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## BOWDOIN WINS.

Colby Loses the First Championship Game of the Season at Brunswick.

Wednesday afternoon, May 6, Colby failed to land the first game in the series for the Maine college championship, played against Bowdoin at Brunswick. The contest was well played with the exception of one or two innings and was Colby's game until in the eighth when by a combination of hits and errors by Colby, Bowdoin scored three runs and won the game.

Colby got her three runs in the fourth and fifth innings. In the fourth Dwyer was first at bat and drew a base on balls, went to second on Good's bunt, which proved a hit, went to third on first's error and stole home. Vail was out on a fly to the catcher, and Cary was hit by the pitcher, thus advancing Good to second. Tribou flied out to right field and Tibbetts got a hit. Good scored the second run. Buker got first on an error by third base and Cary was put out at the home plate.

In the fifth inning Cotton got a hit, went to second on a wild throw by third base, and scored on an error by the pitcher.

In the fourth inning Files got a three bagger and scored on a hit by Bower. In the fifth Wandtke got a hit, stole second, and scored when Cary failed to field the ball hit by McDade. Caldwell, and Manter got three runs for Bowdoin in the eighth, on a hit by McDade, two stolen bases, and four errors, two by Tibbetts, one each by Cary and Good.

Both pitchers pitched an excellent game, three hits being made off Files and five off Good. Files struck out six men.

The score:—

### BOWDOIN.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Wandtke, 3b	4	1	1	1	2	2
McDade, lf	3	1	1	0	0	0
Caldwell, cf	3	1	0	1	0	0
Stanwood, ss	3	0	0	2	2	3
Files, p	3	1	1	1	4	1
Manter, 2b	4	1	0	1	2	0
Bower, c	4	0	2	9	1	0
Harris, rf	4	0	0	3	0	0
Scammon, lb	3	0	0	9	1	1

Totals

31 5 5 27 12 7

### COLBY

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Shaw, cf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Dwyer, c	2	1	0	0	0	0
Good, p	4	1	1	3	3	1
Vail, rf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Cary, ss	3	0	0	1	4	2
Tribou, lf	4	0	0	2	0	0
Tibbetts, 3b	4	0	1	0	4	2
Buker, lb	4	0	0	13	1	0
Cotton, 2b	4	1	1	1	2	1

Totals

33 3 3 24 14 6

Innings:

Bowdoin	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	3	x—5
Colby	0	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	—3

Earned runs, Bowdoin. Three-base hits, Files. Stolen bases, Dwyer, Good 2, Manter, Wandtke. First base on balls, off Files, 2; off Good, 1. Hit by pitched ball, Cary. Struck out, by Files, 6. Wild pitch, Files 1. Passed ball, Dwyer 1. Double play, Files, Manter and Scammon. Time, 1.50. Umpire, Carrigan.

## JUNIOR PROM.

The Class of 1909 Entertain Friends at a Reception and Dance.

Last Thursday evening the annual Junior Promenade was held at Elk's Hall and the members of the class of 1909 entertained a large number of students and friends. The hall was beautifully decorated with college and fraternity banners and around the hall were the usual seats covered with pillows and couch covers. Japanese lanterns concealed the electric lights and thus a soft light was thrown over the room with a very pleasing effect.

Music for the evening was furnished by Wentworth's orchestra of seven pieces and at eight o'clock the concert and reception began. In the receiving line were the class presidents, Miss June Philbrick and E. W. Merrill and also the patronesses. Mrs. C. W. Abbott, Mrs. E. D. Thompson, and Mrs. E. L. Lawton.

Soon after the concert the dance followed and Mr. Merrill and Miss Philbrick led the grand march. The dance orders were in the college colors with the class numerals on the cover and contained a list of twelve dances and extras which were enjoyed by over forty couples.

During the intermission refreshments of ice cream, fancy cookies and punch, furnished by Caterer E. L. Simpson were served by six young ladies of the class.

The committee in charge of arrangements for the occasion consisted of M. E. Young, J. W. Hammond, and F. O. Dean. All of the large number who were present greatly enjoyed the evening and by many the affair was pronounced the most successful promenade held in recent years.

### Football.

The football schedule for next fall has just been announced by Manager Chapman and has been approved by the athletic association and by the faculty. The list includes seven games with the teams usually played and two of the games with the three other Maine colleges occur at Waterville.

The games and dates follow:

Sept. 26, Kent's Hill at Waterville.
Oct. 3, Hebron at Waterville.
Oct. 10, New Hampshire State at Portland.
Oct. 17, Bates at Waterville, (Colby Day.)
Oct. 24, Bowdoin at Brunswick.
Oct. 31, Exeter at Exeter.
Nov. 7, U. of M. at Waterville.

### The Standing of Teams.

Because of the rain and the wet grounds the Bates-Colby and the Bowdoin-Maine games scheduled for Saturday were postponed. Thus the standing of the colleges at present is as follows:

	WON	LOST	PC
Maine	1	0	1.000
Bowdoin	1	0	1.000
Colby	0	1	.000
Bates	0	1	.000

## ELEVEN TO ONE.

Colby Easily Defeats M. C. I. in a Seven Inning Practice Game.

Monday afternoon the baseball team representing Maine Central Institute was played on Alumni Field. This was only a practice game and was arranged to make up for the lack of work during the wet weather of the preceding week. Seven innings were played before the visitors were obliged to leave in order to catch the train for Pittsfield and at the close of the seventh the score was eleven to one in favor of Colby.

In this game a new combination for the infield was tried with Cary at first and Flood at short. The change in positions brought about a decided improvement in the work of the team and the infield was by far the snappiest that has been used this spring. It is expected that the positions will be filled by the same players in the game against Maine today.

Applebee pitched for Colby the first four innings and held the visitors down to one hit. Then Good took his place in order to "limber up" a little. Flood played very well at short and the error credited to him was really a hit which he succeeded in knocking down.

Sturtevant, the M. C. I. catcher, put up as good a game as any of his team and his throwing to bases was exceptionally strong.

Most of the Colby players hit the ball well and the team work was better than previously in the season. After the close of the game the team was given a little additional practice in work with the second string men.

The score:—

### COLBY.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Applebee, p, cf	4	2	1	0	2	0
Dwyer, c	4	3	2	4	0	0
Good, p, cf	4	2	1	1	1	0
Vail, rf	4	2	2	0	0	0
Cary, lb	3	0	0	11	1	1
Tribou, lf	4	0	1	1	0	0
Tibbetts, 3b	4	0	0	0	3	3
Flood, ss	4	1	1	0	4	1
Cotton, 2b	3	1	1	4	2	0

Totals

34 11 9 21 13 5

### M. C. I.

	ab	r	bh	po	a	e
Sturtevant, c	3	0	1	6	1	0
C. Blaisdell, lb, p	3	1	0	4	4	0
Bickford, p, lb	3	0	0	3	3	2
Butler, 2b	3	0	1	2	1	1
Eaton, 3b	3	0	0	0	5	1
L. Blaisdell, rf	3	0	0	1	0	0
Smith, lf	3	0	0	2	0	0
Larrabee, cf	3	0	1	0	0	1
Gilley, ss, p	3	0	0	3	1	2

Totals

27 1 3 21 15 7

M. C. I.

0 0 0 0 0 1 0—1

Colby

2 0 3 5 1 0 0—11

Earned runs, Colby 2. Three base hits, Dwyer. Two base hits, Larrabee. First on balls, off Bickford 1; off Gilley 1; off Blaisdell 2. Struck out, by Applebee 2; by Good 1; by Blaisdell 3. Double plays, Applebee, Cotton, Cary. Sacrifice hits, Tribou. Umpire, Hersey Keene.

President-elect Roberts was absent from the city Monday and Tuesday and spoke at Camden and surrounding towns.

## COLBY ALUMNUS.

L. Herbert Owens of the Class of 1882 Dies at His Home in Woburn.

After lingering at death's door for a month, L. Herbert Owen, '82, late principal of the Woburn, Mass., High School, passed away last Saturday at his home on Fairmount Street, Woburn. The cause of his death was paralysis with which Mr. Owen was stricken at the high school building on April 9. The right side of the face and the left arm were paralyzed at that time and he was removed to his home in an unconscious condition.

Mr. Owen had been principal of the high school for fifteen years and had had personal supervision of the departments of Greek and Chemistry. He was a painstaking and thorough instructor and was highly spoken of by those acquainted with his work in his chosen profession.

Mr. Owen was a brother of Rev. Charles E. Owen of this city and was a native of Maine, spending his vacations at his summer home in Monmouth. He is survived by a widow and a son who is a student at the University of Maine.

Services were held at Woburn yesterday afternoon and this morning college exercises were omitted from ten until eleven o'clock while memorial services were held in the chapel. Rev. E. C. Whittemore of the Baptist church of this city officiated and Ex-President George D. B. Pepper and Rev. George Dana Sanders, who was a classmate of Mr. Owen, were in attendance. The remains were brought here for interment by Rev. C. E. Owen and six members of the Zeta Psi fraternity, of which Mr. Owen was a member, acted as bearers at the chapel services.

### Kindergarten Party.

Last Friday evening at Foss Hall the Y. W. C. A., through the efforts of its social committee, held what was quite appropriately called a kindergarten party. Since marching games have been ruled out the several committees of this organization have had to tax their ingenuity to the utmost in order to conceive of schemes to have a good time and incidentally to raise a little money for the different objects of the association. Financially the affair Friday evening was a great success but it is feared that all the games of drop the handkerchief and marching in chairs were not fully appreciated.

The young ladies were attired in the costumes of their former years and many with their dolls and carriages were hardly recognizable. Some wore short dresses and had their hair in curls, while others who were more dignified occupied the position of matrons to their wards. During the evening boxes of candy were placed on sale and the purchasers of each shared the contents with its original owner.

The proposed visit to Winslow which the class in Geology had intended to make last Friday was postponed because of the unfavorable weather.

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The existing conditions at Colby for bringing together the students and promoting good fellowship and college spirit are far from favorable. Colby Day at present furnishes the only opportunity of the year for a general gathering of this sort and any project for strengthening the bonds between Colby men is to be encouraged. At many institutions class banquets or smokers are held regularly and especially at this season of the year the different classes meet out of doors, in the evening perhaps, and have a sing somewhere on the campus. It is this sort of custom which keeps college and class spirit alive, and the memory of it stays with an alumnus long after he has finished his college course.

## Tennis.

The first part of this week the tennis tournament that is annually held to decide the championship of the college and to select the players for the Maine intercollegiate tournament has been in progress. There were twelve men who participated in the first round of the preliminaries and the winners of these played to decide who should take part in the semi-finals and finals. The two winners will play in the singles at Orono, commencing next Wednesday, and the same men will select partners for the doubles at that tournament.

The first round of the preliminaries resulted as follows: The match between Young and Reggie Farrar was won by Young. Guptill won from Percy Farrar, 6-0, 7-5. Allen won from Gould, 6-4, 2-6, 9-7. Plummer trimmed Rideout, 6-2, 6-1. The match between R. F. Thompson and Flood went to Thompson by default. M. D. Smith won from Cole. In the second round Guptill and Plummer, Young and Allen, Thompson and Smith were matched. Guptill trimmed Plummer, 6-4, 4-6, 6-1. The other matches have not yet been played off. Two out of three sets determine the winner in the preliminaries and three out of five in the finals.

The M. I. A. A. will hold the fourteenth annual track meet at Brunswick next Saturday and it is expected that the Colby team will consist of about sixteen men.

## For Temperance.

Business today is fast becoming a powerful influence for temperance. The big corporations throughout the land are insisting that employes shall not drink. The great railroads are issuing orders that intemperance means discharge. With many large concerns, frequenting a saloon in itself in now sufficient grounds for summary dismissal.

The young man of today must recognize that the saloon habit means failure. The old argument that one glass will do no harm does not hold. To be seen in a saloon, to be with drinking men, or to have the odor of liquor takes away confidence of others. Employers are certain that business and liquor do not work together, and they do not want a man who comes into their office in the morning with red eyes and a flushed face. A clear brain and a steady hand are demanded in these days of keen competition, and he who overlooks these facts cannot succeed.—The Index.

## Senior Girls Win.

The first of the series of basket ball games for the class championship was played last Wednesday afternoon on the court back of Foss Hall. The game was between the Seniors and Sophomores and resulted in a score of 8 to 0 in favor of 1908. Both teams played a good game, but the Sophomores were weak in their forwards and so failed to score. The lineup and summary were as follows:—

1908	1910
Noyes, lf	lg, Fogg
Hopson, rf (Capt.)	rg, Robinson
Corbett, re	re, Whittier
Weeks, Campbell, lc	lc, Grindle
Corthell, rg	rf, Jewett
Card, lg	lf, Hinkley

Goals from floor, Noyes 3, Hopson 1. Fouls, Corbett 2, Weeks 1, Campbell 2, Whittier 1, Fogg 1, Grindle 1. Referee, Dr. Croswell. Umpire, C. Robinson. Time, 15 and 10 min. halves.

An archaeological collection, perhaps the largest owned by any private person in the United States, has been given by Gen. G. P. Thurston, of Nashville, to Vanderbilt University.

Plans for two new buildings have been accepted by the board of trustees of the University of Illinois. One is a physics laboratory, to cost \$250,000, the other an extension of the natural history building, to cost \$150,000.

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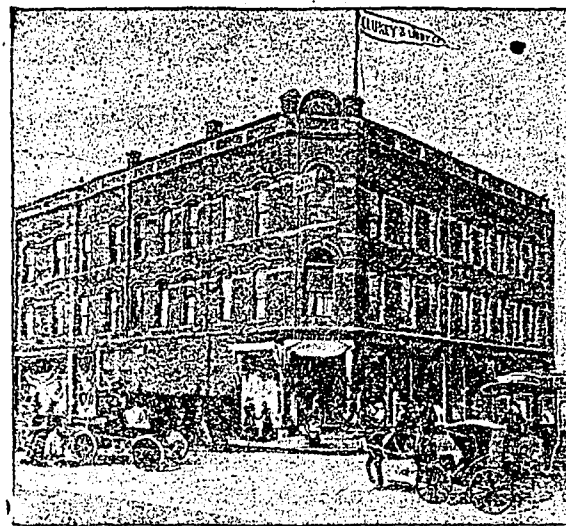
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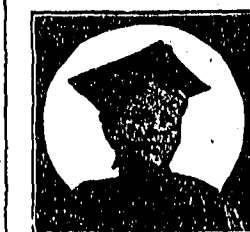
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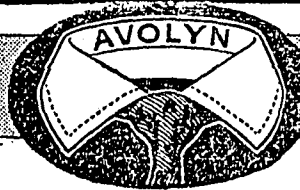
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The dual track meet between Bowdoin and Bates, scheduled for last Saturday, was cancelled because of the rain.

Maine won from Bates last Wednesday by the score of 4 to 2.

Colby-Maine at Orono today and Colby-Bates at Lewiston next Wednesday.

One week from today the Maine Intercollegiate Tennis Tournament will commence at Orono.

Several of the fellows have parts in the opera, "Cinderella and the Prince," which will be presented at City Hall, May 26 and 27.

Professor White attended the State Conference of Congregational churches, at Bangor last Tuesday and Wednesday.

Dr. Black was one of the judges of the debate between Portland and Edward Little High at Brunswick Friday evening.

E. W. Morton, Maine's track manager, called on E. F. Allen last Wednesday.

"All persons knowing themselves indebted to this paper are requested to call and settle. All those indebted to this paper and not knowing it are requested to call and find out. Those knowing themselves to be indebted and not wishing to call are requested to stay at one place long enough for us to catch them."

At the spring meeting of the Maine Association of Colleges and Preparatory Schools, which is to be held in the Senate Chamber of the State House Saturday, May 16. Professor Hatch will read a paper entitled, "The Mathematical Equipment of the Graduates of our Secondary Schools."

Fenwick L. Holmes, '06, passed Saturday with friends at the A. T. O. House.

C. H. Libby, '08, and W. F. Sherburne, '08, attended the play given by the Senior class of Oak Grove Seminary last Friday evening.

Arthur Merriam, '11, visited his parents in Skowhegan the latter part of the week.

G. C. Anderson, '09, passed Sunday at his home in Fairfield.

Cecil Daggett, '03, led chapel Tuesday of last week and spoke in an interesting way upon the methods of brickmaking.

Rev. R. O. Everhardt, the recently appointed pastor of the Methodist church of this city, gave a short address at chapel Monday morning.

Dr. Black delivered a lecture on Florence and Venice before the class in European History Monday evening. The lecture was illustrated by an excellent set of stereopticon views.

In his lecture before the chemistry class last Wednesday Professor Parmenter displayed several Lumiere photographs which are the first that have been made in this section of the country.

Among those from out of town who attended the Junior Prom last Monday evening were Herbert Warren, Bowdoin '10, Mr. William Cummings, Dartmouth, and Wilbur Caldwell, Bowdoin '11.

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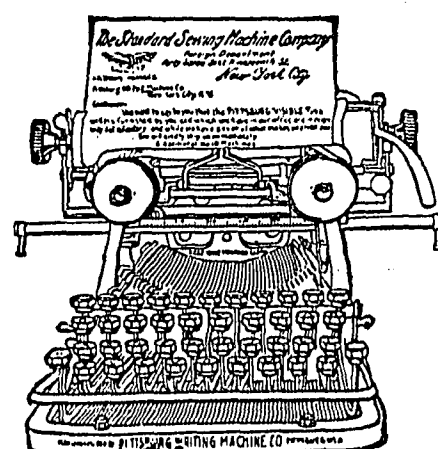
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**DE FEMINIS.**

Florence E. King, '08, Editor.

Lillian L. Lowell, '10, recently spent a few days at her uncle's home in Vassalboro.

Maizie Weston, '11, visited at her home in Madison Sunday.

Prof. and Mrs. Simpson, also their little daughter, Jessie, were guests of Dr. Crosswell, Sunday noon.

Miss Margaret Buzwell of Foxcroft, visited Laura Day, '11, a few days last week.

Ethel Haywood, '08, spent Sunday in Madison as the guest of Miss Susan Weston.

Jessie Whitehouse was a guest at dinner last Thursday evening.

One evening last week the young ladies at Foss Hall were suddenly aroused from their slumbers by the strains of Phi Chi. Serenades not being very frequent, the music of the band was especially enjoyed by the listeners in the darkened windows.

Mr. Grover Green of Skowhegan, was the guest of his sister last Wednesday evening.

After the basket ball game last Wednesday afternoon an informal reception was given to Miss Bentley, student secretary of the Y. W. C. A. Refreshments, consisting of punch and wafers were served on the rear piazza of Foss Hall.

Miss Wilbur of Portland was the guest of Miss Nina B. Holmes Monday evening.

Mrs. Grace Bacon Gould is to be the guest of Dean Berry for a few days.

Next Tuesday evening a report will be given of the banquet tendered by the members of the Y. W. C. A. at the University of Maine to delegates from the other Maine colleges. June Philbrick, '09, and Bertha Hanson, '10, represented our association.

Miss Stella Russell, M. C. I. '08, was a guest of Margaret Hare, '11, Monday.

At the regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. last Tuesday evening Miss Bentley gave a heart to heart talk to the members of the association on "The Efficient Life." To illustrate the subject she spoke of President Roosevelt as the "man who sometimes leads the simple life, more often the strenuous life, but always the efficient life." Miss Bentley emphasized the fact that the organization of the association, as such, should not be foremost, rather the deepened spirituality that manifests itself in the lives of the girls. In reference to this she told of a visit to the studio of an artist, who put first things first and took as his motto, "I don't want my work to show the paint. I don't want it to look artificial." This impressed upon us the thought that we need greater sincerity in our individual life and in the work of the association.

**Collegiate Notes.**

Work has begun on a new biological and geological laboratory at Amherst.

The financial secretary of Syracuse is raising \$100,000 for the improvement of the campus.

The registration of Illinois this year is 4,735, an increase of nearly 10 per cent over last year.

Two private libraries containing 5,000 volumes and valued at \$20,000, have recently been bequeathed to Syracuse University.

The University of Mississippi has adopted an honor system which includes cheating, stealing, drunkenness and gambling.

Through the generosity of Mrs. Eliza McMillan, Washington University, St. Louis, is now equipped with a girl's dormitory, accommodating about 100 students.

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