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INTER-FRAT BOWLING

The bowling league is still in existence and going strong. The Phi Delts, who were tied with the D. U.'s and the Zetes for second place last week, dropped two to the Lambda Chis yesterday afternoon, and are now in fourth place. The Lambda Chis lost first place to the D. U.'s as a result of last week's activities. Loeffler is at present high string man, with a string of 127. Umphrey holds high total honors with 313. The D. U.'s have team honors with 1,369. The present comparative standing is as follows:

	Won	Lost	P. C.
Delta Upsilon,	15	5	.750
Lambda Chi Alpha,	14	6	.700
Zeta Psi,	12	8	.600
Phi Delta Theta,,	11	9	.550
Alpha Tau Omega,	8	8	.500
Delta Kappa Epsilon,	7	13	.350
Pi Delta Phi,	1	19	.050

Bob Stone and Bud Merrill hereby challenge any two men in Colby college to a ten string match. to be rolled at the Casino bowling alleys at any time.

CO-EDS HAVE FIRST DEBATE

On Monday, January 17, the fourth of a series of debates which are held under the auspices of the Colby Debating Society took place in the College chapel.

The proposition discussed was:—Resolved: "That there should be further restriction of immigration into the United States during the next five years."

The judges, Neil F. Leonard, Charles A. Mitchell, and Harold C. Marden decided in favor of the affirmative. The speakers on the winning team were Grace R. Foster, Vera Collins, Helen E. Harris and Helen Williams.

The speakers for the negative were Elva C. Tooker, A. Jane Lightbody, Arlene J. Harris and Mildred R. Collins. As the question chosen is one which vitally concerns the welfare of the United States, it was very interesting. Many good points were brought out by members of the negative team.

After the main debate the following question was discussed: Resolved: "That Canada should be annexed to the United States."

The chairman for the afternoon was George B. Wolstenholme.

STOP!

Next Monday night, January 24, Dr. J. William Black will give the second lecture of the library-benefit series. His topic will be "The Monk in the Modern World." Have you bought your season ticket?

THE RELAY TEAM

The new board track has been completed and the relay candidates are training on it daily. The track is built on the new standard plans, having twelve laps to the mile. There is a broad straight-away on one side. This splendid addition to the track equipment of the college, together with the new cinder track to be completed in the spring, will give Colby excellent facilities for this branch of sport.

There are about 20 men reporting to Coach Ryan daily, including many of last year's veterans. With the first meet only a few weeks away, the men are working hard to wrest victory again this year from Rhode Island State College and the University of Vermont in the triangular relay match.

The team will compete at the B. A. A. game Feb. 5, where each man will run 440 yards.

INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS CLUB MEETS

An enthusiastic meeting of the International Relations Club was held in the chapel last Thursday evening, at 7.30. Pres. Donald A. Shaw of the club presided. Pamphlets dealing with the Russian problems of today were distributed and plans laid for the next meeting, which will be held in the chapel on Tuesday, the 25th, immediately following the Y. M. C. A. meeting. Papers will be read on "The Early History of the Slavs" and "The Mongol Invasion and Conquest." All interested are invited to attend this very interesting discussion of Russia and her romantic history.

"When a man assumes a public trust he should consider himself public property."—Jefferson.

THE DEKES IN CUBA

Not at all because of what you are thinking, but on account of an invitation from President Menocal of Cuba, extended and accepted three years ago, the 76th annual convention of the Delta Kappa Epsilon fraternity was held in Havana, Cuba, during the latter part of the Christmas holidays. Libby Pulsifer, '21, the official delegate; Roland Ware, '21, Paul Bailey, '21, and George Fred Terry, '22, the boys who represented the undergraduates of Xi chapter of D K E at the convention, are back; and if this article fails to convince you that the whole affair was a glorious success—just talk with any of these boys and you'll understand how the Dekes ruled Havana during their five-day occupation.

There were 300 representatives, graduates and undergraduates, from more than 40 chapters. A special train from New York carried the Dekes of this section of the country to the southern objective. At Savannah, a group from Chicago joined them and the whole party was entertained at a Grand Barbecue in their honor at the Savannah Country club.

When they reached Havana, Pres. Menocal, Cornell, 88, a Deke, welcomed them and announced that the sky was the limit. The five days there were spent in convention sessions, attendance at banquets, balls, joi-aloi games, and sight seeing trips. One of the latter was to the great sugar mill at Rosario by special train.

One of the outstanding events in the whirl of festivities was the reception and ball given by Pres. and Mrs. Menocal, at the presidential palace. Few of the visitors could ever witness a more brilliant affair.

Another big occasion was the banquet at which a massive loving cup was presented to Brother "Jimmy" Hawes, Yale '94, who has completed his tenth year as general secretary of the fraternity.

We could speak of many more things—the souvenir boxes of cigars, the exorbitant prices, the distinguished guests, the games—but I will leave that for the boys who saw the whole show to tell. There were but three chapters which sent no delegates. All the others, even Harvard, which has no charter now, were represented by from one to sixteen men.

The Colby party returned to New York via boat and arrived in Waterville on Wednesday. The next convention will be held in Chicago.

President Ellis, for twenty years the head of Ohio University, died suddenly after a life of service to education.

MEN ELECTED TO HONORARY SOCIETIES

Epicureans

(Senior Society)

Libby Pulsifer, D. K. E.
Joel E. Taylor, Z. P.
Paul B. Brooks, D. U.
Frank J. Hois, P. D. T.
Milford I. Umphrey, A. T. O.
J. E. Little, L. C. A.

Druids

(Junior Society)

Robert M. Jackson, Charles H. Gale, D. K. E.
George H. Wills, Robert L. Stone, Z. P.
Julius H. Loeffler, B. L. Merrill, D. U.
Merle F. Lowery, A. C. Farley, P. D. T.
Elmer L. Williams, Walter G. Chamberlain, A. T. O.
Leonard W. Mayo, Clifford Peaslee, L. C. A.

Mystics

(Sophomore Society)

John R. Gow, Elliott F. Chase, D. K. E.
J. J. Fitzgerald, Ernest R. Werme, Z. P.
C. E. Lord, C. A. Wheeler, D. U.
J. J. Doyle, Jr., Percy Rogers, P. D. T.
Arthur L. Berry, E. R. Frude, A. T. O.
A. L. Andrews, C. R. Lyond, L. C. A.

Upsilon Beta

(Freshman Society)

John A. Barnes, Mark E. Shay, Jr., D. K. E.
George M. Davis, Carlo H. Grande, Z. P.
Clarence Emery, Jr., Winston E. Noble, D. U.
Henry P. Watters, Sylvester Sullivan, P. D. T.
Albert H. Scott, George T. Nickerson, A. T. O.
Franklin C. Matzek, Ralph S. Robinson, L. C. A.

HALF HUNDRED COLBY ALUMNI GATHER IN BOSTON

The first meeting of the year of the Boston Alumni Club was held at the Twentieth Century Club, last Friday. Although handicapped by stormy weather, about fifty-five loyal Colby alumni were present and the meeting went off with the usual enthusiasm.

After the banquet, an informal forum meeting was held, presided over by President Pierce. Professor Parmenter, the delegate from the faculty, gave a comprehensive account of recent occurrences at the college and dwelt especially on the athletic situation.

He made clear the reason for the recent appeal

to the trustees for funds by saying, "Years ago, we had to equip eleven men at \$12 a man. Today we have to equip fifty men at \$30 a man. In the old days, we paid our football coach \$300 a year. Now we pay over five times that amount."

"Our expenses grew, we went in debt until further work on this basis became impossible. We were obliged to repair or rebuild Seaverns Field if the Maine Intercollegiate meet was to be held here. Then, and then only, did we apply to the trustees. They responded by appointing a committee of which Archer C. Jordan, '95, was the chairman."

From this point Dr. Jordan told of the work that had been done.

"No funds were available," he said, "but last commencement Charles F. Seaverns, '01, gave to the college the splendid donation of \$3,500 a year, for this very purpose; that is, for the endowment of a chair of Physical Education, and for paying the salary of a competent physical director."

"But we could find no suitable man for that position and the college obtained Seaverns' permission to put this year's money (which the college had increased to \$5,000) into the work of getting Seaverns field into condition for this spring. Because of the lateness of the season when the trustees reached this decision, work on the track was not begun until the middle of August."

"Enwright of Harvard, the most famous track architect in the country, was put in charge of the work and a good cinder track with a 220-yard straightaway is assured, along with the remodeling of securing labor the work is not yet finished, but there is no reason to believe that it will not be completed by the date of the Maine Intercollegiate. Because of the delay, also, the board track was not built in its permanent position. This new track alone was built at a cost of over \$800."

After the speeches, a general discussion was held in which everyone showed himself not only willing but eager to give to the old college. Dr. Parmenter's suggestion that each one buy a membership to the Athletic Association was well received. A committee of five was elected to give especial care to the athletic situation at Colby.

The next meeting of the club will be held in March.

A man had a quarrel with his wife. When asked why, he said—"She drinks."

"Do you drink yourself?" asked the magistrate.

"That's my business."

"Any other business?" said the official.

GIFT TO THE LIBRARY

The college library has just received the first four volumes of Thesaurus Linguae Latinae, the monumental German work, as a gift from Dr. Edward F. Stevens, '89, Librarian of the Pratt Institute Free Library, Brooklyn, N. Y. Doctor Stevens' gift includes also a subscription for the remaining volumes of the work, which will be received by the library as issued. On the fly-leaf of the first volume received is the following inscription:

"As a tribute to the
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and the richness of its literature
and especially
as an expression of regard and
esteem for

PROF. JULIAN D. TAYLOR

the accomplished interpreter
of that beauty and richness,
and for his notable contribution
to Colby College in his conduct
of the Department of Latin
for so many years,
this work is given to the
College Library by
Edward Francis Stevens
of the class of 1889.
New Year's Day, 1921."

Special—At the meeting of the Athletic Council last night, it was voted to send the relay team to the New York meet, which comes the week following the B. A. A. meet.

During January, Dr. H. C. Libby has been the supply at the United Baptist church, Augusta. On January 23, he will conduct the services at the Williston Congregational church, Portland, and on the following Sunday, January 30, at the All Souls (Unitarian) church, Augusta.

NEW YORK ALUMNI—READ NOTICE ON ANOTHER PAGE OF COMING MEETING! PREX'LL BE THERE.

LEST WE FORGET—

Every week, these meetings are held:

Tuesday, 3.30 sharp, Press Club.

Wednesday, 4.30 sharp (or) Student Council.

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Typical Maine weather.

ECONOMIC SHARKS, FRONT!

The law of "supply and demand" has worked
rather advantageously for the consumer lately.
Anyone who has been reading the daily papers
would say this.

Since January, 1920, sugar has dropt nearly
60%; coffee, 10%; potatoes, 50%; and many other
staple commodities in proportion. And yet,—
many restaurants are still asking ten cents for a

cup of coffee, and board is still hovering around the
\$8 mark.

Write your own editorial.

DEBATING AND YOU

Last week, little Bates defeated mighty Haryard
in a major activity. Her debating team triumphed
over the Harvard trio, by a unanimous decision of
the judges. The same week, Dartmouth was able
to win from Bowdoin only by a two to one deci-
sion. Clearly, our neighbors down state are alive
to the opportunities that activity in forensic circles
offers.

Are we at Colby as quick to realize the benefits
to be derived from intercollegiate debating? Are
we classing it as one of the most important activi-
ties in Colby? Or are we satisfied to let the other
fellow do it? The tri-angular debate with Tufts
and Clark is but a short time away. If you have
any ability whatever along this line, try out for
the debating teams. You not only will be doing
the college a good service but also will be giving
yourself valuable training for the future. Get in
line! Make debating a major activity at Colby.
What are YOU going to do?

THE MAN WHO NEVER SAYS DIE

What kind of man is it, from the heterogeneous
aggregation of our twentieth century civilization,
that the college man will most readily take off his
hat to?

The college student pays deference to genius
and to success, but admires above all the man who,
failing, still persists; who, repulsed, again presses
forward; who, thrown down, rises again and plods
onward.

Such men have played their part in history, even
as they have been celebrated in rhyme, and such
have been present, although in meagre numbers, in
every age and every walk of life.

Here at Colby, we have a man whose persistent
efforts in the face of innumerable obstacles place
him in the class of those few who fail to be
daunted in the face of difficulties. When the
board track failed to be completed at the close of
the vacation period, and grumbles and murmurings
from students arose on every side, the only words
from Coach Ryan upon the subject were that the
usual preliminary relay work did not necessitate
an outdoor track and that by the time the track
athletes would be ready to practice on the boards,
the track would doubtless be in condition for them.

Although disappointed, Mr. Ryan suffered his enthusiasm and zeal to be diminished not one whit, and merely changed his plans so that the preliminary work would take place in the gym instead of out on the track.

Such an example, close at hand, may serve to impress us with the value of such an attitude towards obstacles and may serve to plant in us the seeds of the "never say die" spirit.

H. C. W.

THE LETTER BOX

Dear Editor:

What is the matter with the athletics in the Women's Division at Colby? We have excellent material for intercollegiate tennis and basket ball. If you want us to prove this, give us a chance.

The fault is not with the girls. Every single girl is ready to put herself heart and soul into sports. Where is the fault?

Last spring an Athletic Association was formed. A "head" was chosen. We, as members of the association, were taxed eight dollars for which we were allowed to attend the games at Colby. Fine! Also, we were to receive \$2 out of every \$8 to be used in bettering the athletics in our own division. There have been no signs of its forth coming.

We, the members of the Women's Division, ask that there may be a representative of our division in the Athletic Council of Colby. It is due us as an Athletic Association who believe that "taxation without representation is tyranny."

Sincerely,
EDNA M. CHAMBERLAIN.

ABOUT CLASS SOCIETIES

Editor The Colby Echo,

Dear Sir:—

Don't think I'm writing this because I'm an "also ran," because I do happen to belong to one of those things that annually come to life at Colby—class societies.

Just what are these so-called "honorary" societies for? Promotion of inter-fraternity spirit? Presumably. Fodder for "biographies" in the ORACLE? Apparently. Feeds every year? Seems so—so very much so, indeed that about all the average student knows about these organizations is that they have banquets every spring. On this basis, it would seem that the student joining the freshmen society (U. B.'s), would get the best

results, (i. e., four feeds) while the person elected to the Epicureans "rates" but one banquet.

Just why don't these groups function in a little more definite way than just as "feed societies?" How did this "state of degeneracy" come about? Why don't the officers of these organizations "start something?" These clubs could help the morale of the college a whole lot, if they only would.

The new members of these societies should not let matters run on as they have been. There's no better time than NOW to make these inter-fraternity groups mean something to Colby.

PRO BONO COLBIANI.

(Meaning "jump on the band-wagon.")

NEW YORK BANQUET, FEB. 4

Dear Colby friend:

We are happy to announce that the Annual Colby Alumni Association Dinner and Reunion will be held at the Sherman Square Hotel, Broadway and 17th street, Friday, February 4, 1921, at 7.15 P. M.

President Roberts will be with us, as usual. Other speakers will include Colby alumni and alumnae.

You have been anxiously waiting for this notice and by return mail we shall expect your acceptance. Please be prompt, for it is necessary to know how many will be present in making arrangements. The price of the dinner will be \$3.00 per plate.

It is understood that wives and husbands of the members are honorary members of the Association and are included in this invitation.

Further we remind you that the annual dues of \$3.00 are payable at this time. For those who have been out of college less than three years the dues are \$1.00. One half of all money collected is used to establish a loan fund for the benefit of students at Colby from New York and vicinity. If convenient, please mail with your acceptance a check for \$6.00 to cover both yearly and dinner fee.

Yours very cordially,

NEW YORK COLBY ALUMNI ASSOCIATION

George W. Percy, Secretary-Treasurer.

Jan. 13, 1921.

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Pennsylvania has more higher institutions of learning than any other state in the Union, 61 being located in the Keystone state. In order follow Illinois, 59; New York, 54; Ohio, 53; and Missouri, 41.

THE INCREASE OF STUDENTS

For sometime past the Intercollegiate News Service has been conducting an investigation of the number of students in American colleges and universities, and the trend in attendance as compared with two years ago and with one year ago. Correspondence was carried on with the 175 leading institutions of the country, out of which number 136 furnished adequate statistics. The following table summarizes the information:

Class of institution	Number Responding	Attendance in 1918	Attendance in 1919	Attendance in 1920
State Universities	32	60,304	83,907	95,718
Other Universities	20	56,803	83,115	87,159
State Agricultural and Teachers' Colleges	14	19,866	24,589	26,773
New England Col.	11	9,103	10,892	11,053
Eastern Colleges	11	6,416	6,448	6,735
Mississippi Valley Colleges	28	12,052	14,048	15,014
Pacific Coast Col.	3	1,452	1,653	1,812
Southern Colleges	7	2,799	3,230	3,182
Women's Colleges	102	8,469	8,410	8,398

Note—the figures are all taken for November 1, of each year.

It will be noted that the per cent. of gain is much smaller for 1920 over 1919 than it is for the gain of 1919 over 1918. The Eastern Colleges show the smallest gains except the Women's Colleges and Southern Colleges, which are the only groups to show a decrease. In the Women's Colleges, the decrease was not confined to any one section, but was marked alike in eastern, southern, and western institutions.

In noting the figures of the individual institutions we find that the schools showing the largest gain this year over the attendance last year are:

Kansas State University	96 %
Otterbein College, Ohio	87 %
Pennsylvania State College	33 %
Wake Forest College, North Carolina	32 %
University of California	28 %

It was interesting to note the steady decrease in attendance at such institutions as Yale and Tu-lane Universities and at Trinity, Butler, Hamline, and Roanoke Colleges.

Institutions having over five thousand students are: Columbia, 23,793; California, 16,379; New York, 9,861; Illinois, 8,291; Boston University, 7,866; Minnesota, 7,437; Ohio State, 7,156; Wisconsin, 7,004; Northwestern University, 6,380; Chicago, 5,728; Harvard, 5,597; Washington State University, 5,191, and Cornell, 5,174.

WHY THREE WEEKS AT CHRISTMAS?

A survey of the colleges of New England shows that Colby is one of the few which allow a three weeks vacation at Christmas time. From opinions gleaned here and there from the student body it appears that this is unsatisfactory in many ways. This system must have many obvious advantages or it most certainly would not be in the college curriculum.

From our arrival here, the first of January, to the Easter vacation is a long period, especially as the whole time is in mid-winter—to most students the hardest, most disagreeable and monotonous season in the school year. During all this period, one day is allowed for the students to recuperate from the mid-year examinations. Most of the colleges have a week at this time.

Is it necessary to have three weeks at Christmas and could not one of these weeks be postponed until after the examinations? Of course, such a lengthy vacation at Christmas allows those students, who have the desire, time to earn a little money but do these men earn any more by having the extra week? Most of the Christmas jobs come during the first week of the holidays and then the men are unable to find work the other two weeks. Two weeks is ample time in which to rest up and most students are more reconciled to coming back after the second week than they are after the third.

As it looks to the writer, much time is wasted or at least the third week of Christmas vacation is not appreciated nearly as much at that time as it would be a month and a half later, after the mid-years. And would not this new plan be of greater benefit to the professors who have to correct all the examinations in a very short space of time and teach their various classes too? One week of rest between semesters would come as a Godsend to many students who now look forward to the winter term with regret. The writer is certain in his own mind that the students as a whole would be in much better spirits during the winter term, with a week of vacation between semesters, and that the professors themselves would not be so petulant.

J. P. T.

CAMPUS CHAT

Charles W. Atchley, '03, called at the Phi Delt house, recently.

Harold L. Baldwin, ex-'22, was a visitor at the Phi Delt house over the week end.

Lowery, Dunnack, and Smith played with the Waterville A. A. at Coburn Tuesday night, and won by a score of 40 to 33.

Teague, '22, was called to his home in Bath Tuesday, because of illness.

McCormack, '20, who is employed by the National Survey at New London, Conn., visited at Hedman hall last week.

Word has been received from Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Gates, '19, from Port Said, Egypt, where they were making a brief stay en route to Burma. They report a pleasant voyage and delightful weather.

Lovely, '23, spent the week end in Skowhegan. Rev. Harold E. Curtis of Saco stayed over night at the Lambda Chi Alpha house as the guest of Clifford Peaslee.

The basketball team from the Belfast High school, which played the Winslow High school last Friday night, put up at the Lambda Chi Alpha house.

Thomas R. Cook of the class of '22 was the week end guest at the Lambda Chi Alpha house. Ask "Tom" why.

Roy Wenzel, graduate of U. of M., called on Bill Bailey last Sunday afternoon.

Pulsifer, Bailey, Terry, and Ware returned last week from Cuba, where they attended the annual D. K. E. convention.

Fred and Elliot Chase are recovering from typhoid fever, and are at their home in Skowhegan.

Alan Mercer has returned to college after an extended vacation.

"Bill" Weise has had a severe attack of pneumonia, but is recovering rapidly. His parents from New York have been with him for a few days.

Verne Smith, who completed his course here at Christmas time, is now principal of the Sullivan High school.

Charlie Mitchell, '21, has accepted an offer to occupy the pulpit at Mt. Vernon during the winter.

The A. T. O. basketball team played games with Rockland and Rockport during the past week end, beating the Rockland team 17-10, and the Rockport team 26-18. Friday night the team will play Unity high at Unity, and Saturday night, will play the Wilton team at Hilton.

Henry L. Brophy, ex-'23, visited the Zete house over the week-end.

Louis Morin and David Daniels have returned to college.

Louis Crosby, ex-'20, is having a successful season as coach of Edward Little High school in Auburn, Maine.

Stricken Freshman (to pretty co-ed): "You are the breath of my life, Caroline."

Blushing co-ed: "Oh, really? Then see how long you can hold your breath"

The Kiss

"But"—

"No."

"Just"—

"No."

"Once"—

"No."

"Please"—

"No—"

* * * * *

"Henry, why didn't you shave?"—Exchange.

Tonrist (gazing at volcano): "Looks like hell, doesn't it?"

Native: "How those Americans have traveled!"
—Harvard Lampoon.

"Grieve not that men know not you; grieve that you know not men."—Confucius.

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Y. W. C. A. NOTES

Save Saturday Evening, January 22.

Tuesday, January 11, Dr. H. C. Libby gave an inspiring talk at chapel on "The Importance of Forming Habits and Making Friends."

Misses Eleanor Hawes and Helen Williams led Y. W. C. A. meeting on Tuesday, January 11. The topic was "New Year's Resolutions."

"Student Standards of Action" is the book that is being discussed at the Sunday afternoon study this term. These meetings are very well attended and great interest is manifested in them. The topics, practical and interesting, are found applicable to the daily student life.

A letter was recently received from Mrs. Helen Baldwin Gates. She expressed her appreciation of her gift from Colby Y. W. C. A., and sketched the beauties of the trip. The letter was written from Port Said, Egypt.

Saturday evening, January 22, the senior and sophomore classes will combine their efforts in a Stunt Party to be given in the chapel. It is certain to prove very enjoyable to all those who attend, of whom it is hoped there will be a large number. To raise money, primarily for paying the expenses of the Camp Marqua convention to be held in June, is one object of the party, another is for sheer enjoyment. Twenty-five cents will be the admission fee. All come! Watch for the posters.

The Delta Delta Delta Fraternity held its annual banquet at the Elmwood, Saturday night. Those present were the members of the active chapter; Nettie Runnals, '08; Marion Brown, '12; Margaret Adams Austin, '13; Marion Dodge Keefe, '14; Alice Clarkin, '16; Louise Springfield, '16; Zadie and Zella Reynolds, '18; Bertha Terry, ex-'18; Ann Caswell, ex-'18; Hildegard Drummond, '19; Marjorie Smith Webber, ex-'20; Helen Getchell, '20; and Bernice Smith from the Alpha Kappa chapter at Maine.

Geraldine Baker, '21, has returned to college after an operation for appendicitis.

Elizabeth Whipple, '21, spent the Christmas holidays in New York.

Mr. Langdon Clark visited Helen Pratt, '24, over the week end.

Dorothy Mitchell, '21, and Dorothy White, '22, are taking a course in domestic science at Coburn.

The engagement of Ruth Harlow, ex-'21, to John Tobey of Waterville was announced Wednesday at an informal tea given in the Alpha Delta Pi sorority rooms.

Catherine Tuttle, '21, has returned to college after a week's illness.

Marjorie Kemp and Arlene Ringrose called on friends in Fairfield, Sunday.

Margaret Abbott entertained Feneda Hawkesley at dinner. Sunday.

Doris Ackley spent the week end in Fairfield.

The annual pledge party of the Chi Omega Fraternity was held at The Melcher, the home of Clara W. Carter, '21, Saturday evening. Stunts and games were enjoyed and delicious refreshments were served.

Gladys E. Dow, ex-'21, of Foxcroft was the week end guests of friends at Foss Hall.

Esther Holt, '24, was called to her home in Clinton this week by the death of her grandmother.

Edna A. Briggs, '22, was the reader at the entertainment held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank M. Sedgley, Heath street, Monday evening, in honor of their twenty-fifth wedding anniversary.

Merle E. Davis, '21, entertained the members of the senior delegation of the Chi Omega at a beefsteak dinner at the fraternity rooms Tuesday evening. Each guest was in fancy costume.

The table decorations were pink and white. Pink candles and shades were used to carry out the color scheme. Dinner was served at 5.30 o'clock, covers being laid for twelve.

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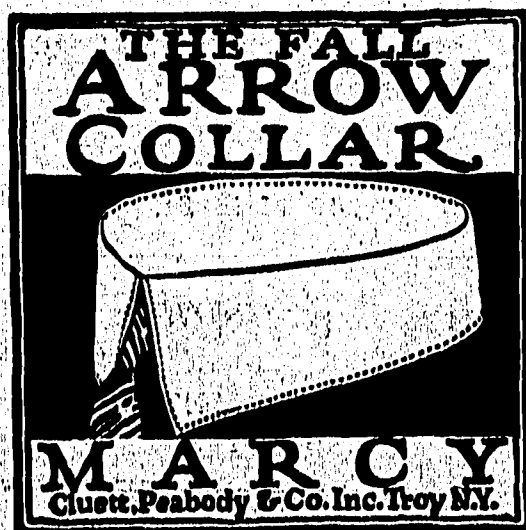
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