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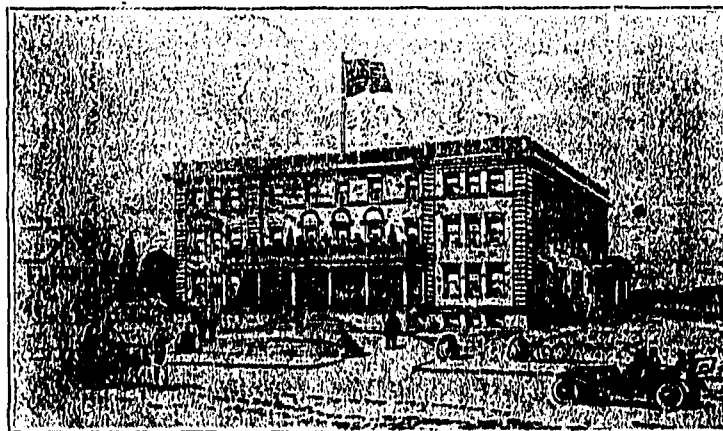
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RICHARDSON CONCERT PROVES GREAT SUCCESS.

All who attended the Richardson Concert—and there were some six hundred there—freely admit that they heard a two dollar concert for just one-quarter of that price. It was an evening of music that the people of Waterville will not soon forget.

Mr. Richardson, who made possible this concert, is a tenor of remarkable ability. His voice, always resonant, has much carrying power, and his personality lends much charm to his singing. His rendition of "Celeste Aida," by Verdi, "Caro mio ben" by Giordani, and "The Trumpeter" by Dix were especially appreciated.

Miss Dozier, the soprano, was a favorite from the beginning. She showed her versatility in the variety of her program. An Aria from Traviata by Verdi and a group of minor songs, "Yesterday and Today" by Spross, "Fairy Pipers" by Brewer, and "Cuckoo Song" by Schaefer were popular with the audience.

Perhaps the climax of the evening's entertainment was reached when Madame Sapin, the teacher of both the other artists, appeared in the "Romanza" from the opera "Cavalleria Rusticana." Mme. Sapin, who is a contralto, had a wide range, which enabled her to produce extraordinary effects. It is seldom that Waterville has the opportunity to hear an artist of Mme. Sapin's ability.

The Colby Trio and Mr. Lattin added greatly to the instrumental side of the program. The "Orientale" by Cesar Cui, which Mr. Lattin played for an encore was received with much enthusiasm by the listeners.

Perhaps the one thing that marked the concert was the artistic rendering of all the numbers. It was not a mere "show" to please the public. It was a concert which elevated the good in music. To Mr. Richardson the college owes a debt of deep gratitude.

NEW FRENCH INSTRUCTOR.

The faculty has obtained the services of Mr. Euclid Helie, M. A., of Worcester, Mass., to fill the vacancy left by the resignation of Mr. Henry A. Brickley, former instructor in Romance Languages. Mr. Helie is a graduate of the University of Toronto and received his M. A. degree at Clark University in 1908. Since that time he has been engaged in research work at the latter institution. Mr. Helie has the best wishes of the entire student body.

MILITARY COMPANY PERFORMS NEW TACTICS.

The past week has seen a radical change in the manoeuvres of the military company. From close order or parade marching the company has been studying the more practical side of advancing in open order. The corporals have had their hands full making their squads rush properly and reassembling them from the skirmish.

This afternoon the company is to take a three-mile hike into the country. At this time scouting will be taught while the company marches with its advanced guards and reserves just as though it were advancing into the enemies' territory. Practical military manoeuvres will be had and a sham battle will be fought. On with the enemy!

MORE MONEY FOR THE ENDOWMENT FUND.

The third entertainment for the benefit of the Endowment Fund will be entirely by the students of the men's and women's divisions. It is to be a concert on May first, the place being the Opera House, the time eight o'clock. Some of the attractions will be the Ladies' Glee Club, Mandolin Club, Ladies' Double Trio, Mixed Quartet, Male Quartet, Violin Soloist, Colby Trio, Vocal Soloists, and Readers. This is enough to make any music lover sit up and take notice. Are you going to be there?

RECEPTION IN HONOR OF MR. RICHARDSON, '11.

The Delta Upsilon Fraternity held a reception last Friday afternoon in honor of J. Corey Richardson, a member of that fraternity, who made possible the concert last Friday evening for the benefit of the Endowment Fund. The reception was an informal affair to which all the faculty and students were invited. A receiving line was composed of Mr. Richardson, Madam Sapin, Miss Jesse Mae Dozier, Dr. and Mrs. G. F. Parmenter, Dr. and Mrs. French E. Wolfe, William Erbb, and Winthrop L. Webb.

The reception was well attended, many taking advantage of the opportunity to meet the artists of the evening. Refreshments were served by the freshmen members of the chapter.

Remember the Combined Musical Clubs' Concert, May 1.

COLBY SLAUGHTERS MAINE PITCHERS, WINNING 10 TO 6.

Colby opened the baseball season here, Saturday, defeating U. of M. by a score of 10 to 6, before a large and enthusiastic crowd of fans. The game was rather loosely played, as might be expected of the first game of the season; but there were enough thrills to satisfy the most critical, and assurance was given that the material is available from which a fine team may be developed.

Early in the game things began to look bad for Colby. Thompson, Maine's first batter, reached first on an error by Ashworth, from which position he presently stole to second. The next man sent out a high fly to Joe Deasy; but his successor found the ball for a clean two base hit, and then Pat French drove it far over the center fielder's head for a home run, scoring the two men on bases. The next two men went out in short order. In her half of the inning Colby failed to register. Score: Maine 3, Colby 0.

In the second inning, Maine failed to score, for "Fanny" Gately had found where they couldn't hit them. Ashworth, the first man up for Colby, singled, Bucknam struck out, Huber was hit by one of Ziegler's wild ones, then Gately hit to shortstop, who let it go between his feet, and Ashworth scored. Score: Maine 3, Colby 1.

In their half of the third, Maine failed to score, as also did the home team. In the fourth, Maine got one tally on a combination of hard luck and passes by the pitcher. Here the Colby boys started in in real earnest, and when the smoke cleared away they had accumulated five runs, making the score Colby 6, Maine 4. Hits by Deasy, Huber, Ashworth and Lawrence, coming when they were needed, during a few moments in which the Maine men seemed to be trying to put the ball in as many different directions as possible in the briefest possible time, caused the scoring.

Maine was at no time able to overcome this lead, though they made a great effort in the eighth inning. Then, as Colby had put across two runs in the fifth and repeated the performance in the seventh, Maine's gain of two runs made the score, Colby 10, Maine 6, which was the final score. Fagan's fine work is deserving of special mention, for when he took Gately's place in the fourth inning he proceeded to strike out five of the first six men who faced him, and at no time was any one of his opponents able to figure out correctly just which way the ball was going to twist. Bucknam starred in the third inning when he made three difficult catches in succession, retiring the side. Deasy, Driscoll and Ashworth all contributed timely hits. French starred for the visitors with his home run in the first

and a sensational catch close under the walls of Shannon.

The score:

Colby.						
	ab	r	bh	po	e	a
Heyes, 2b	5	1	0	1	0	3
Driscoll, 3b	5	0	2	1	0	2
Frass, ss	4	0	0	1	1	2
Deasy, cf	5	2	2	3	0	0
Ashworth, 1b	5	4	3	8	1	1
Bucknam, lf	3	0	0	3	0	0
Greenlaw, lf	1	1	1	0	0	0
Huber, c	3	1	1	10	0	0
Lawrence, rf	2	0	1	0	0	0
Tyler, rf	2	0	0	0	0	0
Gately, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fagan, p	3	1	1	0	0	1
	39	10	11	27	2	8

Maine.						
	ab	r	bh	po	e	a
Thompson, 3b	5	1	1	1	1	2
Waterman, ss	5	0	1	0	2	1
Wentworth, rf	5	2	2	0	1	0
French, lf	3	2	1	1	0	0
Pendleton, 2b	3	0	0	4	1	1
Phillips, cf	4	0	1	2	0	1
Willard, 1b	3	1	0	6	0	0
Reardon, c	2	0	0	10	0	1
Ziegler, p	3	0	0	0	0	1
Frost, p	1	0	0	0	0	0
Abrams*	1	0	0	0	0	0
	35	6	6	24	4	7

*Batted for Frost.

Earned runs—Colby 4, Maine 3. Two-base hits—Huber, Wentworth. Home run—French. Sacrifice hit—Fraas. Base on balls—off Gately 3, Fagan 2, off Ziegler 1, Frost 0. Struck out—by Gately 3, Fagan 7, Ziegler 4, Frost 3. Stolen bases—Deasy, Ashworth, Lawrence, Thompson. Passed ball—Reardon. Hit by pitched ball—Huber by Ziegler. Umpire—Allen of Fairfield. Time—2.25.

SENIOR ELECTIONS.

At the senior elections held last Saturday afternoon, the following men were chosen to take part in the Class Day Commencement exercises:

Orator—Carroll B. Flanders.

Parting Address—Winthrop L. Webb.

Prophet—Charles B. Price.

Historian—Fred A. Pottle.

Chaplain—Harry H. Upton.

Marshal—C. Wallace Lawrence.

Ode Committee—George B. Watson, Lester E. Young and Winthrop L. Webb.

BISHOP BREWSTER SPEAKS AT VESPER.

An excellent vesper service was held in the chapel, Sunday afternoon. The preacher was the Right Reverend Benjamin Brewster, bishop of the Episcopal churches in the State of Maine, who spoke on "The Relation between Personality and Social Action."

The service was opened by the singing of a hymn, followed by the reading of the scripture by Rev. Mr. Phalen of the Unitarian church. A selection by the college male quartet was followed by a prayer by the Rev. Mr. Robinson of the Congregational church. A mixed quartet, composed of the Misses Green and Daggett and Messrs. Brush and Robinson next gave an excellent rendering of "Come Unto Him."

Bishop Brewster was introduced by President Roberts, and the gathering, which filled every seat in the chapel, had the privilege of hearing a most instructive and erudite address. Bishop Brewster's topic had constant references to the present war, which made his sermon not only realistic, but very timely and instructive. Some of his remarks of special pith and moment were as follows:

"At least one good thing arising from this exigency is that we are coming out of our isolation and each is working for all."

"Seventy-eight colleges have banded together to offer themselves most advantageously to the country."

"When the call comes, realize that by sacrificing yourself you are serving what is noblest and purest in this world."

"The Lord is over us not because we are the United States, but because we are standing for what is noble and right."

"It is not enough to bring mere victory of arms, but we must see to it that the causes that brought this war are forever destroyed."

Rev. Mr. Kellerman of the Universalist church pronounced the benediction.

JUNIORS HOLD PROM.

The Junior Promenade, which was held on Patriot's Day, was, from every standpoint, a big success. The weather was most favorable for the occasion, and this encouraged some seventy couples to attend. From nine o'clock until two in the morning the juniors held forth in glee and there was not a moment during the evening that time lagged. The bright costumes of the women, the uniform dress of the men, and the snappy music by Noyes' Banjo Orchestra of Portland lent much enchantment to the occasion.

COBURN CLASSICAL INSTITUTE WINS GOODWIN DEBATE.

The finals of the eighth annual Goodwin Interscholastic Debate were held in the chapel Saturday morning at ten o'clock. Coburn Classical Institute was chosen to represent the Academies, and Bangor High School won the preliminaries in the high school class. The preliminaries, according to the judges' decisions, were very close.

In the final debate, Coburn was represented by Stanley P. Black, William J. Pollock and George B. Wolstenholme. The Bangor team was composed of James McCann, Joseph McCann and Harry Helson.

The argumentation and speaking was of the highest order on both the Bangor and Coburn teams. The spirit of rivalry which characterized the debate added much charm and interest. Each speaker showed a keen knowledge of his subject and there was very little arguing beside the point.

The Coburn team, which supported the negative of the proposition, "Resolved: That the United States should endorse the principles advocated by the League to Enforce Peace," and which won the decision, advanced the following arguments:

The first speaker, Stanley P. Black, contended that the proposition of the affirmative (1) would involve a radical departure from American traditions, and (2) that it would seriously threaten the maintenance of the Monroe Doctrine. Mr. Black's arguments were forceful and well supported by evidence.

The second speaker for the negative, William J. Pollock, spent his time on one main argument, namely, that the proposals to enforce peace are not practical. Mr. Pollock had a well-balanced debate, his proof being logically and thoughtfully arranged.

Reviewing the arguments of his colleagues, George B. Wolstenholme supported the argument that the proposals to enforce peace are based upon a policy of trust and that no such trust exists among nations at this time. Mr. Wolstenholme summed up the arguments of his team mates and spoke in a most convincing manner.

The judges of the debate were Prin. S. R. Oldham, Pittsfield; Geo. S. Paine, Winslow; Walter Hinckley, Good Will Farm.

The following men of Colby went to Bath, Friday, as delegates to the State Conference of Y. M. C. A. Secretaries: Newman, '18, Perry, '18, and Skillings, '18. Colby and Bates proved to be the only colleges represented. This conference was called to consider Maine's part in raising for the country \$3,000,000 and 1000 men. Maine's financial part was estimated to be \$80,000.

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MAY CONCERT.

A joint musical concert of the combined men's and women's glee clubs is an innovation here at Colby, and it will be attended with more than ordinary interest. The men's division has already demonstrated, this year, that it has some artists of unusual ability. The annual concert of the women's division is always heard with pleasure. Under these circumstances, the bringing together of all the best talent in college will make an exceptionally fine program. So far, the Student Endowment Fund has been a double benefit. It has not only furnished the college and city with some excellent entertainment, but it has offered a good opportunity to do a bit for the college. Everyone should buy a ticket for the May concert.

COLLEGE FIRST.

College First—Fraternity Second—Self Third. Even in the narrow sphere in which college students move and even when so much is said about college loyalty, this ratio is often lost sight of or disregarded. The student is apt to forget that in our present society the individual must subordinate himself to the group. High ideals and ambition must work in conjunction with the welfare of society. Because the college is the larger group of the three, it takes first place. Too often the student lets the welfare, the name, and the spirit of the college take care of itself, while he puts self or fraternity first. The man who puts college foremost does not destroy college property. The man who puts college first does not enter into a political deal for personal or fraternity glory. The man who puts college before fraternity and self, here, will put his country first in time of crisis or when he himself is engaged in civil pursuits. The type of manhood being developed here in this democratic atmosphere is soon to go out and take a leading place in influencing the character of our democratic form of government. Here in college, now, individual character is being formed. Is not this worth considering?

WRITERS ATTENTION!

All freshmen and sophomores wishing to try out for the Editorial Staff of the ECHO should signify their intention to the Editor, at once. Fair ability as a writer and liking for the work are the requirements. Contrary to an expressed opinion, non-frat men will not be discriminated against. In fact, the ECHO desires especially to represent the whole college, but it cannot appoint non-frat men to the board unless they try out in the same manner as do the other candidates. All the men who report will be given actual assignments for the remaining six issues, and they will be initiated into the mysteries of "making the college paper." In the final issue of the year, the names of the successful candidates will be printed as the Editorial Staff for 1917-18. The positions are very desirable and are said by the experienced to be equal in practical education to any single course in college.

The Dramatic Club lacks a little push. There seems to be absolutely no other reason for not putting on the annual Waterville performance.

A back net for the Roberts Hall tennis court is much needed.

Mrs. G. B. Franklin spoke before the Women's Club of Skowhegan, last week, upon Social Settlement work with Jane Addams at Hull House.

APRIL NUMBER OF COLBIANA OUT.

The April number of Colbiana is dedicated to the alumnae of the college, and many of the articles are written by representatives from their body. This issue is more truly a Colby publication than was the "Ladies' Home Journal" number and is proportionally more interesting to the male sex. The business management has been obliged to raise the price of single copies to twenty-five cents and to reduce the number of issues from four to three, but the form remains the same.

The frontispiece of the magazine is a portrait of Mrs. Alice Heald White, the instructor of music for the women's division. On the opposite page is a brief biography of Mrs. White and an appreciation of her services to Colby.

The main article in the paper is a "Sketch of the Women's Division," by Ethel Knowlton Dean, '09. Co-education at Colby is described from its start in 1871 to its abandonment in 1890, and then the activities of the women under co-ordination are related. Several things of interest are brought out. For example, the fact that the present Phi Delt House was a ladies' dormitory from 1885 until 1905, and that until 1893 the Sigma Kappa sorority had three chapters at Colby and included every woman in college.

A large number of other contributions from alumnae are printed, among them a description of Venice by Mrs. Mary Low Carver, '75, and an article on "Reading People" by Annie Pepper Varney, '98. A series of sketches of college life at different periods from 1881 to 1915 is especially interesting. When one realizes that the famous "ten o'clock rule" has been in force only since 1913, it is easy to see that college life has changed considerably.

"An Appreciation of the Poems of Louise Helen Coburn, '77," by Miss Adelle Gilpatrick of C. C. I., is particularly appropriate, since Miss Coburn's book of Maine poems, "Kennebec," is attracting so much attention.

The short stories, dealing with Colby life, which won the first two prizes in the contest instituted by Dean Cooper are very timely. "The Blossoming of Patricia-the-Less" by Lyda L. Turner, '18, tells the story of a little, old-fashioned freshman who blossomed out until she fitted the part of Rosalind in "As You Like It." "True Colby Spirit" by Selma Koehler, '17, is a vision of personal sacrifice to the Endowment Fund.

The issue is one which does credit to its editors and managers, as well as to the Women's Division and to Colby College.

Remember the Combined Musical Clubs' Concert, May 1.

CAMPUS CHAT

The Colby men in the Medical Corps were ordered to Augusta, yesterday.

The Murray Prize Debate, which was scheduled for Thursday evening, April 26, has been postponed until next week.

FACULTY.

President Roberts was in Boston on a business trip Monday.

Dr. Wolfe has been called to his home in Maryland by the critical illness of his father. His classes for the week, with the exceptions of the eight o'clock division in Economics and the Sociology class at nine (on Thursday), which Dr. Laidler will address on some subject dealing with "Socialism," will be suspended.

Professor Franklin led chapel, Monday.

Professor Tolman spoke at Good Will, Sunday.

Dr. Little led the Y. M. C. A. meeting, Tuesday evening. His subject was, "Following the Trail."

Professor Brown has an article in "Association Men" for April.

D. K. E.

A very enjoyable, informal dancing party was held in the parlors of the Deke House, Saturday afternoon. About ten couples were present, a victrola furnishing the music. Mr. and Mrs. Charles B. Price and Dean Cooper acted as chaperones.

"Len" Grant, '15, was in Waterville over the week-end.

William Jewell, '17, of the Huntington Avenue school in Boston, has been a guest at the Deke House the past week.

"Don" Putnam, '16, spent the week-end at the Deke House.

P. D. T.

Harris McIntyre, '18, visited the house over Sunday while on a thirty-six hours' leave of absence. "Ginty" looked well in his naval decorations.

Arthur Stowell, '19, and Austin Maddocks, '19, left for Augusta, Sunday, where they have joined the Headquarter's Department of the Second Maine Regiment.

Wendell Noyes of Portland visited friends at the Phi Delt House, Friday.

"Husky" Warren, '12, dropped around for a little chat, Sunday.

The Goodwin prize debaters ate at the Phi Delt House during their visit at Colby.

A. T. O.

Moulton Pottle and Laurence Evans, '20, have enlisted in the navy and are now at Newport, R. I., in the training school.

Robert B. Dow, '20, who went home, last week, returned to college, Tuesday.

Robert Gallier, '18, William Gallier, '19, and Wol-

cott Hayes, '18, went to Portland on Saturday to take physical examinations preparatory to applying for commissions in the army.

C. C.

Waterville mud made an outdoor initiation particularly interesting for two C. C. fledglings, Saturday night.

A card from H. A. Osgood, ex-'19, says that he is enjoying his new work in the Headquarters Department of the Second Maine Regiment at Augusta.

Ira E. Creelman, '19, visited his brother at Bates college, Sunday.

R. O. Brinkman, '20, entertained his sister from Hartford, Conn., last week.

J. W. Brush, '20, was confined to his room with a bad cold several days last week.

C. M. Bailey, '18, spent the week-end at his home in Livermore Falls.

O. C. Wilbur, '17, acted as best man at a wedding in Fairfield, Friday night.

D. U.

Benjamin S. Hanson, '18, has left the Sisters' Hospital, where he has been confined for several weeks and has gone to his home in Sanford for a brief rest before resuming his studies.

Clayton E. Eames of the University of Maine law school, formerly of Colby, was in town, Saturday.

Isaac D. Love, '19, went to Madison, last Wednesday and Thursday, to coach the Madison High School debating team.

William F. Erbb, '17, went to Portland on business, last Saturday.

Z. P.

Ralph Weston, '14, was a visitor at the house over the week-end.

"Eddie" Cawley, who recently joined the Naval Reserve, is stationed at Marblehead, Mass.

Donald Flood, '17, who has been on guard duty at the wireless station at Bath, visited the house before leaving for Cambridge, where he will attend the Harvard Wireless School.

Raymond Owen, '20, is ill at his home in Woodfords.

"Hick" Wentworth, '20, spent the week-end at South China.

George Falkner, Kappa Sigma, '19, of U. of Maine called at the house this week to visit Harley, '18.

C. G. Brownville, '20, and L. B. Titcomb, '20, members of the Medical Corps, left today for Augusta, where they will be stationed temporarily.

Stanley Shibles, '14, made a short stay here this week.

Man (in restaurant)—"Waiter, this coffee is liquid mud."

Waiter—"Yes, sir! Certainly, sir, it was ground this morning."

WOMEN'S DIVISION

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1918—Jennie Odelle Sanborn.

1919—Mary Elizabeth Tourtellott.

1920—Alice Helen Clark.

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RESOLUTIONS.

Young Woman's Christian Association of Colby College.

Whereas, sorrow has come to our beloved sister, Alberta Shepherd, '18, through the loss of her mother; be it

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family our sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to them, be published in the Colby Echo, and be spread upon the records of our association.

HELEN L. BALDWIN,

ALTA E. DAVIS,

WINIFRED B. GREELEY,

Committee on Resolutions.

RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, Death has brought sorrow into our midst and removed the mother of our sister, Alberta Shepherd, and

Whereas, We, the members of Alpha Delta Chapter of Alpha Delta Pi, feel the deepest sympathy for our sister and her family; therefore be it

Resolved, That we extend to the bereaved family this expression of our sympathy; and be it further

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be published in the Colby Echo, and that they be spread upon the chapter records.

HAZEL GIBBS,

IRMA ROSS,

ELSIE LANE,

LILLIAN TUTTLE.

Alberta Shepherd, Lillian Tuttle, Helen Baldwin, Jennie Sanborn, Helen Cole, Daisy Murray, Helene Buker, Alta Davis, Winifred Greeley and Maude Spaulding attended the Y. W. C. A. Training Council at Orono, April 21st and 22nd.

Miss Eva M. Bean, '17, spent Sunday in Fairfield. All essays in competition for the State W. C. T. U. college prizes must be handed to Professor Brown by May first.

The following guests were entertained at Foss Hall last week: Dorothy Webb, '15, of Winthrop, Attalena Atkins, ex-'17, of Dexter, Lucretia Davis and Miss Chalmers of U. of M., Hazel Peck of

Winthrop, Dorothy Mary Clark of Worcester, Mass., Edith Pratt, '16, of Clinton, Helen Brinkman of Hartford, Conn.

Helene Blackwell, '19, attended the Beta Theta Pi house party at Bowdoin last Friday and Saturday.

Alberta Shepherd, '18, has been called to her home in Corinna by the death of her mother.

Miriam Adams, '19, and Hazel Whitney, '18, have been elected members of the executive committee of the Students' League, and Isabel Snodgrass, '18, and Hilda Bradbury, '19, were chosen for the Social Committee.

Matilda Titcomb, '19, Elizabeth Hoffman, '19, and Lucy Teague, '20, are ill with the measles. We are wondering who will be next.

Miss Eunice Chase, '18, enjoyed a brief vacation at her home in Skowhegan, recently.

Miss Pauline Sage, executive of the Northeastern Field of Y. W. C. A., spent Tuesday and Wednesday at Foss Hall, and gave an interesting address at the Y. W. C. A. meeting, Tuesday evening.

Belle Longley, '19, has been at home for a few days on account of the illness of her mother.

Lucy Teague, '20, substituted in Waterville High School last week.

Myra Cross, '17, has gone to her home in Colebrook, N. H., to attend the wedding of her sister, Florence Cross, '12.

Mrs. E. A. Holbrook of Vanceboro has been visiting her daughter Ruth Holbrook, '19.

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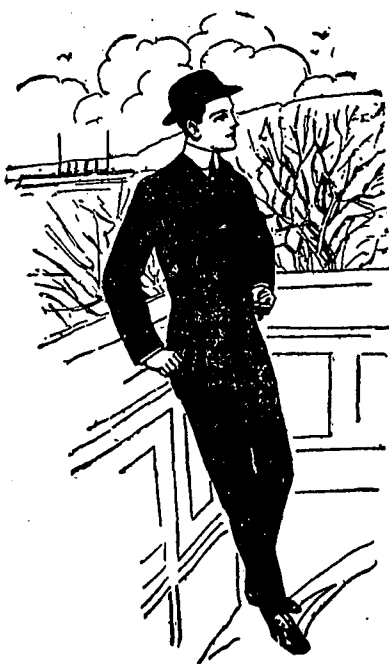
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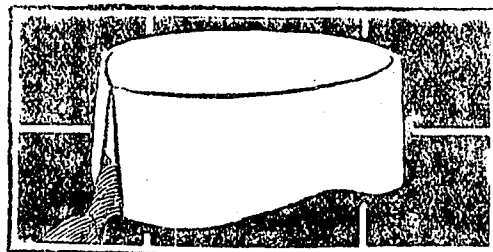
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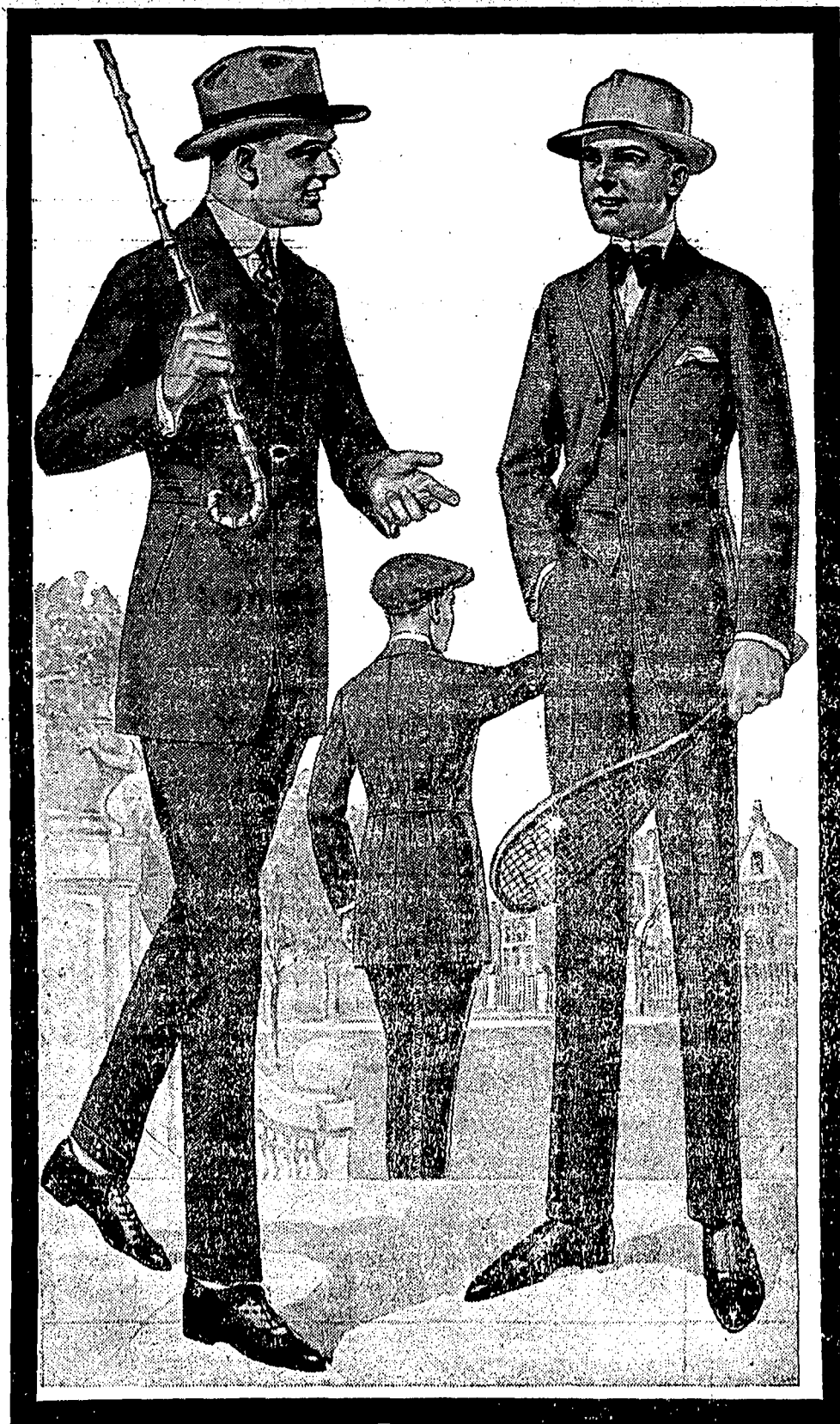
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