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The Basketball Team Is Planning Extensive Trip

Basketball practice started last week and a large number of candidates reported. Practice is beginning early because the team starts its schedule of games earlier this year than usual. A two weeks' trip is planned which will take Coach Flack's basketball team thru New York, Western Pennsylvania and into Ohio.

The athletic board has the matter under advisement, and when definite arrangements and a budget showing proposed guarantees and necessary expenses are submitted by Manager Randelette will probably act in favor of the trip. This trip would come during the Christmas vacation. Several offers have been made by teams in New York and Ohio and attempts are being made to fill the open dates. This trip would mean the broadening of Maine's athletic competition as never has been done before, as no basketball team representing the University has ever gone outside of New England.

The season usually starts right after the Christmas vacation and lasts until the middle of March. This season, with the proposed trip, will see the team playing from the middle of December to the first of March, or about three months. The team will make a trip in New England in February and arrangements are being made for return games with some of the bigger colleges to be played in Bangor. Maine will play Colby, Bates if they have a team, Portland Athletic

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Rifle Club Aims to Win the Championship

The Men's Rifle Club is one of the non-athletic organizations which intends to help Maine have a clean-up year by winning the top-notch position in its particular field.

At the meeting on Nov. 10 Mr. Kidney explained the method of using targets and guns. He also outlined the system which would be used this year.

Robert N. Haskell of Bangor was awarded a cup for being the best marksman in the club last year. Steward, Phillips and Wixon were placed on a committee to select the cup. A similar cup is to be awarded to the best marksman in the club this year.

Rifle practice starts on Monday, Nov. 13 and Nov. 30 is the latest date that membership dues will be received.

First Lyceum Number Remarkable Success

The first entertainment of the Lyceum Course was given in the chapel on November 9, and consisted of a reading of the four act play, "A Square Deal," by Edwin M. Whitney.

Mr. Whitney held his auditors spell-bound from first to last. The play presented was a comedy and his audience enjoyed every minute of it. His long experience has made him one of the foremost character impersonators of the day, and in his performance of Thursday evening he was at his best. It is to be regretted that his audience was not as large as it should have been and doubtless would have been, if the student body had realized what was in store for them.

Each character of the play was so clearly defined that his listeners were never for a minute in doubt as to which part was being taken. His facial expression was remarkable, and his voice changed with lightning-like rapidity from one character to another.

There were a large number of parts in the play and it was no easy task to keep them distinct and individual personalities, but Mr. Whitney did this to perfection. Without a particle of stage setting he conveyed his meaning as well as if aided by the most elaborate fixtures.

Several people who were in a position to judge stated after the performance that, with possibly the exception of some of Leland Powers' work, Mr. Whitney's performance was the best example of character impersonation it had ever been their privilege to hear.

Phi Kappa Phi Members Chosen from Seniors

Seven members of the senior class have been elected to membership in Phi Kappa Phi, the honorary scholastic society: Donald F. Alexander of Bangor, Philip D. Davis of South Deerfield, Mass., Miss Mildred Lombard of Sebago Lake, Miss Iva A. Merchant of Walnut Hill, Miss Mary Perkins of Portland, Fernald S. Stickney of Brownville, and Miss Harriet Weatherbee of Lincoln.

D. F. Alexander is studying electrical engineering, and is a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity, and of Tau Beta Pi and Sigma Delta Chi societies. He is president of the Radio Club, secretary of the Maine chapter of Tau Beta Pi, and Alumni Editor of the Campus.

P. D. Davis is a student of civil engineering, a member of Zeta Pi fraternity, and Tau Beta Pi society.

Miss Lombard is registered in the College of Arts and Sciences, majoring in Spanish.

Miss Merchant is a student of horticulture, and is a member of Sigma Sigma Sigma, honorary biological society.

Miss Perkins is majoring in English, in the College of Arts and Sciences. She is a member of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority, and of the English and Spanish Clubs. She was editor of the Mainiac the past year.

F. S. Stickney is a student of mechanical engineering, and is a member of Sigma Nu fraternity and Tau Beta Pi society. He is president of the local branch of the A. S. M. E.

Miss Weatherbee is in the College of Arts and Sciences, majoring in Mathematics. She was vice-president of the Mathematics Club last year, and has been recently elected president of the Girls' Rifle Club.

Phi Kappa Phi is an honor society, composed of graduate and undergraduate members of all departments of American universities and colleges. Its prime object is to emphasize scholarship in the thought of college students, to

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Girls Penny Carnival Promises Many Surprises

On the seventeenth of November the Girls' Athletic Association will introduce something new to the patronizers of college events at the University of Maine. No one has ever seen anything just like this presented on the Campus, therefore, no one can afford to miss the opportunity of seeing and enjoying the mysteries and surprises which this affair will present for the whole sum of a few cents.

The purpose of the Carnival is twofold. Firstly, we aim to unite the faculty and student body in a general good time; and secondly, to make a small profit for the benefit of the association.

The features of the Carnival are many and varied, ranging from "Palmistry," "Mining" and "Moving Pictures" to "Bathing Beauties," "Living Skeletons" and the "Siamese Twins." Besides this you have a chance to get even with your favorite professor, to visit the Spring of Youth, to see the World Famous "Mamie," and the "Love Wire." These are not all the features the Penny Carnival offers. One has only to come to find out the others. There are real cats and drinks. Everyone has an opportunity to win a bottle of "Rock and Rye!"

New Alumni Branch Formed at Manchester

Following the Maine-New Hampshire State football game the alumni of the University living in the southern part of New Hampshire met and formed a new Alumni association branch. The headquarters of the branch will be located in Manchester, N. H. The officers of the association elected at a very enthusiastic meeting were: R. P. Mitchell, Manchester, president; Ray W. Peaslee, Concord, vice-president; H. Stiles Bridges, Concord, secretary-treasurer; Walter N. Ellis, Nashua and Ray Woodman, executive committee.

Cross Country Men Ready For New England Meet

"On to the New England's" is the cry of the Cross Country team which is fast bettering itself in preparedness for the New England Intercollegiate Cross Country Meet to take place Saturday, Nov. 17 at Franklin Park, Boston. The entries will be about the same as last year and will consist of such colleges as Tufts, Holy Cross, Williams, Wesleyan, M. I. T., U. of Vermont, Colby, Boston College, Bates, Mass. Agricultural College and Bowdoin.

The team has been working hard since winning the State Championship at Lewiston and the squad which goes to Boston will consist of men who will fight to the limit for Maine.

Coach Flack has been sending his men through various branches of training for the coming meet. Trials were held last Saturday over a course leading from the gym to Great Works and return by the way of Park Street, a distance of about six miles. Twenty-one men started the race and everyone finished. Ames took the lead and led the pack for four miles when Capt. McKeeman took the pace closely followed by Hillman and Raymond. Kneeland, Noyes, and Patten were well bunched all the way, stomach trouble bothering Patten slightly. Webb finished eighth showing improvement over previous trials. The work of Ghero.

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Phi Sigma Establishes A Chapter at Maine

The Phi Sigma fraternity announces the following pledges: Dr. Little, President of the University of Maine, Dr. Jordan, a Maine graduate and for a long time director of the State Experiment Station, Miss Eva Jones, Miss Beatrice Johnson, Mr. Clayton Jones, Mr. Thor Miller, Mr. Philip Sargent, Mr. Grant Wheeler.

The Phi Sigma fraternity is an honorary society founded at Ohio State University in 1915 and at the present time has chapters at that institution, at the University of California, University of Washington, University of Montana, Washington and Jefferson College, University of Kansas, Michigan Agricultural College, University of Wisconsin, University of Akron, University of Denver, University of Michigan, and the University of Maine.

There was a chapter of Phi Sigma at Maine, established in 1917 but during the war it became inactive. Tri Sigma, a local fraternity was founded to fill its place. Early this year Tri Sigma went national as Phi Sigma.

The aim of this fraternity is the advancement of the biological sciences. Phi Sigma is to the biologist what Tau Beta Pi is to the engineer or Alpha Chi Sigma is to the chemist and its entrance requirements are on the same basis, that of scholastic ability and character.

Important Class Meeting Held by the Seniors

A senior class meeting held Tuesday noon in 30 Coburn Hall produced some interesting and enlightening facts. Many matters of vital interest to all seniors were discussed. It was brought to notice that the class was very heavily in debt chiefly due to non-support by the class members of various class undertakings. This, combined with the inefficiency of class committees has put a large sum on the debit side of the class treasurer's book.

Dissatisfaction among the dormitory seniors resulted in a recall of the nominations made for class officers. A new nominating committee is to meet Friday at chapel time in 30 Coburn Hall to prepare a new list of nominations.

Members of the class are to have all legal assessments and such unpaid dues as each individual class member has, placed on their term bill.

A complete statement of the finances of the class from the time of entering the University is being prepared by the class treasurer. This will be published in the Campus as soon as it is completed.

Maine Proves Victor Over New Hampshire

State Champions Defeat Rivals 14-7 Before Large Armistice Day Crowd

Great Plans Are Made For the Military Circus

The following statement was printed on the editorial page of the Campus after the Military Department's circus of last year.

"Much credit is due the Army officers for the very exceptional circus given by the R. O. T. C. unit here. When have we had a more successful exhibition?" The answer surely is "next year" meaning the coming circus of December 8.

In still another Campus the following article was printed.

"The stupendous combined V. F. W. and R. O. T. C. Circus, held last Friday evening in Alumni Hall with a riot of sideshows, vaudeville, fierce animals and dancing, was a grand success in every way. Proceeds of over \$600 were taken in which will be used to erect a fitting memorial to the 37 Maine men who lost their lives in the World War. The immense crowd, which was the largest of the year, was extremely pleased with the evening's entertainment."

The coming circus is planned to be even larger and better, and more realistic than last year. It will start as all real circuses do with a grand parade

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Dr. Little Speaks to Alumni in Portland

The Cumberland County Alumni Association of the University of Maine held a gathering at the Congress Square Hotel on Friday evening, Nov. 3. It was the best attended meeting that the Association ever held, great enthusiasm being shown.

Dr. Little was the principal speaker, summarizing the conditions as they existed among the student body. He also spoke of the financial condition of the University. The "new" spirit of the student body was emphasized not only along athletic lines but also along lines of intellectual activities, a spirit that bids fair to outclass that "old" Maine spirit about which so much has been heard.

The financial needs of the University was presented, including figures for maintenance and repair.

Dr. Little also cited figures to show what a comparative small amount the State of Maine spends for the University in comparison to the amounts other states give to their universities. If the University of Maine is to maintain her present high standard among state universities and colleges, the state as a whole must comply with her financial requirements much better than it has in the past.

Campus Dance Coming Thanksgiving Afternoon

The editorial board of the Maine Campus will give a Stag Dance on the afternoon of Thanksgiving Day, November 30. Last year the board gave a very successful dance at that time, and all indications point to an even more enjoyable affair this year.

At the regular weekly meeting of the board last Thursday afternoon a committee was appointed to arrange for all details. The members of the committee are "Hot" Ayer, chairman, Wesley Patterson, "Goopy" Stevens, "Betty" Kingsbury and Grace Armstrong.

The proceeds of the dance will be used for the improvement of the college weekly.

The Maine Champions proved themselves to be worthy of the name by defeating New Hampshire State at Manchester, 14 to 7, before a crowd of 11,000 on Armistice Day. A jolly bunch of fellows were the twenty-two who registered at the Manchester House Friday morning, representing the Maine State champions in football. Friday afternoon was spent in a short signal drill at Textile Field and then the evening was spent at the Palace Theatre.

At two o'clock, Saturday, on the Textile Field of Manchester, New Hampshire, a crowd of 11,000 people came onto their feet as the two teams representing the state universities of Maine and New Hampshire rushed to their benches. Captain Farmer of New Hampshire State won the toss and decided to kick to Maine, thus opening the game.

The first period of the game showed up very good playing on both sides. The ball was exchanged many times by punts but traveled much farther when put into motion by Henry Small's foot, than at the times when Cy Wentworth sent it thru the air. There was much ground gained by both sides and few penalties were given. The Maine team fought hard and took advantage of any opportunities which came up. The only fumble of the period was made by Wentworth of N. H. which was quickly recovered by McKechnie of Maine.

Both teams were in scoring distance more than once during the period but at these points the team on the defensive would get down lower in the line and, with fight in their eyes, hold the opposing team for downs.

The scoring started about the middle of the second period when Maine received the ball on New Hampshire's 48 yard line and by the constant work of the line, Small and Blair worked the ball down to the 5 yard line at which point Gruhn was sent in and took the

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Freshman Torture Room Scene of Much Smoke

A very enjoyable smoker was held on Nov. 1 by the Alpha Chi Sigma fraternity in the freshman torture room, 305 Aubert. About seventy-five men were in attendance, including a goodly number of freshmen. The speakers of the evening were gracefully introduced by Henry Fenderson '22, who is the president of Alpha Chi Sigma. The speakers were: Dr. C. A. Brautlecht, head of the chemistry department, who read a very interesting paper on "Young Men for Industrial Leadership." He dwelt mainly on the qualities necessary for leadership in the industrial world. The next speaker was Mr. Oplinger, of the department of organic analysis, who gave a talk on the history of "Important Steps in Chemical Research." Mr. Fenderson next introduced Mr. Woldman of the electro-chemistry department, who talked on "The Future of Electro-Chemistry." The last speaker on the program was "Prexy" Little who delivered a fine talk on "Advances in Physical Heredity."

The pledges to Alpha Chi Sigma were next read and are as follows: Of the faculty, W. W. Purdy; of the student body, Arthur H. French, Daniel F. Thomas, Morris A. Dolliver, George H. Cooper, H. Stanwood Boynton, Carl L. Beal, James L. Hayes. The initiation is to be held at Barrow's camp at Lake Sabaticook, Nov. 18.

After the pledges were announced, light refreshments were served and soon after the gathering adjourned.

The smoker was a great success, and furnished a fine stimulus to the freshmen in the pursuit of the elusive molecule.

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Mix with Others

One very great advantage to be derived from college life is that afforded by association with fellow students. By meeting with fellow beings of his own age, one is subjected to a broadening influence that accomplishes much for him along the line of self-education. In talking with others who have different ideas on subjects of general interests the individual receives thoughts that are useful in formulating ideas of his own. We really do very well in that respect at this University, but there is, nevertheless, room for improvement.

Men in the dormitories find it only too easy to lie around the room and finish that interesting story when they might be out among the fellows. What we would impress upon everyone is that people do not come to college in these times, to live a life of seclusion but to obtain self-development.

Improvement, in this respect, might also be shown by the fraternity men. The individual is too prone to number his acquaintances chiefly among his own fraternity brothers. He makes friends in his own house and feels that he has accomplished his aim when really he should be awakened from his reverie to the realization that there are several hundred other young men in the University that he would enjoy knowing intimately.

Boys, girls, everyone; do not neglect your social duties. Visit among your friends; encourage the entertainment of guests at your table. Broaden your acquaintanceship, for now is the time to form associations that may shape your career in later life.

The Old Bench

What has become of the old bench that used to be located in back of Fernald Hall? That bench was a place where a fellow could rest his weary bones between classes or when waiting for the bell to ring, and could pick up all the latest news and campus gossip. There, he could meet the fellows and engage in little discussions of topics of interest. That bench was a great thing, an institution, and occupying it was one of the old customs of this University. We miss it, we wonder what has happened to it; we wish it would be replaced. There is another feature about having an outside meeting place like that. It keeps everyone from flocking into Fernald Hall in search of acquaintance and relieves the super-congestion in the college store. Here's hoping the bench comes back.

Hit the studies hard, now. It is nearly time for mid-semester ranks. Remember that outsiders who are interested in you will judge you by the ranks you get.

Telephoning Balentine

For a University that is supposedly progressive and up-to-date we countenance one little situation which is not, we hope, characteristic. How many of you can take down the telephone receiver and expect with any degree of confidence, to gain communication with Balentine Hall? Speaking from our own experience we would say that it is almost im-

possible to do such a thing, and that those occasions when one's efforts are crowned with success are nearly as rare as the dodo bird. It is not at all uncommon to try to raise Balentine for the better part of an hour, at the end of which time, central is still saying in a cool voice, "Trying them again, sir," or "That line is still busy."

Apparently then, the telephone system in that building is far from being adequate. How much longer are we to countenance such a situation and term it "well enough"? Are we going to go on living with the idea that one little telephone is sufficient for the use of two hundred girls? Surely, that doesn't appeal to common sense. We would strongly advocate the installation of at least, two telephones in Balentine Hall and the careful instruction of maids to answer all rings.

Maine Second and Bangor Play Scoreless Game

Bangor High held Maine's strong second team to a scoreless tie on their grounds Saturday afternoon. Rain fell throughout the game and the field was a sea of mud. End runs were well nigh impossible under such conditions, and forward passes were difficult, although Maine did complete a few. Neither team could show its true ability or open up to any great extent, and straight line plunges were the program of the day.

Bangor was dangerous during some parts of the game but was not as good in the pinches as Maine, and lacked the scoring punch.

A touchdown seemed certain for Maine in the last period of play, when Cobb by successive line rushes, worked the ball from midfield to Bangor's two yard line. The play was not finished, however, for at the critical moment the timers' whistle announced the game ended.

Cobb played fine football for the Blue, making several good runs and doing the punting, which was difficult on account of the condition of the ball. Emmons was good at quarter and chose his plays well.

The summary:

BANGOR HIGH U. OF M. SECOND
Curran le.....le Storer
Colburn lt.....lt Merrill
Caspar lg.....lg Stein
Ulmer c.....c Acheson
Strout rg.....rg Corash
Lynch rt.....rt Gentile
Tapley re.....re Beschoff
Cunningham qb.....qb Emmons
Gary lh.....lh Clark
Short rh.....rh Cobb
Conners fb.....fb Dufour

Referee, Hitchner, U. of M. Umpire, Mason, U. of M. Head linesman, Cohen, U. of M. Time, 12-minute periods.

Maine Freshmen Show Crosscountry Ability

Maine's freshman cross country men are showing all kinds of promise in their daily workouts. If these men continue to make the rapid progress they have shown this fall, Maine will have nothing to fear for the future of its cross country teams for at least three years more.

The class of '26 has contributed a wealth of good material. First, of course, comes Hillman, a varsity runner who probably has few peers in the state. Then there is Hart and Gerow, who both run well and Beedle, Tate, Sylvester, Turner and Eastman, all of whom can be counted upon to show well.

It is rumored that a freshman team will be sent to New York the last of the month to compete in the freshman Nationals.

Phi Gamma Delta Alumnus Given a Farewell Party

The local alumni of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity gave a farewell party to Mr. C. C. Garland '82 at the chapter house Friday night, November 10. Mr. Garland who now lives in Old Town is leaving for California where he is going to make his home with his son. Mr. Garland was a member of Q. T. V. and was active on the campus when a student at the University.

The party was a decided success in every detail. During the supper, Mr. Garland was presented with several gifts as marks of esteem from those present.

Among those present were: Dean Hart '85, Charles Mullen '83, Charles E. Mullen '17, Hosea Buck '93, Dr. Jordan '75, Prof. Lyons '02, Dr. Russell '85, George Hamlin '73, Ballard Keith '08, Prof. Bartlett '80, Albert Brown '80.

Tau Beta Pi Pledges Announced for Fall

The Tau Beta Pi pledges for the fall semester were announced last week. Those elected were: Henry Stanwood Boynton, Sullivan; Arthur Edmund Meser, South Portland; Wilbur Ernest Meser, Gerham; Lionel Eugene St. Pierre, Auburn; Verlie Armand Webber, Kittery; and Howard Edmund Wilson, Belfast.

Boynton is the only junior pledge to the society. Each fall the junior who has the highest rank of the class is elected to membership of Tau Beta Pi.

The Maine chapter was established in 1911, and has a membership of 18, including the recent pledges.

The present senior members are: Adrian L. Ackley, Peaks Island; Donald F. Alexander, Bangor; Lorenzo G. Currier, Wentworth, N. H.; Philip D. Davis, Saco; Henry L. Doten, Northfield; Stanley G. Hall, Dexter; Eric S. Hope, Newport; C. Roger Lappin, Bryant Pond; Stuart M. Johnson, Brownfield; Vernon L. Johnson, North Berwick; Fernald S. Stickney, Brownfield; and John C. Winslow, Westbrook.

The fraternity was founded in 1885 by Edward H. Williams Jr., then head of the Mining Department at Lehigh University. He saw the need of an organization that would recognize good work in engineering schools and so in the early 80's when an attempt was being made to revive Phi Beta Kappa, which had nearly gone out of existence in the 70's. Prof. Williams came forth with very complete plans for Tau Beta Pi. It was not an attempt to found an organization that would compete with Phi Beta Kappa but one that would fill a place previously vacant in the scholastic world.

Its object is to mark in a fitting manner those who have conferred honor upon their Alma Mater by a high grade of scholarship as undergraduates.

With these principles as foundations Tau Beta Pi has grown since 1885 from this one chapter at Lehigh, to contain forty such chapters in the best engineering schools in the country, and is now recognized as one of the dominant factors in the life of these schools.

Membership is open to all male students, who up to the beginning of the last year of their course, shall have maintained an average rank in scholarship in the first quarter of the class, those falling in the first eighth of the class shall be eligible at the beginning of the second semester of the third year. Those falling within the first fourth shall be eligible at the beginning of the fourth year.

An annual convention is held at which representatives from all the chapters get together with the Executive Council and discuss current problems concerning the organization.

The man who spends his time to the best advantage will never regret the small time spent over the books, but "some men come to realize too late that Senior honors may be lost in the initial year at college."

Kappa Sigma Freshmen Hold Annual Smoker

One of the best Freshman Smokers of the year was given by the Kappa Sigma freshmen on Wednesday evening, Nov. 1. About 40 freshmen were in attendance. On entering the Kappa Sigma house, all were cordially met by the house freshmen and received their souvenir pipes. After everyone had arrived, the Kappa Sigma freshmen, who include a number of musicians, entertained the gathering by well-rendered selections on the piano and violin. After the guests had tired of music and card-playing, refreshments of ice-cream and cake were served, after which the crowd gathered around the cheery open fire and told stories till well into the night. When it was all over everyone agreed that they had had a fine time.

Chi Omega Informal

Xi Beta chapter, of Chi Omega held its first informal dance November 10, at Brown's Hall, Old Town. The decorations were very simple. The "Lemon Fox-trot" was the feature of the evening.

Music for an order of eighteen dances was furnished by Torangeau's orchestra. The chaperones were Mrs. Everett Davee, Mr. and Mrs. Herman Sweetser and Mrs. George Simmons.

Don't forget the Maine "Hello."

Date Is Changed for Military Demonstration

The date of the Military Department's "Demonstration to the Faculty" has been changed, due to a conflict, from Nov. 21 to Nov. 22 at 7:30 P. M. in Alumni Hall.

An attractive program for the evening has been arranged. Part of the program will take place in the chapel with demonstrations in the gym. An interesting feature of the demonstration will be a sand table reproduction of the campus complete with miniature buildings and trees. This sand table with its buildings, will be the work of the advanced classes in Military Art. Refreshments will be served during the evening.

It is hoped that all members of the faculty will avail themselves of this opportunity to become better acquainted with this growing and important department of the college.

ALUMNI NOTES

W. O. Frost '06 has received an appointment as Assistant Pathologist in the Bureau of Plant Industry, U. S. Dept. of Agriculture, Washington, D. C. His official headquarters will be in the State House, Augusta.

Mr. A. W. Collins '05, of Hawaii, formerly of Fort Fairfield, died in New York City November 6, following an operation on his spine. Mr. Collins was connected with the sugar business in Hawaii.

G. K. Wadlin '17 and Miss Laura Mason of Belfast were recently married in West Medford, Mass. Mr. Wadlin received a B. S. degree in electrical engineering, and is a member of Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He served nine months overseas during the War as second lieutenant in the Field Artillery, and is at present employed with the American Telephone and Telegraph Company.

The executive committee of the General Alumni Association held a meeting in Boston recently and elected Harry S. Sutton '09 chairman of the committee in place of Hon. Louis C. Southard '75, deceased.

Charles C. Garland '82, who is about to take his departure for the Pacific Coast, was tended a dinner at the Phi Gamma Delta House on the evening of November 10. There was a large attendance of alumni.

Kappa Sigma Informal

Friday evening, November 10, a group of twenty-eight young people gathered at Kappa Sigma for the first informal dance of the year and enjoyed an order of fourteen dances to the music of Towles' orchestra. Punch was on tap during the evening, and at intermission refreshments in the form of ice cream and cake were served. Mrs. Mason chaperoned the party and all present agreed it the best time ever.

Special guests were Mrs. Charles Gould, Mrs. Nancy Cunningham, Mrs. A. L. T. Cummings, Mrs. Fred Park, Mrs. Charles Dunn, Mrs. Clayton Bayard, Mrs. Harold Boardman, and Mrs. John Stinchfield, who were invited to meet Miss Ellis of Gorham, N. H. and Spent an enjoyable evening playing bridge.

A. T. O. Informal

Mr. and Mrs. Albert L. Whipple, Miss Thelma L. Kellogg and Mr. Howard L. Flewellyn attended the A. T. O. house-party as chaperones on Saturday night, Nov. 11, 1922. Twenty couples attended the party. Refreshments were served at intermission. Carl Libby and his Collegians furnished the music.

Tri Delta Informal

The Delta Delta Delta sorority held an informal dance in Old Town, Saturday, November 11.

The special features of the evening were the Blue Moon, the Blue Moon Dance, and the appearance of Little Boy Blue with his array of horns and bugles.

Refreshments, consisting of punch, fruit salad, hot rolls, coffee, ice cream, and crackers were served at intermission.

The chaperones were: Dr. and Mrs. Brautlecht, Professor and Mrs. Sweetser, Mrs. Connor and Mr. and Mrs. Gardner.

The "ships that pass in the night" generally are going to or from the Bahamas.



How these "safe and sane" men spend their week-ends?

The landscape gardeners manicuring the campus?

The announcement of the Campus Board dance Thanksgiving Day?

The '26 on the stand pipe?

That the football men have broken training?

That the ones who kick the most construct the least?

That the cross country men are working hard to get the New England championship?

The multi-colored pledge ribbons on the campus?

"Chub" Thomas' business-like appearance on the Campus?

Coach Flack's new basketball suit?

The Penny Carnival Posters?

That mid-semester are on us once more?

The bobbed hair epidemic gaining ground?

Anyone frequenting the rustic seats these balmy evenings?

The cider for the A. S. M. E. meeting?

"Ed" Kneeland's bachelorhood?

That Maine has lost only two games this fall?



The editors of the Maine Campus solicit your co-operation in keeping this column up to date and of convenience to every member of the University. You can do this by putting notices of coming events in the Campus box in Estabrooke Hall before Monday noon.

Nov. 14-16 M. C. A. Forum, Allyn K. Foster, speaker.

Nov. 17 Penny Carnival Auspices Girls A. A.

Nov. 18 N. E. Cross Country Meet at N. Y.

Nov. 21 Society for the Promotion of Engineering Education, 7.30 P. M.

Nov. 22 R. O. T. C. Demonstration to the Faculty

Nov. 25 Arts and Science Rally

Nov. 27 National Cross Country Meet at N. Y. City

Nov. 30 Thanksgiving Day

Nov. 30 Afternoon Campus Stag Dance

Dec. 7 Ralph Harlow on "University Life in Turkey"

Dec. 8 R. O. T. C. Country Circus

Dec. 15 University Play "Lion and the Mouse"

Phi Mu Informal

An informal Armistice Day dance was held in the gymnasium Saturday evening, by Phi Mu sorority. The gym was appropriately decorated with flags and evergreens. One feature of the evening was the Sparkler dance.

Thirty couples were present, including several of the Alumni girls.

Mrs. Hart and Mrs. Huddilston were patronesses.

NOTICE

Lost at the Military Ball last year one large red curtain similar to the Masque curtain. Please return to the Beta House and receive a reward.

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The Town of Orono A Community Study

In preceding numbers of the Campus the Department of Economics and Sociology has presented students' reports on the history of Orono, its town government, and provisions for public health. The fourth article of the series is given at this time; it is to be followed by three others dealing with Orono's churches, social organizations, and housing conditions.

THE SCHOOLS OF ORONO

The public school buildings of Orono are four in number: the Birch Street, Webster, Grammar and High School. St. Mary's Roman Catholic parochial school system includes from the kindergarten through the grammar grades and in addition, Orono Catholic High School.

During the fall term of 1921, the average attendance at the Birch Street School was 137; at the Webster School, 30; at the Grammar School, 132; at the Public High School, 105. The attendance at the Catholic elementary school was 307; at the Catholic High School, 97.

There are no rural schools in the township. Children living too far away to walk to school are taken to and from the public schools at the town's expense. These children are supplied at noon during cold weather with some article of warm food or drink to supplement the lunch brought from home.

Important improvements have been made in the public school buildings during the last year. The recently installed heating and ventilating apparatus is especially valuable. On the whole, all school buildings meet the standard requirements in respect to size, lighting and sanitary conveniences. An exception is found in the case of the seventh and eighth grade rooms in the Grammar School building, which are not lighted properly. The Public High School is at something of a disadvantage because of the lack of a gymnasium. St. Mary's is the newest of the buildings, this being its seventh year in use.

The public schools have nine teachers in the elementary grades and six in the High School, also supervisors of music and physical training. In the parochial school there are eight elementary and six High School teachers; Sisters of Mercy, assisted by lay teachers comprise the faculty. Just this month they have sustained a great loss through the death of Sister Mary James, their very able seventh grade teacher.

Teachers' meetings under the direction of Mr. W. O. Chase, Superintendent of Schools, are held each week for the public school teachers, the elementary and High School groups meeting on alternate Tuesdays. Occasionally there are meetings for all teachers. Problems of the school room are discussed. The teachers' meetings form essentially a continuation course for teachers in their particular field. In the High School teachers' meetings Nutt's "Supervision of Instruction" is being used as a text. The grade teachers are making an intensive study of geography and how it should be taught. The definite purpose of the series of meetings is in each case a decided advantage.

Both of the Orono High Schools are approved by the State Department of Education as Class A High Schools. An unusually large proportion of the graduates of each school go to higher institutions of learning. Of course we recognize that the proximity of the State University partly accounts for this.

In the public High School the subjects offered are:

Algebra, geometry, trigonometry, civics, American and medieval history, general science, physics, chemistry, mechanical drawing, Latin, French, English, bookkeeping, Commercial arithmetic, shorthand, typewriting.

The curriculum is divided into three courses called classical, general, and commercial. At present a large percent of the entire registration of the school is in the commercial department, although there is a tendency for the number in the department to decrease. One hour is the unit of one recitation a day for the year. The students are required to take four of these units a year, the minimum requirement for graduation being sixteen units.

The courses in the Catholic High School are listed as classical—or college preparatory, Latin-scientific, general, and commercial. The greatest popularity is shown by enrollment is about evenly divided between the Latin-scientific and commercial courses. The curriculum and plan of work are much the same as outlined above for the other High School.

There is the additional instruction in Christian doctrine and Church history, however. In all grades of the parochial school at least twenty minutes are devoted daily to religious instruction and in the High School much more time than that is given to the subject.

Both High Schools have a creditable number of student activities apart from the regular academic routine. Athletics would come first, from the student point of view. The public High School boasts a football team undefeated for the last two years. It also has both boys' and girls' basketball teams. The boys of the Catholic High School have a flourishing athletic association, which decided this year to concentrate its efforts on baseball alone.

During a large part of the school year a mandolin club and an orchestra are active in the public High School. Last year the school revived a former custom of publishing a class annual. Some years they have made a good deal of a prize speaking contest. The juniors and seniors of the Catholic High School have a debating club which gives a formal debate every month; there is also a literary society which meets fortnightly. Each High School gives an annual senior play and informal entertainments are of frequent occurrence among both groups of young people.

The entertainments connected with the elementary schools are not organized to the same extent as in High School; they depend more completely on the initiative and enthusiasm of individual teachers.

Dr. Edward Tomlinson serves as public school physician, while Dr. J. H. Knox is school physician at St. Mary's. A school nurse, Miss Katherine Kirk, assists the school physicians in the examining of pupils and reports the results of the examinations to parents of pupils requiring attention for physical ailments. Miss Kirk entered upon her duties in Orono March 1, 1921, under the auspices of the Red Cross. Orono has one-third of her time and Old Town the rest. She serves both public and parochial schools. Miss Kirk is often instrumental in securing free surgical treatment for children of parents who cannot afford to pay for it. A recent innovation is a dental clinic for school children of Orono and Old Town. This is located in one of the Old Town hospitals. The children pay the nominal sum of ten cents per tooth for the work done. In the case of Orono children, the Red Cross stands ready to pay carfare for the trip to Old Town.

The average salary of elementary teachers in our public schools is \$965. In the High School, the average is \$1492. The average expenditure per pupil in the elementary schools is \$58.98; per pupil in the High School, \$88.77. This is equivalent to an average annual expense of approximately \$8.86 per citizen for public school expenses.

A favorable impression of the entire school system of Orono may be drawn from comparison to be made with figures from the reports of the State Superintendent of Education relating to other towns of about the same population, estate valuation, and number of children in school.

The men who are registered in the School Course in Agriculture, met in Room 12, Winslow Hall, at the second hour last Friday morning, and organized themselves into a club.

The purpose of this organization is to bring together, socially, the two-year agricultural students, to keep its graduate members in touch with the Alumni Association, and to boost for the Agricultural College and the University of Maine. It is not, however, organized as a rival or competitor of the Agricultural Club, as is the idea of some, but its officers and members propose to work in harmony with the older organization.

The officers elected at this meeting were:

President, Raymond Stone; Vice-president, Owen Ingraham; Secretary-treasurer, Henry Wilson; Publicity, Earle Conant.

The next meeting is to be held in Winslow Hall, on Wednesday evening, November 22. All members of the school course are requested to be present as there is important business to come up at that time.

Simpleton—"Don't shoot! Your gun isn't loaded."

His Partner—"Can't help that. The bird won't wait."

II.—"What interested you the most about me the other evening at the dance, dear?"

Elle—"I'm not sure, but I think it was your fraternity pin, or else one of your shirt studs."

INTERCOLLEGIATE

University of Iowa—Just after the athletic department of the University of Iowa completed an accounting of the profits of football last fall—profits of \$23,537.72—it had visions of a stadium plated with silver and gold. After it had ceased making up deficits in basketball, baseball, wrestling, swimming, track and the high school basketball tournament, however, the silver and gold had turned to lead, since there were but \$4,470.53 left.

Football receipts amounted to \$60,532.27 and the expenses of the sport amounted to \$36,994.55. This was the only sport to show a profit during the last fiscal, all other branches of athletics showing a net loss of \$19,467.19. In addition to these sums the annual yearbook sales amounted to \$33,140.

Sports other than football and the following expenditures and receipts:

Baseball—Expenditures \$5,550; receipts \$81.

Basketball—Expenditures \$6,786; receipts \$3,907.

Wrestling—Expenditures \$1,643; receipts \$170.

Swimming—Expenditures \$1,266; receipts \$265.

Track (including the Western Intercollegiate Conference meet)—Expenditures \$14,946; receipts \$7,250.

State high school basketball tournament—Expenditures \$3,594; receipts \$2,148.

The total receipts in all branches of athletics were \$75,256.25, of which football contributed all but \$15,000. The total expenditures outside of football for games and meets was \$33,791.17 and the total receipts were but \$14,723.98. Receipts in these tabulations refer to cash at the gate and the box office and are exclusive of the \$33,000 year book sales. Salaries of coaches and administrative officers are not included in any of the above lists of expenditures.

Harvard—Among the 6,000 odd students registered this fall at Harvard, Colonel George H. Lyon Jr. of Nelson, Neb. is the oldest. Col. Nelson is 72 and in his third year of post-graduate work.

Smith College—If it were not for a new heating system, which had been installed in the Power House, Smith College might have been forced to close its doors this winter. But as it is, about 35,000 barrels of oil are ordered or are on hand, which is the amount needed for fuel.

Harvard—Harvard awards a chess cup to the Hall in the Freshman Dormitory which wins their annual tournament. This becomes the property of the Hall which wins the cup for three times.

New York University—A cheering section made up exclusively of women is to be organized at New York University. This university will be the first to have the unique distinction of possessing a female cheering section.

University of California—Mrs. Sophronia T. Hooper has left the bulk of a \$500,000 estate to the University of California to perpetuate the research work of the George William Hooper foundation, established in memory of her late husband. The Hooper foundation was created in 1911. The research work accomplished by it has been of international value. It discovered an efficacious treatment for leprosy and made rapid progress toward finding cures for other diseases. The foundation was originally endowed with a \$2,000,000 fund.

M. I. T.—Massachusetts Institute of Technology will have Dr. W. S. Stratton, director of the bureau of standards of the Treasury department at Washington, D. C. as its new President after January 1, 1923. At the present time the Institute is under the direction of an executive committee headed by Dean Tabbott.

Harvard—English literature has retained its popularity at Harvard this year. Four hundred and seventy-eight men have chosen this subject for concentration, in which they must pass an exam at the end of the senior year. Economics is second with three hundred and fifty-eight men.

Zeta Pi Informal

A dancing party was held by Zeta Pi fraternity at Brown's Hall, Old Town, the evening of November 11. Twenty-four couples were present and an order of eighteen dances was enjoyed. Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Kidney acted as chaperones.

"This certainly is fraternity weather."

"Howzat?"

"It gives everybody the grip."

A PUT UP JOB

"You had to hold me up to do it," said the sweet young thing, after the big, tall man had stolen a kiss.

A SOCIAL ERROR

"And where have you been, my pet?" asked Willie's mother when he returned after an unusually long absence.

"Playing postman," replied the family hope.

"And how did you play postman, sweetest?" she asked.

"Why, I left a letter at every house in the road," explained the prodigy, "real letters, too!"

"But wherever did my darling get the real letters from?" inquired mama, smiling.

"Out of your wardrobe drawer," responded Willie triumphantly. "Those old ones, tied up with pink ribbons!"

"Father, when I graduate I'm going to follow my literary bent and write for money."

"Well, son, you ought to be successful. That's all you've been doing since you started to college."

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pigskin over for the first touchdown of the game. A perfect placement kick by Small followed, making the score 7 to 0 for Maine, which it remained for the rest of the half.

The second half started with Maine kicking to New Hampshire, who came back strong and by rushes and passes nearly reached the Maine goal line but was held for downs in time and lost the ball. Punts were exchanged frequently from then up to the middle of the last quarter, when Maine got away with a lateral pass from Cutts to Small and thus placed the ball on New Hampshire's 5 yard line. Gruhn then ripped thru their line for the necessary distance and added 6 more points to the score, with one more point coming shortly after as Small kicks his second goal of the game.

At this point many of the other Maine men were given a chance to get with the lineup, and held their positions down very well, but soon after this Capt. Farmer of New Hampshire threw a pass from his 30 yard to Maine's 40 yard line, which was caught by Piper. At this point three fresh backs were put in for N. H. and succeeded in gaining short distances thru the line. Then Farmer made a circle around the end for New Hampshire's first touchdown and he also kicked the goal which resulted in the score ending 14 to 7 in favor of Maine.

New Hampshire kicked to Maine but in the few minutes that remained neither team was able to put the ball over the goal line.

Score by periods:

Maine 0 7 0 7—14

New Hampshire..... 0 0 0 7—

Referee, Eglish; Umpire, Hapgood; Head linesman, O'Connor.

Touchdowns made by Gruhn 2, Farmer 1; goals after touchdowns, Small 2, Farmer 1.

The Basketball Team is Planning Extensive Trip

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Club and New Hampshire State in Alumni gymnasium.

Maine has three veterans as nucleus for the team this season. Captain Harry N. "Crabby" Newell, a forward; "Mel" Holmes '23, the leader of last year's team also forward; "Ollie" Berg '24, a guard and veteran of Maine teams for the last two years. Henry P. "Hank" Turner and "Toshy" Noyes who played on the team last year, graduated last June. Horsman and Mason, who played guard and Fayle and Leighton at forward will be available material for the open positions.

Last week Coach Flack put the squad thru several easy workouts in order to get a line on the material at hand. This week, however, practice has begun in earnest, and good progress has been made so far.

Phi Kappa Phi Members Chosen from Seniors

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hold fast to the original purpose for which the institutions of learning were founded, and to stimulate the mental achievement by the prize of membership.

In order to gain these objects, membership at the University of Maine is limited to seventeen members of the graduating class. Early in the fall semester of the senior year, the seven members of the class having the highest standing are elected members, and during the next semester the ten next highest may be selected. Persons may also be elected to honorary membership who have won distinction in science, literature, or education.

Phi Kappa Phi was founded at the University of Maine in 1898, principally thru the efforts of Prof. A. W. Harris, then president of the University. There are at present seventeen chapters, located in all parts of this country.

Cross Country Men Ready for New England Meet

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Hart, and Tate, freshmen, looked mighty good as they finished within the first twelve.

The finish of the race found the first five men within ten yards of each other. The first thirteen men to finish were: Hillman, Raymond, McKeeman, Ames, Kneeland, Noyes, Patten, Webb, Ghera, Hart, Wilson, Tate, and Smith. The remaining eight men were well bunched. Wilson, Noyes and Webb will give the leaders a hard run this week for places on the team.

After the New England Meet the team will undergo stiff training in preparation for the Nationals to be held in New York.

Great Plans are Made for the Military Circus

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including the largest elephants etc. The performances will take place in the ring under the big top of the gym. Real circus bleachers will be found there, as well as the pink lemonade.

A complete program, even to the concert after the main show, is promised. When the big show is over, side-shows will be run in the chapel along with an act or two of vaudeville.

These side shows will include the usual wheels of fortune on which the lucky persons may draw Indian blankets, Chinese baskets, electric light dolls and the many other things that go to make it complete will be there. One big attraction in the side shows will be a sand-table reproduction of the Campus, complete with miniature buildings and trees.

All these things will be possible only thru the cooperation of students who will volunteer their services as performers. Tumbler, clowns, trapeze men and others who think that they have a suitable act or stunt are urged to see Captain Nichols or cadet Major March at once.

The latter part of the evening will be given over to a dance in the gym.

R. O. T. C. Members Parade in Bangor

The members of R. O. T. C. of the University were taken to Bangor on special cars early Saturday morning to aid in a fitting celebration of Armistice Day. Promptly upon their arrival in Bangor they formed by companies under the command of the student officers and marched to their assigned place in the parade.

The streets were lined with spectators and every parking place was jammed with automobiles. The weather held good during the entire parade despite the overcast sky. The pleasantness of the day could not help but be contrasted with conditions a year ago by the members of the R. O. T. C. who marched last year. At that time the streets were covered with mud and snow, and a cold wind helped to make things disagreeable.

The special significance of the occasion was brought home to the participants by the two minutes of silence at 11 o'clock, observed in memory of those who gave their all to their country.

The parade was formed in five divisions, the first divisions consisting of the police, the University of Maine Band led by Drum Major Ivan Pease, followed in turn by the Cadet Corps with the student officers in command.

The second division consisted of the machine gun company, followed by the medical detachment. Behind them the Veterans of the World War from Bangor and Brewer marched. Then came the Salvation Army, the Sons of Veterans, Veterans of the G. A. R. and finally a float of the Sons of Veterans Auxiliary.

The third division was composed of the members of the R. O. T. C. Unit at Bangor High School and the Boy Scouts.

The fourth division consisted of the representatives of the Bangor Fire Department and the Y. W. C. A. girls.

The fifth and last division consisted of the many attractive floats in the parade. Great interest was manifested in the float of the Eastern Maine General Hospital, as it was one of the most attractive floats in the whole parade.

Other floats were contributed by the ladies of the Norman Dow Auxiliary Veterans of Foreign Wars, Daughters of Veterans, the Women's Relief Corps and two floats by the colored people of the city.

Numerous comments were made of the fine appearance of the R. O. T. C. unit from the University and much praise is due Major James for his part in making it a success.

Williams—Chapel and classes at Williams were set back to their usual time Tuesday after having been held an hour ahead of the usual schedule since the daylight saving period ended a month ago, in order to provide extra time for the sports in the fall. Arrangements have been made whereby the football team will practice in the baseball cage when it becomes too dark to hold the regular practice out doors.

Colgate—The work on the new Andrews Dormitory has been resumed after a delay of five weeks. It is expected that the masonry will be completed in the next two weeks, and that the roof will be in place before extreme cold weather sets in. It is planned to dedicate the new building next Commencement.

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Old Customs of Maine Are Fast Disappearing

In an interview with Professor Kent, he said that if we of the present would turn back the pages of the history of the University of Maine, we would read about customs and activities that would surprise us. Of course the changes are the results of the increase in the student body. College spirit was more noticeable in the early days of the college for then it was necessary to show spirit in order that the college might live. Thus, we can say that the men of those days started the ball rolling and with a few exertions it has not stopped in all these years.

Perhaps the most noticeable change in freshman customs is the lack of respect for upper classmen. It used to be an honor to give up a seat in a car to an upper classman. They had also the right to pass thru a door before a freshman. Several alumni who had come back to Maine Night this year, noticed these things and said they wished to see them remedied.

Professor Kent believes that the custom of the "Maine Hello" is fast dying out. When there were only a few students in college they all said "Hello." Now that there are so many people to speak to, it is an effort, for freshmen especially, to carry out this custom. When they do speak, they say, "Hi," or "How-do-you-do," anything but "Hello."

During the freshman year the hymn as well as the Maine Stein Song should be learned. Freshmen used to learn it and remember it all thru college. Mr. Kent says that very few upper-classmen know the hymn, because they did not learn it their first year.

There are at present many more students living off the campus than there used to be. They think nothing of going out every night to a dance or a picture show. So, again a comparison can be made between the students of ten or twelve years back. They stayed in nights and studied.

The Freshman-Sophomore football game is a thing of the past. This used to be one of the big events of the year. Many men would try out for their class team but would not go out for the varsity team. Much material was obtained from these games.

A very noticeable result of freshmen making a varsity team is that they often become ineligible for the team in other years. This has proved true in many instances. No doubt the freshmen who make the teams put everything they have into athletics and have no thought for their studies. After this year, freshmen will not be allowed to play on the varsity teams. This is expected to bring up scholarship at the University of Maine.

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Not—"Howsat?"

Seth—"No lowers, and very few uppers."

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Spanish Club Elects Officers for the Year

A meeting of the Spanish Club was held on Tuesday evening, November seventh.

The meeting was called to order at 7.30 by Professor Peterson.

Upon the election of officers, Miss Snow, the newly elected president presided.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Miss Snow; Vice-presidents, Miss Stackpole and Mr. Behringer; Secretary, Miss Green; Treasurer, Miss Bennett; Correspondent, Mr. Buckley.

The revised constitution was read by Mr. Behringer, chairman of the committee and it was voted that the constitution be accepted. Dr. Peterson was elected advisor to the Club. The remainder of the evening was taken up with games.

Annual Harvest Ball Given in Alumni Hall

Among the social events on the campus last week-end was the Annual Harvest Ball, given by the Heck Club at Alumni Hall.

The decorations were in keeping with the nature of the event, as pumpkins and corn stalks were very prominent.

Music was furnished by the Collegians but from their appearance one would judge them to have come directly from Uncle Josh's farm and ready for a barn dance. However the music was of the best, and they played for an order of sixteen dances.

Refreshments of ice cream, fancy cookies and cider were served.

"Avoid that large stone house on the corner," warned Weary Willie to his fellow hobo.

"And why?" questioned the freight artist.

"Last fall I asked that bunch over there for a hand-out and some young bucks grabbed me, hustled me to a small bedroom where they talked to me for a long time. Then they put a little pin in my lapel and told me to clean up the cellar."

The chief difference between any two men is usually a woman.