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DEBATE WON BY NEGATIVE

Sides Well Matched on Maine Argument—
Negative Excels in Rebuttal.

The debate for the prize of fifty dollars offered by the trustees occurred at the Baptist Church Monday evening before a fair-sized audience. The question was: Resolved that the constitutional amendment relating to the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors be resubmitted to the people of Maine. The speakers were: Affirmative, Mildred C. Moore, '07, Roscoe C. Emery, '07, and Nelson I. Mixer, '08. Negative, Herman B. Betts, '07, Arthur G. Robinson, '06, and Burr F. Jones, '07. President White presided. Professor H. E. Simpson was time-keeper. The judges were Hon. W. C. Philbrook, Dennis E. Bowman, and John E. Nelson, all of whom are Colby graduates and practising lawyers in this city. The speakers were limited to twelve minutes each, with twelve minutes a side for rebuttal.

The judges after being out about fifteen minutes announced through Mr. Philbrook that the negative had been awarded the debate. In the issue of next week there will be a criticism of the debate kindly furnished by one of the judges.

COLBY 7, BOWDOIN 2.

Colby again won from Bowdoin last Friday at Brunswick in a game which was part of the Ivy Day celebration. The game was simply an exhibition one and so does not affect the intercollegiate percentage. However, it gave a chance for the second time this season for the two enthusiasts to compare the two teams.

Shaw and Sparks were the pitchers, each pitching good ball with "Rip" getting the better end of it. Shaw allowed seven hits against ten off Sparks and throughout the game had better control and showed more headwork.

Colby's fielding was good while at critical times the Bowdoin support was ragged and meant runs.

Good work for Colby was done by Coombs who played a star game at center. For Bowdoin Stanwood played a great hitting game, securing a double and a triple during the game.

BOWDOIN.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Abbott, c	3	1	1	7	3	1
Stanwood, 3b	4	0	3	2	2	2
Files, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0
Sparks, rf	4	0	0	0	2	0
Greene, 1b	4	0	0	7	0	0
Hodgson, ss	4	0	0	3	3	0
Blair, 2b	3	1	1	2	1	0
Bower, cf	4	0	2	2	0	0
McDade, lf	3	1	0	4	0	0
Totals	33	3	7	27	11	3

COLBY.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Tribou, lf	5	0	0	1	0	0
Dwyer, c	2	1	1	7	1	0
Craig, 3b	3	1	0	0	2	0
Coombs, cf	4	2	1	4	0	0
Willey, 1b	5	1	3	12	1	2
Shaw, p	5	0	2	1	2	0
Tilton, 2b	5	1	0	1	5	1
Reynolds, ss	4	1	1	1	2	0
Palmer, rf	3	0	2	0	0	0
Totals	36	7	10	27	13	3

Colby 0 0 0 3 1 0 3 0 x—7
Bowdoin 1 0 1 1 0 0 0 0—3
Two base hits—Stanwood, Bower, Shaw. Stolen bases—Coombs, Willey, Blair 2. Struck out—by Shaw, Stanwood, Files 2, Greene 2, McDade; by Sparks, Coombs, Shaw 3. Base on balls—by Shaw 1, by Sparks 7. Sacrifice hit—Abbott. Double play—Reynolds to Willey. Wild pitch—Shaw 2. Passed ball—Abbott 3. Umpire, Carrigan of Lewiston. Time 1.25.

COLBY MEETS DEFEAT

Bates Wins at Lewiston 1 to 0.—Poor Base-running the Cause.

The game between Colby and Bates at Lewiston, last Saturday, was one of the cleanest and fastest games of baseball ever seen at the Androscoggin metropolis. It was one of those games that seem to be played for the special purpose of causing heart disease among the enthusiastic supporters of both teams. It was an ideal day for the game, but the diamond on Garcelon field was soft and slippery, a fact that figured, doubtless, in the result. Colby won a hard game from Bowdoin the Friday before this game, and the boys apparently felt the reaction.

Combs pitched a magnificent game, allowing but four hits and striking out seven men. Johnson was hit for ten with a total of twelve bases, allowing three hits and a base on balls in one inning; yet Colby failed to get a man across the plate. Bates made two errors, Colby played a perfect fielding game. The whole story is told when it is said that the Colby men went dead to sleep on bases. They took long chances, and on a slippery field got caught fast and often. With apparently safe chances they neglected their opportunities. Every chance in the game seemed to work for Colby's defeat. Bates can well be proud of winning the game for the Waterville boys put up a great exhibition of baseball, baring their slowness on bases.

Bates scored her winning runs in the sixth inning on a single by Wilder and a two base hit by Kendall. Colby kept pounding the ball and the result was in doubt until Umpire Carrigan cried "out" for the last man in the ninth.

BATES.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Boothby, c	4	0	0	5	3	0
Wilder, ss	3	0	1	1	5	0
Kendall, 2b	3	0	1	3	1	0
Austin, lf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Bowman, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Jordan, 3b	3	0	0	1	2	1
Connor, 1b	3	0	0	13	0	0
Rogers, cf	3	0	1	1	0	0
Johnson, p	3	1	0	1	5	1
Totals	28	1	4	27	16	2

COLBY.

	ab	r	h	po	a	e
Tribou, lf	5	0	1	0	0	0
Dwyer, c	3	0	1	7	1	0
Craig, 3b	4	0	0	0	1	0
Coombs, p	3	0	3	1	7	0
Willey, 1b	4	0	0	11	0	0
Tilton, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	0
Shaw, cf	4	0	2	1	0	0
Reynolds, ss	3	0	1	1	1	0
Palmer, rf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Totals	34	0	10	24	10	0

Bates 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 x—1
Colby 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0—0

Two base hits—Kendall, Shaw.
Earned run—Bates. Stolen bases—Austin, Coombs, Reynolds. Sacrifice hit—Tilton, Base on balls—Off Johnson 3. Struck out by Coombs 3, by Johnson 5. Passed ball—Dwyer.

Double—Connor to Kendall. Umpire, Carrigan.

Charles P. Chipman was elected to fill a vacancy on the Ode Committee.

RECEPTION TO SENIORS.

President and Mrs. White Give Delightful Function to 1906.

Friday evening at the invitation of President White, the members of the senior class broke the monotony of study by attending a reception given in their honor. In addition to the seniors, there were present the presidents of the lower classes, several of the faculty with their wives, alumni, and friends. They were received by President and Mrs. White, Harold L. Pepper, vice-president of the men's division of the senior class, and Miss Maxey, president of the woman's division. From the curtained music-room the Ladies' Mandolin and Guitar Club "discoursed sweet music," adding an unusually pleasant accompaniment to the low hum of conversation.

In the dining room Mrs. Professor Hedman and Mrs. Professor Simpson, had charge of the refreshments of ice cream and punch. The table was, as usual, prettily decorated, one feature of the decorations attracting especial attention. This was a miniature senior woman in cap and gown, who stood on one side of the table holding in her tiny hands the ends of some lavender and green ribbon, the senior class colors, which, winding its way among the prettily shaded lights, descended to be clasped again in the hand of a miniature man.

The attendance was just large enough to secure the greatest enjoyment at the close of the evening the seniors went away feeling that they had added one more pleasant time to their list of college memories.

COMMENCEMENT PARTS.

The following articles were announced last Wednesday as having been appointed to the Commencement program:

Roger Williams and American Politics, Fenwick L. Holmes.

The Public Spirit of Benjamin Franklin, Karl R. Kennison.

The Creations of an American Genius, Linwood Ross.

The Twentieth Century Man, Rex W. Dodge.

The Purpose and Value of a Liberal Education, Arthur G. Robinson.

Indifference, the Modern Political Vice, Charles N. Mender.

An Appreciation of Robert E. Lee, Eva C. Plummer.

Lowell's Political Poetry, Alice Hope Davies.

The Influence of the Norman Conquest upon the English Language and Literature, Maud L. Townsend.

NOTICE.

Manager Jones announces that the 1906 Oracles are ready for distribution, and will be delivered to the fraternities as soon as the money is advanced. It is hoped that all students not members, will procure at least one copy from the manager. This will greatly help to make the 1906 Oracle a financial success and to reduce the present deficit.

Herman B. Betts, '07, spent Sunday at North and East Vassalboro.

THE 1906 ORACLE.

A Distinct Success—New Binding and Excellent Drawings.

In a few days, if the notice of the business manager of the Oracle in another column is heeded, the Oracle will be in the hands of every student in college. The Echo has had the privilege of examining in advance this number of Colby's year book, and has found in it much that reflects credit upon its editor, F. L. Holmes, '06, and his efficient corps of assistants. It must be remembered also that a very large share of the credit for getting out an annual worthy of the college belongs to the business manager, B. F. Jones, '07, who not only made the Oracle a financial success, but also has been able to reduce the large outstanding debt materially. The boards of the last four years have been greatly hampered by this incumbrance of debt and as a result, have been unable to get out an annual that will come up to the standard of other colleges.

While in arrangement and contents the 1906 Oracle has much in common with those of previous years, yet there are some new features which are a distinct improvement. In outside appearance especially there is a great gain. The dark green pebbled binding with the tasteful new cover design makes a very attractive looking book and is exceedingly refreshing in appearance to one accustomed to seeing the Oracle coming out year after year in the same style of binding with but a change in color. The typography and press-work are also improved. The style of type used throughout the book is slightly different from that used in previous years and is a decided change for the better, being neater to the eye. The half-tones are very good but are not of the best, some of them being hazy and rather indistinct. It is realized, however, that with no indebtedness much expense, which is now out of the question, could be put into half-tones.

Readers will appreciate the several new features. The biographies of the faculty and the inserts of the fraternity coats of arms are especially pleasing. The latter are well done and add much to the appearance of the inside of the book.

The plan of putting in here and there small views of the campus and college buildings adds much to the attractiveness of the pages, among which it will be noted there are no blanks nor any large spaces unfilled. The book is not padded in the least.

One of the best features in this Oracle are the numerous original drawings, which are the best we have had for some years. The work of Miss Holway and Hackett, '09, is especially good. The Echo was particularly impressed with the drawings for the musical clubs, the fraternities, "Miscellaneous", "Slams," and "College Spirit," all of which show ability, brains and good taste. The scroll and decorative work is good but in one or two cases is perhaps somewhat overdone, eclipsing rather than enhancing the cuts which it was intended to set off.

The purely literary matter rightly

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CALENDAR.

SATURDAY, JUNE 16.

12.00. m.—Seniors' Last Chapel.
3.00 p. m.—Baseball game with Bowdoin on Alumni Field.

MONDAY, JUNE 18.

—Senior vacation commences.
3.00 p. m.—Baseball game with Harvard at Cambridge.

This is the first issue of the ECHO this year to appear a day late for reasons for which the editorial board may be held responsible. The editor-in-chief and the news editor took part in the prize debate; the athletic editor has been obliged by outside work to lay aside his editorial duties, and another member of the board has been unavoidably prevented from doing his usual share of the work. As a result, we have had to call to our aid many friends, through whose kindly assistance alone this issue appears no later than a day. The editorials—if we had any—would be necessarily crowded out by news matter.

ALUMNI NOTES.

Cards have been received in the city announcing the marriage of Rev. Albert W. Lorimer of Bangor, Colby '96, and Miss Annie Maud Craig of Presque Isle. The ceremony occurred at the First Baptist Church in the latter place last Tuesday, June 12.

Dr. Hall received the other day a postal from his classmate, George Bickford, Colby, '62, United States consul at Basle, Switzerland, who mentioned having received a call a few days before writing from Leslie C. Cornish, '75, Secretary of the Board of Trustees, whom his law partner, Norman L. Bassett, '91, expects to arrive home in Augusta, Wednesday, June 20.

Colby was well represented in the Memorial day exercises at Bar Harbor this year. The sermon was preached by Rev. C. F. McCoy, '02, pastor of the Baptist church at that place; the Memorial day oration was delivered at the Casino by Rev. Geo. W. Googins, '86, and was pronounced among the best ever given there.

'02. It is reported that Elias Brookings, who since 1860 has been the very efficient principal of the large Central Street Grammar School in Springfield, Mass., has resigned his position.

CAMPUS CHAT.

John Dyer, '98, is visiting friends at the Bricks.

H. Neely Jones, '05, is visiting friends in the city.

F. H. Leighton, '04, was visiting at the Bricks, Friday.

C. A. Smith, ex-'08, is visiting his brother, M. D. Smith, '08.

Chester A. Grant, '07, spent a few days at his home last week.

Professor Roberts delivered an address Tuesday before the students of the Castine Normal School.

The class in Mineralogy with Professor Simpson yesterday forenoon visited the abandoned tin mine in Winslow. The party made the trip in the department automobile.

At a meeting of the Senior class held after chapel yesterday the resignation of Percival W. Keeue as Poet was accepted and Fenwick L. Holmes was elected to the position.

Dr. Eaton, secretary of the Mass. Baptist Missionary Society addressed the men's division at chapel, Thursday. Dr. Eaton is one of the prominent religious workers of Mass. He received his doctor's degree from Colby.

Harold L. Pepper, '06, recently announced through Principal Stevenson of Coburn Classical Institute that he offers a prize of \$10.00 for the best Coburn song, to be composed by anyone who is or has been at any time connected with the school.

The retiring Oracle Board have nominated the following officers for the association next year: President (and editor-in-chief), Roscoe J. Emery, Treasurer (and business manager), Malcolm D. Smith, Secretary, (and ass't business manager), Eugene F. Allen. These names will be voted on at the meeting of the Oracle Association to be held Friday.

At the chapel services Thursday, May 24, the faculty and students of Colby college adopted the following resolution: The faculty and students of Colby College have learned with profound pleasure that our honored alumnus, Rev. William Howe, D. D., will reach his one hundredth birthday tomorrow May 25th, 1906. Assembled for worship in our chapel service, we note this unusual event with affectionate interest, and request our president to present to our distinguished friend our most cordial congratulations that he has arrived at such a great age, with the hope that he may have many happy returns of his birthday. We contemplate with pride a life passed in the service of God and man, one that for Colby students will always reveal high ideal of Christian manhood.

COLBY 3, BATES 1

The game yesterday afternoon with Bates, resulted in a victory for Colby 3 to 1. The account of the game will be published in our next issue. The present standing of the colleges is as follows:

	Won	Lost	Played	Per Cent
Colby	4	1	5	.800
Bowdoin	3	2	5	.600
Bates	3	3	6	.500
U. of Maine	1	5	6	.167

The Colby Club room in Chemical Hall will be open during the Commencement for the use of the Alumni.

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The chairs of the patronesses were flanked at either end by palms, and over the seats along the side of the hall were scattered numerous sofa pillows of the various fraternities and college organizations.

The music was furnished by Wentworth's orchestra of eight pieces, who played a very enjoyable program of twenty alternating waltzes, two-steps and five-steps with two extras. During the intermission punch was served from the table in the southwest corner of the hall, presided over by Misses Meader and Drummond.

The reception began at 8.30 and the guests were received by the President Jones and the patronesses. Dancing began at nine and continued until about one thirty o'clock. All present voted it a very enjoyable time. Great credit is due to the committee in charge of the affair, Messrs. Peterson, Bonney and Young, who were responsible for an exceedingly pleasant occasion.

THE 1906 ORACLE.

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has a comparatively small place, for the Oracle is representative of the entire college with all its activities and is not a book of essays, stories or poetry.

The "grinds" or "slams" are bright and free from anything that would offend—a feature especially commendable and are not always prominent. If space permitted the Echo would enjoy giving a more extended review of the contents, which, however, our readers may enjoy firsthand for themselves. The 1906 Oracle is in short a distinct improvement over those of the last few years in several respects and the Echo congratulates the editor upon the manifest success which has crowned his efforts to make it worthily represent the college.

'00. James Henry Hudson of Guilford is a Republican candidate for the office of county attorney in Piscataquis County and has very good chances of getting the nomination at the convention to be held in July or August.

'01. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur T. Belknap are receiving congratulations on the birth of a second child, Katherine Blaisdell, born May 26. Mrs. Belknap was Miss Mary Emma Blaisdell of the class of 1901.

'02. It has been announced that Percival E. Hathaway, '02, of Norway, and Miss Ethel Wing of this city will be married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Wing, Monday evening, June 25.

'03. Mr. and Mrs. Cecil M. Daggett, of St. Louis, Mo., arrived in the city last Friday and will spend the summer here. Mr. Daggett has been offered a state secretaryship in Y. M. C. A. work but has not yet decided to accept. He is at present secretary of the Boys' Department in the large St. Louis Y. M. C. A.

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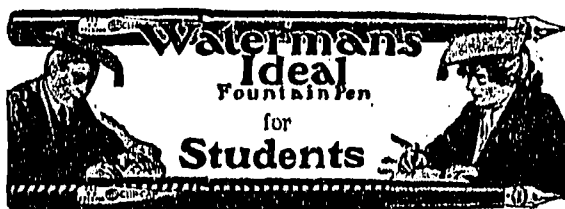
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Bertha M. Robinson, '07 Editor.

Dean Berry made a flying trip to Portland recently.

Miss Florence Priest of Vassalboro was at Foss Hall, Thursday.

Miss Ida Keene '05, of Waterville, called on friends at Foss Hall, Sunday.

Angie Corbett '08, spent Sunday with Nora Lander '08, at her home in Bingham.

Miss Davis, of Augusta, was the guest of her cousin, Dr. Croswell, Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Allen, of Waterville were guests of Bertha Nead '07, Sunday.

Miss Florence Bryant, of South Berwick, has been visiting her sister Martha Bryant, '09.

Josephine Clark, Myra Hardy and Helen Hunt spent Sunday with Lena Clark at her home in Freedom.

Mr. and Mrs. Eaton, of Medford, Mass. were the guests of their granddaughter, Maude Eaton '09. Friday.

Bertha Bryant '09 and Jennie Cox '09, attended the Commencement exercises at Freedom Academy, which occurred on Friday of last week.

Saturday evening the members of Alpha Upsilon Society enjoyed a banquet at the Gerald Hotel, Fairfield. The occasion which was in honor of their Senior Members was a very enjoyable one. Toasts and songs followed the spread and at a late hour a special car took the merry party back to Waterville.

COLBY COMMENCEMENT.

Below is the order of exercises for the eighty-fifth Commencement of Colby College:

SATURDAY, JUNE 23.

8.00 P. M. Junior Exhibition at the Church.

SUNDAY, JUNE 24.

10.30 A. M. Baccalaureate Sermon by President White.

3.30 P. M. Service in Memory of Professor William Elder, Sc. D., and Professor Laban E. Warren, LL. D., at the College Chapel. Addresses by Rev. E. C. Whittemore, D. D., and Rev. F. M. Preble, D. D.

7.30 P. M. Annual Sermon before the College Christian Associations by Professor George E. Horr, D. D., of the Newton Theological Institution.

MONDAY, JUNE 25.

2.30 P. M. Junior Class Exercises on the Campus.

4.30 P. M. Annual Meeting of the Maine Beta of Phi Beta Kappa.

7.00 P. M. Meeting of the Board of Trustees in Chemical Hall.

8.00 P. M. President's Reception in Memorial Hall.

TUESDAY, JUNE 26.

10.30 A. M. Class Day Exercises at the Church, to be continued on the Campus.

12.30 to 2.30 P. M. Annual Meeting and Luncheon of the Alumni Association in Memorial Hall, and of the Alumnae Association in Chemical Hall.

3.00 P. M. Continuation of Class Day Exercises on the Campus.

8.00 P. M. Phi Beta Kappa Oration by Professor Shaller Mathews, D. D., of the University of Chicago. Subject: 'The College Man in a Commercial Age.'

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 26.

10.30 A. M. Exercises of the Graduating Class, Announcement of Prizes, and Conferring of Degrees, at the Church.

12.30 P. M. Commencement Dinner at Memorial Hall.

3.00 to 5.00 P. M. The Library, Museum, and Chemical Hall will be open to visitors.

7.30 P. M. Promenade Concert on the Campus

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