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General Alumni Association, University of Maine
Over 300 Registered Alumni Day—Record Attendance at Commencement Exercises

1884 and 1909 Win Cups—1928 Fails to Win Shield—Fogler Re-elected President

Benjamin '78 and Morse '79 given Honorary Degrees

WITH a registration of 325 alumni, and many who did not register, attendance of 220 at the luncheon Saturday noon 630 at the banquet Saturday night and more than 2100 at the graduation exercises Monday morning, all records were broken with the exception of 1922 when the pageant was put on celebrating the fiftieth anniversary of the first graduating class. The attendance Monday morning is said to be a record for all time. Thus the fifty-eighth annual Commencement passed into history as one of the most successful yet held.

Officers Elected

Raymond H Fogler '15 of New York City who has been president of the General Alumni Association for the past two years was re-elected to that position. Arthur L. Deering '12 of Orono was elected vice-president to succeed Edward E. Chase '13, who because of his duties as trustee did not wish to continue as an alumni officer. Elmer R. Tobey '11 and Benjamin C. Kent '12 were re-elected treasurer and clerk, respectively.

Harry A Emery '06 of Bangor were elected members-at-large of the Alumni Council to serve for a three year term. Williams succeeds himself, Cooper follows Chase and Emery replaced Dr. W. H Jordan '75 who felt he should not serve on the Council longer.

College of Technology alumni elected Arthur E. Silver '02 of New York City as their representative to succeed Dr. E. R Berry '04 who has served three terms and wished to be replaced. W. Ray Thompson '14 of Caribou was elected by College of Agriculture alumni as their representative to succeed Arthur L. Deering who as vice-president of the association is automatically a member of the Council. J Harvey McClure '05 of Bangor was re-elected as one of the three alumni members of the Athletic Board.

'R4 and '09 Win Cups

A new custom was started this year by awarding the two attendance cups at the General Alumni Association banquet, the award being based upon registration at six o'clock of Alumni Day.

1909 and their 20 candle birthday cake. They had the largest registration of any class this year.
President Fogler announced that 5 of the 15 living members of the class of 1884 had registered, or 33\(\frac{1}{3}\) percent which was the highest of any class and they were awarded the 1908 cup. 1879 and 1882 followed closely with 31 percent each. The Twentieth Century cup went to 1909 which had the greatest percentage of its living members back, 19 percent, 1904 with 12 percent and 1915 with 10 percent followed in the order given.

**325 Alumni Registered—'09 Lead**

According to registration records, the 325 registration this year is second only to the 411 record established in 1922, the year the big pageant was put on. In 1920 the registration was 272 and in 1927 it was 257.

To the class of 1909 goes the distinction of having the largest number back with 30. Second is 1927 with 25 and others in order as follows, 1915—23; 1914—18; 1924—18; 1904—14; 1929—14; 1913—11 and 1925—11. It is said that eleven is the greatest number '13 has ever had back. The classes of 1928 and 1925 were not holding reunions.

The 1917 record of 51 members registered established in 1922 still stands supreme.

**Reunion Classes Hold Meetings**

Following the General Alumni Association meeting Saturday morning many of the twenty reunion classes held meetings for the purpose of electing officers to serve until the next reunion and to discuss what contribution should be made to the Alumni Activities Fund. Results of these meetings are reported elsewhere in this issue.

**Three Classes Put on Stunt**

Three classes, 1909, 1915 and 1927 furnished some good entertainment prior to the ball game. The twenty year group bedecked with gay hats marched in with their twenty candle cake which when it was opened yielded scores of very delectable 1909 cup cakes which the people in the grandstand seemed to thoroughly enjoy.

1927 portrayed their martyrdom, having been victims of the first freshman week.

Then came 1915 which is well known for the excellence of their frolics. This time they gave in touching manner a rendition of the pageant, Pandora which had been given Friday afternoon—but differed somewhat in name and finish, in name—Dumdora and finish—nearly the end of several of the none-too-well-conditioned actors. The calliope engaged by this class was on hand all day.
Mrs. Percia White '79 Throws Out Ball

All eyes focused on 1879 once more for a few moments for the honor of throwing out the ball used to start the game with Bates was given to Mrs. Percia V. White '79 of Milbridge. This was the bright spot of the game which, as is reported on the athletic page, was won by Bates 4-3.

Benjamin '78 Chief Banquet Speaker

Thanks to the class of 1929 the gymnasium was prettily decorated for the Alumni banquet Saturday night, which was attended by about 630 alumni, faculty students and friends.

Allen W. Stephens '99 of New York City and an ex-president of the Alumni Association was honorary marshal and led the procession thru the ranks. "Ben" Kent was the directing marshal of the parade and the seating. At the head table was Dr. Harold S. Boardman who was toastmaster; Charles A. Morse who spoke for the class of 1879, Fred D. Knight '09 of Boston, Clifford G. Chase '04 of Baring, Roderic O'Connor '29 and Charles H. Benjamin '78 of Altadena, California who gave the address of the evening. In addition to these speakers, Raymond H. Fogler, announced the outcome of the commencement cup and loyalty contests. Mrs. Helen Stuart Vrooman '18 who had just arrived from Smyrna, Turkey, was called upon for brief remarks.

"Joe" McCusker added much to the occasion by leading the cheering and singing.

An "Alumni Extry" hot from the press was distributed for edification during the banquet hour.

The Alumni Hop was the final event on a busy day's program and judging from the number who participated, it was an enjoyable occasion.

Committee Deserves Much Credit

The members of the commencement committee deserve a great deal of credit for the success of commencement. The group met many times and all served on sub-committees having charge of arranging different phases of the program. The personnel of the committee was Edward H. Kelley '90, chairman, Prof. Marion S. Buzzell '14 of Old Town, Dr. Leonard H. Ford '99 of Bangor, Prof. Harry W. Smith '09, Prof. Maurice D. Jones '12, Frederick S. Youngs '14, Prof. H. W. Leavitt '15 and Theron A. Sparrow '24.

Mrs. Mary Fernald, Wife of Former Maine President, Dead

Mrs. Mary Fernald, widow of Merritt C. Fernald, president of the University in the pioneer days, died in Orono, April 30 after many months of failing strength. She was within a few days of 84 years of age.

Those who were acquainted with Mrs. Fernald know of her very real and lasting interest in the University throughout her entire life. She was unusually brilliant, the advancing years not having seemed to have detracted from her keenness of thought. Because of the fact that she had in very many ways assisted her husband during his connection with the University and of her continued interest she seemed in a sense to have been a part of Maine.

How about your local association holding an "outing party" this summer.

Black and MacNaughton Score at the I.C.A.A.A.A.A. Meet

Seven men were sent to the national intercollegiate track meet in Philadelphia held May 31—June 1. Capt. Black and Vic MacNaughton scored six points placing Maine 14th in competition with 23 colleges. "Rip" won the hammer throw with a 163 foot heave. "Mac" placed fifth in the mile, the time being 4:21 4-10.
Twelve of the 14 members of the Class of 1904 who came back for their 25th reunion

Class of 1904

The Class of 1904 held a very successful Reunion. It was the most enthusiastic gathering of '04 men in twenty-five years.

Fourteen members were present at the Class Meeting on Saturday, and the following officers were elected to serve until the next reunion:

President, Clifford G. Chase; vice-president, Edward R. Berry; secretary, Leslie E. Little; treasurer, Paul L. Bean; committee members, William E. Gill, Ralph S. Bassett, Allen M. Knowles.

Substantial contributions were made to the Class Treasurer in order that the Secretary might have funds to start immediately the campaign for a bigger reunion in 1934.

On Sunday, the members, with their wives and children, motored to the summer home of W. E. Gill, at Lake Megunticook, near Camden, for an outing.

The Secretary will arrange at an early date to send each member of the class, a complete directory, and a circular letter, giving more complete details of the business transacted and the plans for the future.

L. E. Little, Secretary

1928 Fails to Win Shield—Did Not Exceed Record of '27

Altho the class of 1928 made a good showing in payment of alumni dues for the year just closing, because they did not exceed, the record made in 1927 last year, they did not win the Loyalty Contest, nor the privilege of having their numerals inscribed on the beautiful shield.

R. H. Fogler '15, president of the Alumni Association made the announcement at the Alumni Banquet. The records show that 30.06 percent of the members of 1928 class paid dues before January 1 as compared with the record—37 percent made the previous year by 1927 in contest with 1926. A total of 107 of the 28 class paid dues for 28-29, this being second only to the record made by the victors the preceding year.

It is now up to 1929 to see if they can by exceeding the record made by 1927, win the shield and have their name placed in the Hall of Fame.

Six Classes Contribute to Alumni Activities Fund

Plan Slightly Revised

Six of the reunion classes at their meetings held during commencement are reported to have voted a total of $550 to the Alumni Activities Fund. Other classes may have taken similar vote but no report has yet reached the alumni office.

The six classes are 1899, 1904, 1909, 1914, 1915 and 1927. All voted $100 each with the exception of '27 which voted $50.

The purpose of the fund is to provide an income toward the support of alumni activities. It is in the nature of an endowment. Up to this time the income each year has been paid to the General Alumni Association, however, according to vote passed at the General Alumni Association meeting, hereafter the income is to be retained until the fund reaches an amount to be determined later.

Reunion Classes Elect Officers

Reports have come from several of the classes which held reunions, giving the names of class officers who are to serve until their next reunion.

1904—Clifford G. Chase, Baring, President; Edward R. Berry, Lynn, Mass., Vice-president; Leslie E. Little, Boston, Mass., Secretary; Paul L. Bean, Lewiston, Treasurer; William E. Gill, Ralph S. Bassett, Allen M. Knowles, committee members.


1914—P. W. Monohon, Leonia, N. J., President; W. D. Towner, Belmont, Mass., Vice-president; Marion Buzzell, Old Town, Secretary; Frederick Youngs, Orono, Treasurer; Ralph Coffey, Norman French, H. W. Hall, committee members.

1915—Bill Martin, New Brunswick, N. J., President; Bob Thurrell, East Waterboro, N. H., Secretary.

1924—Earle Dunham, Orono, President; Theron A. Sparrow, Orono, Vice-president; Eric O. Berg, Hebron, Secretary; J. Wesley Ames, Slaterville, R. I., Treasurer; Earle Dunham, Theron Sparrow, Wesley Ames, committee members.

1927—Paul D. Lamoreau, Presque Isle, President; Sherman Roundsville, Fairfield, Mass., Vice-president; Crystal S. Hughes, Skowhegan, Secretary; Daniel Webster, Bangor, Treasurer.

Until informed differently, it is assumed that the same officers were continued in the other reunion classes not reporting results of elections.
Record Number of Degrees Awarded

234 bachelor, 21 professional and 6 honorary degrees—Dr. E. C. Herrick Delivered Commencement Address

NDER almost ideal weather conditions and a beautiful natural setting in the University Oval, the largest senior class ever to be graduated from Maine received their diplomas before an audience far in excess of 2000 said to be biggest number to witness graduation exercises at the University.

"Pilgrim or Tourist" was the title of the commencement address given by Dr. E. C. Herrick, president of Newton Theological Institution. His excellent voice combined with a rare mixture of the humorous with the serious, resulted in securing unusually good attention throughout.

Hon. William Tudor Gardiner, governor of Maine who was a guest at the exercises extended the official greetings on behalf of the state when called upon by President Boardman.

Of the 234 bachelor degrees awarded, 52 were in agriculture, 101 in arts and sciences and 81 in technology. Six students were graduated "with highest distinction", four "with high distinction" and eighteen "with distinction".

Four certificates were awarded for completion of the two year course in agriculture.

The awarding of ten diplomas was deferred until completion of work at summer school or at military camp. This will make a total of 244.

Advanced Degrees

Of the 14 Master's degrees, eight were conferred upon Maine alumni as follows: In English, Mary P. Aiken '27; in agricultural economics and farm management, George F. Dow '27, Eldwin A. Wixson '28; in electrical engineering, Elton W. Jones '28; in home economics, Rena Campbell '21; in horticulture, Myron F. Babb '26 and in mechanical engineering, Harry D. Watson '18 and Arthur O. Willey '24.

Seven professional degrees were awarded, all to Maine graduates. Walter L. Sturtevant '08, chemical engineer, Robert D. Chellis '19 and Alvah R. Small '04, civil engineer; Leon G. Sawyer '15, electrical engineer and Arthur M. Bowker '22, Walter O. Harvey '09 and Earle M. Stevens '26, mechanical engineer.

Honorary Degrees

The University conferred honorary degrees upon six men and women, two of whom Benjamin '78 and Morse '79 are graduates of the University. Following are the citations as given by President Boardman:

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Alumni Trustee Buck Reports

Year of Marked Progress

In submitting this my eighth annual re­port as your representative on the Board of Trustees, I feel it may be of interest to a portion of the alumni to briefly sum­marize the more important happenings and changes at the University during the past eight years.

On May 10, 1921 your representative though not yet confirmed as a trustee at­tended a meeting of the Board upon invi­tation of the members thereof. At that meeting were present, "Strickland, Gil- patrick, Draper, Bickford and Hough­ton." As a vivid example of the rapid changes in the personnel of the Board, you will note that of those present at this meeting but one, Mr. Houghton, is now a member of the Board. Men who show the interest, devotion and good judgment as did Messrs. Strickland, Bickford and Gilpatrick are not always available for such positions. At this meeting, too, the Board elected as its President, Col. Fred­erick H. Strickland who served as such till his retirement in September, 1928. During his term on the Board; and more especially while President of the Board, Col. Strickland proved himself capable, energetic and a tireless worker for the University. The State, Alumni and friends of the University owe to Col. Strickland a debt that will never be paid.

Aug. 5, 1921: The resignation of Rob­ert J. Aley as President of the University was presented and accepted. During the college year 1921-22 the University was without a president. The direct super­vision of the affairs of the University

was under the Board of Administration, the four deans. The President and execu­tive committee of the Board of Trustees...and with the present program will be paid in full within the next seven years or less.

April 7, 1922, Dr. Clarence Cook Little was elected President of the University. Dr. Little remained at the head of the University till July 1925 when he was called to the University of Michigan. While at Maine Dr. Little did much to awaken a new interest in all who were connected with the University; and set a pace for those who were to follow him in the conduct of the University affairs. His wonderful work and success at Maine is too well known to all interested alumni to call for any comment at this time.

Oct. 27, 1922, the Trustees adopted the merit system as applying to fixing of sal­aries of members of the faculty. Previ­ously salary advances depended almost wholly upon length of service at the Uni­versity which lent but little encourage­ment to the more ambitious members.

July 27, 1923, Frederick S. Youngs '14, was elected treasurer of the University, the first time in its history that the uni­versity paid such an officer, devoting full time to the office. This office was created by an act of the Legislature of 1921. To this change and to the efficient and untiring service of Mr. Youngs is due the present satisfactory financial condition of the University.

At this meeting, also, the Trustees adopted the general plan of the campus with proposed development as prepared and submitted by Little & Russell, supervising architects. All new construction and campus development since has con­formed with this plan. It is important that this policy be followed in all future development.

After the resignation of Dr. Little as President of the University, Dr. Harold S. Boardman '95 was appointed Acting President and continued in that capacity till May 1926 when he was elected as President of the University.

Oct. 11, 1928, Dr. Jordan representing the Alumni Advisory Council appeared before the Board in the matter of making an appropriation to procure outstanding speakers to address the student body at intervals throughout the college year. Dr. Jordan's suggestions were endorsed and the Board proposed to make the necessary provisions for such speakers.

That the Alumni may keep in mind the fact that the University is from year to year making and holding friends throughout the State, I would call attention to the buildings that have been erected during the past eight years; and the very substantial increase in Legislative appropri­ations for the University. For new buildings we have the Arts & Sciences, Dairy, milk house, Horticultural Build­ing and greenhouse; and the Crosby Lab­oratory which was donated in greater part by the late Oliver Crosby Our appro­priations from the State have gradu­ally increased till the Legislature of 1929 passed the Millage Tax which yields to the University each year the equal of one mill on each one dollar of State valuation. For 1929 this gives to the Uni­versity something more than $743,000. An annual fixed income for the Universi­ty will allow the Trustees to definitely plan for the future and yield much more benefit to the University. The passage of this law means much to the future of the University.

The trustees realize the strength of the alumni of the University and invite con­structive criticisms at any and all times. Never before has there been the close contact as now exists between Trustees, Alumni and Faculty. With such a condi­tion there can be but one result as apply­ing to the future of the University.

Under the clear headed guidance of Dr. Boardman I believe the past year has been one of the most successful years in the history of the University.

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Chemical Engineering at Columbia since 1916. Scholar, Teacher, Engineer, Scientist of prom­inence. Member of many technical societies— writer and inventor.

Fannie Hardy Beekstrom—Master of Arts. Loyal daughter of the State of Maine, Grad­uate of Smith College. Wife, mother, author, poet, historian, authority on Indian lore and lover of Nature.

Your fruitful life is ample proof that you have developed those talents with which you were endowed and your many contributions will always remain as a loving remembrance.

Clarence Albert Day—Major of Science. Native son of the State of Maine Farmer, school teacher, pioneer in the Maine Agri­cultural Extension Service

Your many activities by which you have helped to develop the Agricultural Industry of your State and your strict attention to duty have marked you as an outstanding Ex­tension worker not only in this State but also in the Nation.
Alumni Members Report

Athletics on High Plane

With what we believe to be clean and expert coaching, and with athletes of good moral and mental type the University of Maine athletic teams have completed a year of at least reasonable success.

In football Maine won the championship of the New England Conference and tied with Colby for the State championship.

In cross country, after winning dual runs with New Hampshire and with Bates (Bowdoin and Colby did not enter teams this year), Maine won the New England championship and finished second to Penn State in the I.C.A.A.A.A.

In basketball twelve games were played, ten of which were necessarily with out of the State teams. Maine won but three games. Your Board hopes that the other Maine colleges will adopt basketball as a varsity sport. It would increase the interest and attendance at games, and would reduce our cost of guarantees in bringing competition to Orono.

In track Maine competed in the Knights of Columbus games at the new Boston Garden, at the Boston Athletic Association games at the Boston Arena, won dual meets from Bates and from Massachusetts Institute of Technology, competed at the Penn Relays at Philadelphia, won both the State and the New England championships decisively, and sent a team of six men to the I.C.A.A.A.A.

In baseball, after the usual out of State games, Maine finished third in the State series, which was this year extended to four games with each college.

Since the last report Frank M. Kanaly was released from his contract as coach of track to accept an appointment at Yale, and your Board recommended the appointment of Chester A. Jenkins. The recommendation was accepted by the authorities of the University and your Board points with pride to the record achieved by Coach Jenkins and the high type of athletes with whom he worked.

Maine continued this year with the Okeson plan for the selection of football and baseball officials.

At the time of last year's report your Board, at the request of the Presidents of Bates, Bowdoin and Colby, had voted to hold in abeyance its announced intention of resigning from the Maine Intercollegiate Track and Field Association. We are glad to report that the changes desired by Maine in the constitution and by-laws of that Association have been adopted, and that Maine continued its membership and its competition.

Edmund F. Black, captain of this year's track team, was chosen a member of the Olympic Team of 1928, as was also Carl Ring, a graduate of 1922.

Baseball attendance which has been waning was somewhat revived this year by the playing of four games with each of the three other Maine colleges.

Freshman Coach Kenyon having been made Assistant to Varsity Coach Brice, it will be the duty of your Board to select and recommend a coach of freshman football.

In scheduling some football games in the past it has seemed to many that Maine has gone out of her class. We ask our alumni to remember that the financial side of athletics has to receive at least some consideration and that such games played in the past, or to be played in the future, are scheduled only after full deliberation.

Our funds having become exhausted (we operate strictly on a budget), it was necessary this Spring to call on our alumni for contributions in order to send a team to the I.C.A.A.A.A. meet at Philadelphia. It was only thru their liberality that we were able to send the six men chosen. The thanks of your Board and of the student body to those alumni who made the trip possible is hereby sincerely tendered.

C. A. Hall is completing the first of a three year term.

Clifford Patch is completing the second of a three year term.

J. H. McClure who was elected last year to fill a vacancy completes his term with the close of this college year.

Respectfully submitted,
(signed) J. H. McClure
Clifford Patch
Alumni Members

O'Connor President of A. A.

Charles O'Connor of Veazie, jumper, broad and high, of distinction, was chosen president of the Athletic Association. He is active in many phases of student life especially debating, president of the Christian Association and a Senior Skull.

Report of the Chairman

Of the Executive Committee

The activities of the alumni during the past year have been practically limited to the work of various special committees, and the executive committee, as such, has done very little outside of the regular routine.

The Memorial Fund has been given first place in our efforts. This work has been turned over to a special committee which took over the duties of the first Memorial Fund committee. Constant attention has been given to collection of pledges in arrears. This Spring a campaign is being made for additional subscriptions, which appear necessary in order to complete the Memorial.

The special committee, which is working out plans for a continuing agency to function in securing endowment and special gifts, has continued its work of preparation, but it has been apparent that no favorable start could be made in actual solicitation for new objects until the Memorial Fund work is finished. The University authorities are working with our committee in this matter.

During the session of the legislature many of the alumni were of great assistance in selling to members of the legislature the idea of a mill tax for the support of the University, and such a bill was passed. Now that the University finances have been placed upon a stable basis, it will be possible to define accurately the field of alumni activity in financial assistance to the University. I venture to express a hope that this new condition will stimulate alumni interest in providing, through special gifts and endowment, some of the things which are needed by the University and which cannot be financed out of funds received from the state.

Edward E. Chase, Chairman

Rather than wait for a letter next fall, send in your check now in payment of dues for the year beginning July 1.
Finance Committee Reports
Larger Number Paid Dues

For the year Ending May 31, 1929

I. Goal for 1928-29 as prescribed by the budget $7150

II. Results to May 31

- a. sustaining dues 154 $1540
- b. annual 1739 5217

Totals 1893 6757

III. Dues payments by groups

- a. All alumni were grouped in five classes.
  1. Those who paid sustaining dues last year.
  2. Those who paid annual dues last year.
  3. Those who paid dues (either sustaining or annual) sometime but not last year.
  5. Graduates and non-graduates who had never paid dues.

IV. Comparison with previous years

- a. Annual 1739 5217
- b. Sustaining dues 154 $1540
- c. Dues by the budget 57150

V. Analysis of the “Never Paid Group”

- a. Because of the large number involved, the committee had an analysis made of the “never paid” group to determine who they were.
- b. Summary—
  - Total number involved—3456.
  - Total number of graduates—1546 or 44%.
  - Total number of non-graduates—1910 or 56%.
  - Of the 3456 total, 3039 or 88% are men and 642 or 18% women.
  - Of the 1910 non-graduates, 1004 or 52% attended the University one year or less.
  - 37% of the 3456 are in the last five classes and 64% in the last ten classes.
  - A. K. Gardner '10—one year Prof. C. P. Weston '96—two years Prof. M. D. Jones '12—three years

VI. Alumnus Treasurer’s Report

July 1, 1928—May 31, 1929

RECEIPTS

Advertising ......... $1043.71
Income from Alumni Activities Fund..... 11.06
Dues, Annual (1739) ... 5217.00
Sustaining (154) ... 1540.00
Gifts ................. 12.09
Interest .......... 73.04
Miscellaneous ...... 221.08
Subscriptions ......... 8.00

Total $4057.58

EXPENDITURES

Advertising ......... $9215.98
Cash balance 1927-28 530.56

Total $8656.54

SUMMARY

Brought Forward from 1927-28 3,376.00 $382,233.88
Total for the year 342,035.28
Total to date $382,233.88

Pageant Draws Big Attendance

Once again the large attendance demonstrated beyond question the popularity of the pageants which have for four years been a part of the commencement program. Pandora was the theme of the pageant which was presented Friday afternoon following the class day exercises. The All-Maine Women’s Society—an honorary organization sponsored this feature of the program. It was coached by Mrs. Mark Bailey, who has so successfully coached the three other pageants which have been given by the University. About 45 girls took part in it, besides a number of others who served on committees.
'27 and '28 Running Close Race
In Memorial Fund Campaign

Will 1927 lead 1928 or will the younger class pull in ahead when the final totals are drawn?

It is natural that there should be friendly rivalry between these two classes, which are the only ones not heretofore asked to subscribe to the Memorial Fund. Right now the '27ers have the edge both in number and amount of subscriptions. They have gone past the half mark of their self-determined goal of $8,000 while 1928 has nearly reached one half their goal of similar amount, with but three differences in the number of subscribers.

Over $48,000 or about 45% of the quota from the rank and file of alumni has been reported to Memorial Fund headquarters. Many are giving as much or more than the average in the first campaign which is well in excess of one hundred dollars.

Following is the report of Arthur L. Deering '12, chairman of the Memorial Fund Committee, rendered at the Alumni Association meeting June 8.

This report will be brief. It will be divided for clearness into two parts, dealing (1) with the collection of those unpaid pledges of the first campaign, and (2) the launching of the second campaign necessary to raise the balance of funds to complete the memorial.

Those of you who have paid in full your first pledge little appreciate the efforts made to collect from delinquent subscribers. Two principal methods have been used. First, appeals in the form of letters and leaflets have been sent this group. Second, two paid solicitors were employed, beginning in August, 1927. These men with the exception of a few months at the start, worked on a commission basis.

They have covered the entire eastern part of the United States, interviewing alumni, not once but twice and some have been seen three and four times. They report that the large majority have every intention of completing their payments as soon as they are financially able.

Today there are 2085 who have not paid in full, the amount unpaid amounting to $164,143.87. There is being received at the office at present an average of $2,000 per month from the above subscribers.

The paid solicitors were discontinued the first of March but the appeals are being sent monthly as formerly.

The Second Campaign

One year ago the chairman of the Executive Committee recommended in his report that "Action should be taken by the alumni council to re-organize the Memorial Fund Committee." This was done in the fall of 1928—the following is the personnel of this committee:


This second campaign is not the result of the inability of a considerable group of our alumni to complete payments on their pledges of 1923. Had every cent been collected the necessity of again asking the alumni to give would have prompted the campaign for two reasons.

First, we secured $543,000 in pledges, or 84 per cent of the gross amount thought necessary to raise. The shortage, therefore, was $107,000. Second, the entire building will cost $595,000 or $95,000 more than was originally contemplated, the gymnasium section itself costing $326,490.67.

Your committee upon learning the exact situation was confronted with three possible solutions:

1. Change the original plans for the gymnasium section, or
2. Delay further action until sufficient money has been paid in and interest had accumulated to erect the building, or
3. Make a second attempt to raise the funds needed.

We decided on the latter as the only constructive plan. The four classes in college had never been asked to contribute. They came through splendidly as a result of which over $22,000 is now available from this source.

With the cash on hand and resources known and estimated there yet remained $226,000 to be raised.

A special gift committee with Harry E. Sutton '09 as its chairman was appointed. This committee was to devote its efforts to securing $150,000 from our wealthy alumni. As Mr. Sutton will make a report covering this phase of the campaign it will not be included here.

It will be recalled that Wayland D. Towner '14 was alumni secretary during the greater part of the first campaign. Since then he has devoted his entire time in raising funds in similar undertakings as this. The committee considered themselves fortunate in enlisting his services beginning January 28, for a period of four and one-half months. Your chairman wishes to go on record as stating that no one could have been more interested or untiring in their efforts in our behalf than has Mr. Towner.

On May 31 pledges totaling $41,893.83—aside from special gift contributions, had been received at the Alumni Office. Of this amount $9,034.33 had been pledged by 177 alumni not subscribing in the first campaign.

The members of the classes of 1927 and 1928 have never been solicited prior to this campaign. At present the 1928 class leads slightly in the number of subscribers and the 1927 class in the amount subscribed.

The following areas have already exceeded, or is it thought equalled their quotas by the time of this meeting: Maryland $1,000, Western Pennsylvania $1,320, New York City $10,722, Sagadahoc County $805, South Kennebec County $2,600. It will be of special interest to note also in this connection that the faculty and alumni in Orono have reached their quota of $4,250.

The campaign is not over. It will be continued until all alumni have been given an opportunity to help finish the job we have started.

Arthur L. Deering '12, Chairman
Three '79ers Meet for the First Time in Fifty Years

This story is best told by quoting the letter from C. W. Gibbs to the Alumni Secretary—"I am coming to you again with quite a startling statement, a physical paradox, which I wish to make known at this early date, thinking it may be of some interest to the scientific world, to wit: An echo which we did assemble with our families at my home on April 28 and having an old fashioned talkfest which was highly enjoyed by us all.

This was the first time we have met together, although we live not over 60 miles apart, in fact it is only recently that Moore has been located so near Bean and myself, and for my part it is the first time as many as three of the class have been together at one time since we left Orono in June, 1879.

1929 Commencement Registration

1873—George H. Hamlin
1875—Whitman H. Jordan
1876—Edward M. Blanding
1877—Edward F. Danforth
1878—C. H. Benjamin, C. C. Elwell
1879—W. B. Decker, Oliver L. Jones, George P. Merrill, Charles A. Morse, H. W. Peaks, Percia V. White
1880—James M. Bartlett, Albert H. Brown
1882—L. H. Merrill
1884—Dean J. N. Hart, F. L. Russell
1885—S. J. Williams
1886—Claude L. Howes, T. G. Lord
1887—J. S. Ferguson, E. E. Greenwood, John Reed
1889—J. S. Ferguson, E. E. Greenwood, John Reed
1891—Ernest S. Hatch
1894—Frank G. Gould, John H. Ricker, Edward H. Kelley
1895—Wendell W. Chase, Albion Moulton
1896—P. B. Palmer, Stanley J. Steward, R. Pearl Vinal, Chas. P. Weston
1897—C. Parker Crowell, Chas. V. Eldridge
1899—Frank H. Bowerman, Henry F. Drummond, Guy A. Hersey, Edwin J. Mann, Charles A. Robbins
1900—William McC. Sawyer
1901—W. E. Barrows, A. C. Lyon, Ralph Whitier
1902—Robert F. Chandler, S. J. Foster, Paul D. Simpson
1904—J. F. McClore, Mabel Powell McGinley, Marion Wentworth Perkins, Adelbert W. Sprague
1905—Mrs. M. W. Burke (Webber)
1906—W. E. Barrows, A. C. Lyon, Ralph Whitier
1907—Erwin H. Hussey, Harry G. Packard, Earle W. Philbrook, R. T. Tabor
1908—Milton Ellis, J. A. Gannett, Ballard F. Keith
1911—Clifford Patch, E. R. Tobey, Mildred P. Wright
1916—Madeline Robinson Herlihy, Dorothy Thompson King, Dr. E. S. Merrill, Lawrence E. Philbrook, Frederick Röble
1917—Mildred Dow Allen, Charles E. Crossland, F. D. Crowell, Herbert Haskell, Harold L. King, Garth A. Noyes, Frank D. Stephens
1918—Edward L. Herlihy, E. J. Turner, Helen Vrooman
1921—C. S. Fraser, Edith Deering Hughey, William S. Murray, Carroll C. Swift, Raymond D. Stephens, Harold S. Tibbetts
1922—Arthur Bowker, Mary M. Noyes, Margaret Tebbetts
1923—Iva Merchant Burgess, Elizabeth A. Harkness, David W. Hoyal, R. Louise Kincaide, Margaret M. McLarvey

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Maine Outing Club Had Most Active Year Since Organized

The Maine Outing Club was formed on the campus in December, 1925 for the promotion of interest in winter sports, camping, hiking, canoeing and similar outdoor sports. The membership is open to the students, faculty and graduates of the University, the yearly membership fee being $2, and life membership $25. In the following year ground and a small cabin was leased at Chemo, seven miles from the campus. The cabin is built with eight hemlock bunks and one cook stove and may be occupied only in warm weather. By using the floor for sleeping quarters, twenty-five may be accommodated.

The Club has slowly grown and for the first time this year it had a real active part in the activities of the campus. The first event last fall was a kabob (beefsteak) party for fifty on standpipe. Since that time there have been at least bi-monthly hikes, some were overnight to Chemo. Interest has been keen, and besides the hikes sponsored by the Club the members have frequently planned their own trips.

Three intercollegiate championships out of a possible six championships were won by Maine at the Bates carnival and Maine closely contested Bates for first place for the Maine intercollegiate championship.

The Club is working now to raise the funds for an all year around cabin with adequate conveniences for preparing meals and for sleeping quarters.

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Students Show Increased Interest in Debating

Each year Maine has increasing reason to feel proud of her debating record, in as much as the number of students coming out for debate and continuing their interest throughout the season is steadily increasing. Nineteen members qualified this year compared with the seven or eight of a few years ago. Nor has this interest been confined as at first to the debaters themselves. With the exception of one debate which was unfortunately held on the campus on rising night, the audience has been large and enthusiastic, on one occasion filling the Assembly Hall (chapel) nearly to capacity.

This year Maine ambitiously challenged schools entirely outside her own class as respects numbers from which to draw debaters. Three of the visiting teams, also, University of Pittsburgh, Bucknell University, and New York University met Maine after debating the same question from eight to ten times en route. It is not surprising therefore that the judges' decision was not always favorable to Maine. However, the Maine team made an excellent showing in all four campus debates, winning the approval of the audience and the respect and admiration of their opponents on each occasion. On their New England trip Maine won one of the two debates scheduled, and debated with much credit in the "no decision" contest at New Hampshire.

The women's intercollegiate debating team, which was organized two years ago and held its first intercollegiate debate last year, has received impetus from increasing interest this year. Although it proved impossible to arrange for a debate on the campus this year, the team met Brown, Rhode Island State, and International College on their trip, upholding the unpopular affirmative side of the question very admirably. They had the more favorable negative side in the "no decision" forensic contest at New Hampshire.
Libby '20 Elected President of Penobscot Valley Alumni

After dreaming thru a coma since 1925 this association came to life with a bang. We had a real meeting at the Penobscot Valley Country Club. After a good feed the association proceeded to elect the following officers: President, Lawrence P. Libby '20; Vice-president, Dr. Forrest B. Ames '13; Secretary-Treasurer, Phil R. Hussey '12; Executive Committee, Rachel Connor, William R. Ballou, M. D. Jones.

Right here a word about this fellow Libby, lest some reader of the Alumnus does not know him. He’s the guy that will do your washing for you when you are in Bangor, only you want to be sure to count the pieces before you send the week’s wash to the laundry.

This “Doc” Ames is the bird that locates your spavins and gall stones with an x-ray up at the Eastern Maine General Hospital.

As for the Secretary-Treasurer, my claim for distinction is that I graduated from the University in the greatest class that ever was handed out sheepskins. Nineteen nine and fifteen will please take notice!

As for Miss Connor, “Bill” Ballou and Prof. Jones, they are only the Executive Committee and therefore don’t count, because “Lib”, “Doc” and I are going to run this show anyway, so I won’t say anything about them.

Regarding the rest of the meeting, outside of the election of officers, there wasn’t much that was interesting. Of course “Boardie” talked for an hour or two. Then this L. S. Corbett, new Dean of Men, whatever-to-the-devil that office is, got up and made some wise cracks about “Scotchmen” and knowing him as I do I’ll say he didn’t talk about the thing that would have better suited his temperament.

Then “Art” Deering got up and mentioned Memorial Fund, and we all began to edge toward the door. However, the next speaker got attention—lots of it. Some of the guys that got clear outside while “Art” was talking were out of luck, they couldn’t get a good view while Miss Achsa Bean had the floor.

Then of course, Charles Crossland had to bore us for fifteen minutes.

We had had all the speaking we wanted when Hosa Buck got up and insisted that Col. Strickland speak. But the Colonel sat down soon, making way for Walter Danforth, the new Trustee. This gentleman said a lot—he said any man should feel honored to become associated with our present Board of Trustees. I never realized before how astute he is!

Now, seriously, the Penobscot Valley Alumni Association had a fine meeting and it looks as though the University and General Alumni Association are justified in believing that this local outfit is “set to go.”

Phil R. Hussey Secretary-Treasurer

White Mountain Alumni Association

On Tuesday evening May 7th the White Mountain Alumni Association held its regular meeting at the Androscoggin Valley Country Club in Shelburne, N. H. This occasion was in honor of Pres. H. S. Boardman and Charles E. Crossland, Alumni Secretary.

The meeting was preceded by a fine chicken dinner after which the members adjourned to the living room of the club house and listened to a most interesting talk by Pres. Boardman who enlightened the Maine Alumni of this so called North Country about various activities relative to the University. Then our genial Alumni Secretary Charlie Crossland gave us more information on present student activities and the present drive now being carried on to complete the Memorial Gymnasium.


Southern California Alumni Association

Thirty-seven alumni and guests gathered at the Allerton Club in Cleveland, on the evening of March 20th to organize the Northern Ohio Alumni Association. Alumni Secretary, Charles Crossland, was the principal speaker. He gave a complete and interesting picture of present conditions at the University. Professor F. H. Vose ’00 very ably acted in the capacity of toast-master. Each alumnus in turn gave a brief history of his activities since graduation.

The following officers were elected: “Froggy” Pond ’12, president; B. E. Barrett ’16, secretary; Clyde A. McKeeman ’23, treasurer.

It was voted to hold three meetings a year. The next to be a field day in June. The meeting was a huge success and this association bids fair to prove a live organization from the start.

B. E. Barrett, Sec.

Hancock County Alumni Meet

For the first time in several years the Hancock County alumni held a meeting in Ellsworth Wednesday, May 22. There were eighteen present including wives and guests.

After the banquet Guy E. Torrey ’09, president of the local group, called upon Prof. C. A. Dickinson, head of the department of psychology who spoke interestingly of educational trends. Following him Alumni Secretary Crossland discussed alumni activities.

Paul Tapley ’21 of Ellsworth was in charge of local arrangements. The possibility of another meeting in the fall was discussed. David O. Rodick ’17 is secretary.
Northwestern Alumni Group

The Northwestern Alumni Association of the University of Maine held a meeting on March 18th at the Minneapolis Athletic Club. Nine alumni of the University, the mother of one and four wives, made up what was probably the smallest group that Secretary Crossland talked to during his entire tour of the Alumni Associations this winter. To his credit he wishes to say that his enthusiasm was equal to even this handicap and he gave us a vivid and interesting picture of Maine as she has grown to be.

To those of us who have not kept closely in touch with the changes, it came as somewhat of a shock that the Sophomores have substituted the pursuit of knowledge for the pursuit of Freshmen and are gunning for scholastic marks instead of trapshooting freshmen from the windows of Oak Hall.

Officers were re-elected as follows—President, A. G. Eaton, '14, Secretary-Treasurer, Ralph Hamlin '98.

We have already begun to talk about our 1930 meeting with the resolve that it will be a bigger if not a better one than this.


Ralph Hamlin, Sec.

Portland Alumni Hold Weekly Luncheons

As a result of the discussion which took place at the winter meetings Portland alumni are holding weekly luncheons which are attended by 20 to 30 each week. Monday noon at the Cumberland Tea Rooms in the Chapman Arcade is the time and place. Visiting alumni are invited to meet with the group.

Dr. Little Speaks at Chapel

Probably there have been very few instances when a man has been given a more hearty ovation at the University than that given to former president Dr. Clarence C. Little when he addressed the students at assembly, Monday, May 6.

That this expression of admiration and welcome affected Dr. Little was plainly evident by his action and by his opening words: "I little expected that I would be so emotionally upset by giving a lecture to University of Maine students."

"Loyalty" was the subject of his talk.

Milton F. "Mink" Kent '30 was elected president of the Student Senate. The organization has weathered a rather stormy year. With the new elections and the hope that fraternities would make some good appointments, it is expected the senate will take on new life next year.

Tau Epsilon Phi is the name of the latest social fraternity on the campus, the charter having been granted toward the close of the college year. It is a national Hebrew fraternity. The local chapter to be known as Tau Zeta succeeds the Maine Hebrew Association which has been organized and holding regular meetings for some time.

Under the caption "Will Maine Stay Behind" the Campus discusses editorially the situation with regard to the development and support of women's athletics at the University. After pointing out the progress which women's athletics have made generally in this country and the recognition the sports have been given, the editor says there is lack of interest on the campus. "Maine should not remain behind the times by sticking to the old-fashioned idea that women's athletics merely represent a little exercise for the girls."

Maine won second in the Intercollegiate Writing Contest with New Hampshire and Vermont, the former winning the event. P. Brockway '31 tied with a New Hampshire student for first in poetry contest, Miss Frances Bab's short story "Living Death" won second place. This is the fourth contest, Maine won in 1926 and Vermont in 1927 and 1928.

Thursday evening, May 9, was open house in the College of Technology. The public as well as students were invited to become better acquainted with the several departments of the engineering college.

Pledging Questions Up Again

Ever since the trustees voted to restrict and eventually prohibit the pledging of freshmen there has been more or less agitation to bring about modification of the plan. According to the May 2 issue of the Campus, the Board of Trustees have amended their former action whereby in 1931 freshmen may be pledged after the Easter recess but shall not be initiated nor allowed to live in the houses until their sophomore year.

Following are the rules governing pledging and initiation as given in the Campus some weeks ago. They were adopted by the Interfraternity Council and are binding upon all fraternities.

Some of the chief provisions are: (1) No fraternity shall extend a bid to a student prior to his registration; (2) there shall be no rushing or pledging of freshmen during Freshman Week, nor shall there be any pledging of freshmen until one week after registration day for upper classmen; (3) in 1928-29 no one fraternity shall pledge more than 6 men; (4) freshmen may be pledged beginning three weeks before Commencement day, 12 o'clock noon; (5) a man breaking a pledge must wait a year from the time of breaking of the pledge before a new pledge may be made.

Under the plan adopted by the trustees, the fraternities were permitted to take in six freshmen this year. In 1929-30 the number is limited to four while in 1930-31, until the action cited in the first paragraph was taken, no fraternity would be permitted to pledge any freshmen.

An editorial headed "Unsatisfactory" in the May 2 Campus reads:

"That the present rushing and pledging rules are not satisfactory to many fraternities on the campus was evident Wednesday when the several fraternities began their scramble for "their men". The pledging rule was not adhered to by all houses on the campus. Several groups were known to have pledged men long before the regular pledging started, and one house went so far as to defy the ruling of the Interfraternity Council and the Board of Administration by allowing all of their new freshmen pledges to move into the house. Whether this act was a flagrant offense against the ruling or ignorance of the rule on the part of the offenders is not known, but the action taken by this house in allowing their new men to move into the house at once shows that they are dissatisfied with the present rule forbidding spring pledges to live in at the chapter houses until the following Fall. Most of them seem to believe that both fraternities and the new pledges would be benefited if the new men were allowed to live at the houses immediately after being pledged."

Commencement Pictures

Alumni desiring pictures taken during Commencement may send their order to the Alumni Association. The cost is thirty-five cents each. There are several additional pictures of 1909 and 1915 "doing their stuff."
Baseball Team Breaks Even—Places Third in State Series

By losing the Commencement game to Bates June 8, the baseball team passed up a chance to tie Colby for second position in the state championship series; six wins and losses in the state and one each outside summarizes the season's activity.

Starting off by losing three of the first four games, the team began to look better for a time as the season advanced only to wilt again when it looked as tho the nine would end up with a much better standing than is given in the next column. An analysis of the scores shows plainly enough that Bates and Colby had the number of the Maine boys. We defeated Bowdoin four times and Bates and Colby once each. Three of the state game losses were by one run only, while five of the six victories were gained by the same margin.

Six men are lost thru graduation, Capt. True, third base; Elliott, pitcher; Ellis and Airoldi, regular outfielders and Buzzell and Goudy, substitute fielders. This leaves the following letter men—Captain-elect Plummer at short, Hammond at first, Wescott at second, Lathrop and Corbett, fielders, Solander, pitcher and Wells, catcher. Both the battery men are sophomores. These men together with substitute material and three or four unusually good men on the frosh team should have the makings of a better nine next year.

Maine 4—Bowdoin 3

Maine dropped one on Bowdoin at Brunswick May 6 by poling out two home runs in the seventh and eighth innings, one by Wescott and then another by Capt. True. Wescott fielded Bowdoin five hits, while our boys got 12 the home run men getting three hits each.

Colby 5—Maine 2

Too much Mr. Brown, Colby pitcher, along with a few errors caused Maine's downfall at Alumni Field, May 11. Wescott made another home run. In the seventh with two men on and none out, Brown struck out three men.

Bates 1—Maine 0

One earned run scored in the first inning was enough for Bates to win at Lewiston, May 15. The game then developed into a pitchers battle between Giroux, Bates star twirler and Solander. Maine had one or two chances to tally but lacked the punch to put a run over.

State Series

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Maine 5—Bowdoin 4 at Orono, May 17

Between some rather outstanding field work, a display of some equally poor baseball judgment and the switching of pitchers and arguing with umpires this was some game—especially since it ended by a Bowdoin pitcher giving a base on balls in the tenth and forcing in the winning run. Bowdoin put in a new pitcher in the tenth to replace one. The new man pitched to but one Maine batter only to be yanked out to let the fourth Bowdoin twirler throw up four balls to present Maine with the game.

Maine 5—Colby 4 at Orono, May 20

Just when it began to look like extra innings, the Maine boys pulled a delightful squeeze play to win the game in the eighth. Maine scored four runs in the second, Lathrop cleaning the bases with Colby gather her four. Wescott pushed out a triple in the eighth and scored only by inches but enough to win. Solander put a stop to a Colby ninth inning rally by striking out the last man.

Bates 3—Maine 5

Bates 4—Maine 3

Much to the disappointment of what is said to be the biggest Commencement crowd to witness a ball game, Maine lost to Bates in the ninth inning. Eliminating errors and bonus on both sides the score should have been about 2-1 for Maine.

Portland and M.C.I. Win Interscholastic Meet

Nine new records were made at the 27th annual Interscholastic Championship Track Meet held at the University, May 25. Portland did not lead until the last two events. Their score was 31 with Cony and Deering closely following. M.C.I. upset the dope by edging out Hebron 55 1/2 to 52. In this division as in the high school class it was the last event that decided the winner.

Put down on your calendar now November 8, Maine Night, Nov. 9, Bowdoin-Maine football game.
Maine Track Men Win State
And New England Titles

While Maine has had many outstanding
track men and teams in days gone by, it
is doubtful if she has ever been repre-
sented in track and field by a better bal-
canced or more successful group of men
than for the season of 1929.

An overwhelming defeat was handed
to M.I.T. in a dual meet; then they scored
the highest number of points, 81 1/3, on
record in the history of Maine Intercol-
legiate Track meets; won a decisive vic-
tory in the New England meet and placed
14th in the national meet.

Two men made new records—Charles
O'Connor broke the state broad jump mark
made by Pat French in 1916 and Capt.
"Rip" Black broke Tootell's New
England hammer throw record. In addi-
tion Niles, quarter miler and Stymiest,
220 yard dash man, equalled the state
records in their events.

Graduation takes a rather severe toll
of point winners, Capt. Black, Phil
Beckler, Jack Lambert, Vic MacNaught-
ton, Win Niles and Bob Parks have con-
cluded their collegiate careers. These men scored about 25 points in the state
meet and all 6 points at the national meet.

Maine Wins State Track Meet by
Wide Margin

at Waterville, May 18

Even tho the Maine boys had had no
outdoor training prior to the M.I.T. meet,
they had no difficulty in forecasting, what
to expect when they really got in shape.
Our track men garnered 11 of the 15 first
places and won all the points in the 100
yard dash, 120 yard hurdles and javelin
events. Win Jones captured first in both
hurdle races; Black won first in the ham-
mer and second in the shot and javelin,
Stymiest placed first and second in the
100 and 220 yard dashes and O'Connor
won the broad and second in the high
jump.

Maine Wins State Track Meet by
And New England Titles

Jenny Hutchinson Elected Head
Women's Athletic Association

Jenny Hutchinson '30 of Orono was
elected president of the Women's A. A.
by the annual election of officers May 8.
"Lib" Livingstone '31 and Helen Stearns
'32 were chosen vice-president and sec-
tary, respectively, and "Dot" Ross '30
was selected as senior representative
on the Board.

There are three major sports, hockey,
basketball and archery. Jeanette Roney
'30 was elected manager of hockey, Car-
rrie Williams '30 of basketball and Olive
Perkins '31 of archery.

Other managers elected were tennis,
Alice Bagley '30; baseball, "Kay" Jack-
son '31; soccer, Hazel Parkhurst '31;
volley ball, Polly Stearns '31 and Mary
Soule '32 was elected cheer leader.

Maine Scores in 13 of 15 Events to
Win N. E. Title

Winning first places in six events and
scoring in 13 of the 15 events Maine's
balanced track team rolled up 43 points
at the New England track meet in Cam-
bridge, Mass., May 25. Holy Cross was
second with 25 points, Brown followed
with 24, Bates 16, Northeastern 10 1/2,
Technology and Boston College 9 each,
New Hampshire 8, Williams 5 1/2, Boston
University 5, Bowdoin 4, Worcester Tech
3, Wesleyan 2 and Colby 1.

Second to the team victory was the new
hammer throw record of 171 feet 1 inch
made by Capt. "Rip" Black, this being
the best throw he has ever made in com-
petition. Phil Beckler, too, turned in his
best mark by clearing 12 feet 5 1/2 inches
in the pole vault. Other first place win-
ers for Maine were MacNaughton in the
mile 4:25 1/5; Richardson in the two
mile 9:43 3/5; Capt.-elect Gowell in the
discus, 142 ft. 6 1/2 in. and O'Connor in the
broad jump with 22 ft. 8 in. He also tied
for second in the high jump.

Stymiest placed third in the 220 yard
dash; Win Jones third in both hurdle
races and Hammond fourth in low hur-
dles; Niles fourth in the 440 yard run;
Ashworth third in the javelin and Weber
fourth in the shot.

16 Pound Hammer Throw—Won by Black,
Maine; second, Lunt, Colby; third, Wilson,
Bates. Winning distance, 160 feet 8 and 1-3
inches.

Pole Vault—Won by Dill, Bates; second, tie
among Giroux, Bates, Appleton, Bowdoin,
Beckler, Maine, Butler, Bowdoin. Winning
vault 11 feet and 6 inches.

Javelin Throw—Won by Lambert, Maine;
second, Black, Maine; third, Murphy, Bow-
doin. Winning put 12 feet 4 3/4 inches.

Discus Throw—Won by Geisel, Maine;
second, Houle, Bates; third, Christensen,
Colby. Winning throw, 143 feet and 3-4 inch.
Alumni Personal

Deaths

78 The death of Frank J. Oakes of Guilford, Conn. took place May 26, 1929 after an illness of several weeks. Mr. Oakes held many positions of responsibility both here and in Europe.

80 Daniel Webster died May 9, 1929 at his home in Bangor.

82 The death of Haller D. Seavey of Springfield, Mass. occurred very suddenly June 6, 1929 at Atlantic City, New Jersey while attending the convention of the National Electric Light Association, from acute heart attack. The greater part of his professional career was in western Massachusetts. He was one of the foremost figures in the public utility field in that section and had risen to important positions because of his ability. He had served as president of the Greenfield Chamber of Commerce and was prominent in the Kiwanis clubs of both Greenfield and Springfield, Mass.

10 Malcolm Fassett, well known actor and stock company manager, died suddenly recently in New York from heart attack. Mr. Fassett appeared in many Broadway productions.

79 The death of Hortense Walker Wilde, wife of Herman E. Wilde, 1923, occurred May 6, 1929 at Lisbon Falls, following an illness. Mrs. Wilde was the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. U. H. Walker of Orono and is survived by her husband, parents, two sisters and a brother.

70 Philip W. Hubbard is located at 1001 Coronado Terrace, Los Angeles, California.

83 Janie C. Michaels is retired and residing at 1577 Glen Aylsa Ave., Eagle Rock, California.

87 Charles F. Sturtevant is being addressed 3601 North 16th St., Omaha, Nebraska.

91 Charles Clayton may be located at R.F.D. #1, San Benito, Texas.

95 The following is the latest address for Isaac C. Calderwood, with the Alcoa Power Company, Ltd., at Keno- gami, Quebec.

99 Hall F. Hoxie is having his mail received at 112 West Walnut St., Alexandria, Virginia.

00 Frank H. Bowerman is a contractor and is residing at 1425 Narragansett Blvd., Edgewood, Rhode Island.

04 Cliftord H. Leighton is at 275 Al- den St., Westville, Conn.

05 Fred W. Talbot is residing at 1673 Meuse St., Erie, Pa.

07 Ernest Lisherness is at 1035 Southern Pacific Building, 65 Market St., San Francisco, California.

08 Frank P. Emery has recently returned from one of his personally conducted tours among the fruit lands of Florida. Mr. Emery is a very successful and representative of one of the finest fruit firms in that State. Mr. Emery resides at Reading, Mass.

09 Allen E. Elliott is in the real estate business in Cleveland, Ohio, in firm of Clark and Elliott, located in the Berkely Building, Cleveland, Ohio.

10 Lester M. Bragg is being addressed c/o United Fruit Company, Almirente, Republic de Panama.

11 Winslow L. Goocfi is a forester with Hummel-Ross Company, manufacturers of pulp and paper at Hope- well, Virginia.

Avery C. Hammond, mechanical de- partment manager of the Goodyear Tire and Rubber Company of Wellington, New Zealand, was a visitor in Bangor and Oroono recently.

13 Oscar H. Davis is at present located at 220 Congress Ave., Rochester, New York.

14 Charles M. Kelley is located at Mr. Apartment J-1, Trymore Dwellings, Bronxville, New York.


Mr. and Mrs. Stephen P. Danforth (Elizabeth Hanly) are located at Villa Linda, Calle Santa Rosa, Ent Parque y Avenida Columbia, R. Buen Retiro, Mar- ianao, Havana, Cuba.

Justin D. Graves is in the architectural business at 129 East 56th St., New York City.

Vernon I. Hight is with the Crandall Engineering Company of 134 Main St., Cambridge, Mass. He returned to that company recently after several years absence in railroad work.

16 Forest L. Buckley is a civil engi- neer located at Crest View, Florida.

Gooch Sargent has moved from Newburyport, Mass. to 22 Berkeley St., Reading, Mass.

Mrs. M. J. Smith (Russell) has changed her address from Berlin, New Hampshire to 854 Broadway Street, Portland, Maine.

Vergne R. Snow is located at 250 Prospect St., Manchester, N. H.

17 Mrs. Everett W. Downs (Sawyer) is now residing at 3 Colonial Term- race, Belmont, Mass.

John H. Melinoff has changed his address from Lawrence, Mass. to 5 Brown- ston St., Dorchester, Mass.

William E. Nash has changed his address to read as follows c/o The Allerton House, 710 North Michigan Ave., Chi- cago, Ill.

Miss Bertha Osler of Conneau, Ohio is now residing at 20 Hope St., Ashtabula, Ohio.

Edward A. Perkins is now with the Tenney Company of 38 Chauncy Street, Boston, Mass. Mr. Perkins resides at 104 Florence Road, Rosslindale, Mass.

Harold C. Weeks formerly of Natick, Mass, is now located at 39 Church St., Marlboro, Mass.

18 Arthur W. Leighton is being addressed 7 Atkins Place, Medford Hillside, Mass.

19 Melvin S. Blethen may be found at 674 Scotland Road, Orange, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Raymond J. Cook announce the birth of Katherine Elizabeth born May 11, 1929 at Brookline, Mass. Weight six pounds, ten ounces.
The engagement of John E. Goodwin and Miss Isabelle M. Neely has recently been announced. Mr. Goodwin is chief engineer of Maine Public Utilities Commission. The wedding is to take place in September.

20 Henry R. Butler has changed his address from Scotia, New York to 278 Rutledge Ave., East Orange, New Jersey.

Dr. Norman B. Murphy is a practicing physician at 19 South Chestnut St., Augusta.

21 Vernon F. Hobbs is with the State Highway Commission located at 640 Industrial Office Building, 1060 Broad Street, Newark, N. J.


Mr. and Mrs. Herbert W. Fifield (Osgood) are residing at 97 Union Street, Brewer. Mr. Fifield has been transferred to Bangor to open a district agency for the State Mutual Life Assurance Company of Worcester, Mass.

Mrs. Maurice Hall (Regina McLaughlin) has moved from Friendship, Maine to 18 Colonial Road, Portland, Maine.

Frank S. Mulholland is with the Liberty Mutual Insurance Company at Paul Brown Building, St. Louis, Missouri.

Sydney A. Maddocks has moved from Braintree, Mass to 122 Main St., Waterville, Maine.

Carleton A. Walker is an insurance counselor with the Phoenix Mutual Life Insurance Company of 80 Federal St., Boston, Mass.

Newman Young has been reelected president of the Telegram League, an organization composed of secondary school baseball teams in or near Portland. Newman is still athletic coach at Westbrook High School.

Donald F. Alexander who is an electrical engineer with the Westinghouse Electric Company will occupy his new home on July 15 and should be addressed after that at 2034 Boggs Ave., Wilkinsburg, Pa.

22 Leonard J. Bragdon is with the State Highway Commission in the Bridge Division of Augusta.

Mervyn R. Driscoll is an electrical engineer with the International Paper Company located at Apartment 1c, 116 Shelton Ave., Jamaica, New York.

Edward S. Lawrence is a consulting metallurgist with Duraloy Company of Pittsburgh, Pa. Mr. Lawrence resides at 1218 Hilldale Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. McNamara are residing at Oil City, Pa., where Mr. McNamara is with the W. T. Grant Co. Wilbur E. Reserve is receiving his doctor of science degree from Cornell University this June.

Joseph N. Mullen is an engineer for the Foundation Company and is located at 1234 Marilyn Road, Philadelphia, Pa.

Ruth G. Murchie is located at 264 Main St., Calais, Maine.

Ruth Spear is now Mrs. William W. Rich and is located at Hingham, Mass.

Elizabeth Jeanette is the name given the daughter, born January 13, 1929 to Mr. and Mrs. Ralph E. Thomas at Detroit, Michigan.

Eunice H. Winslow is located at 4732 Oakland St., Frankford, Philadelphia, Pa.

Leonard E. Goodwin is chief engineer of Maine Public Utilities Commission who is now Division Trunk Engineer with the Western Division of the New England Tel. & Tel. Company. He is living at the Oaks Hotel, Springfield, Mass.

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F. E. Jones is located at 1926 Kane Street, Los Angeles, Cal. During the past school year Miss Jones has been a teacher of Mathematics at Mt. Vernon Junior High School at Los Angeles, Cal.

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Ivan R. Pease is production assistant in the New Haven Locomotive Shops, New York, New Haven and Hartford Railroad, at New Haven, Conn.

Gerald N. Robinson has changed his address from Auburn, R. I. to 250 Mt.

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Fred E. Smith is bacteriological chemist at Water Purification Works, Fresh Pond Parkway, of Cambridge, Mass. Mr. Smith is having his mail received at 116 Bridge St., Westbrook, Maine.

Philip Taylor is with the Pacific Mutual Savings Company of Los Angeles, California.

25 Mr. and Mrs. Mark B. Ashley (Anna J. Ashley) are residing at 3 Sachem Park, Wollaston, Mass.
Helen C. Burton is now Mrs. Hale O. Daggett located at 54 Redington St., Swampscott, Mass. Mr. and Mrs. Daggett have a son, Charles Burton, born September 5, 1925.

Lewis B. Clark has been teaching in the Plattsburg Normal School at Plattsburg, New York.

Luther C. Hall whom we have had listed as "lost" is located at 78 Peterboro St., Boston, Mass.

Roland L. Hutchings is inspector and draftsman with the Water Supply Project of Youngstown, Ohio. Mr. Hutchings is having his mail received at 338 Mistletoe Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.

Clifford V. Irish is with Lewis-Allis Company, designer, of Milwaukee, Wisconsin.

Mary E. Loomis is secretary with Price Waterhouse & Co. of 56 Pine Street, New York, N.Y. Miss Loomis resides at 120 East 34th Street, New York, N.Y.

The engagement of William R. McDonald and Miss Helen M. Dresser both of Portland, has been announced. Mr. McDonald is a member of the E. W. Brown company of South Portland.

Donald W. Powell is with Truscan Steel Company of 260 Tremont St., Boston, Mass.

Claude H. Tozier is with the traffic department of the New England Tel & Tel. Company of Rutland, Vermont.

26 Wilfred A. Beaudette whose ability as a poet resulted in his winning of several intercollegiate prizes for Maine, recently returned from a trip around the world and is now winning fame designing houses in Worcester. He is associated with his brother Harold with offices in the Slater building, Worcester. The Worcester Advertising club recently built a "model home" on plans drawn by Wilfred Beaudette.

E. Leith Chase is engineering with The Pacific Tel. & Tel. Company and is located at 153524 Lowry Road, Los Angeles, California.

The engagement of Trygve Heistad and Miss Shirley J. Roberts has been announced recently. The wedding is to take place this fall. Mr. Heistad is with the State Highway Commission of Augusta. During the past year Miss Roberts has been teaching at East Orange, New Jersey.

Mr. and Mrs. Harold A. Hussey (Jessie Wood) are residing at 2551 South Ave., Arlington, New Jersey where Mr. Hussey is with the Western Electric Company of Kearny, New Jersey.

Helen N. Mayo is at present residing at 711 Ashland Ave., Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles O. Myatt (Margaret Libby) are at 289 Empire Blvd. c/o Adams Station, St. John, Brooklyn, New York.

Robert H. Noyes is doing research work with the United States Navy of Washington, D.C. Mr. Noyes is having his mail received at 226—8th Street, S.E., Washington, D.C.

The wedding of Sylvester L. Poor and Miss Marion E. Duncan took place June 10, 1929 at Augusta.

Andrew J. Small is with the W. T. Grant Company at San Antonio, Texas.

Hugh S. Tibbetts is employed in central New Jersey as milk inspector under direction of Agricultural Extension Service, New Jersey Agricultural College.

27 Clayton T. Bockus formerly of Glens Falls, New York is now located at 17 Hancock St., Stoneham, Mass.

The engagement of Miss Hilda L. Freidman and Samuel S. Goodman has been announced recently. The date of the wedding has not yet been announced.

Mrs. Ruth Leman Grady has moved from Augusta to Liberty, Maine.

Wilder B. Harris has changed his address from Rockland, Maine to 321 West Emerson St., Melrose, Mass.

George B. Lewis is with the W. T. Grant Company at 104 Main Street, Buffalo, New York.

Watson O'Connor is a United States Army Aviator at March Field, Riverside, California.


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