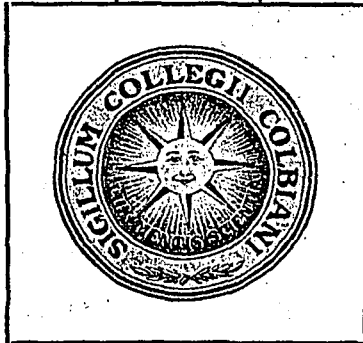


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## BATES WINS DUAL MEET.

Bates won the dual meet Saturday by a score of 80 to 46. The contest was much closer than the score would indicate, but, though Colby made Bates work hard for what she got, the visitors won the greater number of points in all but three events.

In spite of the defeat the good form and good work displayed by the Colby men are encouraging to those who are hoping for a winning track team at Colby. We have got the material and hard and faithful work in developing it are bound to bring the results we want.

The afternoon was far from an ideal one for the contest. The rain and mist had dampened the field and given a chill to the air, and the sun shone with only a half warmth. The grand stand was well filled with spectators and not a few were standing around the track and out on the field. The contests were watched with intense interest and the Colby men did not lack for grand stand encouragement.

Considering the weather conditions the time and distances made were, on the whole, very good. The most exciting events were the 100 and 220 yard dashes, the two-mile run, and the high jump.

In the 100 yard dash Nardini and Williams were so close for first place that it was some time before the crowd was convinced that Williams broke the tape.

The 220 yard dash was one of the prettiest contests that was ever seen on the Colby straightaway. Nardini won from Williams by a very small lead and so took his revenge for the loss of the 100,

The two mile run was between Pelletier of Bates and Keyes of Colby for first place. Keyes let the Bates man lead and followed him closely till the last lap when he passed

him in a spurt. Pelletier tried hard to regain the lead but failed to pass Keyes. In spite of the long run both ended with a lively sprint.

The high jump was a hot contest between Williams of Bates and Herrick of Colby. Both went over the bar at 5 ft. 5¾ in., and neither could top that. After the 220 dash they went at it again, but after repeated trials without advantage to either they decided to divide points and flip for the medal. Herrick won the toss up and the two contestants shook hands and parted.

The summary:

880 yards run: Won by Holden, Bates; Cates, Colby, second; Cole, Colby, third; Time, 2.05.

440 yards dash: Won by Brown, Bates; Small, Colby, second; Thompson, Bates, third. Time, 53 2-5 seconds.

100 yards dash: Won by Williams, Bates; Nardini, Colby, second; Lovely, Bates, third. Time, 10 1-5 seconds.

One mile run: Won by Holden, Bates; Cole, Colby, second; R. M. Hussey, Colby, third. Time, 4 minutes, 51 seconds.

120 yard hurdles: Won by Blanchard, Bates; Woodman, Bates, second; Cleaveland, Colby, third. Time, 16 3-5 seconds.

220 yard hurdles. Won by Blanchard, Bates; Hill, Colby, second; Woodman, Bates, third. Time, 26 4-5 seconds.

Two mile run: Won by Keyes, Colby; Pelletier, Bates, second; Houston, Bates, third. Time, 11 minutes, 5 seconds.

220 yards dash: Won by Nardini, Colby; Williams, Bates, second; Brown, Bates, third. Time, 23 2-5 seconds.

Pole vault Won by Herrick, Colby; Bagnall, Colby and Woodman, Bates, tied for second. Height, 9 feet, 6 inches.

Shot put: Won by Shepard, Bates; Gove,

Bates, second; Donald, Colby, third. Distance, 37 feet, 8 1-4 inches.

Running high jump: Herrick, Colby and Williams, Bates, tied for first; Kempton, Bates, third. Height, 5 feet, 6 1-4 inches.

Throwing hammer: Won by W. Andrews, Bates; A. Andrews, Bates, second; Welch, Colby, third. Distance, 111 5½ inches.

Running broad jump: Won by Holden, Bates; Nardini, Colby, second; Kimball, Colby, third.

Discus throw: Won by Holden, Bates; Gove, Bates, second; Beach, Colby, third. Distance, 103 feet, 7 7-8 inches.

Following are the points won in the events by each team:

Events	Bates	Colby
880 yard run	5	4
440 yard run	6	3
100 yard dash	6	3
One mile run	5	4
120 yard hurdle	8	1
220 yard hurdle	6	3
Two mile run	4	5
220 yard dash	4	5
Pole vault	2	7
Putting shot	8	1
Running high jump	5	1
Throwing hammer	8	1
Running broad jump	5	4
Throwing discus	8	1
Totals	80	46

The officials were: Clerk of course, H. A. Allen, Augusta; assistant clerk of course, Lee Haskell, Colby; referee, Dr. W. W. Bolster, Lewiston; starter, H. A. McDevitt, Waterville; judges at finish, Dr. W. W. Bolster, Lewiston, C. A. Parker, Skowhegan; Dr. G. F. Parmenter, Colby; timers, E. C. Rice, Fairfield; Professor John Hedman, Colby; Carl Cook, Waterville; scorer track events, C. J. Keppel, Colby; measurers field events, C. W. Atchley, Waterville; Professor Pomeroy, Bates; judges field events, H. B. Stanton, Bates; H. A. Wing, Lewiston; Professor Webster Chester, Colby; scorers field events, J. C. Richardson, I. W. Richardson, Colby; C. A.

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### BATES 8; COLBY, 7.

Colby came very near winning from Bates on Garcelon Field, Lewiston, Saturday, but missed it by one score. It was in the ninth inning, and the standing was 8 to 5. The Bates team for a minute "dropped a stitch" with the result that a combination of hits and errors netted Colby two runs. Unfortunately for Colby, two men were already out when the vein of good luck was opened, and the contest ended with the score 8 to 7.

The score:

Bates	bh	po	a	e
Keaney, m	3	2	4	4
Griffin, c	0	16	0	0
Lamorey, 3b	1	1	2	1
Bickford, rf	1	0	0	0
Cole, lf	1	0	0	0
Irish, cf	2	0	0	0
Dorman, 1b	1	8	1	0
Brady, 2b	1	0	1	2
Harriman, p	1	0	3	0
Totals	11	27	11	7
Colby	bh	po	a	e
Frohock, 2b	0	2	0	2
Cary, c	2	5	0	0
Roy Good, cf	1	1	0	1
Ralph Good, p	0	3	5	2
Reed, 1b	1	8	0	0
Vail, rf	0	0	0	0
Bowker, 3b	1	1	1	1
Sturtevant, lf	0	2	0	1
Blake, ss	0	0	1	2
Clukey, ss	0	1	2	0
Totals	5	*23	9	9

\*Griffin out on attempted bunt third strike.

Innings	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
Bates	2	1	1	0	2	0	0	2	x—8
Colby	0	0	0	0	2	0	1	2	2—7

Runs—Keaney, 2, Griffin, Bickford, Cole, 2, Irish, Dorman, Frohock, Cary, Roy Good, Ralph Good, Bowker, Clukey, Sturtevant. Home run—Dorman. Stolen bases—Keaney,

ney, 4, Sturtevant. Base on balls—off Harriman, 5. Struck out—By Harriman, 16; by Good, 4. Sacrifice hits—Keaney, Lamorey. Double plays—Lamorey, Dorman and Keaney, Ralph Good and Reed. Passed balls—Griffin, 2. Umpire—Flavin. Time. 2 hours 10 minutes.

### PRELIMINARIES OF THE GOODWIN PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST.

Last Friday afternoon in the college chapel the members of Mr. Libby's class in public speaking appeared before the judges in the preliminary for the Goodwin prizes.

Fourteen men were chosen from the entire class, and will participate in the final contest whenever that is held.—The date will be announced later.

In the Hallowell Prize Speaking Contest the orations spoken were excerpts from speeches by prominent American orators. On this occasion each member of the class had to prepare his own.

Those whom the judges selected are: Ray C. Carter, '11, Harold F. Dow, '10, Clarence Fogg, '13, Isaac Higginbotham, '12, Harry W. Kidder, '11, Thomas L. Mahany, '10, John M. Maxwell, '10, Harry B. Moor, '10, Ralph E. Nash, '11, James Perry, '11, J. C. Richardson, '11, James K. Romeyn, '13, Edward G. Stacy, '11, and John A. Tidd, '10.

The contestants and their orations:

"Abraham Lincoln," Ralph N. Good. "Mexico, the Progressive," Alton D. Blake; "The Universal Language," Chester A. Grant; "Trade and Resources of Alaska," Robert Ervin; "The Future of the South American Republics," Wilbur V. Cole; "The Industrial Development of Maine," Charles Swan; "Popular Government in Maine," Guy W. Vail; "Robert E. Lee," Edward G. Stacey; "Democracy in the American Municipalities," John M. Maxwell; "The Value of Curiosity," James K. Romeyn; "The American College and its future," Delber Clark; "The Extent of Prohibition Sentiment in the United States," Merton C. Larrabee; "The College Man's Value to Society," Ray C. Carter; "America's Educational Opportunities in China," James Perry; "Our Patriots," James C. Richardson; "Are Labor Unions a Benefit to labor?"

William Ramsden, "Roosevelt and the Vatican," Harold F. Dow; "The place of non-Partisanship in Politics," Clarence Fogg; "Immigration, America's Opportunity," Isaac Higginbotham; "America's Black Problem," Willis E. Jones; Good Governmental Associations," A. E. Carpenter; "Forest Conservation," Donald Gordon Roby; "What the Defeat of the Subsidy Bill Has Done for The United States Shipping," J. E. Fitzgerald; "The Measure of a Man," Roy W. Hogan; "The Preservation of Our Natural Resources," Thomas L. Mahany; "Osteopathy a Coming Profession," Stanley Brown; "Theodore Roosevelt's Inspiration to Manhood," Nathan H. Garrick; "Labor Union," N. R. Patterson; "Public Schools of Today," O. E. Lowell; "Citizenship, the College Man's Responsibility," H. W. Kidder; "The Political Party of Today," Henry Moor; "Colby, a Patriotic College," Ralph E. Nash; Banking Reforms," Harold E. Tobey.

### INFORMAL RECEPTION.

Invitations have been received by the students for an informal reception to be given by the ladies of the faculty Tuesday evening, May 17, in Memorial Hall. It is expected that Mrs. Lucy Carter Blake of Boston, will be present and sing. This will be the last function of this kind for the season, and though the time is set for evening on account of the pressure of afternoon engagements this term, it is hoped that the affair will be as well attended and as pleasantly informal as the two afternoon parties which have preceded it. Dress suits will not be required. The reception will be from eight to ten.

### COMING EVENTS.

May 14—N. H. State College.  
May 14—Intercollegiate Meet, Lewiston.  
May 17—Informal Reception by ladies of the faculty.  
May 21—Bowdoin at Waterville.  
May 25—Maine at Waterville.  
May 27—Benefit Concert by Musical Clubs.  
May 27-28—Colby Junior League.  
May 28—Maine at Orono.  
May 28—Hamlin Prize Speaking Contest.  
May 30—Memorial Day exercises in chapel.

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Perhaps no better comment can be made on the results of the base ball game and the track meet of last Saturday than to paraphrase the words of President Roberts in chapel Monday. Whether we win or whether we lose is a small consideration to the spirit shown in defeat or victory; and in victory or defeat nothing looks so good to us as a Colby man.

The choice of Coach McDevitt as coach of the Colby foot ball team for another season shows commendable good management on the part of the Athletic Association. Coach McDevitt, working upon the foundation laid by his predecessors has succeeded in perfecting Colby's knowledge of the Dartmouth method of playing the game to the extent that, thanks to good material, a championship team was the result last season. It was also wise to show our appreciation of Mr. McDevitt's work

by an increase in salary, and if our already overburdened Athletic Association could not shoulder the added responsibility, a special subscription, payable on the term bills of the students, was the correct method of meeting the situation. It is seldom that money is subscribed as cheerfully as was done by the students on this occasion. Manager Cole had but to explain what the assessment was for, and the compliance of the undergraduates was immediate and unequivocal.

The newspaper men in attendance upon the track meet passed an informal vote of thanks for the courtesies extended by the Colby management, and *THE ECHO* takes this method of placing on record their testimonial to the efficiency of Manager Packard, Assistant Chapman, and the other officials in charge of the meet.

Spring practice for the foot ball team is one of the aggressive steps which shows that Colby means business in her race for the championship again next fall. While the move is ostensibly to enable the men to become familiar with the new rules, the advantage of having a nucleus of a team before the influx of the Freshman candidates next fall, is well worth considering in the final casting-up of results.

We do not hear so much talk about college spirit as we used to hear several years ago on the Colby campus. A new phrase has taken its place: It is "Colby spirit." The symptom is a good one. College spirit is an abstract thing, illusive, subtle, hard to define. Colby spirit is a thing that is delightfully concrete, having as truly an existence as a kind word, a good deed or a noble thought. The Colby man knows it is because he has it.

James K. Romeyn, '13, preached at North Vassalboro last Sunday morning, and at Shawmut on Sunday afternoon.



**HAMLIN PRIZE SPEAKING CONTEST.**

A week ago the preliminary contest for the Hamlin prizes, more familiar as Freshman Reading was held. Each freshman of the men's division had to deliver a five or six minute excerpt from some notable oration, and from the contestants President Roberts and Mr. Libby, who were the judges, selected fourteen men. The final contest is scheduled for Saturday evening, May 28.

Those selected were: Elmer R. Bowler, Irvin L. Cleveland, Cecil G. Fletcher, Clarence M. Fogg, George H. Frohock, Victor A. Gilpatrick, Elmer H. Hussey, Albert E. Leach, Ernest C. Marriner, Melvin P. Roberts, Owen P. Stacey, Leo G. Shesong, and Andrew Young, and Lawrence R. Bowler.

**Y. M. C. A.**

The benefit concert for the Y. M. C. A. and the Northfield fund will be held in the Opera House on Friday evening, May 27. This is the night of the Junior League Meet and there ought to be a large number of college and prep students there. There will be special rates for the students.

The cause is certainly a worthy one and deserves the support of the student body, the faculty, and the townspeople. Coming as it does at the end of such a successful season a splendid concert is assured.

Bowdoin is planning to send fifteen men to Northfield this coming summer. We ought to have at least a dozen there. We certainly do not want to fall behind our record of last year.

If you have not paid your dues for the year the treasurer, Russell Lord, '12, will be glad to see you.

A large number were out last week to hear Coach Rusch talk to the men at the regular Tuesday evening service. He talked straight to the boys and it did them good.

Andrew Young, '13, preached Sunday at West Hampden.

**DEBATING SOCIETY**

It is getting kind of late to try to do anything with debating for the rest of the year. Nevertheless there may be one other debate arranged for a closing session.

The year has not been a very successful one, but it has served to keep alive the interest among a few faithful ones. Next year we hope to do more. This year we were a little late in starting, and when we did start we started in the wrong way. But we are learning by experience and next year we can profit by this year's mistakes.

The thing that would stimulate the greatest interest in this work would be a real live intercollegiate debate with some good college, either in the state or outside. The society is hoping to arrange for a contest during this coming year.

**CAMPUS CHAT.**

C. D. Gray of Madison was a visitor at the Zeta Psi house, Sunday.

Ernest J. Adams of Houlton visited friends at the Zeta Psi House Saturday and Sunday.

The tennis courts are now in fair shape and every fair day finds them the scenes of exceedingly interesting if not scientific games.

The W. A. Heath Post of the G. A. R. has voted to accept Colby's invitation to hold services in Memorial Hall, on Memorial Day.

E. A. Soule, '13, and Bisbee, '13, went to Albion Friday P. M., where Soule umpired a very interesting ball game between the local team of that town and a team from Benton Falls.

The students who were away from college on the census contract have completed their work, and are back on the campus trying hard to make up for lost time.

Prof. C. H. White conducted chapel exercises last Friday in the absence of President Roberts.

Robert Hussey, North Berwick H. S., '10, has been spending a few days with his brothers at the A. T. O. House.

Anyone desiring extra Junior Prom. programs for souvenirs or card cases can secure them from Higginbotham, at the cost price, 35 cents each.

All bills owed by the Junior Class on account of the prom should be handed to the committee at once.

### DE FEMINIS.

LILLIAN L. D. LOWELL, Editor.  
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Last Thursday chapel services were conducted by Rev. H. P. Woodin of Auburn, Maine.

Several of the delegates to the Congregational Conference, held in Waterville May 3-5, were entertained by friends at Foss Hall, during at least, a portion of their stay in town.

Last Saturday evening the members of the Present and Past Cabinet of the Y. W. C. A., thirteen in number, took dinner with Mrs. Frank Philbrick who is a newly elected member of the Advisory Board. A most pleasant social evening was spent with the hostess.

### THIRTY-SIXTH ANNUAL CONVENTION OF SIGMA KAPPA.

The thirty-sixth annual convention of Sigma Kappa was held with Theta chapter at the University of Illinois, Champaign, Ill., April 14-16.

Business sessions occupied the main portion of each day. The first social event of the convention was the banquet at Hotel Beardsley, Thursday evening, April 14. On Friday evening came the Convention Ball with ninety couples joining in the grand march, which was led by Mrs. Merton D. Linger, Buffalo, N. Y., Grand Secretary of the Society. Saturday afternoon

two of the patronesses of Theta Chapter, assisted by representatives from other sororities at the University, gave a delightful tea to the delegates. Saturday evening was spent informally at the chapter house.

Sunday evening the eastern delegation left Champaign with an enthusiastic feeling for the University of Illinois, Theta Chapter, and the Convention of 1910. On the way home the Colby delegates stopped off at Niagara Falls and spent a day with Epsilon chapter, Syracuse University. On their way through Boston they were entertained by the Delta girls of Boston University.

The active delegates from Alpha chapter were: Helen Robinson, '10; Cora Kennison, '11; and Florence Carll, '12. Other Colby women present were Mrs. Grace Curnburn Smith, Washington, D. C., Grand President; Mrs. Olive Robbins Haviland, Lansdown, Pa., Grand Secretary; Mrs. Antha K. Miller, Chicago, Ill., Miss Jennie Smith, Waterville, Me.; Miss Annie Harthorn, Boston University; Miss Esther Robinson, Waterville, Me.

Provost Harrison announced gifts to the University of Pennsylvania of over a million dollars; the gift by a benefactor whose name is withheld of one hundred thousand dollars for the establishment of the Benjamin Rush Professorship in physiological chemistry; the gift by Mrs. Caroline Emily Richmond of fifty thousand dollars for the endowment of ten beds in the University Hospital; a gift in memory of James McManes by his daughter of a new wing to the medical laboratories, and a gift of the Pennsylvania Railroad exhibit, showing the history of transportation, shown at the Chicago World's Fair, if a proper building is provided.

A tablet in memory of Ross Gilmore Marvin, a Cornell alumnus who lost his life while on the polar expedition with Peary, will be placed by the students in the Sage chapel at Cornell.

Mrs. Maria C. Tailer has given \$25,000 to New York University to endow a free clinic in connection with Bellevue Hospital Medical College. This is the first gift received to the endowment of the free clinic, and it is hoped to increase the endowment to at least \$100,000. The money given by Mrs. Tailer is to establish a memorial to the late William H. Tailer.

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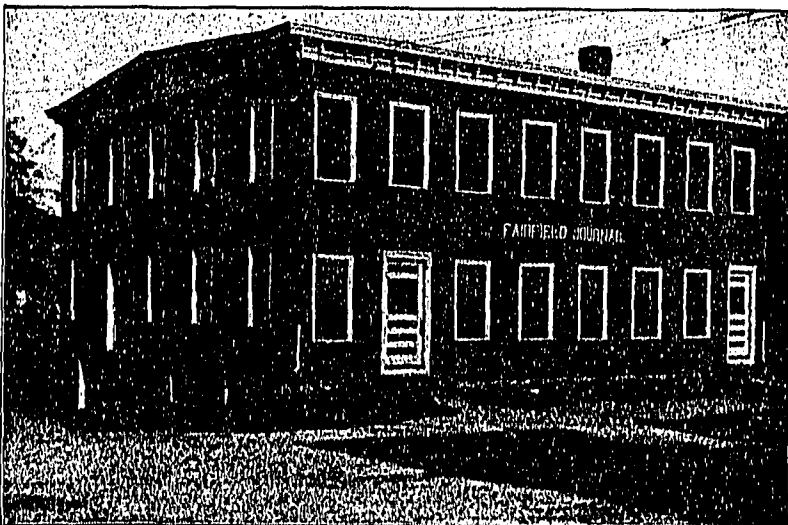
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