

Coburn Contest In  
College Chapel  
On Thursday Night

# THE COLBY ECHO

Attend Track Meet  
Colby vs. Bates  
Saturday Afternoon

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## Annual Coburn Contest Thursday

Ten Women Will Compete  
For Prizes Totalling \$100

The annual Coburn Prize Speaking contest, open to the members of the women's division, will be held in the College Chapel at 7.30 o'clock, Thursday evening, February 20.

The list of speakers with their subjects follows: The Living Dead, Amy Harriet Thompson, '36; A Product of Maine, Constance Knickerbocker, '39; "What is Man?," Violet Merle Hamilton, '39; The Tragedy of Peace, Marion Elizabeth Crawford, '39; A Curriculum Need, Joyce Margaret Perry, '38; Eva Le Gallienne, Betty Herd, '38; Off to Somewhere, Margaret Evelyn Higgins, '38; In Defense of Modern Youth, Mary Temple Crowley, '39; Nonsense Verse, Genevieve Rose Spear, '37; Haven of Refuge, Josephine Agatha Bodurtha, '38.

Dean Ninnetta M. Runnals will preside over the contest.

The prizes to be awarded total one hundred dollars and are the gift of Miss Louise Helen Coburn of Skowhegan, former trustee of the college, and a graduate of the class of 1877.

## Relations Club Hears Of Italy

Prof. Conley Tells Of The School System And Life

The guest speaker at the International relations club meeting Tuesday evening was Professor Conley who has but recently returned from a teaching position in Italy. He spoke on the school system there and offered many interesting sidelights on the private life of the individual.

Their colleges and universities are run most haphazardly for there is no announced date for the commencement of school and three long vacations are spread out through the year. But, said Professor Conley, they manage to turn out students who are at the end of their secondary school education, corresponding to a freshman in college as mature as our college graduates.

He commented on the restrictions of freedom of speech and the resultant omission of Fascist talk either pro or con. He did state that some few people view with hostility the Italo-Ethiopian campaign and feel that their country should not adopt such a policy.

In conclusion Professor Conley spoke for a short time on the mores of the Southern Italian in comparison with those of the Northern Italian and noted their discrepancies.

## Plans For Play Day Nearing Completion

Plans for the Annual Play Day, February 28 and 29, which is to be held this year at Colby, are nearing completion. The University of Maine, Bates college, Nason college, and the University of New Hampshire will be represented each by five delegates and their respective instructors.

A program has been organized which will include a social gathering Friday evening, Feb. 28, in the Alumnae building. Saturday morning a tentative program has been arranged, which will include ski races, tobogganing, and snowshoeing. Lunch will be served at the Outing Club House.

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## Prof. Colgan To Speak To Education Group

Prominent Educators Will Attend National Meeting

One of the speakers at the annual convention of the Department of Superintendence of National Education, which is to be held February 22-27, in St. Louis, will be Professor E. J. Colgan, it was announced recently.

On Monday, February 24, he will appear before one of the 36 discussion groups into which the convention will be divided and uphold the affirmative side of the subject, "Homogeneous grouping on the bases of I. Q.'s and E. Q.'s is an aid to modern methods of teaching." Professor J. R. McGaughey, of Teachers College, Columbia University, will take the negative side of the same question. That Professor Colgan has been chosen to speak at this convention is a credit both to his ability as an educator and to the college which he represents, because over 4000 superintendents of schools, state education officers, and heads of college and university education departments will be represented at this convention.

The general theme of the convention will be "The Function of the Schools in the Democracy," and the two most important meetings will be a symposium on federal support of public education on Monday, Feb. 24, and a symposium on current national political issues by speakers representing major national political parties, on the day following. In addition to these meetings, there will be discussion groups, talks by nationally known educators, important business meetings, and other features.

The list of speakers includes such well-known personalities as Will Durant, who spoke at Colby recently; Kirkley F. Mather, professor of Geology at Harvard; Payson Smith, Massachusetts educator; Glenn Frank president of the University of Wisconsin; and J. W. Studebaker, U. S. Commissioner of Education.

The National Education Association is the largest association of its kind in the world, and includes the most prominent educators of this country in its membership.

## Varied Program Is Enjoyed By Forum

Flashing down the treacherous ski tracks of the White Mountain, sailing to France for a brief interlude with that country's melodic lays, and travelling to see the international significance of the World Day of Prayer; such were the varying images which were made possible by the individualistic program of the Student Forum supper, at which Charles Russ showed some graphic movies of New Hampshire skiing, Jeanne Peyrot sang some of her native songs, and Lucile Jones interpreted the meaning of February 16 to the work of the Student Christian Federation. Following this part of the meeting, a quiet service of dedication led by the combined "Y" associations fittingly commemorated the day itself.

Since this day is of such importance to the student world at large, the Forum was glad to offer its time of meeting to the use of the "Y's". Upon a brief introduction by Catherine Laughton, Lucile Jones explained the vibrant quality of the work of the Federation Movement. Alluding to Lloyd Douglass' "Mangrove Obsession," she remarked upon Dr. Hudson's formula which proved to be so very workable. Then, turning to the constructive efforts of the Student

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## Pop Concert Will Be Novel Event

Glee Clubs To Sponsor New Kind Of Musical Evening

One of the outstanding social events of the college year will be the pop concert which is to be presented in the Alumnae building by the Colby Glee Clubs on Friday the 13th of March. Fifty-seven tables are to be placed about the floor, with a large space in the center reserved for dancing. Only four can sit at a table, and when all the tables have been reserved, no more tickets will be available. Those who are wise, therefore, will reserve their places at once, as no admissions will be sold at the door. A sell-out is expected long before the day of the concert.

The evening will feature all kinds of music, dancing, and a wide variety of specialty numbers. A dance orchestra, as yet unselected, will play for dancing between the Glee Club numbers and specialties. A local caterer will serve refreshments, and a bevy of Colby beauties will serve as waitresses. Several committees are hard at work completing the minutest details for what should be the most novel and entertaining evening of the college year.

Reservation of tables may be secured from Harold Allen at the Lambda Chi Alpha house, or from Ruth Millett at Foss Hall. If several couples wish to engage tables close together, they will be wise to make their reservations now.

## Co-Eds Hear Of Latest Etiquette

Mrs. Lang And Dr. Libby Are Panhellenic Speakers

On Wednesday evening the first of a series of new Panhellenic programs for all sorority girls took place. Coffee was served after dinner in the playroom for Mrs. Leroy Lang, Gamma province president of Alpha Delta Pi, who was one of the speakers on etiquette, the subject of the evening.

"Be natural," was Mrs. Lang's main suggestion in her delightful talk on how to dress for, act, and talk at a formal dinner. "It takes weeks, actually, to prepare for such an occasion, for, to be able to act at ease at a formal dinner, good manners must be practiced constantly in the home. A life of experience is necessary," she said.

To illustrate her instructive talk, Mrs. Lang took her audience from the boudoir through the entire procedure of a very smart formal dinner. She mentioned the appropriate dress, the proper entrances and exits, and "dinner conversation."

Mrs. Lang discussed briefly the art of conversation at a formal dinner. This, like good manners and poise, is acquired only through constant practice of "high" conversation in home circles.

The group then proceeded to the Alumnae building, where Dr. Herbert C. Libby, the second speaker on this etiquette program, gave his very appropriate talk, familiar to many, on "The Art of Conversation." Dr. Libby outlined the purposes of social conversation, and mentioned some of the essentials of a good participant. "Cultivate a spirit of cheerfulness. . . Be genuinely sincere. . . Be courageous."

Then, on the more practical side of the subject, Dr. Libby enumerated

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## Junior Week-End Plans Point To Festive Affair

Problem Of Highway Safety Is Explained

John J. Maloney Discusses State Plan For Safety

John J. Maloney of the State Highway Department spoke at Men's Chapel on the functions of that body in their efforts to make the highways of this state safe for automobilists and for pedestrians. "The amount of injuries and deaths caused by the automobile and the carelessness of the pedestrian is fast becoming a major national problem." The Governor has chosen a committee of ten to investigate the causes of the present high accident rate in this state, and that body has recommended a fourfold plan to secure greater highway safety; first, through our educational system we must make the children safety-conscious; second, engineers have been appointed to determine the technical causes of accidents and observers selected to report infractions of the traffic laws; third, the cooperation of automobilists and pedestrians is being sought through written pledges; fourth, there will be stricter enforcement of all traffic regulations.

In closing Mr. Maloney said, "Things are on the upturn, the future offers a great challenge to college students which they should accept. Build that future on happiness, not wealth. You have everything to live for; it is folly to take unnecessary risks, and I salute you on the threshold of a great career."

## Washington's Life Is Reviewed In Chapel

In view of the proximity of the birthday of the Father of our Country, Amy Thompson '37, as representative of the advanced public speaking class, spoke in women's chapel on Monday on the personality of George Washington.

In her brief address, Miss Thompson attempted to banish the old ideas regarding Washington, the ideas which so many have about him as a patron saint, a deified personality, and a standard of moral conduct. The speaker said that when she thought of Washington, the first impression she usually felt was the importance of the man in connection with such stories as the cherry tree episode and the crossing of the Delaware.

Briefly, Miss Thompson covered the significant events in the life of the man, pointing out that he was no more than human, and that even he had the little faults that are so common to all of us.

In speaking of Washington's military activities, Miss Thompson quoted a statement made by the great leader, concerning his men, "Though they might not command success, they would deserve it."

The speaker rapidly covered Washington's two terms as president. In speaking of his appointment to the presidency for the first term, Washington said, "In confidence, I tell you that my movements to the chair (the presidency) are not unlike those of a convict to his chair of execution."

"I wonder," said Miss Thompson, "if we can find such men today. . . If we would think of the man as a real

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April 23, 24, 25 Are Dates Set For The Occasion

John J. Sheehan, president of the Junior class, stated laying plans for the best Junior Week-End in history early in the week by naming Edson Goodrich and Gerald Ryan to fill two class offices left vacant by the failure of Lendal Mahoney and Paul Evers to return to college. Goodrich will serve as vice-president, while Ryan is to act in the capacity of secretary-treasurer.

Sheehan has not definitely made any statements as yet concerning what the Prom is going to be like and who is going to provide the soft music for the men and co-ords to sentimentalize to. He hopes to secure one of the outstanding bands available in New England and has two or three under consideration at the present time. No definite move will be made until the Prom committee meets with the Faculty Social Committee on Friday.

It has been the custom in past years for the Junior Prom committee to dazzle the eyes and imagination of the students with thought of having some outstanding "name" band play for the prom. Their enthusiasm has been aroused to a fever pitch, only to find out at the last minute that the booking agents weren't reliable and sent a substitute band. Sheehan is not going to do business with a booking agent, but is going to deal directly with some of the best bands in New England.

The best Prom in history certainly wouldn't be complete without some sort of a musical comedy production. At the present time three members of the men's division are working out a farcical musical comedy. This may be approved by the committee, and then there is always that alternative of having some other type of entertainment instead of a play or a musical comedy.

The fact that makes the committee dubious about having a student production put on is the lack of interest in the student body as a whole toward such a proposition. As has been proved through experience during past years, students are more than willing to take part in the productions but hardly think it necessary to bother themselves to take part in rehearsals. If a play is put on this year the cast will have to be faithful in attendance of rehearsals in order to insure a complete success.

The dates for the Junior Week-End will be April 23, 24, 25,—Thursday, Friday and Saturday. The play will be presented Thursday night, Friday night will be the Prom, while Saturday will be the State Series baseball game and house chasers.

All indications point to the best Week-End ever held at Colby. Let mirth be unconfined, joy be unconstrained, happiness be unlimited, brotherhood be undoubted, fellowship be undaunted, well in short, we'll see you in THE ECHO each Wednesday night and finally wind it all up at a great Junior Week-End.

### NOTICE

Wonder—Question—Think  
But be frank at the  
Student Round Table Discussion  
Fellowship Forum—6:30—Feb. 23rd  
Fireplace Room First Baptist Church  
Everybody invited

# SPORTS OF THE ECHO

## Hockey Team Meets Defeat By Brown

### Lemieux Stars For Colby In Hard Fought Game

An in and out hockey season was brought to an end last Friday night at Providence with Colby's Mules taking a 3-2 defeat at the claws of a rather angry Brown Bear. The game was very fast and exciting all the way, and even though the score reads in Brown's favor, as far as playing goes, the Millettmen were skating rings around the Bruins most of the time. Remarkable goal tending on the part of Skillings, former Newton, Mass., high all-scholastic star, prevented Colby from beating Tom Taylor's boys for the second straight year. It is easy to believe that Skillings deserves his rating as the best collegiate goalie in the East after watching his performance Friday night. Time and again Lemieux, Paganucci, and Hannigan came down the ice to shoot at him standing in the cage alone only to have him pull the puck out of the danger zone with a miraculous save. His work was the most wildly applauded of any during the evening.

In the first period Brown went into the lead when Jack Butler, former Newton High star, netted the puck past Thompson on a solo from his right defense position. Butler, a 200 pound, six foot six inch giant, was bouncing the Colby boys around most of the evening and didn't repress his showman antics until he tangled with Jack Sheehan in the Colby defense zone a couple of times.

In the second period Lemieux scored on his best piece of stick-work of the year. Rum was easily the best skater and stick-handler on the ice, and only alert goal tending prevented his scoring five times or more.

In the final chapter Brown scored two more goals with Benton and Capt. Hart ringing the bell. Colby put on the pressure in the last five minutes of play, but Brown stalled and prevented any hope of a Mule score.

The line-up:  
Brown (3) Colby (2)  
Hart, Shepperd, Darling, lw.  
rw., Hannigan, Guiney  
Kerins, Welch, Dye, c. c, Lemieux  
Olney, Newman, Benton, rv  
lw., Paganucci  
Appleyard, Shaw, ld. rd., Sheehan  
Butler, Eccleston, rd. ld., Walker  
Skillings, g. g., Thompson  
Goals—Benton, Butler, Hart, Lemieux, 2.

## Four Teams Unbeaten In Hoop League

Inter-fraternity basketball goes into its third week of battle with four teams still on the undefeated list. The Phi Delt lead the pack at present by virtue of having played more games than the others. The D. U. and Lambda Chi outfits have kept their slates unmarred with four wins

each, and the Zeta, basketballers have been on the long end of three scores.

The other five teams seem to be definitely out of the running with the Theta Kaps living in the cellar at present. It would be hard to dope the winner at this stage of the game as only about half the games have been played. The Phi Delt and Lambda Chi have powerful clubs, but neither one will be sure of the crown until they have defeated the diminutive and speedy D. U. quintet.

Among the last few games the D. U.'s overpowered the Dekes thirty seven to twenty-three. After breaking even the first half, the D. U.'s speed and stamina began to tell on the tiring Dekes. Lambda Chi easily conquered the Theta Kaps seventy-seven to nine in a one-sided contest. The Phi Delt defeated the Dekes thirty-five to twenty in a comparatively slow game.

When the league leaders clash in the next few weeks the spectators should see some exciting basketball.

The summary:

Fraternity	Won	Lost
P. D. T. ....	5	0
D. U. ....	4	0
L. C. A. ....	4	0
Zetas ....	3	0
D. K. E. ....	1	3
K. D. R. ....	0	2
A. T. O. ....	0	3
Tau Delt ....	0	4
T. K. N. ....	0	5

## Bowdoin Is Defeated Third Time By Mules

### Forward Line Shows Fast Brand Of Hockey

Flashing into high gear and scoring five times in the second period to take a commanding lead, Colby's state ice champions successfully defended their crown by defeating a stubborn Bowdoin sextet 9-3 at the South End Arena last Wednesday afternoon.

Paced by "Rum" Lemieux, "Al" Paganucci, and "Art" Hannigan, high scoring forward line, the Mules scored their third triumph over their Polar Bear rivals this season and thus established an undisputed claim to the college hockey championship of the state. Only the sensational goal-tending of "Dick" Steer, all-Maine goalie of a year ago, kept the Mule attack from running completely wild. Steer, until incapacitated late in the second period by a flying puck, played spectacularly in holding the Blue at bay.

"Rum" Lemieux opened the scoring early in the opening session when he converted a pass from Sheehan. Bowdoin tied the count at 13:15 but "Jim" Guiney cashed in on a Paganucci pass a minute later to send the Colby sextet ahead.

In the second period the Mules pressed hard and scored five times, Paganucci scoring twice and Lemieux, Hannigan and Walker counting once each.

Again in the final period, Paganucci and Lemieux teamed up to score twice, before Bowdoin could again

counter a pair of goals late in the session.

The line-ups:

Paganucci, Davenport, lw  
rw, Dearing, Harkins  
Lemieux, Cadorette, c.  
c, Rutherford, Arnold  
Hannigan, Guiney, Duff, rw  
lw, Thomas, Buck  
Walker, Sparkes, Young, ld  
rd, Bass, Dana  
Sheehan, Ryan, rd ld, Lawrence  
Thompson, Blanchard, g  
g, Steer, McGill

Goals—Paganucci 3, Lemieux 3, Hannigan, Walker, Guiney, Rutherford, Arnold, Lawrence.

## THE MULE KICKS

By Jerry Ryan

Uncle Sam's Olympic forces will have to do a great deal better in the summer competition which will be held in Berlin during July and August if the United States is to retain her place as the top nation in the world when it comes to athletic activity.

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The flags of Norway and Germany were flying over the Olympic village of Garmisch-Partenkirchen most of the time, and the best that any of our boys could do was a first in the two-man bobsled contest. There is no excuse that can be offered except that the European winter sports competitors simply were superior. Until the people in this country become conscious of the fact that winter sports are the coming branch of athletics, this country will be forced to take a back seat in activities with other countries on the ice and snow.

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Just what chance we have of cleaning up in the track events during the coming summer will depend on the ability of the aces of the present indoor season to stay in shape and carry their championship form on the outdoor cinders.

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In the sprint events the Americans should clean up if such jinxes as pulled tendons and "charley horses" are avoided. Eulace Peacock of Temple University and Jesse Owens of Ohio State, the two dusky flashes, are unquestionably among the most versatile cinder performers now living. Both of these boys are at home in the 100 and 200 meter events, as well as in the broad jump; while Owens adds to his versatility by taking in the hurdles as well. New Olympic records for the dash events are a possibility for these two boys; while a new mark in the broad jump is a certainty if they are in top form. Ralph Metcalf, former Marquette star, and a member of the last Olympic team, has been doing pretty well on the boards, but it is doubtful if the former national champion will ever regain his 1932 form. Roy Draper and George Anderson, a couple of Pacific coast boys, have an outside chance to land in the select circle of three who will be taken along to compete in the dash events.

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America will be very well fortified with potential scorers in the 110 and 400 meter hurdles. Among the foremost stick climbers in the nation at the present time are: Sam Allen, of Oklahoma Baptist, Forrest Towns of Georgia, Willis Ward of Michigan State, Milton Green of Harvard, Sammy Klopstock of Stanford, and last but not least Phil Good of Bowdoin. Allen has the best records over the high hurdle route outdoors even though Good and Towns have been taking his measure on the boards this winter. It wouldn't be surprising to see the final selection of Allen, Towns and Good; that is if they come through in the final tryouts.

Due to the fact that competition in the 400 meter low hurdles is held once each Olympic year, about the only man about whom much is known is Glen Hardin of Louisiana State, ace of the 1932 team. Glen has been bothered with a bad leg, but will be in

shape by the time the athletic contest for all the nations rolls around.

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Hockey and basketball are practically over for the year, and track, baseball and spring football will be holding the attention of most of the athletic aspirants in the school. The hockey team had a successful season, the final surge for the inter-frat hoop trophy should be interesting—and at the same time it is good to ponder on the varsity football situation for next fall.

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### COLLEGE NOTES

Joe Murphy has been working some of the Bates hockey players into the line-up for the K. of C. team with the hope that the ice sport will be resumed at the Bobcat institution next winter. Speaking of Bates brings to mind the fact that Bernie Marcus does a great job with his column in the Sunday Telegram. Saw Eddie Seay at the Portland Eye and Ear Infirmary last Sunday afternoon. Eddie is recuperating from a minor blow on the head received in an automobile mixup on January 26. It is nothing very serious and he gives his regards to all the Colby boys. Roger Whitmore, Edward Little football, basketball, baseball, and track star, hopes to enter Colby next fall. Whitmore was mentioned on several All-Maine selections in a halfback position. Another ex-Red Ghost athlete apparently headed this way is Kenzie Young, now attending Hebron. He will have some Olympic dope next week. Don't forget that dual meet with Bates here next Saturday afternoon. It is the only varsity attraction here during the remainder of the indoor season. Among the Bates boys to keep your eyes on are Tony Kishon, the best all around weight tosser in the nation; Art Danielson, a fine 1000 yard man; Bud Catlin, former South Portland High timber topper; and Bill Luokko, a first class middle distance man.

## Athletic Notices

### Baseball Managers

All freshmen wishing to be baseball managers should report immediately to, or leave their names with, George Holbrook at the Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity house.

### Weight Events

The weight events for the track meet with Bates on Saturday will start shortly after 1.30 P. M. Track events will be held just as soon as the weight events are concluded. We expect a good crowd on hand for the only varsity indoor meet of the season.

### Football Drills

Football drills are being held daily, and all varsity candidates who are not otherwise occupied should report to Coach Eddie Roundy immediately and receive instructions.

### Battery Men

Baseball battery men are reporting school with previous pitching experience. If there are any freshmen in enee, report at once.

### Hockey Equipment

Hockey equipment should be turned in at the equipment room immediately.

### OUTING CLUB TO LEAVE FOR MOUNT WASHINGTON

The Colby Outing Club plans to make a winter ascent up Mt. Washington, the highest peak in New England. Cars will leave Waterville shortly after lunch on Friday, February 21, for Gorham, N. H., where the club expects to make its headquarters.

Saturday, February 22, the ascent will be made by way of the carriage road. Skis will be used as far as it is practical. Sunday morning will be used in skiing up in Tuckerman Ravine. The club will return Sunday afternoon arriving in Waterville sometime in the evening. If you are interested and have not already made reservations see Charlie Russ or Robert Anthony at once so that arrangements can be made for transportation.

## Track Team Meets Bates Saturday

The Colby White Mule Varsity Track team will meet Bates in a dual meet scheduled here this season. The promptly at 1.30 and will be well worth watching, inasmuch as local fans will have an opportunity to see Bates's Anton Kishon, a great Olympic prospect, in action.

Kishon will participate in the discus, the thirty-five pound weight throw, and the sixteen pound shot put. The Mules cannot expect to garner better than a second place against this stellar performer. To add to his afternoon activities it is not unlikely that Anton will participate in the broad jump and both the hurdles. Kishon's feats alone will be well worth watching all the afternoon.

Due to his showing at Bowdoin last Monday, Sol Fuller appears to be the best Colby bet in the 45 yard dash which get under way shortly after 3 P. M. Sol will push Keller of Bates to the limit. Sol will also run in the 300 along with Bob Turbyne. They should do a creditable job.

At Bowdoin, Paul Merrick ran the 600 in the fastest time he has ever shown and he finished second close he has hit a fast stride he should do behind Bowdoin's Cowan. Now that much better against the Bobcat. Herbie DeVeber will again compete in both the mile and the two mile runs. He should stand a fine chance of winning the two mile run despite the fact he will be running against a very good man in Tubbs of Bates.

Keller of Bates appears to be the man to beat in the broad jump and Stan Washuk, Johnny Dolan and Bob Neumer seem to be the most logical Colby choices to do so.

The White Mules will find it difficult to amass any points in the dash unless Cecil Daggett should come into his own once more. At present Stan Washuk and Sol Fuller are the fastest dash men.

In the hurdles Johnny Dolan will have a much better chance of winning than he had at Bowdoin. The jump will find Brackett and Anderson attempting to soar to high altitudes. Anderson should profit by his experience at Bowdoin and should do much better. Brackett is coming along slowly but should improve before the season is over. The Bobcats have two excellent 12 foot pole vaulters and will undoubtedly have little difficulty in walking off with this event. Be on hand promptly at one thirty to see a very fine Olympic prospect in action, namely, Anton Kishon.

## Baseball Practice To Start Soon

General baseball practice will start on February 27 for those other than last year's varsity men. These men will report for practice approximately one week later. For the past few weeks battery candidates have been working out in the Field House with Coach Eddie Roundy. Art Brown, veteran of two years, John Pullen, and Charlie McGregor are the catchers who have been working out daily. Other than Brown, varsity experience is lacking. Lefty Cole is the sole finger with much previous varsity experience, while Al Berrie and Tony De Marinis pitched for the second team last spring. Laurel Hersey, Ralph Platz, and Ed Cleveland are the only freshman twirlers who have been working out. At present Platz seems to be the most outstanding of the group. The remaining pitching candidate is Bill Dyer, a transfer from Ricker, who is ineligible for varsity competition.



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## Ye Gladiator Column



Dear Gladiator:

When the high and mighties of this institution dealt the pack, why was the music department given the lowest cards in the deck? The athletic department, the public speaking department, and the other largely recognized campus organizations held all the aces and kings, but that up-and-coming group of potential singers and instrumentalists, the band and the glee club, held all losing cards, and could offer absolutely no competition against the tackles and guards, and the Monday night lecturers.

Moreover, until this year our musicians were given no regular rehearsal room. They were more or less accustomed to being shoved around from place to place on rehearsal nights.

Finally, the music department is expected to exist and progress on nothing. It seems that the director is expected to produce resources for music from thin air, while our gallant football men are supported by the entire student body.

The music department is sick and tired of playing a dummy hand. How about giving them a redeal?

Uncle Eli.

Dear Gladiator:

This revered institution of higher learning is fast becoming a hot-bed of organizations and movements of various sorts from the Pacifist clubs to the "let's borrow a dime and buy a beer association." It has been truly written in letters of jade that Colby has more movements than an eight-day clock.

The college was going along peacefully until one fatal day last spring when a certain campus leader found out that there was some sort of movement whereby all the "right thinking" students in colleges throughout the land would cut their classes and gather to show their opposition to war. The plan was announced and acclaimed by students and faculty alike—but for different reasons. To the professor, it offered a chance to be relieved of the painful duty of looking into the bright and shining faces of his class for one period at least. To the student, it meant a cut; no one, or very few, cared why. So Colby joined the nation's "progressives" in the movement that must have made Mussolini and Hitler shiver apprehensively.

Thus started the "Movement

Rage." As this goes to press (or to the waste-basket) we are in the middle of this rage. Any one in college who has an idea, or what he thinks is an idea, immediately starts a movement of some kind. Now these numerous movements don't exactly accomplish anything, but they do serve to break the monotony of a rather prosaic existence. To the "movementers" they offer opportunity to blow off steam and expound theories as vital to the world's welfare as the proverbial snow-ball. To those students who have not entered into the movement spirit, they offer the same diversion as Groucho Marx or Joe Penner and at the same plane of humor. But I am consoled by the fact that such crazes always pass in time; there is still hope for our return to sanity.

Yours,

G. R.

Dear Gladiator:

After spending two or three evenings in the college library attempting to study I am undecided as to the purpose of maintaining the library at Colby. Is it merely a meeting-place for social gatherings of various cliques, or is it primarily a place for students to work without interruptions and in a quiet atmosphere. Considering all the talking, whispering, and laughing that is carried on by so many students, especially in the reserve book room, it is practically impossible for a student to apply himself diligently to his studies. It used to be the custom for a fellow to go from his fraternity house to the library if he wished to study in quiet, but now he gets a book at the library and then goes back to the fraternity house to find a quiet place for study. It seems to me that with more student assistants than ever before it should be possible to keep the library more quiet than it has been in the past.

Yours truly,

Joe Bush.

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## 15 YEARS AGO

Fifteen years ago there appeared in the ECHO an announcement of an essay contest. The topic to be written on was "Five Ways of Earning Money at College," and the length of the article was not to exceed 500 words. Eight prizes were offered amounting to \$75. The amusing part comes when we see who offered the awards. The donor was Arthur Murray and according to an article in Forbes magazine at the time worked his way through Georgia Tech. Mr. Murray taught dancing and had 660

pupils—the largest dancing class in the world. He profited \$15,000 a year. Could we but ask him ways of earning money at college!

## 100 YEARS AGO

## DOLLAR-A-WEEK BOARD

An interesting document that has recently come to light in the library is the bill of fare prescribed for the college commons in 1835, by the prudential committee of Waterville College. The paper reads as follows:

## Bill of Fare

For breakfast: Coffee with molasses and milk and bread and butter.

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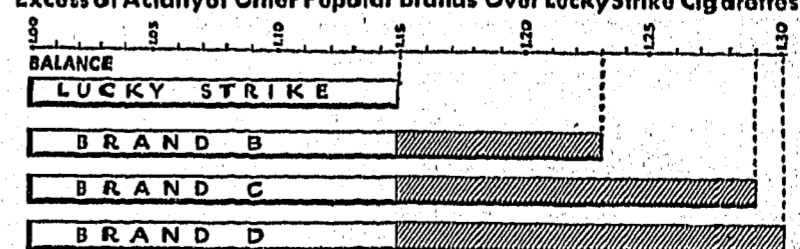
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## Seating In Chapel . . .

ONE thing which inevitably goes along with any old institution is its tradition. This college is no exception to the rule, and we find ourselves in the midst of various old customs and traditions which have been observed on our campus for many years. Some are worth adhering to, while others should undoubtedly be abandoned. The observance of some of these old traditions still has practical value, while others are maintained simply due to the human nature's tendency to stay with that which is old because of certain sentimental associations which have grown up around it.

What we wish to comment on at this point is one of these traditions which has disappeared during the past few years, and which we believe could well be maintained here at Colby. To come to the point, we believe that the old system whereby the classes sat in definite sections during chapel periods should be revived. Members of the senior class of the men's division will recall that as Freshmen we sat in the section of the chapel pews farthest from the doors, that the sophomores filled the next section, the juniors the next, and the seniors in the section near the doors. In talking with old alumni, we find that such a plan was carried out for a great many years. Today, however, anyone sits wherever he happens to spy a seat, and the division between the classes no longer exists.

It is difficult to find specific reasons why we believe that the former system is preferable to the present hap-hazard way of seating, but we believe so nevertheless. There is some degree of satisfaction in advancing a section each year with one's class, and there is also a semblance of class unity apart from fraternity affiliations in the old system. When it comes time for the President to give his annual address to the seniors, and if he directs himself to those seated in the section where the seniors have traditionally been, he will be facing more freshmen and other underclassmen than seniors.

We would suggest a return to the old form of sitting by classes during chapel, and would further suggest that perhaps the Student Council could formulate some sort of method by which this return might be enforced.

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## Co-Eds Entertain Faculty Guests

On Tuesday evening the women's division was hostess to dinner guests at Foss Hall, sponsored by the Y. W. C. A. and Student Government. The guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harper P. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. J. Perriam Danton, Professor and Mrs. Everett F. Strong, and Mr. and Mrs. John W. Brush.

A short musicale was enjoyed following after-dinner coffee. Cecil M. Daggett, '38, rendered several selections on the violin, accompanied by James L. Ross, '36. Mrs. Danton also entertained with one of her delightful "b'r'er rabbit" tales.

The committee in charge was headed by Helen O. Jevons, '37, and Amelia T. Johnson, '37, arranged the musical program. Also assisting were Marjorie D. Gould, '37, and Helen Damon, '39.

## Alpha Delts Initiate Seven New Members

## Tea And Banquet Follow With Mrs. Lang As Guest

Seven new members were initiated into the Alpha Delta chapter of the Alpha Delta Pi Sorority last Friday at four in the afternoon. The initiates were: Ethel Bradstreet, '38, Danvers, Mass.; Frances Coombs, '38, Winn, Mass.; Edith Emery, '37, Haverhill, Mass.; Mary Fairbanks, '37, Houlton, Me.; Helen Foster, '38, Winthrop, Me.; Alice Mulligan, '38, Bath, Me.; Ernestine Wilson, '39, Waterville, Me.

Afterwards the sorority was the guest of the alumnae at a tea given at the home of Mrs. Everett F. Strong on Silver street. They were specially honored by the presence of Mrs. Leroy Lang of Melrose, Mass, president of Gamma province of Alpha Delta Pi.

The sorority repaired to the Elmwood Hotel at 7.30 that evening for a formal banquet under the chairmanship of Edith Emery, '37. The theme of the banquet, based on the diamond-shaped pin, was carried through in titles of the speakers: Ace of Diamonds Mrs. Leroy Lang; Queen of Diamonds, Miss Margaret Lobey; Jack of Diamonds and Hearts, Arline Hayes, '36; Four of Diamonds, Cornelia Bigelow, '37; Joker, Helen Foster, '38; and Deuce of Diamonds, Ernestine Wilson, '39.

With Miss Elizabeth Libbey of the class of '29 as alert toastmistress, the banquet was unquestionably a real success.

## MOTION PICTURE DEMONSTRATION

A demonstration of sound motion pictures made for classroom use will be given next Tuesday evening, February 25, in the lecture room of the Shannon building, at 7.30.

Besides the faculty, members of the scientific clubs and certain other organizations have been invited, and other students will be welcome so far as space is available.

The reels to be shown are as follows: Plant Traps, Oxidation and Reduction, Fundamentals of Acoustics, Geological Work of Ice, Early Social Behavior.

## NOTICE

Application for Alumni Council student loans, to be applied on term bills, should be made to G. Cecil Goddard, Alumni Secretary, 29 Chemical Hall. The necessary papers for filling out may be secured in the Alumni Office.

## TRI-DELT DANCE

Delta Delta Delta entertained at a formal supper dance in the dining room of the Elmwood Hotel Saturday evening. Sorority insignia was the only decoration with a large crescent and stars occupying a prominent position.

The committee in charge included Hildreth Wheeler, Dorothy Cunningham, and Barbara Peiser. Professor and Mrs. A. Galen Eustis, Professor Walter N. Breckenridge, Miss Jane Belcher, Miss Edna Worzel, and Mr. Norman Palmer chaperoned. Ernie George and His Arcadians furnished the music.

## CARD OF THANKS

Mr. Hebert DeVeber,  
President, Student Council:  
I wish to express by deep gratitude to the student body through your Council, and to thank you all for your kind and thoughtful expression of sympathy during my recent bereavement.

Sincerely,  
Gilbert F. Loeb.

## Tau Delta Phi Has Third Anniversary

On Saturday and Sunday, Feb. 8 and 9, the Tau Alpha chapter of Tau Delta Phi initiated seven new members into the fraternity at the chapter house at 14 College avenue.

The new fraters are:  
Robert Stanley Borovoy, '39, Brighton, Mass.; Arnold N. Bernstein, '39, Middle Village, L. I.; Stephen I. Greenwald, '39, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Leo V. Kresky, '39, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Stanley H. Schreider, '39, Wakefield, Mass.; Morris C. Swartz, '39, New York City; Irving X. Ward, '39, Chelsea, Mass.

The committee in charge of the initiation consisted of Vice-consul Ben B. Brownstein, '36, chairman, James J. Fox, '38, and Mitchell Phillips, '38.

The Tau Alpha chapter celebrated its third anniversary as a member of the international fraternity Tau Delta Phi, Tuesday evening, Feb. 11, 1936. In honor of this occasion an induction banquet was held at the Elmwood Hotel. Prof. Hans C. Thory, faculty adviser of the chapter, Dr. Benjamin Wolman, honorary frater, and Prof. William J. Wilkinson were guests of the fraternity at the banquet.

Immediately after the banquet Consul Herman Alderman inducted the new officers for the second semester into their respective offices.

The new officers are:  
Consul, Phillip N. Simon, '36, Brookline, Mass.; Vice Consul, Sheldon Rudnick, '36, Allston, Mass.; Scribe, Leo Sparber, '38, Brooklyn, N. Y.; Quaester, Jerome Brand, '38, New Haven, Conn.; Editor-Historian, Mitchell Phillips, '38, Lynn, Mass.; Alumni Scribe, Leo M. Seltzer, '37, Fairfield, Me.; Sergeant at arms, Harold Wolman, '38, Waterville, Me.

The committee in charge of the banquet was composed of Leo M. Seltzer, '37, chairman, Jerome Brand, '38, and Mitchell Phillips, '38.

## STRAW RIDE

Forty Colby college students, both men and women, enjoyed an old fashioned straw ride Saturday night, Feb. 15. The weather was not too cold and the sky was clear and starry.

Two teams, carrying a gay crowd, left Foss hall about seven o'clock with Fairfield as their destination. The trip was made via Mayflower Hill and the Oakland road.

The hungry party stopped at a real old fashioned New England church in Fairfield Center where they were served hot coffee and doughnuts. The happy crowd returned by the Mountain Ridge road singing many old songs.

The event, sponsored by the Y. M. C. A., was a huge success.

## SNAP SHOTS WANTED

Editor Coyne of the Oracle is planning a pictorial feature for this year's edition which will require about three hundred snap shots of college students and campus scenes. Prizes were announced in THE ECHO last fall for the best pictures in certain classes and also for the student who submits the largest number of usable pictures. Pictures may be left with Coyne, or with Joseph C. Smith, Publicity Office.

## DATES FOR ORACLE PICTURES

Friday, February 21  
Echo Board -----1.00 P. M.  
Oracle Board -----1.15 P. M.  
Sons of Colby -----4.00 P. M.  
Concert Board -----4.15 P. M.  
Monday, February 24  
Powder and Wig ----4.00 P. M.  
Outing Club -----4.15 P. M.  
Tuesday, February 25  
Mathematics Club ---1.00 P. M.  
Camera Club -----1.15 P. M.  
Inter. Relations Club 2.00 P. M.

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The National Institute of Public Affairs has thirty scholarship appointments available for 1936-37. This Institute conducts an internship training program. This training includes experience as an unsalaried, full-time assistant to a government official; attendance at weekly round-table discussions with legislators, administrators, press-correspondents, lobbyists, etc.; attendance in classes on government administration and related subjects; individual supervision by the educational director.

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Application blanks may be obtained from the Scholarship Committee, National Institute of Public Affairs, 400 Investment Building, Washington, D. C.

Seniors who are interested in applying for an internship may obtain further information from Professor Warren.

## CHI GAMMA SIGMA

All those interested in becoming regular or associate members of Chi Gamma Sigma, honorary physics society, are advised to see Professor Wheeler at the Shannon Physics building as soon as convenient. All those are eligible for associate membership who have had more than two and less than four semesters of physics. The mark received in the courses taken come into consideration. All those who have had more than four semesters may become regular members. All associate members may become a regular member by writing and delivering a suitable paper, and he thereby becomes eligible to compete for the Marston Morse prize.

## Gladiator Letter

Dear Gladiator:

(I'm really not picking a fight!)  
And so we are soon to be saved from the cruel throes of thirst, at least, so we hope! Indeed, it will be a cause not only for weary students and even loquacious professors to give thanks, but—consider the point of view of the health enthusiasts.

Yet, with such an addition of a long needed drinking fountain, assuming of course that a heeding ear has been turned, won't the danger become imminent of the altogether too irresistible habit of socializing? What could be more delightful than to chat amiably with a best pal or, date, between sips of that refreshing beverage which bubbles in its aquapurity?

But the day of doom will make its arrival; it is inevitable for the powers that be to descend in all their vehemence. "The Library must be quiet" will be the not unreasonable but quite peremptory whisper, and then, with unwitnessed expediency, the enjoyable tete-a-tete is—ended.

At least this would probably be the case if an examination of present conditions justifies any conclusion; for already, even the innocent attempts to pause for a simple exchange of the weather, or a less innocent but often necessary evil consisting of a committee meeting, these have been consigned, in methods not uncertain, to the bleak regions outside.

But to sum up these senseless rambles, we would wish to express an earnest and naturally quite simple wish that somewhere on campus a room might be opened for the sole use of gatherings of those who would wish to pass spare minutes between the rush of classes, not in Quaker Meeting manner. Old Man Winter, in this snowy clime of Maine, passes certain undefable rules during part of the year, which lead us to say: a campus social room . . . and why not?

Social.

## Frosh Hoop Quintet Rides Over Coburnites

### Yearlings Regain Old Form To Win By 46-26

The Colby freshman hoopsters regained their old form which gave them a clean slate for the first half of the season to swamp a scrappy Coburn Classical Institute team 46 to 26 last Saturday afternoon.

Presenting a somewhat revamped lineup with Hopkins moved from center to guard, Vic Malins to the pivot position, and Spina in the vacated forward berth, the Mules opened up with a smashing offensive that kept Coburn from getting within dangerous scoring distance except in the third period. The complete reversal from the brand of basketball displayed in Spudland kept their opponents who were playing on their own floor, on the defensive. Defensively the freshmen kept Coburn at bay throughout the game.

Buster Burrill had a great afternoon, netting nine goals and a foul shot for 19 points. Malins played his usual brilliant and thinking game to sink five counters. Sterling and Fortier were outstanding for Coburn, but their efforts could not stem the Blue and Gray tide.

#### The summary:

Colby	G	F	P
Burrill, lf	9	1	19
Salisbury, rf	1	0	2
Spina, rf	3	1	7
Malins, c	5	0	10
Hooker, c	1	0	2
Andrews, rg	0	1	1
Antonakos, rg	0	0	0
Hopkins, lg	2	1	5
Total	21	4	46
Coburn	G	F	P
Sterling, rf	4	0	8
Foaley, rf	0	0	0
Arsenault, lf	2	1	5
Daggett, lf	0	0	0
Richards, c	0	0	0
Carey, c	1	1	3
Ferris, rg	0	0	0
Hodgkins, rg	0	0	0
Fortier, lg	5	0	10
Total	12	2	26

## Bowdoin Tracksters Outclass Mules

### Hodges And LaFleur Were First Place Winners

Colby's varsity track squad went down to a 96 1-2 to 29 1-2 defeat at the hands of Johnny Magee's Polar Bear runners in the first dual meet of the season at Brunswick, Monday afternoon.

Phil Good pulled up to the tape in the world record equalling time of 5 4-5 in the 45 yard high hurdles. Carl Hodges in the 16 pound shot, and Kerm LaFleur in the 35 pound weight were the only Colby first place winners.

Herby DeVeber was running a beautiful two mile after having placed in the mile until one of the Bowdoin boys that had been lapped stepped in front of him and prevented him from giving Porter the race that he could have. Another example of boxing took place in the 300 with two Bowdoin men combining to keep Sol Fuller from taking the lead.

#### The summary:

45 yard high hurdle—Won by Good, (B); second, Owen, (B); third, Deane, (B). Time 5 4-5s. (Equals meet record.)
45 yard low hurdle—Won by Good, (B); second, Owen, (B); third, Deane, (B). Time 5 2-5s.
40 yard dash—Won by Owen, (B); second, Fuller, (C); third, Smith, (B). Time 4 4-5s. (Equals meet record.)
300 yard dash—Won by Marvin, (B); second, Turbyne, (C); third, Fox, (B). Time 3 4 3-5s.
600 yard dash—Won by Cowan, (B); second, Merrick, (C); third, Tarbell, (B). Time 1m 17 4-5s. (New meet record.)
1000 yard run—Won by Shute, (B); second, Bond, (B); third, Pritham, (C). Time 2m. 25 4-5s.
Mile run—Won by Shute, (B); second, Porter, (B); third, DeVeber, (C). Time 4 41 2-5s.
Two mile run—Won by Porter, (B); second, DeVeber, (C); third, Young, (B). Time 9m 55 2-5s.
16 pound shot—Won by Hodges, (C); second, O'Donnell, (B); third, LaFleur, (C). Distance 40 ft. 3-4 in.
35 pound weight—Won by LaFleur, (C); second, Hodges, (C); third, Tootell, (B). Distance 40 ft. 11 1-2 in.
Broad jump—Won by D. Soule, (B); second, Hall, (B); third, Stanwood, (B). Distance 20 ft. 10 in. (New meet record.)
Pole vault—Won by Rideout, (B); second, Diller, (B); third, Owen, (B). Height 12 ft. (New meet record.)
High jump—Tie between Stanwood, (B), and Dean (B); third, tie between Owen, (B), and Anderson, (C). Height 5 ft. 8 3-4 in.
Discus throw—Won by Ingalls, (B); second, Healey, (B); third, LaFleur, (C). Distance 112 ft. 10 in.

## Latin Students Meet With Bowdoin Club

Professor Hans C. Thory and three representatives attended the State Classical Club convention at Bowdoin College on Friday. In the evening the delegates met in conjunction with the Bowdoin Classical Club, at the home of President Kenneth C. M. Sills, where they were entertained by his wife, Mrs. Sills. Interesting papers were read by Miss Virginia Nelson of the University of Maine, Mr. Thurman Philoon and Mr. William Carnes, both of Bowdoin. All were of the class of '36.

After this program at which Mr. Francis Benjamin presided, a social period was enjoyed. Much credit is to be given to the Bowdoin Club for initiating this practice among the Maine colleges. It is hoped that Colby may be the host next year.

Those representing Colby as delegates to the convention were, Theresa Henderson, Charlotte Howland and John P. Dolan, all of the class of '36. All are Latin majors in Professor Thory's department.

### SPRING FOOTBALL

Announcement has been made by the Colby Athletic Department that organized football practice will be held from March 2 to March 20. This is a decided innovation to Colby athletics and inasmuch as no other activities are going on at this time a complete turnout of next fall's candidates is expected.

The coaching staff has already indicated that the candidates to be invited back to the fall training will be selected from these workouts. Full details will be given in next week's issue of THE ECHO.

### WASHINGTON'S LIFE REVIEWED

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man, it might help some in the selection of our present American political leaders."

The speaker concluded, "—And let us never stop to acclaim Washington, above everything else, as the Father of our Country."

### VARIED PROGRAM ENJOYED

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Christian Federation in India, Japan, and all over the world, she told of its aim "to see that all lands are tied together in one world community to serve all humanity." As for the purpose of the World Day of Prayer, Miss Jones quoted: "February 16 is the day whereon we organize our kinship with Christian students wherever they may be, and wherever we bear each other's burden."

Some of the French melodies which Miss Peyrot sang in her characteristically charming way were "La Normandie," "Mon Pere Avait Cinquante Moutons," and "Madelon." Reginald Humphrey, president of the Y. M. C. A. led the worship service.

The next meeting of the Forum anticipates a thoroughly alive and searching Round Table discussion carried on by any and all students topics of deepening interest.

### PLANS FOR PLAY DAY

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There will be skating in the afternoon at the Foss Hall rink. A formal banquet in the Alumnae building at seven p. m. followed by a one act play, "Will O' The Wisp," a production of the Dramatic Art Class, will close the activities.

### CO-EDS HEAR OF ETIQUETTE

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a few "avoids" to remember, in social conversation. He mentioned the man who always talks shop, the gossip, the hypocritical individual, the man who brings up the subject known to only one or two in the group, and other objectionable phases of social conversation.

But conversation has another side to it,—listening. "Good listeners are as rare as robins in December," stated Dr. Libby. He then suggested that one learn to submerge himself occasionally.

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In the Gladiator Column next week . . . concerning the Bowdoin meet Monday . . . a comment on a Bowdoin fellow's sportsmanship . . . he acted as he was taught obviously . . . giving a clear cut example of dirty running . . . praised after the race for an infraction of a track rule of sportsmanship and fair play . . . the article will not be written in the nature of sour grapes . . . and will not be written in a frenzied moment . . . comments and opinions will be weighed . . . when we attend track meets, we don't want to see races of the sort . . . it defeats the very purpose of the meet . . .

### POETICAL AGAIN . . .

#### OH SCHEM—ER!

Oh, let's not go to open house  
And let's not go to forum;  
If I. R. C. should meet again  
It couldn't get a quorum.

Renounce these harmless pastimes,  
folks,  
Or they will sap your manhood;  
Oh, come along and join the throng  
That worship Tommy's Van-hood.

For any place, feels pretty blue  
When Thomas isn't there,  
The absence of his shining face  
Loads speakers' hearts with care.

Let's hurry to the lib-rar-y .  
That's ruled by J. P. D.  
A good hard study-time tonight  
Is good enough for me.

Pass round the animal crackers, Van,  
And feed our souls with humor.  
You'll never pale. "You're getting  
stale?"  
Tush, tush, a horrid rumor.

### REMINISCING . . .

Received a relayed note from the old maestro of the quip and jest . . . let's quote and let him tell you the secret that has been outed . . . "Here's where the old schemer steals a march from a Boston columnist by informing you that H. M. P., '34, will place a rock on the little finger of Phyllis Jacob's left hand to plight their troth" . . . Hal Plotkin was the originator of Colby's gossip column, etc., etc., . . . and the above mentioned Phyllis is the girl you saw him with at two Junior Proms in succession . . . good luck, Hal, and I feel sure we'll be hearing from you . . .

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### SO MANY ITEMS . . .

Guess what . . . believe it or no . . . vanSlyke received a letter postmarked in Waterville . . . containing a valentine . . . and he doesn't to this day know who sent the cute card . . . poetical admirers, no, doubt . . .

Among the claimers who say their names have never appeared in the colyum . . . George Cranton . . . George, the moniker has appeared . . . There has been a source of enjoyment for the Lambda Chi Alpherers of late . . . 'tis the fact that Frank "Wimpy" Baker received a valentine . . . a picture of Wimpy was imprinted thereon . . . it's still good for a laugh . . . and he is still called one of the Jones boys . . . for why we told you before . . . Another receiver of a valentine . . . Bob Neumer . . . for which he has been dubbed "Binky" . . . The faux pas pulled by our very own editor rates an honorable mention . . . walked into a dressing room which those of the opposite sex were wont to use . . . embarrassment inevitably resulted . . . be it ever so embarrassing and embarrassing, huh, Jim, . . . Here's the tale of a freshman that delights . . . and he gazinta the spot this week on its account . . . was sent out on an initiation prank to get a piece of writing paper and an envelope bearing the moniker of two fairly distant hotels . . . so instead of making the trip, he tripped down to a local print shop and had the valuable material printed . . . for which he shelled out slightly in excess of two and one half dollars . . . but there was one flaw in his perfect crime . . . he spelled the name of one of the hotels wrong . . . which resulted in his having to spill the whole plan to his initiators . . . you can venture plenty of guesses as to what happened then . . . the boys in the Deke ram do not appreciate "Jolly Jack" Sheehan's nocturnal visitors . . .

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### SCHEMER'S MAGIC CRYSTAL . . .

Betty Darling wishes nothing to ap-

pear in the colyum concerning her . . . her reason . . . because principal Tom Langley of Blue Hill High reads the paper weekly . . . Some of us will remember Floyd Prince . . . he has middle-aided it with Beulah Fender-son's sis . . . he met her last summer on Beulah's introduction . . . which reminds us that Beulah is now Bobby Smithing . . . If you can ever get Janet Hollis when she's free . . . ask her to tangle her physiogomy into the representation of a fish face for you . . . Bibi Levine and Anna Shiro will up to University of Maine this week-end . . . to a college affair . . . enjoy yourselves, gals . . . Still speaking of trips . . . Gus Garcelon will hie away to Boston week-end after next . . . to meet Dottie Chandler as she arrives back from a cruise of the West Indies . . . he still has a huge romance going on with her . . . Barney Holt will summer in Houlton

in a effort to develop a "canning process" . . . Ralph Vale is West streeting entirely too much of late for anyone to doubt that his heart beats faster when he is in that vicinity . . . Tri Delt dancing . . . we had Hank Dolan up from Bowdoin . . . to arm the delightful Ann Simpson . . . Frank Barnes with Ruth Mailey's cousin . . . Ruthie being with last year's editor Gurney . . . Fred Demers says two years have elapsed without his moniker's having appeared in this space . . . Johnny Powers one of Hedman's cagiest dwellers . . . Barbara Frazee trideltling with Larry Haynes . . . Hillie Wheeler treating Ed McCarthy to some enjoyable dancing . . . Bob McGee and Cleo Tuttle new-coupling . . . So now we'll pencil down a few notes for the rest of the week and relay them to you next Wednesday . . .

THE SCHEMER.

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