ alumni dues,	87.00
“ membership dues (cash),	95.00
“ subscriptions,	83.00
“ loans,	75.00
“ incidentals,	29.03
	\$849.12
“ basket ball contest,	13.10
“ gymnastic exhibition,	7.00
“ Fac.-Town B. B. game,	51.25
	\$920.47

BASEBALL ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURES.

Guarantees:	
Fast Day,	\$50.00
Boston College,	50.00
Kennebec Valley,	13.00
Tufts,	50.00
Umpires,	41.50
Trip to Lewiston,	42.85
Trip to Orono,	37.00
	\$285.25
Work on diamond,	8.00
Supplies,	320.80
Printing,	22.00
Police,	13.00
Dues I. C. B. B. A.,	5.00
Managers' meetings,	12.00
Incidentals,	21.01
	\$609.25

RECEIPTS.

Gate receipts,	301.02
Subscriptions,	51.00
Incidentals,	0.45
From Treasurer,	102.88
Unpaid bills,	168.00
	\$609.25

Cost of Baseball \$380.88.

FOOTBALL ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURES.

Expense:	
Portland trip,	\$ 70.82
Lewiston trip,	52.98
Exeter trip,	111.21
Orono trip,	66.70
Portland trip (Bowdoin),	65.46
Guarantee, Yarmouth game,	57.60
Referee,	5.00
	\$429.77
Coach,	100.70
Supplies,	156.25
Printing,	7.25
Police,	2.00
Incidentals,	30.47
Training table (estimated),	60.00
Other bills (estimated),	5.00
	\$791.44

RECEIPTS.

Guarantees,	\$254.46
Gate receipts,	34.00
	\$288.46
Unpaid bills,	265.02
From treasurer,	237.96
	\$791.44

Cost of Football \$502.98

ATHLETIC ACCOUNT.

EXPENDITURES.

Dues I. C. A. A.,	\$15.00
Assessment 1898,	5.02
Assessment 1899,	15.00
Cost of Tennis court,	51.55
Delegate to Tennis meeting,	3.15
Expense Tennis representatives,	8.01
Track repairs,	61.25
Supplies,	11.98
Incidentals,	12.49
Police,	2.00
	\$185.45

Unpaid bills,	\$ 38.25
From Treasurer,	147.20
	\$185.45

CONDITION OF ASSOCIATION.

LIABILITIES.

Loans,	1075.00
Unpaid bills,	471.27
Debt '98,	22.29
	\$1568.56

ASSETS.

Due on term bills,	\$1194.00
“ from membership dues,	90.00
“ from subscriptions,	15.00
“ from Coburn Institute,	16.00
Cash,	4.29
Debt '99,	300.27
	1568.56

Debt close of 1898,	\$381.57
Debt close of 1899,	300.27
	\$681.84

Reduction of debt, \$81.30
Respectfully,
W. S. BAYLEY, Treas.

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OF INTEREST.

J. Perley Dudley is teaching at Mapleton.

C. C. Koch, '02, preached at Hartland Sunday.

G. E. Tuttle, formerly of '02, has returned to college.

President Butler will lecture at Gardiner, Friday, Jan. 12.

Miss Berdena Trafton '03, is teaching in Hartland for a few weeks.

S. C. Davis, '01, has dropped out of college on account of trouble with his eyes.

Miss Bertha Thayer, '02, who was absent during the fall term has returned to college.

Miss Alice Hinckley, of Pishon's Ferry, visited Miss Blanche Pratt one day this week.

H. W. Hall, '02, has returned from teaching a successful term in the Bridge-water High School.

Mr. Carroll Warren, Coburn '99, has entered the freshman class and will make up the fall term's work.

Miss Stubbs '00, who was delayed in returning to college by illness, resumed her college work on Monday.

Leon C. Staples, who early in the fall term left college stricken with typhoid fever, is back again on the campus to take up his studies.

A. W. Cleaves, '98, and G. A. Martin, '99, who are both students at the Newton Theological School, have been visiting friends at the Bricks.

Miss Annie Maddocks, formerly of 1902, has returned from California, where she has been visiting for several months, and is now at her home in Skowhegan.

Miss Sawtelle, who has been in Europe for several months, has returned to America and is now with friends in this city. Sunday she was the guest of Miss Mathews at Ladies' Hall.

Miss Alice Chase '99, was in Waterville Monday and Tuesday of this week, the guest of Miss Small '00. Miss Chase is on her way to Nova Scotia where she will pass the winter with friends.

Prof. E. W. Hall has recently placed upon the shelves of the library about 75 bound volumes of the leading magazines. This brings the number of books in the library well above the 35,000 mark.

Prof. J. D. Taylor announces the following names as the winners of the entrance examination prizes: First prize of \$50, Geo. W. Thomas; second prize of \$25, Sheppard Butler. Both men are of the class of '99, Coburn.

Prof. L. E. Warren announces that the course in art will be resumed this term with a lecture Saturday morning, Jan. 13, at 9.30, in room E, Chemical Hall. The lectures last term were very largely attended by both divisions of the senior class.

Mr. Cotton, '00, captain of track athletics, has posted a notice for all who intend trying for the track team to present themselves for training as there is a possibility of sending a representative team to the B. A. A. meet which occurs in February.

Harry T. Jordan, formerly of South Paris, who for the past five years has been cashier at The Raleigh, the leading hotel of Washington, D. C., has received an unsolicited appointment to a good position in the War department. He is a graduate of Colby.

The following question has been adopted by joint agreement of Colby and Bates: "Resolved, That the present tendency towards combination of producing agencies into organizations known as trusts is subversive of the public welfare and that such organizations should be prevented by legislation." Bates has chosen the negative.

A decided illustration of the strength of college class-fellowship is shown by the fact that a daughter of one of the members of the class of Colby, 1879, herself a present member of the college, was presented on Christmas day with a beautiful gold watch on which was inscribed "From the Class of Colby, 1879."

The Glee Club has arranged for a series of trips during the present and spring terms and will take its first outing Feb. 12. The club will consist of about twenty members this season and will be one of the best Colby has ever had. The orchestra and the mandolin and guitar sections will be especially good. The final choice of men who will sing has not yet been made but they will be selected in a few days. J. H. Hudson, leader of the chorus, is giving the men hard practice while R. W. Sprague, leader of the mandolin and guitar club, is keeping his section in excellent training. It is probable that three trips will be made during the year, thus covering a large portion of the state.

The members of the Women's Division of the Senior class held its election Monday, Dec. 18. The nominating committee, consisting of Misses Pike, Jones and Osborn, presented the following slate which was accepted: President, Ethel Russell; vice-president, Mary Lemont; secretary, Mollie Small; treasurer, Marion Osborne; historian, Grace Holden; prophet, Mary Philbrook; poet, Ethelyn Brackett; address to undergraduates, Harriet Harlow; parting address, Gertrude Pike; statistician, Stella Jones; ode committee, Emma Hutchinson, Carrie Tozier, Marion Osborne; executive committee, Lulu Ames, Wilma Stubbs, Grace Chaney.

LIST OF MEN ENTITLED TO WEAR "C."

Below is a list of the men in college who are entitled to wear "C" on their sweaters in accordance with the rules adopted by the Colby Athletic Association governing this point:

Cotton, Cushman, Doughty, C. Fogg, Hudson, Lawrence, Towne, Tupper, E. L. Allen, Bean, Newenham, Rice, Thayer, Atchley, Crawshaw, Drew, Dudley, Haggerty, Clark, Hawes, Thomas, Saunders.

Any errors in this list will be corrected on reporting to C. F. Towne, committee on "C's".

RESOLUTIONS.

WHEREAS, It has pleased our Heavenly Father in His infinite mercy to call away the mother of Edith Cook, our beloved sister in Beta Phi; be it therefore

Resolved, That we, her sisters, extend to her our tenderest sympathy; be it also

Resolved, That these resolutions be placed on our records, that they be published in THE COLBY Echo and that a copy thereof be forwarded to our bereaved sister.

GRACE HOLDEN, } Committee
LOU PEACOCK, } of
GRACE BICKNELL, } Resolutions.

'04. Virgil C. Totman, Bowdoin Medical School '00, has been elected orator of his class.

'05. A. W. Snare has been admitted to the Kennebec bar and will remove to Springfield, Mo., to practice law.

'08. In a letter to Prof. Hall, H. M. Gerry, who has been at Port Henry, N. Y., writes that in addition to his regular Y. M. C. A. work he has been doing evangelist work among railroad men at Mechanicville, N. Y., and has spoken for two days at Montreal. Mr. Gerry has received and accepted a call to become associated with the Providence, R. I., association and expects to go there the last of the month.

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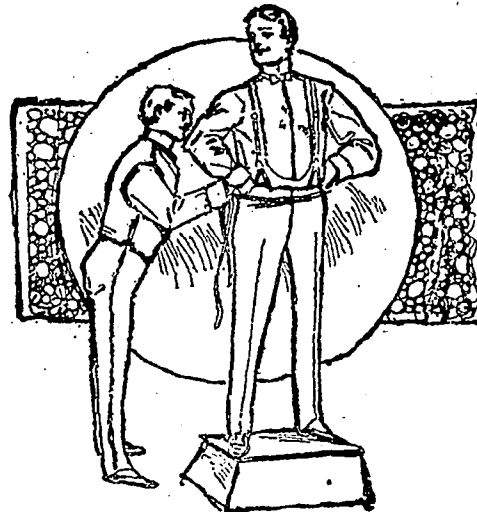
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The preparatory department of the college consists of four affiliated academies: (1) Coburn Classical Institute, owned by the college, Waterville; (2) Hebron Academy, Hebron, (Oxford county); (3) Ricker Classical Institute, Houlton, Aroostook county; (4) Higgins Classical Institute, Charleston, (Penobscot county).

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