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INTER-FRATERNITY TRACK CUPS ARE AWARDED

The third and final inter-fraternity track meet held Saturday afternoon brought an easy victory for Delta Tau Delta. When results of the three meets were totaled, Delta Tau Delta scored 102½ points and received the cup for first place from the Sophomore Owls. Phi Gamma Delta was next in line, thereby winning the cup for second place presented by the Junior Masks, and Phi Gamma Delta held third place. Saturday's Meet showed a lot of good track ability, especially in the events on the boards. Herrick ran a good race in the mile and was pressed all the way by Steadman. Hegarty ran great form in every event which the Portland trip will take place during the second week of May. Arrangements are now being made for this trip. Besides the various club numbers to be given, the program will include: a scene by Turner (21); vocal solos by Riley (21), Courtney (21), Butler (22); readings by all the members of the club and in the faculty. Thirty men will make the trip this year. The Glee Club also promises to be the feature of the Junior Week.

The schedule of concerts arranged for the season is as follows:


April 14—Portland Trip—Arranged by the University of Maine has an organization of the management of the State University.

The idea of the League of Nations is in jeopardy. Since the eleventh of November peace has been the big topic. We have stopped fighting and now are faced with the big question of reconstruction. The idea of the League of Nations is more or less an American product and criticism from this country takes the heart out of the hope of the foreign countries, when they discover that now we withdraw our support. For a time France was the only power which opposed the League. Now, under the influence of our classroom heated up, changed, but now Congress takes the opposite ground—our Congress has not the support of the people.

Congress is made up of conscientious men in Vanik Rip Van Winkles who have failed to show a new order of things has come in where the old one has gone out. They act like a peevish group of senators. They have $200,000 of our men gone to France to any other purpose than that we should become one? These men who criticise have no vision of the new things. We are in Europe, our sons are buried in Europe. We shall lose our national liberty, they say, God and fate have pushed us into Europe and God for bid that we should agree.

NO SUMMER SCHOLARSHIP

The University of Maine has announced that there will be no Student Scholarship at the university during the coming summer. It has been the custom for a number of years to give a number of courses during the summer vacations to give students an opportunity to make up work on their courses and for teachers in preparatory schools to work up in their subjects. It is hoped the change is only temporary as the summer term is a very valuable part of the university curricula.

SCHEDULE COMPLETE FOR MAINE MUSICAL CLUBS

The combined Glee, Mandolin, and Band clubs in the University are planning to make several trips this year. Manager "Taxi" Cross is actively engaged in arranging this year's program, which promises to be an excellent one. The usual dress rehearsal will be given at the Bangor Insane Asylum and preliminary concerts will be given in Orono and Oldtown. There will also be a three day trip beginning April 22nd, thru Picataquis County, giving concerts at Guilford, Dover, Foxcroft, Dexter and ending up at Bangor. The Portland trip will take place during the second week of May. Arrangements are now being made for this trip.

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MAINE LOSES IN FAST GAME

Dean Academy defeated University of Maine 23-19 in a fast exhibition game Friday nig... This is the first defeat for Maine on her own court in many years. Maine was not able to stop the passing of Dean as she was somewhat handicapped by playing inadvisable rules.

The summary:

Dean Maine Granfield rf. 1 H Perro Bahuck 6 6 3 Beverley Williams c 2 c Walker Smith rh 4 1 rh Cross Pond 1b 2 1 Beaudou Foulks, Beverly 1. Beefery. Referree, Young, Timer, Sullivan.

INTERESTING TALKS AT M.E. MEETING

The mechanical engineers of the University held a regular meeting Wednesday evening, March 12, in Lord Hall. There were thirty-five members present, and a lecture was given by Engineer John E. Burkhardt, designing engineer for the Bath Iron Works.

Mr. Burkhardt spoke on the design of ships from the Mechanical Engineering curriculum. He held the audience spellbound with his fascinating talk, and explained given what was expected of an engineering student who is just entering the profession.

After the talk refreshments were served and a general good time was enjoyed. This was one of the most interesting Mechanical meetings which has been held.

MAINE TOPS P. C. F. A. A. BY SCORE 42-36

Maine finished up the basketball season with a win from the P. C. F. A. A. At Oldtown, Saturday night. A score of 42-36. Maine showed her old fight and easily outplayed her opponents. Reardon starred for Maine and shot nine difficult baskets and Parody for the Oldtown team.

The line up was as follows:


TO VISIT MANY PLANTS ON ENGINEERING TRIP

The Mechanical Engineering students will pay the following plants a visit:


The Electrical Engineering students will pay the following plants a visit:


Prof. W. J. Sweeten will be in charge of the mechanical department and Prof. W. E. Barrows will be in charge of the Electrical department.

There will be eleven students making the trip. The party will leave at 7:30 Saturday night in Bosten, Mass.

STATE UNIVERSITY OF MAINE PROPOSED

An act providing for the State to take over the University of Maine. The hopes of Maine to make it a State University was introduced in the Senate last Friday by Senator W. J. Walker of Somerset. It provides for an entirely new organization of the management of the institution. It is hoped that the present University of Maine trustees may serve until their terms expire and are eligible for reappointment to the board of trustees. The university would be designated by the title of the State University of Maine instead of the present University of Maine.

One of the most important provisions in the bill is the method of providing financial support. It provides that an amount shall be appropriated annually to found a fund, levied upon the total valuation of the state. With the present valuation of the state at about $700,000,000 the amount provided for yearly support shall be about $280,000. Last year $127,500 was asked for each of the next two years.

The following provisions of the bill will explain its details in a comprehensible manner:

Section 1 that "in order to advance the cause of education within the State, the University of Maine at Orono, is hereby designated the State University of Maine. The ownership of all lands, buildings and equipment of all kinds now or hereafter in the control of the board of trustees and all titles thereto shall be vested in the State."

Section 2 that provides that the general government of the University shall, under the direction of the legislature, be vested in the board of trustees to be styled the board of trustees of the State University of Maine. The State superintendent of schools shall be a member ex-officio, and eight additional members shall be appointed by the Governor and approved by the Council, two each for four years and not more than two from each Congressional district. One shall be appointed from a list of three nominated by university alumni. Terms shall begin on July 1 and continue four years or until successors are appointed and qualified. All members now serving shall serve until their terms are expired.

Section 3 provides for educational requirements of trustees, who shall hold no other office nor serve as political committees. Present trustees shall be eligible for reappointment.

Section 4—The duties and powers of the trustees shall be prescribed by the Legislature and they shall receive such compensation as shall be prescribed by the Legislature.

Section 5 that all funds for support of the university shall be deposited with the State treasurer and paid out on order of the trustees, countersigned by the president.

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In the one of the several customes which is characteristic of Maine. And Fogler makes it clear how it takes three weeks longer to feel at home on some campuses where they haven’t the “Hello” system. He made us feel that right in our college customs something to be proud of.

OUR LIBRARY

The University of Maine Library with over 60,000 volumes, has a large and vital part in the life of the student body. It is of daily service to all connected with the university. Its growth and development cannot fail to be of interest to all “Maine” people.

In the college catalog of 1868 there is a reference to a “nucleus of a library” as follows: ‘In 1857 this library contained over a thousand volumes.” The books were kept in the “Chemical laboratory.”

In 1888 Coburn Hall was built, the books were moved to two rooms on the first floor of that building. Excesses for the foundation were made during the summer of 1905. The building was completed and dedicated exercises were held November 2, 1906.

The library at present contains 60,000 volumes, besides the Law Library. A small addition was made to the Library and the Experiment Station Library, which together have over 7,000 volumes.

The present Library staff is composed of:

- Ethel G. Wigmore, A. B., Acadian American Librarian; Hazel De Rhodes, A. B., Western University, Assistant; Madeline Moore, Assistant.
- Every year, by year, is coming to fill the needs of the institution.
- With the limited financial resources at our disposal, we are determined to do what has been accomplished.
- Since September 1918, over 400 volumes have been added. The new arrangement according to the department through which they were ordered are.
- Agronomy, 52; Chemistry, 34; Civil Engineering, 39; Biology, 20; Economics and Sociology, 23; Education, 21; Electrical Engineering, 14; English, 67; French, 10; Greek, 2; History, 13; Home Economics, 80; Horticulture, 21; Philosophy and Psychology, 28; Physics, 10; Mechanical Engineering, 15; Mathematics; 80; Spanish, 7; War Books, 34.

DR. ALEY SUPPORTS LEAGUE AT CHAPEL

Tuesday morning President Aley spoke to the student body about the importance of taking time each day to think about the League of Nations. He said that it was a subject that you should and will be much interested in.

The purpose of the League of Nations is to make war more difficult and impossible to go on. It is a very important subject to think of.

The stream has a very swift current and the rocks and ledges are shaped into beautiful shapes. The water is clear and serene.

The chief occupation in the American section is with the support and management of the vineyards. They are terraced up to the tops of the high steep hills on both sides of the Moldenbeck River.

Take along the Rhineland is very interesting but still America and New England surpass it in every conceivable way and we are all hoping that we will be able to return in the near future.

Most sincerely,

Winthrop Alaska

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SOPHOMORE CALENDARS

The calendar published annually by the sophomore class was put on sale Thursday and can be purchased from the members of the sophomore class, or the members of the committee.

The design of the calendar this year is far different from any that has been published during the past few years. It is pasted on the Maine seal and the 1919 numerales below it.

The calendar is dedicated to Professor William E. Barrows, Jr., who is very popular with the student body. The cover is of heavy watercolor board, and there is the Maine seal and the 1919 numerales below it.

The following students are eligible to win prizes: Franklin Bragg, Edith Deering, Robert Dow, Albert (other) and John Brackett.

SOPHOMORE PRIZE ESSAYS

Altho the date for the prize essays has not been definitely decided, they will be scheduled for the first term and the papers are due April 1.

Sophomore Prizes, two of $5.00 each, one for the men and one for the women of the university are awarded to members of the sophomore class for excellence in composition. The need of the student is also taken into consideration.

The following students are eligible to compete for the prizes:


BANALITE NOTES

Banalite is at its best now. The weather has been so clean and so artistic as they have the last few days. But there is a reason—it is the beginning of the school term. It will continue taken off your room. As these pictures will probably travel quite extensively, it is hoped that you will be able to do so as well as possible. This accounts for the unusually neat appearance of some of the rooms.
The many friends of Prof. Roland MacBride, for some time at the University, are today hoping the (lid town Crust Company to report as absent all students who appear in class after the first recitation. Students should not plan to stay two years along the river. New students and others not so well trained in the classroom, may have used—100 pounds per acre for seeded crops and 200 pounds per acre for the cultivated ones. The increase will yield large profits over cost.

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WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING

FILLERS

Top Dress

At Massachusetts Agriculture College the announcement of the organization of special six weeks courses in agriculture for sailors and soldiers has been made. Instruction is offered in fruit growing, animal husbandry, soils and crops, farm machinery, dairying, poultry husbandry and marketing. Sixteen letter men form the nucleus of a promising track team at Dartmouth.

The Harvard Crimson, the Daily Princetoner, the Yale News, at a joint conference in New Haven on February 1st, advocated a general participation in athletics—in addition to well trained university teams.

Maine Man in France

Commissioned Bandsman

Harold N. Currier '17 who has been in France since the fall of 1917 has been commissioned a military band leader while he is on duty. This commission carries with it the rank of first lieutenant. Lieutenant Currier was a member of the University of Maine Band, later the Second Maine Regiment Band and went to the Mexican Border with the outfit in the summer of 1916. The call to France came a short time after the band had returned from the border and they bore stretchers over there as a part of the great 26th Division.

While in college he was prominent in musical circles and a student in chemical engineering. He is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Mt. Vernon House

Miss Theresa Stewart has been a guest at the house for several days. Thelma Sawyer '22 is at her home in Garland.

Mrs. David Beach, Jr., Madame Beaupré and Miss Estelle Beaupré were guests at dinner Thursday night.

Kathleen McCreary '20, has left college until next term. Ella Wheeler '29 spent Saturday and Sunday in Brunswick.

"Extravagance rots character; train youth away from it. On the other hand, the habit of saving money, while it stiffens the will, also brightens the night."

(General Grover Cleveland.)

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**MILE RUN**

First, Herrick, Phi Gamma Delta; second, Steadman, H. H. H.; third, Meader, Delta Tau Delta; fourth, Pomeroy, Sigma Chi; fifth, Pratt, Delta Tau Delta.

**40 YARD DASH**

First, Pomeroy, Sigma Chi; second, Hegarty, Delta Tau Delta; third, Pinkham, Theta Chi; fourth, Herrick, Phi Gamma Delta.

**220 YARD DASH**

First, Pinkham, Theta Chi; second, Wanskcr, Delta Tau Delta; third, Meader, Delta Tau Delta.

**880 YARD RUN**

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**FRESHMEN RELAY RACES**

First, Delta Tau Delta; second, Delta Delta Tau Delta; third, Phi Gamma Delta.

**PARK VAlUET**

First, Houston, Delta Tau Delta; second, Pratt, Delta Tau Delta.

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**DON QUIXOTE UP TO DATE**

"Lead me to it," said a young American captain when a doughboy told him a German count—a high officer, of course—was waiting to surrender to a colonel.

"No colonels in my company today; just come with me," the captain said, and the count came.

The count wore a monocle; he carried a cane; he was some count. The doughboy didn't say "your highness," or spill any of that kind of bunk. He shook hands with the count, gave him a cigarette, and hustled him back to the prison cages like he was a regular fellow.

And perhaps the count is a regular fellow by this time. The last time the doughboy saw him he was feeding a canteen worker.

**COLONEL ROOSEVELT'S REMEMBRANCE**

Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, shortly before his death, arranged to give substantial expression of his gratitude to the people of the little village of France near which his son Quentin is buried. Through the Red Cross he provided that $6,000 of the Nobel Peace Prize money awarded to him should be used for the benefit of the simple country people who have kept Quentin's grave covered with flowers.

Colonel Roosevelt left the decision of the exact form his gift should take to the discretion of the Red Cross and that organization is now trying to ascertain the wishes of the villagers.

**LOST!—somewhere between Window Hall and Valentine 125 calories**

These calories are very essential to my happiness and are also valuable so will the finder please return to Room 305, Valentine and receive a generous reward.

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**THE MAINE CAMPUS**

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**SHORT PUT**

First, Purington, Sigma Nu; second, Quinn, Sigma Nu; third, Murray, Phi Gamma Delta.

**HIGH JUMP**

First, Sewall, Sigma Nu; second, Wanskcr, Delta Tau Delta; third, Hegarty, Delta Tau Delta.

**BROAD JUMP**

First, Sewall, Sigma Nu; second, Pinkham, Theta Chi; third, Wanskcr, Delta Tau Delta.

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