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MAINE STATE UNIVERSITY.

(Prof. Karl Pomeroy Harrington, Wesleyan University, former professor of Latin at the University of Maine, in *The Nation*, May 23).

The opposition of denominational colleges supported by private endowment to the growth and prosperity of the state universities supported by public funds from the state and the United States government has long been a familiar phenomenon in the south and west, where it is now dying out, partly because it is seen to be useless, and partly because the supposed dangers to the smaller colleges looked for in the growth of the state institutions have proved in the lapse of time imaginary.

The state universities have grown great indeed; but the colleges have grown also, their patrons have not forsaken them, their benefactors have kept on endowing them, those who preferred them have received there their education. Familiar examples are North Carolina, Wisconsin, Michigan, Illinois, and Maine itself, not to cite many others. This is the right result of the founding and development of the state institution; for in the case of land grant colleges their charters were based on Senator Morrill's bill expressly providing that the character of the instruction should not be merely technical, but general and liberal; and the only rational principle that can be defended for a state university is that any and all the youth, of both sexes, in the state, shall be offered such kinds of education as they may desire.

Of this question but little was known in New England until within comparatively recent times. In Maine it arose ten years ago, on the establishment of the course leading to the degree of B. A.; and the contest in the recent legislature was merely an attempt on the part of the friends of the three other colleges in the state

(two Baptist and one Congregational, to reduce the university to a technical school by removing the departments that make possible the giving there of an arts course.

Your correspondent in the issue of May 2 is hardly correct in saying that the "Maine legislature has temporarily disposed of a question of broad educational interests;" when it has been settled pretty much everywhere else but in Maine, and there appears permanently settled by the action of the legislature reaffirming the position already repeatedly taken.

Certainly his statement of the question would seem to have been written in ignorance of educational history in this country; for, while it is hardly to be thought that any state has deliberately wished to compete with any existing educational institution in the establishment of the various colleges and universities, the fact of possible competition has long since been accepted as an educational commonplace in nearly every state in the union. But the educational impetus and inspiration coming from the great growth of the state institutions has been a blessing to the denominational colleges in many ways, and the jealousy which the latter have so unfortunately manifested has been all too groundless, and has done little credit to the ideals that should prevail in the older academic circles.

Maine is not "demanding the public funds for a college of liberal arts." The small additional amounts required for those classical departments which alone are concerned was from the start paid out of other funds, and even that expense was materially diminished by the income from the students attracted by these courses.

For the other courses in line for the arts degree must be given just the same in connection with other degrees. Even if the total expense

of supporting the classical departments in the University of Maine were to come out of the pockets of the impoverished and long suffering taxpayers of Maine, it would not cost the said abused taxpayers three cents apiece!

The implication that an inferior article of education is dispensed at Maine in the liberal arts courses is equally erroneous. Comparisons are odious; but if anybody thinks it necessary to prove the above statement by comparison, the catalogues of the various institutions are easily accessible, wherein may be seen what facilities for classical study are afforded at each.

It does sound absurd, on the face of it, to be "advertising in the papers of Massachusetts to secure boys to take a B. A. course at the expense of the taxpayers of Maine." But when the facts are examined, the statement seems even more absurd. Very little advertising is done in Massachusetts papers by the University of Maine, and very few B. A. course students go to Maine from Massachusetts. But, so far from being at the expense of the taxpayers of Maine, the coming of students from Massachusetts to the university is easily seen to be a profitable thing for Maine. The additional cost for the additional students in courses already established is trifling, but the money brought to Maine by students from Massachusetts this year exceeds \$20,000, about half of which goes directly to the university, and the rest to the taxpayers.

One other fallacy needs to be exposed, one familiar to the writer during years spent in North Carolina, where the denominational colleges wasted much good strength in opposing the state university, namely, the idea that by cutting off some branches of the tree of higher education, there would be more available sap for the trunk of common school education. How often it has been shown by simple statistics that there is nothing in it but a specious plea! If all the money, for instance, that is spent on the departments of Greek and Latin in the University of Maine were divided among the school teachers of that state, it would not suffice to buy them each a new hat!

SENIOR BANQUET.

The class of 1907 made another departure from the usual run of things when they gave the first Senior Banquet which has been held in about four years at the Penobscot Exchange last Wednesday night, May 29. About eighty covers were laid and the banquet was complete, elaborate and well served, and from the epicurean point of view was very nearly perfect. Nor was that the only point of view from which it was perfect, for class and college spirit ran rife, enthusiasm pervaded the atmosphere and the dining hall rang with Maine cheers. The class had as guests Coach S. J. Farrell of the track team and Coach Fitzmaurice of the baseball team.



PORTER L. SWIFT, Toastmaster

The class president, Porter L. Swift, acted as toastmaster and was responded to by Joe K. Goodrich on "Our Alma Mater;" "Football," E. W. Philbrook; "Reminiscences of a College Editor," E. J. Wilson; "Debating," C. E. Davis; "Track Athletics and the Average Man," W. J. St. Onge. "College Spirit," A. W. Totman; "Baseball," G. E. Hayward; "Breaking College Ties," A. P. Rounds. Several impromptu addresses by various members of the class also followed.

The banquet committee consisted of A. P. Rounds, E. W. Philbrook and J. K. Goodrich.

A special car was run for the benefit of those who wished to return to Orono that night.

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SENIOR SKULL BANQUET.

The first annual initiation banquet of the Senior Skull Society was held on Monday night, May 27, at the Penobscot Exchange. Coming after an impressive initiation, the banquet was carried off in a smooth and dignified manner which was well calculated to successfully launch the society as the Senior Society of the University. Those present were the eleven members of 1907 and the eleven new initiates from the class of 1908.

Arnold W. Totman was toastmaster and the responses were as follows: Our University, Guy E.



ARNOLD W. TOTMAN, Toastmaster

Hayward; Athletics, William E. Stone; 1907, Porter L. Swift; 1908, John T. Kendrigan; Baseball, Henry L. Miner; Track, B. F. Williams; The Senior Skull, Joe K. Goodrich.

Following are the members from both senior and junior classes;

Arnold W. Totman, Fairfield, Kappa Sigma; Earl W. Philbrook, Milton, N. H., Beta Theta Pi; John H. Burleigh, South Berwick, Alpha Tau Omega; George P. Goodwin, Skowhegan, Phi Gamma Delta; Richard F. Talbot, Andover Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Guy E. Hayward, Winthrop, Phi Gamma Delta; Porter L. Swift, Norway, Phi Kappa Sigma; William E. Stone, South Brewer, Phi Kappa Sigma; Elmer J. Wilson, Lynn, Mass., Sigma Chi; Joe K. Goodrich, Skowhegan, Kappa Sigma; Benjamin F. Williams, North Islesboro, Alpha Tau Omega.

Juniors: John T. Kendrigan, Rockland, Mass., Kappa Sigma; Henry L. Miner, Haverhill, Mass., Alpha Tau Omega; Warren D. Trask, Augusta,

Kappa Sigma; F. Philip Emery, Eastport, Sigma Alpha Epsilon; Raymond Fellows, Bucksport, Phi Gamma Delta; L. Roland Lord, Poquonock, Conn., Sigma Chi; Philip I. Robinson, Waterville, Phi Kappa Sigma; James A. Gannett, Yarmouth, Phi Kappa Sigma; Arthur S. Hanscom, Leeds Junction, Phi Gamma Delta; Leslie W. Sargent, South Brewer, Beta Theta Pi; Clifford L. Draper, Stoneham, Mass., Theta Epsilon.



NEW ENGLAND MEET.

The annual track meet of the New England Intercollegiate Athletic Association was held Saturday, May 24 at Brookline, Mass. The members of the Association are Dartmouth, Brown, Amherst, M. I. T., Williams, Wesleyan, Bowdoin, Vermont, Maine, Tufts and Trinity. Trinity was the only college which won no points.

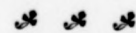
But two college men from the State figured in the finals.

Morritt of Bowdoin had an easy time in the shot-put, winning first place and five points by putting the shot 39 feet, 9 inches which was but three inches better than he did at the state meet.

Fortier, '10, of Maine made a good showing, finishing third in a field of 13, but 7 yards behind the first man, and winning two points for Maine.

POINTS SCORED.

Dartmouth.....	47
Brown	28½
Amherst	27
M. I. T.	21
Williams.....	11
Wesleyan	8
Bowdoin	5
Vermont	3
Maine.....	2
Tufts.....	1½
Total.....	154



Harry H. Rich has left college and in company with R. L. Seabury and Capt W. S. Brown will go to Alaska. He will be engaged in mining during the summer but will return to college next fall.

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EDITORIAL

THE next issue of the CAMPUS will be omitted, as is usual during examination week. The last edition of the year will appear during the latter part of Commencement Week.

SPECIAL efforts are being made to secure a large attendance of students at the Commencement exercises of the University this year than ever before. It is earnestly urged that every underclassman who can possibly do so remain through Commencement Week, for not only by doing so do they help to swell the attendance of students at the Commencement festivities, the lack of which is noticed every year by visitors, but they will gain a glimpse of

another phase of college life which cannot be obtained at any other time of the year. No more pleasant place to spend a week's vacation can be found than Maine at Commencement.

DURING the past year, when at times it seemed as if the old college spirit for which Maine has been noted was dying out and the principle of "everyone for himself and the devil take the hind-most" was gradually growing among the students; when the unanimous support of student activities was becoming a strange spectacle to the lower classes, and any undue enthusiasm over a college undertaking was becoming a back number, a number of the most prominent members of the Senior Class, men who were acquainted with every phase of college life and activity, got together and formed a society. The members were pledged to act as a unit in perpetuating and advancing college customs and spirit and to adopt every means to further the interest in college activities and of bettering them. In order to form a closer bond of union between the members, to insure unity of action and perfect freedom of speech the society was made secret and ritualistic, and was called the Senior Skull Society.

It was founded without ostentation and modestly, as the founding of an honorary society should be, but now that the Senior Skull has been launched upon the succeeding senior class, and upon countless senior classes to come, it is in order to congratulate the members of '07 who foresaw the scope and possibilities of such an organization. As the student body becomes larger and larger college spirit will tend more and more to die out. The Skull will tend to prevent this. It will also form another one of several influences tending to preserve the friendly and pleasant inter-fraternity relations which have always obtained at Maine.

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It is planned to put the Skull Society upon a plane equal to that occupied by the corresponding societies at other institutions, as the "Casque and Gauntlet" at Dartmouth, and the "Skull and Bones" at Yale, where "to make" the Senior Society is the highest honor obtainable to an undergraduate.



COMMENCEMENT SPEAKER.

Following out the custom inaugurated last year, the Senior Class this year will have one speaker elected from the faculty to make the address at the Commencement exercises, instead of the usual commencement parts taken by different members of the class as formerly. This plan was very successfully carried out last



PROF. ROBERT J. SPRAGUE
Commencement Address

year. This year the speaker will be Professor Robert James Sprague who will speak on "Cornerstones of Civilization." Professor Sprague is a graduate of Boston and Harvard Universities. He is engaged in special research for the Carnegie Institution of Washington, and is the author of various articles on economic and sociological topics.



COMMENCEMENT WEEK.

The program for Commencement Week, beginning Sunday, June 9, has been decided as follows:

Sunday, June 9—Baccalaureate Address by Professor A. W. Anthony of the Cobb Divinity School, Lewiston, in the chapel.

Monday, June 10—Convocation, in the chapel at 9.45 A. M. Class Day Exercises, in the chapel at 3:00 P. M. Reception by the President, in the Library at 8.00 P. M.

Tuesday, June 11—Receptions by the fraternities in the afternoon.

Alumni Luncheon in the Library from 5.00 to 8.00 P. M.

Alumnæ Luncheon at the Mt. Vernon House at 6.00 P. M.

Phi Kappa Phi initiation in the Library at 8.00 P. M.

Phi Kappa Address in the chapel at 8.30 by Professor John Graham Brooks of Cambridge, Mass.

Wednesday, June 12—Commencement Exercises in the chapel at 10.30.

Commencement Dinner in the gymnasium at 12.30.

Business meeting of the Alumni Association at 3.30 in the Library.

Commencement Ball at 8.30 in the gymnasium.

Alumni headquarters will be in the Library.



CONVOCATION

Convocation exercises will be held in the chapel next Monday morning at quarter of ten. The regular chapel service will be followed out. Professor Sprague will give the History and Professors Davidson and Carr will give brief addresses. Miss Mildred C. Mansfield will speak for the women students. The various college activities will be represented as follows: Mr. Dagget will speak on the literary interests, L. J. Reed on the Y. M. C. A., E. J. Wilson, the college publications, M. G. Newman on the musical interests, and F. P. Hosmer on athletics. Mrs. J. H. Huddilston will give a solo with violin obligato by M. G. Newman.



John N. Jewett has been elected artist of the 1909 Prism.

COLBY—MAINE

The University of Maine team received its second defeat from Colby in a well played game on Alumni Field, Saturday afternoon, May 25. The final score was 3 to 1, and several times in the game, a little batting by the Maine team would have tied it but Colby won her game in the sixth inning, when with men on bases, she scored two runs by opportune hitting. A finely executed squeeze play in the eighth gave Colby her other tally. Maine's run was stirred in third, when Goode got a little wild, giving three men their base on balls, and let Tuell in immediately afterwards on a wild pitch.

Both teams played fast ball, and it was by far the best exhibition of fielding that has been put up by the home team this season. Maine did well until she got men on bases; but failed to connect for safe hits at that stage.

For the first five innings, Colby was shut out, and it looked as if the Maine team was going to redeem itself for its many losses this season; but then came the unlucky sixth when Colby donned her batting togs for a short while, and put the game on ice.

With the exception of the third inning, when he gave three men passes, Goode pitched a star game for the visitors, allowing only four hits. Quint did good work for Maine, and although he was hit harder than Goode, outside of the sixth inning, he kept the hits well scattered.

The game went off fast, and in several innings both sides were retired in one, two, three order. Hassett umpired a fine game; and although he was obliged to make some close decisions on both sides he made them in a way that gave perfect satisfaction to everybody. The attendance was not so large as it was at the other two Junior Week games, but the cheering was as strong as ever, and considerable enthusiasm was shown. The weather conditions were excellent for a ball game, and for the first time during the week, the crowd found it possible to enjoy the game to its fullest extent without danger of freezing.

The features of the game were the two double plays, the first in the fifth inning when Goode made a phenomenal catch of Dow's bunt, and threw the

ball to first, catching Tuell off the base; and the second in the sixth, when, Goode tried to steal home after Quint had thrown Shaw out at first, Goode being out, Mayo to Gordon.

The line up and summary:

COLBY.

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	a.
Goode, p.....	5	0	2	2	3	0
Dwyer, c.....	4	1	1	8	1	0
Shaw, 3b.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
Tilton, 2b.....	4	2	2	2	2	0
Tribou, 1f.....	3	0	1	1	0	0
Cotton, ss.....	4	0	2	1	3	2
Guptil, cf.....	4	0	0	3	0	0
Buker, 1b.....	4	0	1	9	0	0
Matthews, rf.....	4	0	0	1	1	0
Totals.....	36	3	9	27	10	2

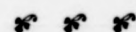
MAINE

	ab.	r.	bh.	po.	a.	r.
Scales, ss.....	2	0	0	1	4	1
Chase, 2b.....	3	0	0	1	5	0
Mayo, 1b.....	4	0	1	17	1	0
Higgins, 3b.....	4	0	0	0	0	0
MacDonald, rf.....	4	0	1	0	0	0
Quint, p.....	4	0	0	0	7	0
Gordon, c.....	4	0	2	4	1	0
Tuell, cf.....	3	1	0	1	0	0
Dow, 1f.....	3	0	0	3	0	0
Totals.....	31	1	4	27	18	1

Colby 0 0 0 0 0 2 0 1 0—3
 Maine..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 0 0—1

Summary—Score. Colby 3. Maine 1.

Three base hits, Tilton. Two base hits, Goode 2, Tilton, Cotton. Stolen bases MacDonald, Scales, Cotton. Sacrifice hits, Tribou. Double plays, Quint to Mayo to Gordon; Goode to Buker. Wild pitch, Goode. Base on balls, off Goode 4. Struck out by Goode 6, by Quint 2. Umpire Hassett. Time of game, 1h. 45m.



DRAMATIC CLUB OFFICERS.

At a meeting of the Dramatic Club held Friday, May 31, the following officers were elected for next year: President, L. Roland Lord; Vice President, Francis E. Simmons; Treasurer, Merle A. Sturtevant; Business Manager, Dexter S. J. Smith; Secretary, Frank C. Richardson.

JUNIOR PROMENADE

The Promenade of the Class of 1908 was held Friday evening, May 24, in the gymnasium, and proved not only the most brilliant event of the year, but one of the most successful functions which have been given in several years. The capacity of the gymnasium was taxed to its utmost to comfortably accomodate the throng of dancers.

The ball room floor was in the best of condition and the decorations were remarked by many to be the best ever seen in the gymnasium. Maine blue and white bunting was draped from the running track and the lavish use of this, with red and blue lights gave a beautiful color effect. The electrical decorations were unquestionably the most brilliant ever seen in the "gym," and Mr. Jacobs, the class electrician deserves the thanks of the class for his decorative work in this line. The only flaw in the evening's program was the failure of the programs to arrive from the engravers, E. A. Wright, of Phila. Refreshments were served during the intermission, the caterers being Fox & Adams of Bangor, and after a program of twenty four dances the assemblage adjourned, five special cars furnishing transportation to Bangor and Old Town.

The reception committee was composed of John T. Kendrigan, Dr. and Mrs. M. C. Fernald, and Capt. and Mrs. W. S. Brown.

NORTHFIELD DELEGATES.

The sub-committee of the Northfield Committee of the Student Christian Association; Prof. Hart, Dan Chase '08, B. A. Chandler '09, has selected the following men to represent the University at Northfield.

Delegates: Jacobs '08, Chase '08, Weston '08, Trask '08, Chandler '09, Woodbury '09, Fortier '10, Stover '10, Redman '10, Cook '10.

Alternates: Gannett '08, Kendrigan '08, Wilbur '08, Knight '09, Harvey '09, Prey '09, Towle '09, Richardson '09, Johnson '10, Paine '09.

Something less than \$100 has been collected so that is possible to pay expenses only for 10 men. Those picked as alternates are expected to go as much as the others, but their expenses are not

guaranteed. A cordial invitation is extended to all students and alumni of the University to come and spend a few days with us in the Maine Tent. Remember the big celebration July 4th!

Y. M. C. A.

The mid-week meeting of the Y. M. C. A. was held in the library Wednesday evening, May 29th., but owing to the small attendance only a short session was held, lead by Dan Chase. Most of the time was devoted to discussing plans for the coming fall and concerning the Northfield Convention, which is in session from June 28 to July 7. The treasurer reported that \$55 had been raised by popular subscription toward sending delegates to this convention, the selecting of whom was referred to the Northfield Committee.

LITERATI.

Owing to the illness of Professor Estabrooke who was to lecture before the Literati last Tuesday, the program was postponed and only a short business meeting was held. Plans were talked over for next year and a nominating committee was appointed, consisting of Garland, '07; Sweetser, '09; Miss Knight, '08; Hall '07 and Ellis, '08. This committee met directly after adjournment and nominated the following to be acted upon at the next meeting:

For President, Sweetser, '09; Ellis, '08.

For Vice President, Miss Knight, '09; Miss Chase, '09.

For Secretary, Miss Chase, '09; Miss Worth, '09.

For Treasurer, D. Chase, '08; Miss Keith, '09.

DEPARTMENTS.

Literature, Sweetser, '09; Goodrich, M. I., '10.

Art, Miss Brown, '08; Miss Knight, '09.

Drama, Miss Colcord; Miss Fellows, '08.

Music, Miss Huntington, '10; Miss Rollins, '09.

LOCAL METEOROLOGY

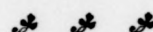
Number seven of the The University of Maine Studies, a work of 52 pages, is devoted to Meteorological Conditions at Orono, by Prof. James Stacy Stevens, of the chair of physics. It is a most important publication and a contribution to the data of physical science that will be welcomed by every student of meteorology. The various tables given embrace: barometric pressure; temperature; vapor tension and relative humidity; precipitation. Most of these tables cover the period from 1869 to 1904. Then there are many very interesting miscellaneous tables among them, one giving dates of severe frosts, one on thunder storms, and those on solar and lunar halos and auroras. Among the many pages of miscellaneous data are: On ice and snow; gales; destructive winds; parhelia (or mock sun); meteors; zodiacal light; earthquakes; precipitations; cloudiness and wind; humidity; evaporation of liquids, and evaporation of snow and ice.

How very recently data are brought down in this interesting thesis is shown from the fact that the table of the opening and closing of navigation on the Penobscot river, extends from 1816 to its opening, April 11, 1907. A two page plate of curves embraces the daily precipitation and the accumulation of precipitation for each day from Jan. 1, 1900, to Jan. 1, 1907, which with all the other tables are the result of a great amount of careful work. During the time covered by these tables there have been four earthquakes. (Prof. Stevens has failed to record the great earthquake of March 21, 1904;) eight meteors have been seen; 12 destructive winds and gales have taken place, and one May 3, 1885, five inches of snow fell.

PHYSICS LECTURE.

Prof. Stevens gave a lecture upon the X ray and an exhibit of the apparatus at the physics lecture room in Wingate Hall, Tuesday evening, May 28. The event was both instructive and interesting and was attended by many of the students. The electric discharges of a ten inch induction coil through a vacuum were first shown and an explanation of the various colors

was given. A small brass tube containing a minute quantity of radium in contact with zinc sulphate was passed around the class, enabling each to observe the glow of the newly discovered element. The apparatus for producing the X ray was then put into operation and all were given an opportunity to see the bones of the hand and lower arm, as well as coins placed in the middle of a thick book. The lecture was supplemented by the exhibit of apparatus, which rendered the event more enjoyable than an ordinary stereoptican lecture.



OBITUARY RESOLUTIONS

Whereas, It has pleased the Omnipotent Creator to remove from us our esteemed brother, Arthur Iverson, and

Whereas, Brother Iverson was in his lifetime a loved and honored member of the Sigma Chi Fraternity, and the members of Rho Rho Chapter of Sigma Chi feel deeply the loss of this brother, be it

Resolved, That in the death of Brother Iverson this Chapter and the Fraternity has sustained a grievous loss; be it further

Resolved, That our deepest sympathies be extended to the bereft family; and be it lastly

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family, and be published in the Sigma Chi *Quarterly* and the University of Maine CAMPUS.

Committee for the Chapter:

C. HENRY LEKBERG,
JOHN N. JEWETT,
L. ROLAND LORD.

May 26, 1907.

DEUTSCHER VEREIN.

The Deutscher Verein held its last regular meeting of the year in the Library Wednesday evening, May 29. There was a small attendance. Officers for next term were elected as follows: President, L. R. Lord; Vice President, L. F. Pike; Secretary, Alice M. Farnsworth; Treasurer, J. H. Mason; Executive Committee,

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Professor Carr, W. E. Conner, Sarah E. Brown. It was decided to lay the plan for a banquet on the table and in place of a banquet the committee, of which W. D. Hall is chairman, was instructed to formulate plans for a ride to Pushaw during examination week. This idea was carried out last year and was very successful, and it is hoped that it will go with the same success at this second trial.



ALUMNI NOTES.

'79

Professor George P. Merrill, head curator of geology at the United States National Museum, has just left Washington upon an investigating tour to Canyon Diablo, near Flagstaff, Arizona. He is sent out by the Smithsonian Institution to study the geologic origin of the remarkable crater-formed depression at the Canyon, in connection with which two theories have been held; one ascribing its origin to a prehistoric volcanic explosion; the other holding that it is due to the impact of a gigantic mass of meteoric iron. The object of Dr. Merrill's trip is to determine, if possible, which of these theories is correct, or whether its origin must be accounted for in some other manner. While on the trip Dr. Merrill will visit the so called petrified or fossil forest near Holbrook, Arizona, to collect for the National Museum specimens for scientific work.

'98

Elmer D. Merrill, Botanist to the Bureau of Science, Manila, Philippine Islands, sailed from Manila on May 15 and expects to arrive in Seattle the last of June. He will remain in this country three months, visiting Maine, but spending the greater part of his time in botanical research in Boston, New York and Washington. He will also spend three months at Kew Botanical Garden, England and the remaining three months of his absence from the Philippines will be divided between the larger herberia on the continent, principally at Paris and Berlin.

'00

G. W. Stickney is located with the Barge Canal Co., at Port Byron, N. Y.

The engagement of C. W. Stowell, Manager of Bryant & Stratton Bus. College, Providence, R. I. to Miss Grace Dinsmore of Hallowell, Me. has been announced.

'01

Leroy H. Harvey, Professor of Biology in Yankton College, South Dakota, has been elected to a fellowship in Botany at the University of Chicago, where he will study next year.

'03

H. V. Sheahan is at present constructing a sewer in Shelbyville, Kentucky.

R. M. Connor is located at Nampa, Idaho, in Govt. Reclamation Service.

'04

Phil Dorticos is in the Chemical Research Laboratory of the General Elect. Co., Schenectady, N. Y.

H. A. Sawyer, who has an excellent position as chemist with the S. D. Warren Paper Co., Cumberland Mills, Maine, is spending a few days on the Campus.

E. S. Bodwell has a high position with the New York Telephone Co., New York City.

Clyde I. Giles of Portland, was on the campus for several days last week visiting friends.

Dr. and Mrs. O. W. Sadler announce the marriage of their daughter, Lucy Bell, to Leroy C. Smith on Wednesday, May 22, at Mount Dora, Florida.

'05

D. F. and C. D. Smith are located at Norfolk, Virginia, Exposition Station, Power and Alcohol Building.

B. T. Harvey is with the White Lumber Company at Grandine, Mo.

H. A. Thomas who is now at home in Andover, Maine on a furlow was on the Campus recently. He will soon return to Glendive, Mont. where he will be employed in the U. S. Reclamation Service.

F. W. Talbot, has a position as engineer on the Panama Canal with headquarters at Las Cascadis.

R. R. Drummond is now at U. of P. working for Ph. D. degree. Mr. Drummond was prominent in musical circles while here and he now has the distinction of being leader of U. of P. orchestra.

C. L. Bailey, better known as "Grunter" is in U. S. Reclamation Service, Glendive, Mont.

'06

"Bug" Kittredge has changed headquarters from Bangor to Kineo, where he is still on construction work with the B. & A. R. R.

W. H. Burke and L. C. Nichols who were formerly in the employ of the Stanley Elect. Co. Pittsfield, Mass., have gone into central station work in Auburn, N. Y.

ex-'07

H. M. Lunt, former baseball star, is to play this season with Brookline, Mass. A. A. team.

ex-'09

A. E. Elliott has an excellent position in charge of office on construction work, with B. & A. R. R.



LOCALS

Last Thursday, Memorial Day, the members of Omega Mu Chapter of Phi Gamma Delta enjoyed a sail down the Penobscot and picnic at Castine, returning in the evening.

Friday, May 24, Misses J. C. Colcord, Florence E. Harvey, and Marion Balentine went to Boston as delegates to the annual convention of the Delta Sigma Sorority.

Several students in the forestry department attended the smoke talk given by the Bangor Board of Trade at their rooms in Bangor on Monday evening, May 27. Charles H. Bartlett, Esq., a member of the State Forestry Committee, gave an address on the forestry situation in Maine, and Professor Tower also gave a talk.

The annual "Frog-Pond Scrap" occurred Wednesday evening, May 29. It came off on the banks of the Stillwater just south of the Phi Kappa Sigma House. A large proportion of both classes participated. The pistol was fired at about nine o'clock and after ten minutes of pandemonium during

which everyone got wet, the two* classes shook hands and all surplus class spirit was called off for the year.

A mass meeting in the interests of the Debating Club and Y. M. C. A. was held in the chapel Tuesday morning, May 28. The meeting was very poorly attended. Rounds, '07, and Professor Sprague spoke on debating and Jacobs, '08 and Chase '08, for the Y. M. C. A. A subscription was taken to defray the outstanding debts of the Debating Club.

The game with the Massachusetts Agricultural College, which was to have been played Wednesday afternoon, May 29, was cancelled on account of the rainy weather.

The annual meeting of the N. E. Intercollegiate Press Association took place on Friday afternoon, May 24. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year:

H. W. Hoole, M. I. T., President. Miss Fuller, Smith, Vice President. Arthur L. Robinson, Bowdoin, Secretary Treasurer. Winslow G. Smith, Bates, Member Executive Committee.

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