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## Summary of Prospects for Baseball Season Presented

Most of the Material to be Selected from is New but Full of Promise

Manager "Jerry" Burrows '21 of the University of Maine baseball team fired the first shot of the 1920 baseball season when he sent out the first call for battery candidates Tuesday. Seven candidates reported and are working out daily in the baseball cage in Alumni Hall. More battery aspirants are expected to report during the coming week. Work for the present will be of the lightest order.

When Coach Monte Cross arrives in Orono on April 1st he will find only five regulars from last year's State Championship outfit. These are Capt. Burleigh Waterman '20, Harry Watson '20, Carl Sargent '22, "Brig" Young '21, and Johnny Walker '20. Of these, Young is the only outfielder from last year's nine. "Brig" is a clever fielder, fast, and a dependable hitter, batting second in the Maine Inter-collegiate league last spring. Wood and "Tim" Lawry, the other two outer gardeners of last year's outfit, left college at the end of the fall semester. Their loss is a severe jolt to 1920 chances.

Wood was a clever man with the willow and was probably the fastest man on the team. Last spring, a couple of Red Sox scouts were in Orono for the Bowdoin game, giving the Massachusetts lad the "once over". In losing "Tim" Lawry, Maine lost her leading hitter. "Pork" led the team with the bludgeon last spring and took care of the right garden in grand style. He was also a clever catcher and would probably have been used to fill Jerry Reardon's shoes behind the platter. From this it may be seen that Monte Cross must build up a new outfield with the dependable Young as a nucleus.

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## Leap Year Ball to be Striking Feature

Co-eds to Issue Invitations for Events

This year, as previously announced, the annual Track Club dance will be strikingly featured. The dance will be in the nature of a Leap Year Ball. The Track Club and the "M" Club are two organizations of our institution which deserve the hearty support of every loyal Maine student. As this is the Track Club's debut into the 1920 social whirl of the campus, it is hoped that a record breaking crowd will be present.

The object of the Track Club is to promote track, cross-country and relay activities at the University of Maine. We have just completed a most successful season in both cross-country and relay. We now look forward to a championship track team for 1920. As the Track Club is the nucleus around which all these track activities take place, the cooperation of all loyal Maine students is reasonably due the club.

The suspense in which the male population of the campus are living is beginning to tell on their nerves, as well as in their general appearance. The writer has noticed more than one man the past week with a white shirt and shined shoes who has not had a white shirt or dress shoes on except Sundays for the past five months.

We hope that our co-eds will show discretion with their invitations and will not throw an young man into despondency who is just starting out on his college career. There is nothing more annoying than a man who has

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## Intra-Mural Track Meets To Begin Next Saturday

More Entries are Needed--All Competitors Should Begin Practice at Once.

### Mechanical Club Elects Officers for the Year

Many Features and Facts Concerning the National Society are Given

At a recent meeting of the Mechanical Club the following were elected club officers: H. H. Worth, S. A. E., president; C. C. Swift, Phi Kappa Sigma, vice president; H. V. Watson, Phi Gamma Delta, secretary and treasurer; and an executive committee comprising R. A. Ranger, Sigma Nu; and L. J. Hodgkins, Phi Kappa Sigma.

Reed W. Fulton, the New England Manager of the Gould Mfg. Co., of Boston is to talk to the club members on "Centrifugal Pumps," just as soon as the weather conditions permit traveling. A large attendance is expected.

The Mechanical Club here at Maine is one of the 'Student Branches' of the 'American Society of Mechanical Engineers', a national organization with headquarters in New York City. The branch here has made excellent progress and showing besides the other Student Branches which are represented at all the leading technical schools of the country. It is expected that all the mechanical engineers here who are not already members will join as soon as possible in order to obtain the great advantages offered especially to the young engineers; because the Club gives them an opportunity to come in contact with the leading members of their profession and enables them to keep abreast of the latest developments in engineering.

The Society also assists the young engineers in locating positions offering opportunity for promotion.

Members of Student Branches are privileged to insert without charge a notice under "Men Available" in the Employment Bulletin, published each month in the Journal.

The recommendation by the Society of one of its members assures the employer that he is getting an assistant of known responsibility.

The membership has steadily grown since its foundation, and now includes over 7500 men prominent in the mechanical engineering profession.

There are five grades of membership: honorary member, member, associate, associate member, and junior.

Graduates of engineering courses in colleges where student branches are organized are eligible for the junior grade of membership, provided they are between the ages of 21 and 30 years and can refer to at least three voting members of the Society.

The initiation fee for juniors is \$15 and the dues are \$10 for the first six years. If a junior has not been promoted to another grade at the end of six years, his dues advance to \$15, which is the same as for the other grades.

### Phi Mu Held Initiation on Saturday Afternoon

Pi chapter of Phi Mu held its annual initiation on Saturday afternoon at the home of Mrs. J. N. Hart. The girls initiated were:

Jeannette Stuart '23, Mildred Close '21, Marjorie Mercier '23, Ruth Barstow '23, Arabelle Hamilton '23, Eleanor Prosser '23, Marjorie Wiley '23, Irene Packard '22, Gladys Gould '22, Frances Curran '22, Katherine Dennison '23, Ardelle Cooney '23.

The Intra-Mural Track Meet will be held next Saturday afternoon, March 6. A large number of freshmen have been working each night for the past week. Very few upper classmen have entered yet, however. Coach Rider is rather disappointed because of this. He says that each man ought to train at least ten days. Therefore, he desires that a large number of upper class men should enter and begin training on Tuesday.

This Intra-Mural Track Meet is important, for it will show what material we have and what are the prospects for the state meet this spring. Because of this, everyone who possibly can should go out for this meet. Coach Rider has a list of the events and a schedule by which he meets certain groups of fellows each night giving them all the training that he possibly can.

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### Students and Faculty Unite in Fighting Snow

Most of the Car Line from Orono to the Campus Freed from Icy Bonds

The students of the University certainly showed the management of the B. R. & E. that they were willing to cooperate in dealing with the recent snow storms. About five hundred students turned out early Saturday morning and cleared the track from the campus to the switch. It was not only the students however for there were representatives of the faculty from every department. Shovels were furnished by the railroad. As all classes were suspended it turned into a regular "back to nature" holiday. In spite of the fact that many blisters were raised the holiday was a great success. This work will enable the cars to reach us fully two days earlier in the spring.

The management wishes all shovels which are not still being used on the railroad to be turned in to Mr. Wing's office in Alumni Hall.

### Electrical Engineers Met in Lord Hall Feb. 18

Another Meeting is Scheduled for March 3. Some of the Students Give Talks

The Maine chapter of the American Institute of Electrical Engineers held an unusually interesting meeting in Lord Hall Wednesday, February 18.

L. R. Douglass '20 gave an illustrated talk on the "Electrification of the American Railroads."

F. C. Bisbee '20 related in a most instructive manner his experiences at

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## Chinese Student Writes of America and China

Maine Senior Describes Friendship of China for Us

In the last decades, China's door has always been open to her friends, either from the Old World or the New. She feels only too glad to extend her welcoming hand to those who come to her as missionaries, merchants, travelers, or teachers. To her, there is no high or low, no rich or poor. She treats them equally, cordially and hospitably. As a result, there must be now hundreds and thousands of foreigners in China. Among them, the Japanese play the dominant part. This is largely due to geographical propinquity.

As to the Americans, they enjoy the highest prestige in my fatherland. The people have strong confidence and profound faith in them. Indeed, beginning from the year 1784, that year in which the first American ship reached China, our international relations have always been congenial and consiliatory. Although this happy understanding has been unexpectedly interrupted by some incidents, yet they have been few, very few in number and rather insignificant in character. The reasons accounting for this peculiarly close tie existing between us are many, but the vitally important one is the disinterestedness of America.

This noble and splendid spirit has been manifested in various ways. First, the American merchants in China are concerned only with their commercial interests. They are not entangled with any political motives. They are far different from those Japanese, who utilize their economic penetration as a salient means to accomplish their sinister ambition. The paramount aim of those soldiers of Japan, though not in uniform, is not only to promote their trade interests in China but to try to conquer her with their financial power. This is the very explanation why the Chinese business men never welcome the Japanese capital. This is also the underlying cause why now over one hundred millionaires among the Chinese are ready to join their money with that of the enterprising Americans.

Secondly, the friendly attitude of America towards China is not expressed in vain words but in solid deeds. Let us look over the map of China. Extremely strategic positions and very valuable commercial ports along the Pacific coast have been and are still occupied by the so-called leading powers of the world. Their military occupation is undoubtedly without any justifiable foundation. In plain language, they wanted territories so they took them. But America is the only nation which strongly opposed this idea and therefore did not take any part in actions of this nature. I can assuredly say that the Americans must be exceedingly proud of their non-participation in these shameful and scandalous robberies, which never add any bright page to the world's history but do increase the sins of the human race.

Lastly, during this war, America has sacrificed her best sons and mobilized

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## No R.O.T.C. Camps to Open the Coming Summer

General March this week made the announcement that no training camps for Reserve Officers are to be held this coming summer. Since the officers now being commissioned have nearly all had considerable experience during the war, he states that the expense would not be justified in holding the usual summer training camp. He also adds that no Reserve Officer will be called for service this year without his own consent.

## University is to Hear Several Speakers of Note

They are to Talk here on Behalf of the Interchurch World Movement

An opportunity that comes to a college but once in a generation will be given the students of the University of Maine on March 10th, 11th, and 12th when the noted Columbus team of the Interchurch World Movement will come to this campus and its members speak at the daily chapels on these dates. The team is so called because it started from Columbus, Ohio altho its members are from various parts of the world.

Altho "Who's Who" will state that Sherwood Eddy has written many books on the Far East, is a great authority on student life in Japan, Russia, Korea, and India, and has been requested time and again to address the Chinese governments, boards of trade, parliaments, etc. no intimation is given that he is one of the ablest speakers on the Far East that has ever addressed a college student body. Mr. Eddy will speak at an hour chapel while in Orono.

Bishop John M. Moore, representing the needs of the Protestant churches of the United States and the necessity of college men and women to carry into all forms of professional and business life the Christian motive, is a speaker of remarkable power and few men in this country have had as wide experience in work among students, thus he has been selected as the representative of the Interchurch World Movement to visit the colleges of New England.

Daniel A. Poling of Boston will head this team as he, in addition to being president of the United Society of Christian Endeavor and director of the laymen's activities of the Interchurch Movement, is most effective with college men with his address on World Democracy.

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## Freshman Basketball Team Defeats Swamscot

High School Team Outplayed in Game. Score 36-19

The University of Maine freshmen easily defeated the fast Swamscot High basketball team here Thursday by the score of 39 to 16. The Massachusetts team displayed excellent team work and passing but were outclassed by the heavier freshman team.

In the first period the playing continued several minutes before either team was able to get a clear shot, then both quintets started scoring in rapid succession. At the end of the period the score stood 10 to 3 in favor of the locals. In the remaining periods the scoring continued on about the same ratio and the final whistle left the score 39 to 16.

Holmes, Spear and Carroll played a superb game for the university freshmen, while MacCarty and Wallir played the best all-around game for the losers.

The score:  
U. of M. Freshmen Swamscot H.  
Holmes, rf 2.....MacCarty, 3 (2)  
Spear, rf 3  
Jewett, lf, 3.....lf., Forsyth  
Woodbury, lf  
Carroll, c, 4.....c, Witter

c, Snow  
Dresser, lg, 4.....lg, Bailey, 1  
Bauchard, lg  
Curtis, lg, 2  
Neavling, rg.....rg, Wallir, 1  
Bryant, rg

Referee, Keagan. Timer, Cobb. Time of periods, four ten minute.

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## Editorial

### A SERIOUS SITUATION

It is doubtful if the Athletic Association has ever been in so serious a financial situation since Maine has been on the athletic map. Not more than a fifth of the student body have purchased Blanket Taxes after a month of the spring semester has passed. It is generally figured that by far the greater portion of the Taxes will be sold within two weeks. Accurate figures as to the number sold thus far are not available from the Blanket Tax Committee but it is safe to say that the number is not far from 300.

Are there only 300 Maine men and women who wish to see a state championship baseball team similar to last year?

Are there only 300 Maine men and women who wish to see Maine make a creditable showing in track this spring?

Are there only 300 Maine men and women who wish to see the Campus continue in its present form and size or continue at all?

Are there only 300 Maine men and women who have enough college pride and spirit to back the Athletic Association?

Think this over and make your decision now. Then see some member of the Blanket Tax Committee or its agents and put your \$5.50 on the board to support Maine this spring. Possibly the Blanket Tax Committee has not managed this campaign as it should. If they will not hunt you up, surprise them and hunt them up. Let this be your answer.

A detailed standing of the houses or dormitories will be published in an early issue showing Blanket Taxes sold.

It seems at times that the old Maine spirit has gone to sleep with Bananas, the football mascot. There is plenty to crab about—the snow, the car service, the cold—but it isn't Maine spirit to crab. Make your hello! more sincere than ever and cheer up. Spring is coming.

## Intra-Mural Basketball

### Leagues Standing

Regular and Postponed Games to be Played Soon

#### NORTH LEAGUE

	Lost	Won	%
Kappa Sigma	0	6	1.000
Beta Theta Pi	2	2	.500
Sigma Nu	2	2	.500
Commons	3	2	.400
Delta Tau Delta	2	1	.333
S. A. E.	4	2	.333
Theta Chi	3	1	.250

#### SOUTH LEAGUE

	Lost	Won	%
Lambda Chi Alpha	1	4	.800
Sigma Chi	1	4	.800
Alpha Tau Omega	1	3	.750
Phi Eta Kappa	2	3	.600
Phi Kappa Sigma	3	1	.250
Phi Epsilon Pi	5	1	.166
Phi Gamma Delta	5	1	.166

The following games are to be played Tuesday evening, March 2: Theta Chi vs. Sigma Nu.

Delta Tau Delta vs. Beta Theta Pi. There are also four other regularly scheduled games which will be played off as soon as proper dates can be set for them. Then will come the three-game series between the winners of the North and South Leagues.

## Students and Faculty Participate Saturday

### Winter Sports Carnival Held on the Stillwater

On Saturday afternoon, Maine students had the opportunity to don their skis or snowshoes and watch winter sports in full tilt, when a mid-winter carnival was held on the Stillwater. There were ten events in all. The ski events were: the one hundred yard dash, the faculty fifty yard dash, the four hundred yard relay, an obstacle race, the ski jump for form, and the ski slide for distance. The snowshoe races were the one hundred yard dash, the faculty fifty yard dash, the four hundred yard relay, and the obstacle race. Castle '22 was high point man of the afternoon, with ten points. Boynton and Sweetser came next with eight points each. Altogether, it was a great success and furnished much fun both by participants and spectators.

## Alumni Notes

The announcement of the engagement of Miss Marjorie Elizabeth Strout to Leon Otis Marshall '19 has much of interest to Maine students. Miss Strout and Mr. Marshall were classmates at the Brunswick High School. After their graduation in 1915, Miss Strout went to the Sargent School, from which she graduated in 1917. She then taught physical training in summer camps in Maine, New York and Massachusetts. Mr. Marshall left the University for military service during the war and after his discharge returned to complete the work for his degree. While pursuing his studies he holds a position in the State Experimental Station. The marriage will take place in March.

Miss Marie Foster '16 has been employed in the office of a sugar raising company in the Philippines. She expects to leave soon to fill a similar position in Shanghai, China.

## Financial Statement of M.C.A.

Aug. 1st, 1919 to March 1st, 1920  
per O. L. Whalen, Sec'y.

### EXPENSES

Equipping M.C.A. room	\$ 325.95
Moving picture service	1012.45
Freshman reception	40.55
Loss on Handbook	27.69
Chapel Speaker	21.50
Y. W. C. A. Budget	100.00
Publicity (Alumni and students)	93.85
Office expenses	141.41
Interest on loans	15.23
Wilson Campaign expenses	16.30
Total	\$1794.93
Balance	16

### RECEIPTS

Balance carried over from 1919	\$64.59
Amount received from paid pledges	\$1630.50
Loan from Old Town Trust Company	\$100.00
Total to date	\$1795.09

### ASSETS

U. of M. students pledges	
UNPAID	\$153.00
altho due Jan. 6th, 1920	

### LIABILITIES

Note due at Old Town Trust Company	\$100.00
Amount due for moving picture films	\$110.00
Unpaid expense of Wilson campaign	\$100.00
	\$310.00

Note: Number of students pledging was 896; no returns from 221 men and 96 women students.

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## Electrical Engineers Met in Lord Hall Feb. 18

the Harvard Radio School during the war.

S. E. Jones '20 told of his work in the Government Shipbuilding corporation at Bath, Maine.

The next meeting is to be held March 3, at Lord Hall. Professor Barrows will speak on the super power plant system for the Atlantic coast.

L. E. Merrow '20 is to give an illustrated lecture, if the material and slides can be secured from the General Electric Co. in time.

Professor Barrows is one of the most interesting speakers on the campus. "Bandy" Merrow needs no introduction to the student body. With two such speakers this next meeting will be well worth attending.

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## Leap Year Ball to be Striking Feature

met adversity in his love affairs. We hope that our campus will not be very heavily populated with these luckless individuals after the fatal date of Saturday, March 13th, 1920. We put implicit faith in the good judgment of our co-eds, however, and feel safe in saying that we will not be annoyed by such individuals as described above.

As the tickets will be on sale soon we strongly urge in closing that the co-eds do not keep the eligible\* men waiting any longer than absolutely necessary as it is detracting their minds from their studies.

It is seldom that Leap Year comes around and the fair sex have the opportunity of doing the honors. As leap year will not occur again for some fourteen hundred and sixty days, the opportunity which the young ladies have of showing their esteem for their gentlemen friends is one which cannot be ignored.

Music will be rendered by "Doc" Turner's orchestra. All those who have had the pleasure of gliding over the floor to the strains of "Doc's" violin, "Danny" Daniel's banjo, and "Bill" Cobb's drums know that it is all one's heart could desire. "Al" Johnson will be at the piano and a good cornetist will be allied with the group.

The dance order will include sixteen dances which will occupy every minute of the time up until the last stroke of twelve by the bell on Wingate Hall.

The patronesses will include Mrs. Estabrooke of Mt. Vernon House, Mrs. Mason of the Kappa Sigma House, and Mrs. Hills of Balentine Hall.

\*Foot Note: Freshmen ARE included among the eligible men.

## Campus Notes

Mabel Hall is at her home in Caribou, suffering from an attack of the gripe.

On account of the weather and consequent lack of train accommodations, the following girls have been staying at Balentine: Helen Hamlin, Beatrice Davis, Alice Graham, Frances Curran, Ruth Coombs, Marian and Dorothea Buzzell.

Florence Chandler has been spending the past week in Houlton and its vicinity in connection with her work in agriculture.

Miss Zena Cooney is the guest of her sister, Ardelle, for a few days.

Ruth Hall is spending the week-end at her home in Dexter.

Miss Irene Connors, of Sullivan, Maine, and Miss Isabel Haines of Portland were guests at the Beta Phi dance, Friday night.

Florence Salley spent last week in Lynn, Mass., with her mother.

Miss Nina Lovell of Eastport was the guest of Lucy Kilby for a few days.

The following girls were away from the Hall on Washington's Birthday: Ina Gillespie and Helen Bragdon at Newport, Irene Packard at Herman Pond, Helen Downes at Winterport and Avis Strout at Portland. Helen Downes has as yet been unable to cross the river to Bucksport on account of the snow, and does not know when she can return to school.

Hon. John A. Roberts, commissioner of Agriculture died recently at Augusta. He has served as Commissioner of Agriculture for several terms.

Dean Merrill, Ralph B. Mitchell, state leader of Boys' and Girls' Clubs, Arthur L. Deering, County Agent leader, and Miss Catherine N. Platts, state home demonstration leader, recently attended a conference of the agricultural extension workers of the Eastern States. The conference was held in New York City.

You "Hecks" who did not attend the Aggie meeting last Wednesday evening have no idea of what you missed. We had one of the best, if not the best meeting of the year. It was a combination affair, both "Hecks" and "Home Ec." attending, there being about forty-five of each class present.

"Eats" consisted of coffee and doughnuts. Say, talk about cooking, those "Home Ec." girls sure can make some doughnuts. The good opinion that the "Aggie" students have always held of the "Home Ec." girls, was raised 50% after they had eaten three or four of those delicious doughnuts.

After the refreshments had been served, a very pleasant social hour was spent in performing tricks and playing games.

Surprises like this are liable to happen at any "Heck" meeting; so we advise every "Aggie" student to attend all meetings. We assure you that a very interesting program is being worked out for the remainder of the year.

Every Aggie student should bear in mind that *Practical Husbandry*, the Agricultural College paper is being published monthly now. In the near future some one will be around to see you in regard to a subscription. Be sure to save half a dollar out of your next month's spending allowance for this purpose.

The military department is making plans for a dance, which is to take place in the near future for the purpose of raising funds for the support of the rifle team.

The permanent team will be chosen from the following men: A. F. Sullivan, S. E. Merry, L. T. Merriman, E. O. Feeney, R. S. Leighton, R. J. Smart, L. W. Davee, H. D. Cahill, R. N. Atherton, V. N. Hart, F. P. Leavitt, and H. F. Carey.

Company C, the former machine gun company, has been abolished and the men assigned to different companies. Company E will be called the machine gun company from now on.

A signal corps is being formed at present. It will be composed of two men from each company.

Plans for the Military Hop are being pushed along as fast as possible. Judging by present appearances this is to be one of the best, if not the best hop ever held by the Military Department.

The Mt. Vernon Minstrelles made their first appearance on Monday night at the M Club Vaudeville show. They

## It Is Said

THAT the shoveling done by the students and faculty of the University makes walking easier even if the electric do not reach us.

THAT the treasurer of the Athletic Association states that if many more Blanket Taxes are not sold at once, he will be forced to stop paying the bills of the Association.

THAT you cannot have a baseball team without a coach and equipment; you cannot get a coach and equipment without money, which means without the Blanket Tax. Maine will not have baseball this spring.

THAT the picks and shovels used by the shovelers Saturday had a queer way of disappearing after the job was completed.

THAT it is apparent to the unbiased observer that the Blanket Tax Committee has failed to conduct their campaign this semester as it should be done. It is not too late to begin right.

THAT the student body would no doubt like to see the baseball schedule for this spring.

THAT battery candidates are working in the cage for baseball.

THAT with the present condition of the roads a fire at the University would be disastrous. How about some adequate fire protection for the University?

THAT if the snow melts very suddenly, boats will be as popular as snowshoes have been.

THAT according to the present rate of progress the first issue of the *Blue Book* will appear at the 10th annual reunion of the class of 1920.

The first issue would be well under way at this time if plans had not been forced aside.

THAT the freshman basketball team showed its calibre by decisively defeating Swampscott High School. The sophomores are beginning practice.

THAT the boxing carnival Wednesday evening, beginning at 6.30 should draw a good crowd. Admission \$.15 for five bouts.

THAT the Junior Assembly will be given Friday night.

THAT any University organization wishing publicity for any dance or entertainment should submit articles or ads before the Saturday preceding the issue in which the publicity is desired.

THAT the cars will be running next month.

THAT we will see some "snappy" movies of the snowshoe tournament. We hope they will be shown soon.

THAT there is more snow coming.

THAT there are not enough co-eds to take all the fellows to the Leap Year Ball and bids are coming slowly.

appeared to score quite a success.

Miss Marjorie Willey, Sarah Wiswell, and Ruth Spear have returned from their homes where they spent the week-end.

Miss Beatrice Palmer has spent the past few days at Mt. Vernon.

While this glorious weather lasts, why can't the students in a body make the best of it? Of course the sports on river will be more than successful, but why not try a snow-shoe hike for all the students? The best way to prevent sickness is to be out in this crisp, winter air, far from the close confinement of a hot study room. Why not stop crabbng about the absence of the cars and irregularity of the mails, and get out and have an all round good time?

Mr. Mercer Johnston, who was to deliver the General Lecture on March 3rd is ill and cannot come. Professor A. A. Whitmore, of the History Department, will take Mr. Johnston's place, and lecture on "Some Aims of the Labor Group."



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The order of events will be as follows:

### INDOORS

1. High jump (running)
2. Shot put
3. Broad jump (running)
4. Pole vault

### OUTDOORS

5. 40 yard dash (trials)
6. 40 yard hurdles (trials and semi-finals)
7. 40 yard dash (semi-finals)
8. Freshman relay
  1. Kappa Sigma vs. Phi Epsilon Pi
  2. Delta Tau Delta vs. Alpha Tau Omega
9. 880 yard run
10. 40 yard dash (finals)
11. Freshman relay
  1. Theta Chi vs. Lambda Chi Alpha
  2. Sigma Alpha Epsilon vs. Phi Gamma Delta
12. 40 yard hurdles (finals)
13. 220 yard dash
14. Fat man's race (180 lbs. minimum weight)
15. Snow shoe race
16. 440 yard run
17. Bag race
18. Freshman relay
  1. Beta Theta Pi vs. Phi Kappa Sigma
  2. Commons Council vs. Sigma Chi
  3. Sigma Nu vs. Phi Eta Kappa
19. Three legged race
20. One mile race
21. Ski race

Points will count:  
1st place, 5 points; 2nd place, 3 points; 3rd place, 1 point.

### REGULATIONS

Only track and field events will count for points toward the Charles Rice Memorial Cup.

Entries for the first meet which will be held Saturday P. M., March 6 must be handed in to Director Rider not later than 5.00 P. M., Thursday, March 4.

Positively no entries will be accepted after the above date.

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## Chinese Student Writes of America and China

all of her resources, not for territorial gains, not for financial conquests, but for the defence of the cause of humanity and liberty. If a nation of such disinterestedness is not the best friend of China, who will be? If China does not take a country of such unselfishness into her confidence, whom shall she take? In short, it is a natural outcome that America is always deep in the hearts of the Chinese people.

L. H. Chen '20

The last of the lectures on Philosophy, which was to be given March 17th, will be given March 31st.

## INTERCOLLEGIATES

Dr. Arthur Hadley, the well-known president of Yale University, made it known publicly Tuesday that "unless some grave emergency should arise," he would retire from the presidency in the spring of 1921. He announced the fact, upon assuming his office in 1899, that he would retire upon reaching the age of 65. He will attain that age next spring, and he states that he will carry out his original intentions unless "some grave emergency arises" necessitating the continuance of his office.

The Harvard University Debating Team made a trip to Lewiston this week for a debate with Bates College. The subject of the argument was the Plumb Plan for government control of the U. S. railroads. Bates, representing the affirmative, won, the vote of the judges being unanimous. Governor Milliken presided. This wakes us up to the fact that we, of an institution several times larger than Bates, are a considerable way behind her in such things as debating clubs and literary societies.

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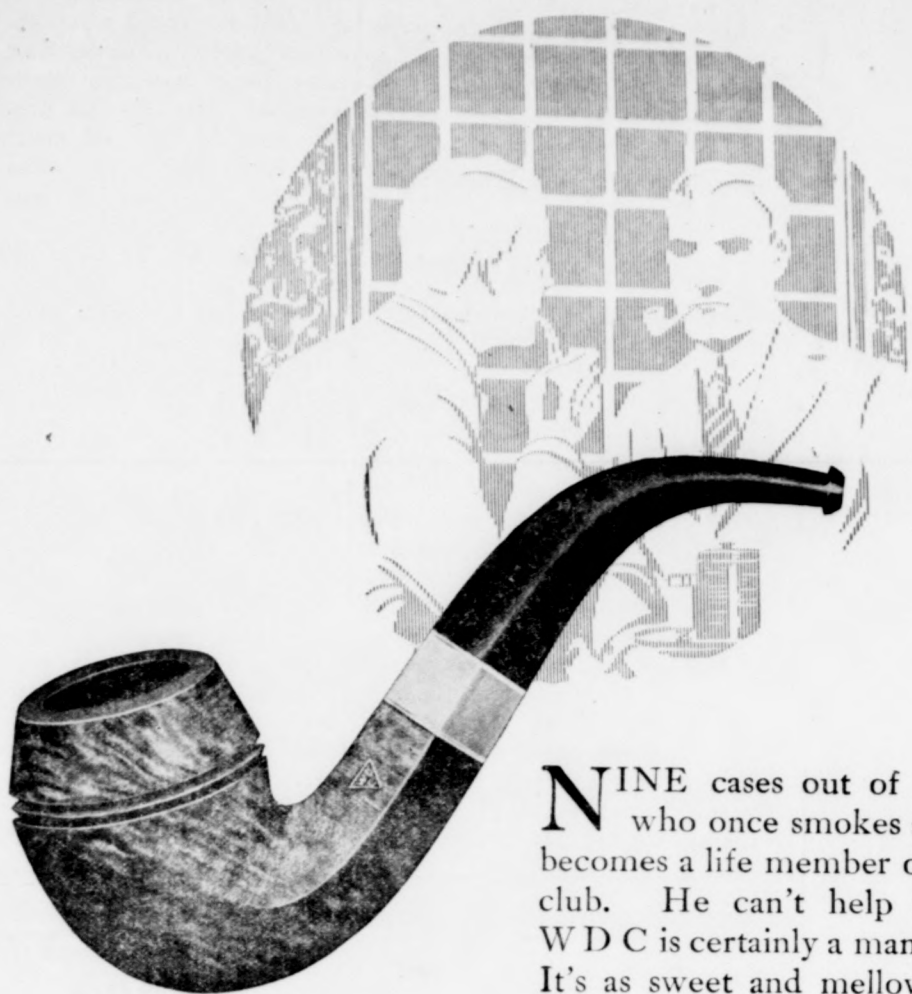
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#### (Continued from Page One) Summary of Prospects for Baseball Season Presented

Infield prospects are a bit brighter with a good cluster of likely candidates. On paper, the following men appear to be prominent: Capt. Waterman, '20, Carl Sargent '22, "Johnny" Conley '22, "Shorty" Abramson '22, "Johnny" Johnson '22, "Giant" Bradley '23, and "Bill" McKeeman '23. During these wintry days, there is much discussion in the "fire place league" as to the probable makeup of the infield. Fans will remember that last year's inner defense was composed of Waterman at first, "Git" Faulkner at second, "Bill" Slattery and Walker at short, and Carl Sargent at third. Faulkner graduated last June, while Slattery did not return to college this fall.

The wise ones figure that Waterman will be shifted from the initial sack to either short or the middle station. This would put "Johnny" Conley in charge of the first sack. "Johnny" needs no introduction to sportdom. Last season, owing to scholastic difficulties, he was unable to play, but this year he is eligible.

For second base, Bradley '23 looks good. He was captain of last season's Boston English High nine and was picked for the All-Star Massachusetts Interscholastic Team. This diminutive lad has the reputation of being a fielder, fast on the bases, and a clever wielder of the club. For third, there is Carl Sargent of last spring's outfit. However, two former third sackers have returned to college, "Johnny" Johnson and "Short" Abramson. It looks like a grand old three-cornered scrap for the honor of holding down the hot corner.

At short, "Johnny" Walker, of last

season's outfit, looks good. He is a clever fielder and a good man on the bases. Waterman, according to the dopesters, might be used at either short or second. He has played in both of these positions. Waterman is a heavy hitter and is always looked upon with great respect by opposing hurlers. From the above dope, it may readily be seen that any attempt to pick an infield at this time would be fruitless. This is particularly true of second, short, and third. The matter is affording the dopesters on the campus plenty of opportunity for argument, but guess we'll have to let Monte Cross decide.

Battery prospects are not as bright as they might be. The back stop's berth is vacant, owing to the graduation of Jerry Reardon, last June. His shoes will be hard to fill. Up to the time of "Tim" Lawry's departure, it was generally conceded that "Tim" would do the honors on the receiving end. At the present time, there appears to be only two prominent candidates, Ray Smith and "Bill" Feeney. Smith acquired a good reputation as fullback on last fall's championship gridiron aggregation. He was elected to lead the eleven next fall. Ray was first-string catcher on the Bangor High team while attending that institution. Those who have seen him in action claim that he is good. Feeney is a former Deering High athlete and was an understudy to Reardon last spring. "Bill" is quick to learn and, with a year's experience behind him, should make a good bid for the berth.

Last season's pitching staff is shot to pieces. Maine's 1919 pitching string was not to be laughed at with "Wart" Small, "Charlie" Zeigler, "Red" DeRoche, "Ollie" Johnson, and Harry Watson. Of these, Watson is the only one now in college. Harry pitched a fine brand of ball, coming thru as a dark horse. It will be remembered that he ended the season by pinning defeats on Colby and Bowdoin. Jack Frost, former star hurler, is again in college and is expected to come thru. Previous to the war, Jack was a star. He has just returned from service in the Navy. Other promising candidates are "Pal" Libby '22, Carl Martin '23, and McCart '22. Libby was a member of the 1917 club, showing up well that season. During the war, he was in naval aviation, returning to college this fall. He is a right hander. Mar-

tin, another right hander, pitched to Deering High for four years, in addition to playing with the Maine Centrals and other fast organizations. McCart is a southpaw, having acquired quite a reputation while playing on army teams during the war. Monte is particularly anxious to secure a left-hander, and Maine men are hoping that "Mac" will make good. "Soup" Colbath '23, former A. C. I. southpaw hurler, was looked upon as promising timber but was obliged to leave college, owing to sickness.

When Monte Cross arrives, he will probably find some dark horses. Monte has a reputation for developing young material and can certainly bring out the best that there is in a player. Altho Maine followers are not "hanging the crape," they are not boasting. Time only will tell the composition and caliber of the team. Maine alumni and undergraduates have the utmost confidence in Monte Cross, knowing that he will turn out the best team possible with the material available.

#### (Continued from Page One) University is to Hear Several Speakers of Note

Mrs. Henry W. Peabody who recently presided at the National Conference of Church Women, will speak on Foreign Missionary activities throughout the world and from her the Maine students will hear one of the most vivid pictures ever drawn of the work of the church overseas.

Professor Walter S. Athearn of Boston University and R. L. Kelley, Secretary of the Council of Church Boards of Education in North America, will be the other members of this noted team.

The Interchurch Movement is putting on these visits to the campus of the American colleges because it realizes that the colleges are filled with the future laymen and laywomen who are the rank and file of any church and that they must look to the colleges to furnish leaders of the immediate future, just as the nation officered her army largely with college men.

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