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Friday Nite!
FIRST ANNUAL CIRCUS
at Indoor Field
7:30

The Maine Campus

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BATES TRACKMEN PIN DEFEAT ON BLUE TRACK TEAM IN INDOOR MEET

KANALYMEN FEEL LOSS OF STAR PERFORMERS WHO ARE INELIGIBLE

Niles Defeats Garnet Captain

Coach Kanaly's phantom blue track cluster met defeat at the hands of their Bates rivals in a dual meet held at the new Bates indoor field last Saturday.

The Maine team was weakened to a considerable extent by the ineligibility toll of last semester. Among the principal star performers that were unable to compete because of low rank were Captain Sam Thompson, "Rip" Black, Trin Harding, Lindsay, Beckler, and several others of less repute.

Four records were shattered in the meet. Chandler of Maine bettered the old mark in the 45 yd. high hurdles by 5-10 seconds. He is credited with the exceptionally fast time of 6 seconds. Ray of Bates shattered the previous record in the 16 lb. shot put. His distance in the hurling contest was 38 feet 6 1/2 inches. In the high jump O'Connor of Maine and Knowlton of Bates tied for first place with 5 feet 9 inches. In accomplishing this feat both performers shared in the honor of tying the previous record. In the other record breaking affair we find one of the biggest surprises of the meet. Wardwell of Bates defeated Richardson of Maine in the two mile event, winning his race by a substantial margin and breaking the record. Wardwell's time for this distance was 9 minutes 59 1-5 seconds.

New records were also established in the discus, pole vault, broad jump, and 35 lb. weight.

Niles of Maine afforded one of the few thrills of the meet when he defeated Captain Wakely in his pet event, the 300 yd. run. Niles took the pole and led with Stymiest second and Wakely third. Wakely passed Stymiest before the distance was covered but was unable to pass Niles.

Summary by events:
40-yard dash—Won by Rowe (B); second, Stymiest (M); third, Niles (M). Time 4.45 seconds.

300-yard Run—Won by Niles (M); second, Wakely (B); third, Stymiest (M). Time, 34 seconds.

1000-yard Run—Won by Adams (B); second, Chesley (B); third, Larsen (M). Time, 2:21 3-5.

600-yard Run—Won by Chapman and Wakely (B); tie; third, Thompson (M). Time, 1:18 4-5.

1 Mile Run—Won by McNaughton (M); second, Viles (B); third, Cushing (M). Time, 4:42.

Two-mile Run—Won by Wardwell (B); second, Richardson (M); third, Jones (B). Time, 9:59 1-5.

45-yard High Hurdles—Won by Chandler (M); second, Fisher (B); third, Wood (B). Time, 6 seconds.

High Jump—Won by Knowlton (B) and O'Connor (M); tie; third, Keough (M). Height, 5 feet, 9 inches.

35-pound Weight—Won by Niles (B); second, Nanigan (M); third, Wood (B). Distance, 42 feet, 11 inches.

Shot put—Won by Ray (B); second, Houle (B); third, Burnett (B). Distance 38 feet, 6 1/2 inches.

Discus—Won by Keough (M); second, Hubbard (B); third, Hathaway (M). Distance, 122 feet, 9 inches.

Broad jump—Won by Rowe (B); second, Knowlton (B); third, Caldwell (M). Distance, 21 feet 1 5-8 inches.

Pole vault—Won by Fearon (B); second, Lovejoy (M); third, tie, Girous (B) and Wescott (M). Height, 10 feet, 9 inches.

POINT SUMMARY

Event	B	M
40-yard dash	5	9
45-yard high hurdles	4	5
One-mile run	3	6
600-yard run	8	1
Two-mile run	6	3
1000-yard run	8	1
300-yard dash	3	6
26-pound shot	9	0

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COLBY'S BEST FALL BY 29-18

The Inter-fraternity Five representing the best basketball players at Colby went down to defeat at the hands of the more experienced Maine varsity by the score of 29-18 at the Indoor Field last Saturday.

The Colby team showed plenty of strength but coordination was lacking. Maine playing the last game of the season was slightly off form, the men missing many baskets and fumbling the passes. Roughness seemed to be in order for both teams but no casualties have been reported to date.

The Colby game witnessed the last varsity performances of Captain Speed Branscom, center of this year's team, and varsity performer of three seasons; Charlie Stone, stocky forward of two seasons; and Ray Fitzhugh, flashy back of this year's team.

Thornton and Callahan were the outstanding men for the Blue and Grey, while Branscom and Fitzhugh starred for Maine.

MAINE

	G.	F.	Pts.
Stone, rf.	0	0	0
Daley, lf.	1	0	2
Branscom, c.	7	3	17
Fitzhugh, rg.	2	4	8
Abbott, lg.	1	0	2
Totals	11	7	29

COLBY

	G.	F.	Pts.
Thornton, rf.	4	1	9
Callahan, rf.	1	0	2
Hanson, lf.	0	0	0
Turner, c.	1	0	2
Fiedler, rg.	0	4	4
Nizolek, lg.	0	1	1
Totals	6	6	18

Subs: For Maine—Kent for Daley.
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UNIVERSITY'S SUPPLY OF COAL IS MAROONED

No ice in the Stillwater, no coal at the University. Such is the novel situation now facing the University of Maine. It has been the practice of the University to buy its supply of coal in the summer and freight it to the coal pocket which is on the west side of the Stillwater and directly opposite the heating plant of the University. This was done the same as usual last summer and now the coal pocket is filled to its capacity of 2200 tons. But it is quite likely that this coal will stay where it is, for the river has not frozen over, thus preventing the regular method of sledding the coal across the ice as needed.

Such a circumstance has not confronted officials for at least 21 years, though on one occasion ten years ago it was thought that the river would not freeze over. It did, however, but not until the coal had been taken to the University from the Orono siding by wagons.

The plan now is to buy 2000 tons of coal, enough to last the remainder of the winter, and have it brought to Orono from Searsport. Due to the fact that the coal pocket on the bank of the river is much lower than the railroad, it would be too much of an expense to load the coal back on the cars and run them to the Orono siding.

Although it is cheaper to bring the coal from the Orono siding than to haul it across the river on the ice, this plan has not been followed because the coal pocket is the only place large enough to store the necessary amount of coal. Due to the size of the heating plant, only a small amount of coal can be kept there at a time, so it has been brought across the river only as needed.

This peculiar predicament, although it will cost the University some extra expense, has not alarmed the officials very badly. The coal which is now on the river bank will, of course, be used next winter. The loss of money is due to the higher price of coal in the winter than in the summer.

Several suggestions have been considered to avoid this emergency in the future, but none seem to be very practical. A cable across the river would prove too

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President Boardman and Dean Cloke Make Visit To Alumni Associations

President Harold S. Boardman and Dean Paul Cloke returned Monday morning from a short trip where they spoke to several alumni associations.

On Thursday, March 1, an alumni banquet was held at the Hotel Westminster in Boston and many alumni and alumnae were present. "Pep" Townner was toastmaster for this occasion and kept the party in very gay spirits. Dean Cloke and the president of the Boston Alumni Association gave short speeches and President Boardman was the main speaker of the evening. Mrs. H. S. Boardman and Fred Youngs were also present at this meeting. Several pleasing stories and readings were rendered by A. E. Higgins which tended to enliven the party. After the banquet a dance was held at the Winter Garden of the hotel.

The next night, Friday, the second, President Boardman and Dean Cloke were present at the New York Alumni Association banquet which was at the Town Hall Club located on 43rd Street. This chapter of the alumni were very much interested in the affairs of the college. "Al" Treworgy is president of the Association and "Ally" Rogers, former professor of Chemistry at the University, acted as toastmaster.

Saturday night, the Philadelphia Alumni Association held a stag banquet at the Penn Athletic Club and a very enjoyable evening was had by all. This group of men are real live wires, very much interested in the affairs at the college and much discussion was held relative to the future prospects of Maine.

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Life Saving Instruction Will Be Given to Students

On March 12, 13 and 14, Mr. E. P. Noyes of the Central Maine Power Company will give instruction in the Prono Pressure method of life saving.

Men students will report at the gymnasium in Alumni Hall as follows:

Names, Lyman Abbott to James Buzzell, inclusive, report Monday, March 12 at 2:25 P.M.

Names, John C. Caldwell to Philip L. Evans, inclusive, report Monday, March 12 at 3:20 P.M.

Names, William H. Fahey to Kenneth Hinkley, inclusive, report Tuesday, March 13, at 9:00 A.M.

Names, Clinton H. Hoar to Malcolm Y. MacCormick, inclusive, report Tuesday, March 13, at 10:00 A.M.

Names, Ellsworth McDonald to Ralph Perkins, inclusive, report Tuesday, March 13, at 2:25 P.M.

Names, Willard J. Perry to Wm. J. Stinchfield, inclusive, report Tuesday, March 13, at 3:20 P.M.

Names, Clyde C. Stinson to Lavon Zakarian, inclusive, report Wednesday, March 14, at 9:00 A.M.

Women students whose names begin A to K, inclusive, report Wednesday, March 14, at 11:00 A.M. Names L to Z, inclusive, report Wednesday, March 14, at 2:25 P.M.

Students will be excused from classes on these periods.

Attendance at this instruction will be compulsory and roll call will be taken.

GIRLS' RIFLE TEAM HAS SHOT FIVE MATCHES

The University of Maine Girls' Rifle team has shot, at present, five matches. Three of these have been wins, with two matches chalked up to the opponents. This week the Maine co-eds shoot two matches, one with Cornell and one with the University of Maryland. The large number of freshmen out this year make Maine's prospects for next year look bright.

Maine 495	Univ. of Idaho	493
Maine 480	Keene Normal	471
Maine 467	Mass. Aggies	471
Maine 467	Michigan State Col.	489
Maine 480	Univ. of Wyoming	473

MORE TROUBLE AT BALENTINE

The worldly wise Sophomore who said that the co-eds were a cold lot, was right. But rather than curl his lips in scorn, he would curve them in pity if he knew the reason. It is not known whether the registrar in assigning rooms at Balentine does so with the particular aim in view of cooling off such torrid tendencies as certain co-eds possess, or if the administration simply works on a theory that by freezing exactly half of the inmates of that cellular domicile, they may reduce the dangers of latent potentialities which cause the scholastic ruin of innocent college boys.

At any rate, believe it or not (as our friend Baron von Munchhausen was wont to say after such yarns as only he could spin) even in this modern day of pipeless furnaces and weather strips, Balentine westside remains arctic twenty-four hours of the day. No one has even thought of remedying the evils with such entirely old-fashioned contrivances as storm windows.

Agreed that "ram-pastures" are the nearest things to Labrador in Orono, and that instead of going through the conventional performance to retire, one dresses up in red flannels, sheepskin and fur coat. Agreed that they are wonderful for one's health (the "rams" of course) still who would care to live in them?

Since "rams" and girl's dorms are not acquainted, the co-eds sleep, study, chew gum, mend and play bridge all in the same room. The long and short of it is that it is cold there. One kindhearted and thoughtful fraternity, through no selfish motive at all, has offered to accommodate some forty of the gelid females. But the offer was flatly refused, and no reasons given.

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MAINE DEBATERS MAKE TOUR OF NEW ENGLAND

The Maine debaters start on a four day tour of New England to-day. Their opening debate will be with M. I. T. Friday evening. The next will be held with Mass. Aggies Saturday evening at Amherst and the third Monday evening with Rhode Island State College at Kingston, R. I.

Those making the tour are Charles O'Connor '30, Edward Stern '30, Edward Greely '31, and manager Edward Merrill '29.

The home debating schedule was opened last Saturday evening when Maine won a two to one decision over New Hampshire University.

A dual debate is to be held with Colby March 19.

The question for these debates is: Resolved that: *The U. S. should not protect by armed force capital invested in Latin America except after formal declaration of war.*

The women's debating teams are working hard in preparation for a tour of New England that they will make soon, and also for a debate that is to be held with the women's team from Bates College early

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FRESHMAN RANKS

Fall Semester—Class of 1931

	Dec.	Feb.
Ave. rank of class	1.851 (391)	1.943 (377)
a. Men	1.806 (301)	1.888 (288)
b. Women	2.003 (90)	2.120 (89)
College of Agriculture	1.913 (82)	1.904 (80)
a. Agricul.	1.798 (20)	1.694 (20)
b. Forestry	1.916 (40)	1.906 (39)
c. Home Ec.	2.012 (22)	2.099 (21)
College of Arts & Sci.	1.813 (153)	1.975 (149)
a. Men	1.678 (87)	1.851 (83)
b. Women	1.991 (66)	2.131 (66)
College of Technology	1.856 (157)	1.932 (148)
Students admitted on trial	1.531 (57)	1.541 (52)
a. Continued on trial	1.314 (37)	1.275 (37)
b. Removed from trial	2.139 (15)	2.196 (15)

FRESHMEN ESTABLISH RECORD OF FOUR WINS ON AROOSTOOK TRIP

HOULTON, RICKER, PRESQUE ISLE, AND FORT FAIRFIELD ARE DEFEATED

Fort Team Best Opponent

Four victories over the best school teams that Aroostook could offer was the record established by the Maine freshmen in their trip to Aroostook. Houlton, Ricker, Presque Isle, and Fort Fairfield all fell victims to the Kenyonites.

Ricker Classical Institute was the first team to oppose the freshmen. Maine won the game easily 59-23. The next night Houlton High met the frosh and lost 46-29. The game was close up to the end of the third period when the score stood 30-27 in favor of the winners. In the last period the visitors started looping in long shots with good effect and the game ended with the frosh far in the lead.

A flying start against Presque Isle, the next game, salted the game away for the frosh. The score at the end of the half stood 24-5. The second period saw the Presque Isle team match Maine point for point and the game ended 35-16.

Fort Fairfield was the fourth and last team to suffer defeat at the hands of the Maine freshmen. Captain Emerson of the frosh stated that the team from the Fort furnished the best opposition of the whole trip. An early start netted the Pale Blue their final victory.

The summary:

MAINE FRESHMEN (35)		
Higgins, rf.	4	0 8
Wells, lf.	5	0 10
Jarrett, lf.	0	0 0
Howe, c.	3	0 6
Emerson, rb.	3	3 9
Bretton, lb.	1	0 2
Packard, lb.	0	0 0
Totals	16	3 35

PRESQUE ISLE (16)		
Cooper, lb.	0	0 0
Cyr, rb.	0	1 1
Swecker, rb.	0	0 0
Chase, c.	1	1 3
Pelletier, lf.	1	2 4
Swecker, rf.	0	0 0
Ritchie, rf.	3	2 8
Totals	5	6 16

Referee, Holbrook.

The summary:

U. OF M. FRESHMEN (35)		
Higgins, rf.	6	0 12
Wells, lf.	0	1 1
Howe, c.	7	1 15
Emerson, rb.	0	1 1
Bretton, lb.	3	0 6
Totals	16	3 35

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Senior Girls Entertain Ladies at Balentine

On Saturday afternoon, March 3, the Senior girls entertained at Balentine Hall from three to five in honor of the faculty wives, the women members of the faculty and the matrons. The sunparlor and reception rooms were very prettily decorated with green candles and carnations to give the effect for St. Patrick's Day. Virginia Smith, Frances Fuller, Elizabeth Sawyer, Mary Maguire and Thelma Perkins were in the receiving line and Emma Thompson and Lois Springer poured. During the tea Delia Houghton played a few selections on the piano. Alice Lincoln, Alice Muzzy, Ruth Densmore and Phyllis Metcalf served as ushers.

A tea has been given every year by the Senior girls for the purpose of becoming better acquainted with the more prominent women around Orono and this year it was considered a very successful affair because of the large number attending.

Irving Pierce of the accounting department announces that it will be absolutely necessary to show blanket taxes at the basketball tournament, Thurs., Fri., and Sat., March 15, 16, and 17.

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AN ANSWER TO A GRADUATE

The following letter appeared in a recent issue of *The Maine Alumnus*:So. Portland, Maine
Jan. 5, 1928Finance Committee,
General Alumni Association
University of Maine
Gentlemen:

I have received and given due attention to each of your appeals, but regret that I am financially unable to respond.

At the same time I wonder why I should respond. What has the University done for me, except that which I have paid and worked for. A student of four years may leave the University, and they care not what becomes of him.

What do they do in the way of any Vocational Guidance? Nothing. So I'm just another of the Unemployed Army.

Respectfully,

F. R. L.

P.S. I hope this gets beyond the office assistant.

We like your letter because it irritates us, and there is nothing better for mental activity than some sort of irritation. We are not irritated because you have put your back to thousands of others in disloyalty, but because you have started us to wondering whether you have found something which we, in our undergraduate days, or daze, have failed to appreciate. We have checked over the ground pretty thoroughly, even to the day when as freshmen, we were asked why we came to college, and didn't know, or through conflicts, destroyed illusions, and temporary bitterness, and yet we fail to find any reason why we should change our mind. Of course we have never interpreted Maine in a commercial sense; that is, like a trade school, with its five lessons, a diploma, and a \$200 per job. That may make a difference, but, nevertheless, we prefer to think of Maine as Alma Mater, our mother! We feel that we will be more than repaid, both in time and money, if we can lose all the facts which have acquired during college courses, but increase our sentiment for the spirit of Maine and the society of an educated mind. But that won't provide bread and butter? No, but we question whether any college can do that. After all that question is wholly answered by the individual, college graduate or not. We know of many non-college men who have outdistanced college men in the commercial race, but have never heard of a college man blaming his training because of it.

We never think of Maine in the physical sense; that is, as people, when asking ourselves what it has done for us. Anything that touches our emotions, that broadens us, we think of as an ideal—and that is Maine!

An educated mind must have balance, poise, tolerance, loyalty, justice, and sportsmanship. These are the things Maine seeks to impress upon her sons and daughters. In doing this, she is serving in a correct capacity. These are her attributes to success, and yours to take or leave. What did you do?

Whether we are to be successful or otherwise will never influence our loyalty to be anything other than it is at present. What we make or destroy of ourselves we consider a personal problem and prefer not to have ourselves propped up when we have reason to think the timbers are rotten.

Maine has many brilliant sons who will always be loyal and grateful to her. They cannot all be wrong!

CONGRATULATION AND CONSOLATION

After the second attempt, student elections have been declared valid and both candidates and the elected are now ready to settle back into obscurity. It seems pretty well taken for granted that the elections of 1928 have set a new pace for future elections. That the success of open politics over the former obvious, but covered, methods is more desirable is also evident.

Despite the evils of such a system, and even those who subscribe to such methods will admit the element of evil, it must be admitted that any system which brings out practically 100% of the student body is a step toward better conditions. Too many of the offices in the various student activities have, in the past, gone for a song, and under such distasteful circumstances cannot mean much to those elected. The next step will be campaign cigars for the stray votes and "Oh Henry" bars for the ladies.

Before we forget the officers from 1928 to 1931, may we express our congratulations upon the honors which they have received, and the hope that they will be as zealous in the performance of their duties as they were in their organization. To those less fortunate we say, along with others, "better luck next time" and as we did on one occasion last spring, point to the election of Mayor Thompson for consolation.

NEW BOOK CELEBRATES BALLADRY OF STATE

"The land of the pointed fir" at last has come into its own in balladry. Several years ago there appeared Gray's "Songs and Ballads of the Maine Lumberjacks" and Rickaby's "Songs of the Shanty Boy," not to mention Miss Colcord's "Roll and Go." Now comes "Minstrelsy of Maine" by Fannie H. Eckstrom and Mary W. Smyth (Houghton Mifflin Company, Boston; \$3.50) to celebrate the singing bards of the "back side of Mt. Desert" and the Penobscot River valley.

The editors have been collecting the chance scraps of song and verse still lingering in the Penobscot towns, Brewer, Bucksport, Orland and the rest, for more than a score of years. More recently they have visited the Mt. Desert country and found "the back side"—the Cranberries, Baker's and Gott islands—fruitful sources of old sea songs which preserve the local legends and the romance of a race that is all too fast fading before the barren harvests of the sea and the onslaughts of the engulfing hosts of rusticators. The extraordinarily interesting "Islesford Collection, Inc." gathered over many years by William Otis Sawtelle, will some day be recognized as one of our most individual and precious folk museums; here some of the material of these songs will be treasured against the ebb and flow of oblivion.

The editors have performed their task with unusual skill and insight. No one who has summered along the coast from Rockland east will allow his shelves not to contain at least one copy, for he will catch here the tang of the "smoky sou'-wester" or the eerie mystery of the fog as it blankets island and shore from the east. And the life of the back country lives again in such old shanty songs as "Driving Logs Schoodie" or "Canaday-I-O."

And the compilers have done their work with an eye to the more technical aspects of folksong collecting. For they have given the background and sources, and attempted to trace the migrations of native Maine songs to other sections where they have been noted by other collectors. In several cases, they have traced the earliest known renditions, proving the Maine origin of some lumbering songs previously thought to be indigenous in the West.

There is a vigor and reality to these often impromptu compositions that we have come to associate with the Negro spirituals. And such a song as "The Little Brown Bulls" is reminiscent of the exploits of Paul Bunyan. Take such a bit as "The Black Stream Diver's Song—" where else is there a better picture of the lumberjack's zest for life?

Who feeds us beans?
Who feeds us tea?
Who feeds us bread
That hain't sog-gee?

Who makes the big
Tree fall kerthrash,
And hit the ground
A hell of a smash?

Who gives us pay
For one big drunk,
When we hit Bangor
Slam, kerplunk?

Among the original songs of the sea rescued by the editors, "The Rovin' Lizzie" and "Bold Maman the Pirate" tell of the exploits of the early sailors along the coast. Others of more recent origin, like "Old Joe" or "The Possum Song," recount adventures almost contemporary on "the back side," or further east in the Cutler country.

Here is a volume that will appeal both to the collector of our folksongs and to the "down easter," native and sojourner. It brings one into the very life of the people who made the songs, and it makes the virgin forest and the thundering surf crashing over the white-lipped ledges off the Cranberries seem a part of one's own experience.

The Department of Chemistry and Chemical Engineering has announced the following non-technical lectures in course Ch 42 on Chemistry and Its Uses.

These lectures are given on Thursdays at 10 A.M. in Room 305, Aubert Hall.
Feb. 9 Pyroxylin Lacquers
Mar. 15 Analytical Chemistry in Industry B. F. Brann
Mar. 22 Photography C. E. Otto
Mar. 29 Holidays
Apr. 5 Electrochemistry
Apr. 12 Chemical Microscopy H. C. White
Apr. 19 Pulp and Paper Industry J. B. Calkin
P. D. Bray

BETA THETA PI WINS FIRST GAME OF FINALS

The finals of the Intra-Mural basketball tournament started Tuesday night when Beta Theta Pi, winner of the Northern League beat Phi Kappa, winner of the Southern League, 37-14. The game was very fast, largely due to referee Kamenkovitz who kept the ball in play most of the time. This was the first defeat for Phi Kappa this year, the loss of their star forward Hickson being keenly felt. The score at the end of the half stood 20 to 1, but Phi Kappa, chiefly due to the efforts of O'Loughlin, scored thirteen points, to seventeen for Beta, in the last half.

Kappa Sigma defeated Phi Gamma Delta in rather a slow game, although very interesting, 12-10. Phi Gamma Delta was far below the form they displayed when they defeated Kappa Sigma last week 31-19. Kappa Sigma, by virtue of this victory, is winner in the Central League, and will play Beta Theta Pi for the campus championship.

BETA THETA PI (37)

(14) PHI KAPPA
Lamb, rf 3 (1).....rf, Cassidy (1)
Osgood, lf 1 (3).....lf, O'Loughlin 6
Packard, c 6 (1).....c, Robinson
Goodwin.....lg, Airolidi
Higgins, rg 2 (2).....rg, Crimmins (1)
Kinney, lg 2 (2).....lg, Noble 1 (1)
Referee, Kamenkovitz

PHI GAMMA DELTA (10)

(12) KAPPA SIGMA
D. B. Wilson, rf 1.....rf, McCann 3 (1)
B. C. Wilson, lf.....lf, Stevens 1
Moore, c 2 (3).....c, White
Bryant, rg (1).....rg, Bates
Toothacher.....lg, Wilkins
Referee, Bennett

Don't forget the big CIRCUS
Friday, March 9th
At the Indoor Field
Admission 25c and 35c
No Seats Reserved
Show begins at 7.30 o'clock

Phi Beta Kappa Elects Four Seniors at Maine

Four members of the senior class at the University have just been elected to membership in Phi Beta Kappa, the honorary scholastic society, according to an announcement made by Raymond L. Walkley, secretary of the society.

The seniors elected are: David Wilbur Fuller, Southwest Harbor; Frederic Coleman Murphy, Van Buren; Laura Green Pedder, Haverhill, Mass., and Marguerite Joyce Stanley, Berlin, N. H.

Fuller is a member of Sigma Phi Sigma. He was president of the fencing club last year and is now prominent in debating, being a member of the team which defeated New Hampshire last Saturday.

Murphy is a member of Pi Pi Kappa, honorary economics fraternity, belongs to Theta Chi, and has been in the musical clubs for several years.

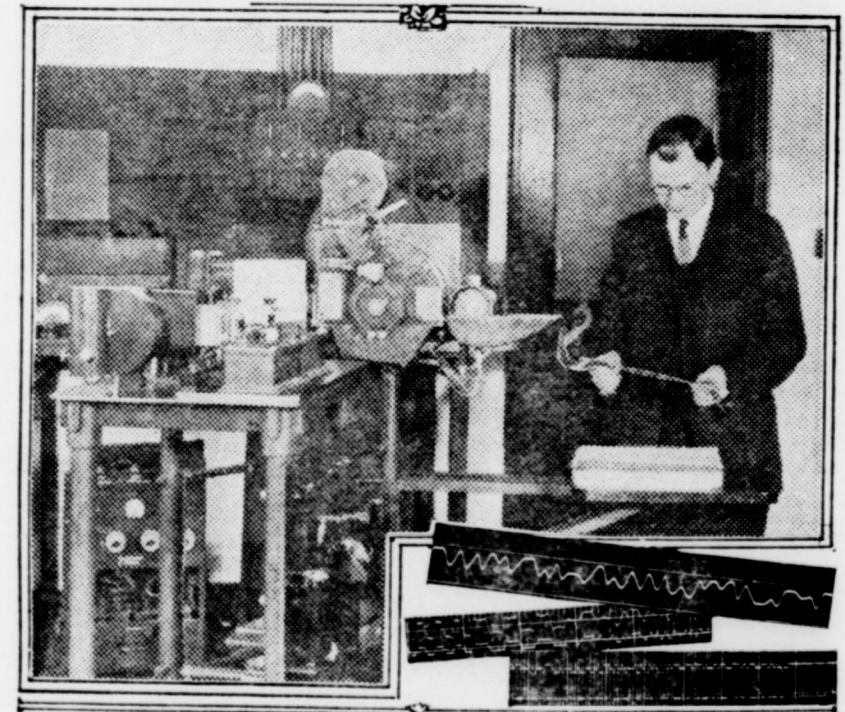
Miss Pedder is a graduate student here and recently achieved the high honor of making 4.0.

Miss Stanley is women's news editor of the Campus, is a member of the girls' rifle team and is vice-president of Balentine Hall. She is a member of Phi Mu sorority.

Mary Lewis, soprano of the Metropolitan Opera Company, New York, and Allen McQuhae, tenor, will be the soloists with the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra at the Thirty-second Annual Festival of the Eastern Maine Musical Association at Bangor on May 1 and 2, it is announced here by Clarence C. Stetson, president of the Association.

Miss Lewis will be successor to Lawrence Tibbett, also of the Metropolitan, who was a Festival soloist last year. Mr. McQuhae has appeared with the Detroit, Minneapolis, Cincinnati, Cleveland and New York Symphony Orchestras, and his great success in concert as well as oratorio work was an important factor in his selection as Festival soloist. A chorus of between 800 and 900 voices is now in rehearsal. The Maine Glee Club and Chorus are included with those to participate in the festival.

Detector Device Used In War Gets Important Peace-Time Job



Above:—A. M. Curtis of Bell Telephone Laboratories inspecting an oscillogram as it comes from the instrument. Below:—Specimens of signals at various stages in the fast journey of a message across the Atlantic.

There have been many examples of swords being more or less literally turned into ploughshares, as the Biblical phrase puts it, but none more appropriate than that of the peacetime adaptation of a device used in the late World War. During the years of fighting, when armies burrowed into the ground and practically hid their artillery from sight, the Allies found it necessary to bring into service some new means to locate the sources of the enemy's fire. To this end, an instrument called an oscillograph was developed and put to effective use. The set-up required two microphones which were placed at some known interval apart in the line to form two angles of a triangle of which the enemy's artillery was to form the third. These microphones were connected to the oscillograph which recorded the sound arriving at each microphone as a white line on photographic film in such a way that the time intervals could be measured, the third angle computed and the disturbing battery located.

When the United States entered the war, the Western Electric Company was assigned to make such "string" oscillographs. A number of these instruments were completed and sent to France where they served their purpose in locating German batteries with such accuracy that they could be destroyed by a few rounds fired from heavy naval guns.

Then came the Armistice and string oscillographs along with many other aids to destruction were no longer needed. However, during the process of salvaging war materials one of the men who had been in charge of the manufacture of oscillographs preserved two complete equipments.

They were to come in handy. For, within a short time, a new deep sea telegraph cable was developed by this same company, based on its new highly magnetic iron-nickel alloy, permalloy, which made possible cable transmission up to as high as 2,500 letters a minute. In fact, the new cable was so fast that the receiving apparatus with which the old cables were equipped proved unable to keep up the pace in the recording end. In an attempt to correct this—and had they not been successful, the new cables would have been a failure—the two war-time oscillographs were pressed into service. They proved to be almost ideal for the new work laid out for them, and were used on the new cable for two years until worn out. The Bell Telephone Laboratories then redesigned them, increasing their sensitivity about 20 fold and speeding up the work of the oscillograph camera. Thus, these war-time instruments have become a part of modern highly efficient communication facilities which instead of helping in the business of destroying men and nations, are bringing them closer together.

STRAND THEATRE ORONO MAINE

Friday, March 9

One of the Big Hits of the Season
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Saturday, March 10

The Popular Actress

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Monday, March 12

William Fox presents

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"THE WIZARD"

with Edmund Lowe and a great
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pense—Romance and Laughter

Tuesday, March 13

That Sterling Actor

John Gilbert in

"TWELVE MILES OUT"

An exceedingly strong melodrama,
with a fine cast of players

Wednesday, March 14

"THE ROAD TO ROMANCE"

with Ramon Novarro

A Great Cast—Marceline Day,
Marc McDermott, Otto Mathieson
and Bobby Mack. Also the 9th in
the series of TheChroniclesof
America Photoplays—"Yorktown"

Thursday, March 15

"JUDGMENT OF THE HILLS"

with Virginia Valli

The plot has been founded on the
story by Larry Evans

Fine Short Subjects Daily

Always a Good Show at the Strand

U. of M. Bowling League Is Now In Full Swing

The newly-formed U. of M. bowling
league is now in full swing at the Strand
Alleys, Orono. Six matches have been
bowled up to date and the standings of
the various fraternities are:

Team	Games Played	Pts. Won	Pts. Lost	%
Sigma Chi	2	2	6	.250
Kappa Sigma	2	6	2	.750
Phi Gamma Delta	1	2	2	.500
Dormitory	2	6	2	.750
Delta Tau Delta	2	3	5	.375
Sigma Nu	1	1	3	.250
Beta Theta Pi	1	0	4	.000
Phi Eta Kappa	1	4	0	1.000

Schedule from March 9-16 (inclusive)

Friday, March 9—Sigma Nu vs. Phi Gam

Monday, March 12—Dorm. vs. Phi Eta

Wednesday, March 14—Sigma Nu vs.

Beta Theta Pi

Sigma Chi vs. Phi Gam

Friday, March 16—Delta Tau vs. Kappa

Sigma

A deputation team made up of Arlene

Robbins, Grace Lemoine, and Alfred

Rackley went to Milford last Sunday,

speaking on "Missions" at the Milford

Congregational Church.

MORE TROUBLE AT BALENTINE

"I scream, you scream, we all scream
for ice cream," how many of us have
heard the plaintive wails of this popular
tune emerging from Balentine Hall in the
last week?

The poor co-eds have had a hard life of
it this year. First, they were not permit-
ted to lose their beauty sleep in order to
peruse the printed pages and next we
heard the complaint of rat infested halls
but now comes the worst blow of all.

Balentine has twice been visited by un-
invited guests who carry off their ice
cream, and now one may see determined
young ladies prowling around with base-
ball bats, hockey sticks and other imple-
ments of war, in search of the thief or
thieves, whichever it may be.

The girls receive quite a treat every so
often in the form of ice cream for dessert
but lately they have been receiving un-
called for disappointments upon finding
that the dessert has deserted them.

Rewards have been offered for the
guilty culprit and warning is given that
the co-eds will have no mercy for the cul-
prits if once they are found.

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on the earth inductor by Professor A. L.
Fitch, head of the Physics Department
here, was recognized recently by the Cen-
tral Scientific Company of Chicago when
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model earth inductor and incorporated the
suggestion of Professor Fitch into an im-
proved instrument. The improved instru-
ment serves a two fold purpose. It may
either be used as an earth inductor or as
a mutual inductor.

Dr. C. B. Crofutt and Mr. H. W. Saun-
ders aided Mr. Fitch in preparing data on
the new inductor.

Candidates for Tau Beta Pi, honorary
engineering fraternity, were elected at a
meeting of the Maine chapter held at
Wingate Hall Tuesday evening. They
will be announced at chapel Monday
morning.

The fraternity voted to hold a smoker
shortly after Spring vacation.

Following the business meeting refresh-
ments were served.

The Math Club is giving a dance in the
Gym, Saturday, March 10. Music by the
Troubadours. Admission 50¢.

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Maine Debators Win Over New Hampshire

Saturday night, March 3rd, the Univer-
sity of Maine Intercollegiate Debating
team defeated the University of New
Hampshire team in the first debate of the
season. The American style of debate,
which allows ten minutes of constructive
speaking and five minutes of rebuttal to
each speaker, was used.

The question was, *Resolved, that the
United States should cease to protect by
armed force capital invested in foreign
lands, except after formal declaration of
war.* The debate revolved about the recent
controversy in Nicaragua and Latin
America.

The U. of M. team defended the nega-
tive side of the question. George Ankeles
'30, as first speaker, ably set forth the
first contention of the negative case, which
was that deplorable conditions in Nicara-
gua warranted intervention by the U. S.
Maine's second speaker, David W. Fuller
'28, showed capably that International
law justified our intervention. The affirma-
tive based their case on the contention
that arbitration was a better policy to pur-
sue. This was refuted, however, by Asa
V. Waggatt, '30, who, as third speaker of
the negative, maintained that intervention
was the only course to pursue because of
the impracticability of arbitration.

The rebuttals consisted of a series of
give and takes with each speaker striving
to strengthen his case.

A win at this stage is encouraging be-
cause the affirmative team of the U. of M.
sets out this week-end for debates with
M. I. T., Mass. Aggies and other Mass.
colleges.



FIRST STAR—"They tell me you'll endorse any cigarette for a consideration . . ."

SECOND STAR—"Sure, so long as the consideration isn't that I give up my Chesterfields!"



THEY'RE MILD
and yet THEY SATISFY

University's Supply of Coal Is Marooned

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costly. A plan that seems more of a probability than any other is for the University to buy a piece of land on the same side of the river as the college buildings are, on which land a spur now runs from Orono.

Bates Trackmen Pin Defeat on Blue Track Team in Indoor Meet

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Pole vault.....	5 1/2	2 1/2
Running high jump.....	4	1
Running broad jump.....	8	1
Discus.....	3	6
35-pound weight.....	6	3
Totals.....	72 1/2	44 1/2

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President Boardman and Dean Cloke Make Visits to Alumni Associations

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Marshall Downing '99, vice-president of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Company, acted as toastmaster and he is also president of the Alumni Association.

President Boardman and Dean Cloke enjoyed their trip immensely and were delighted to get into contact with the various alumni and hear their views on the University.

Maine Debaters Make Tour of New England

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this Spring.

Herbert E. Rahe, coach of debating is working hard with all the teams and his efforts seem to be turning out some able aggregations.

The following men have attained the scholastic standing necessary for election to the honorary forestry fraternity, Xi Sigma Pi:

R. S. Hathaway, L. S. Gray, J. H. Lambert, H. B. MacNaughton, B. W. McPheters, R. D. Parks, N. D. Shirley, C. A. Stevens.

More Trouble at Balentine

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The cold co-ed may have neither rhyme nor reason for anything she says, is, or does, except her present frigidity. Let us all pray for warm weather—or storm windows!

Colby's Best Fall by 29-18

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Walsh for Abbott, Abbott for Walsh. For Colby—Callahan for Hanson, Caulfield for Trainer, Cook for Hanson, Trainer for Caulfield, Callahan for Trainer. Periods: two twenties. Referee: Demison. Timer: Komenkovitz.

Freshmen Establish Record of Four Wins on Aroostook Trip

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FT. FAIRFIELD H. (16)

	G.	F.	Pts.
Ayoob, lb.....	1	0	2
Burke, rb.....	2	0	4
Beckwith, c.....	0	0	0
Hamilton, lf.....	1	1	3
Beattie, rf.....	3	1	7
Totals.....	7	2	16

Referee: Plessey

Maine Band Has Grown To Be State's Largest

The University of Maine boasts of the largest and finest band in the state. It is the only band among the four colleges which forms human college letters at various athletic contests. It has grown from a small organization until it now has an enrollment of some 80 members.

The band meets twice a week for rehearsals under the capable leadership of Professor Sprague. It is a well organized class for which the students receive academic credit.

The band attracted a great deal of attention this fall by its maneuvers between the halves of the football games, led by student drum major Gordon E. Hammond of North Berwick. The band would form the opponent's college letter and then in turn would form a huge "M" and play the Maine Stein Song.

The band is a full fledged organization also, being officially attached to the Reserve Officers' Training Corps. All non-commissioned officers are appointed by basis of class seniority, musical tendencies and efficiency and faithfulness in attendance. The members are graded both on ability and attendance at rehearsals.

The roster of the University of Maine Band is as follows:

Cornet: Reginald B. Adams, Lewis A. Ambrose, Dean R. Bailey, Donald W. Brockway, Linwood H. Brofee, Bruce B. Burns, Russell D. Coyne, Harold L. Downing, Alvin H. Giffin, Charles K. Hooper, John H. Lowell, Kenneth S. Ludden, Ralph G. Newman, Henry A. Plummer, Horace A. Pratt, John R. Rand, Royal A. Roulston, Vinton A. Savage, John H. Smith, Willis E. Stiles, William Stinchfield, George W. Umphrey, Benjamin T. Wood, Lathan A. Crosby.

Bass: Jack S. Atwood, Emory P. Bailey, William P. Churchill.

Clarinet: Paul E. Bennett, Harry G. Davis, Kenneth W. Downing, Daniel C. Garland, Waldo E. Harwood, Carlton H. Towle, John W. True.

Saxophone: Philip J. Brockway, Philip R. Cohen, Paul J. Findlen, George W. Fowler, Charles E. Fogg, William H. Goodell, Clifton W. Hall, Abram J. Libby, Norwood W. Mansur, Ralph A. Merritt, William F. Shea, Willis E. Smith, Donald K. Thompson, Edward W. Tolman, G. Albert Whittier.

Drums: Richard F. Blanchard, William W. Brown, Gerald F. Burrill (Bass Drum), Philip W. Cann, Alberto C. Emerson, Vernon A. Gamage, Oscar M. Glew, Scott H. Gordon, Gordon E. Hammond (Drum Major), Leslie A. Higgins, Anthony D. J. Pelletier, John A. Vickery, Charles E. Wakefield.


Trombone: Gilbert K. Burwood, Fred B. Clark, George W. Dyke, George M. Hargreaves, Medley P. Ray, Arvo A. Sotlander.

Baritone: Franklin V. Heald.


Alto Horn: Edward B. Holt, Karl D. Larsen, Ermond F. Lewis, Russell M. Look, Kenneth C. Lovejoy, Winfield Lowell, Edward W. Strecker, Galen I. Veayo, Maurice R. Wood.

Piccolo: Delmar B. Lovejoy.


Mr. R. H. Fogler, president of the Maine Alumni Association, will talk in chapel Monday morning. His subject will be Alumni Activities. There will be special music and probably a play put on by the M. C. A.



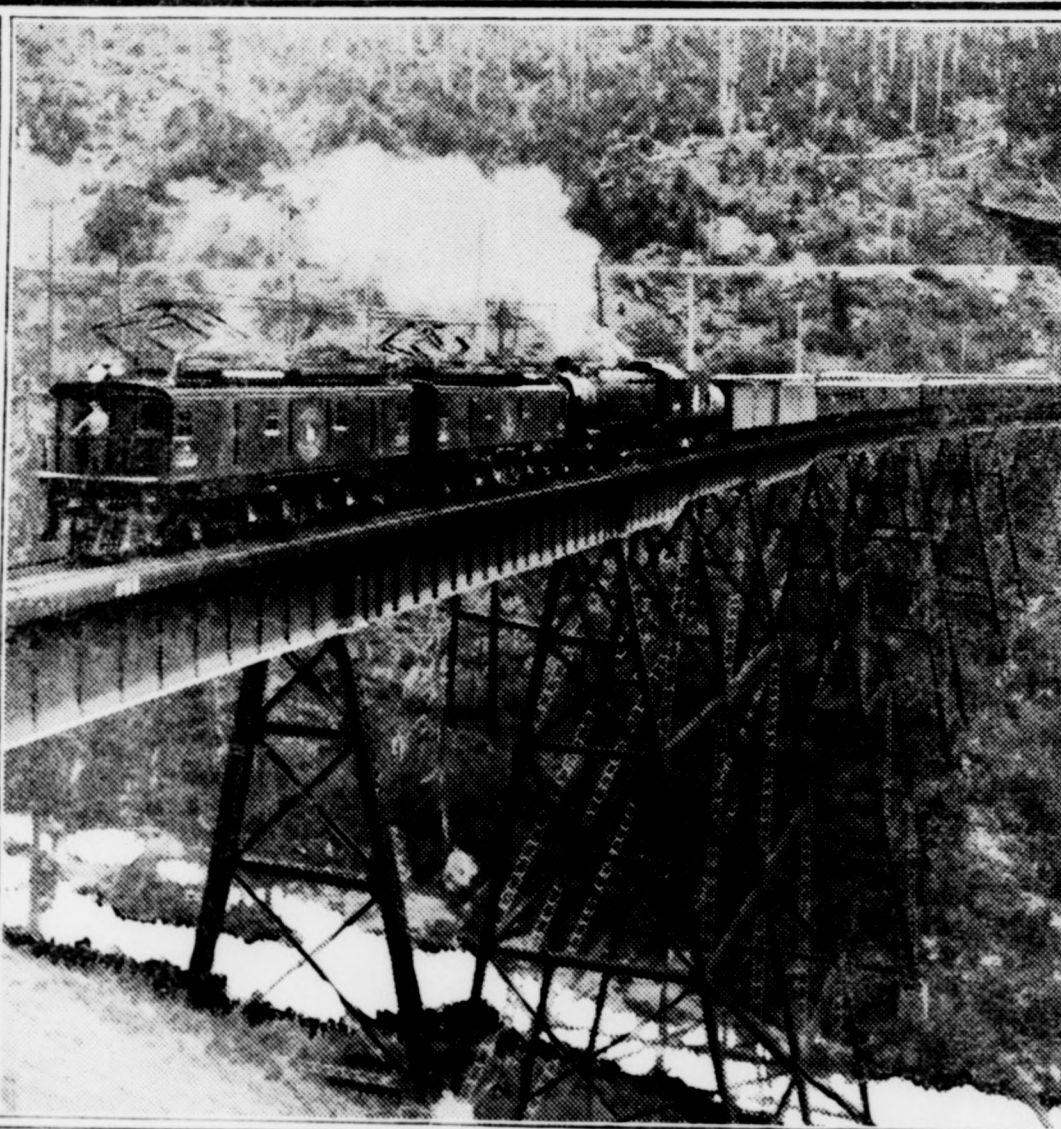
W. R. JACOBS,
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W. T. N. S., '22




L. E. LYNDE,
Headquarter Sales,
University of New
Hampshire, '20




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Engineer,
Univ. of Cal., '21






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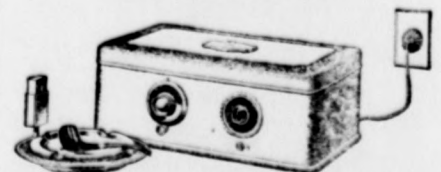
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