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Maine Regiment in Liberty Loan Parade

R. O. T. C. Makes Excellent Showing In Bangor, April 6.

On Saturday afternoon, April 6, the University of Maine regiment R. O. T. C. participated in the great Liberty Loan parade which started the drive in Bangor. Major Lang received an invitation to ride at the head of the parade with Marshall Brett, but marched at the head of the first division which was lead by the Maine contingent.

The regiment and band formed in the gymnasium at 12.45 and moved out at one o'clock Saturday noon. An excellent problem in detraining was offered the student officers, for the future soldiers entered the cars twice, electric cars conveying the men from the campus to North Main St., Orono and, after marching to the railroad depot, a special train, permission for which was obtained from Washington, carrying them to the Bangor station. The train as it entered Bangor gave every appearance of a troop train, with its six cars of kahki clad cadets.

On detraining at Union station the outfit moved up Exchange street in column of squads headed by the University band, to its place at the head of the parade on Franklin street. This unit alone made an excellent showing as it swung up into the city led by Major Lang and was greeted with ap-

plause from all sides. The regiment carried the colors presented it by the city of Portland, last spring, in recognition of its excellent appearance in the Portland patriotic parade.

The parade moved off at three o'clock and passed thru the principle streets of the city, ending after passing the reviewing stand at the Bangor House. The Maine men in uniform, in true soldierly manner, passed the reviewing stand in columns of platoons at "eyes right."

The Reserve Officers' Training Corps was one of the few and the largest of the organizations in uniform and produced much favorable comment and applause at all points along the line of march. The uniformed men were followed by the University of Maine "Old Guard," graduates and former students of the University. As was originally intended the girls of the University did not take part in the parade, tho they were among the many who thronged the Bangor streets.

Following the parade the regiment marched at once to Union station, the return special leaving at five o'clock. It was a tired but satisfied body of men whom the first sergeants dismissed at six o'clock, for once again the military department had more than done credit to the University which it represents.

MONTE CROSS BACK

Monte Cross, the coach of the Varsity baseball team, is back on the campus and has already begun looking over the candidates for this year's team. Unless it rains all the time he will have the team out on the diamond and will give the men some good hard training during the coming month. This is Monte's third year at Maine and during his stays on the campus he has made innumerable friends who are glad to see him back. The baseball diamond that we are using now was laid out by Monte when he first came here in 1915.

An important meeting of the Agricultural Club will be held April 10th at 7.30 p. m. at 33 Winslow Hall. Dean Merrill will speak concerning food conservation and all members of the club are urged to be present as important business will be transacted.

MILITARY BALL

Friday evening, April 12, is the date for the annual Military Ball. The plans which are being made insure a most successful affair. Drill will start at seven p. m., followed by the dancing. Those in charge are as follows:

Committee: Paul S. Burns, Chairman Paul D. Tapley, Mahlon J. MacSwain, Joseph D. Chaplin, Harold A. Blethen.

Floor Director: William Foster Barry.

Aids: Paul E. Murphy, Walter L. Flanders, Eugene S. Cooper, Ormonde Lawry, Vance E. Oakes, Cecil R. Jones, Temple A. Bradley, Roger Castle, Lewis A. Cannon, Joseph T. Cote, Francis L. Foley, Linwood J. Kelly, Ian M. Rusk.

"Axel" Edgerly is now Ensign on the U. S. S. Ohio. His address is Care of Postmaster, Fortress Monroe, Virginia.

PROF. SEGALL CHOSEN FOR IMPORTANT WORK

Prof. J. B. Segall, Head of the department of Romance Languages, has been engaged to carry out a series of studies on Americanization of our foreign-born citizens, especially those of draft age who have been inducted into the National Army.

This work, which is being conducted under the direction of the Carnegie corporation, is at present in the survey state. A large number of facts will be collected by careful investigation, at the close of which an exhaustive report will be made and action will probably then be taken to accelerate the Americanization process—to help the Melting Pot fuse into our citizenship more quickly the various strains of foreign nationalities that have been pouring in for decades.

Prof. Segall will make a special study of our foreign-born soldiers this summer, planning to visit Camp Devens, at Ayer, and other cantonments. He will be engaged in the work during the most of the summer vacation.

DR. EASLEY SPEAKS ON FOOD CHEMICALS

Professor Easley delivered the eighth lecture of the General Lecture Course on Wednesday, April 3. In introduction, he spoke of the great interest in food at present and then took up the chemical aspect of the subject with regard to fertilizers. Dr. Easley took up each of the important fertilizers, potash, phosphoric acid, and combined nitrogen, with regard to sources of supply and commercial preparation. He then spoke of the work which has been done in the production of foods chemically from natural materials.

On Thursday evening, March 28th, Miss Helen Stuart '17 of Bangor, was initiated as a member of the Tri Delta

THE BAND IN ACTION

S. M. Currier '17 now in France as leader of the 103rd U. S. Infantry Band the ex-University of Maine crack band, writes the following letter:

"The regiment's training period being over, we are now located at the front—in the "Big Show" at last. The band is at the supply base, three miles behind the lines, from which we sally forth once a day with whatever company we may be assigned to (two men to each company for first aid purposes). I said we—but I, being bandleader now usually elect to stay here in inglorious ease—usually have to, as I'm the ranking non-com at this base. The band is rehearsing once a day, and playing concerts twice a week, and working all the rest of the time.

We are occupying a town occupied since September 15, 1914 by the Germans and which they lost last May in one of the great actions on the Western Front. The town is battered to bits by artillery—there is not a house left with a roof. Remember the ruins of the Bangor fire? Every house is like that. We're living in dugouts, caves, and sheet-iron bungalows.

The village is in a narrow valley in a high plateau. Everywhere the earth is burrowed with trenches and barbed-wire entanglements, and every foot of ground is thrown up by shell fire. There are many places where the former level of the ground cannot be determined. I've seen shell holes twenty feet across and at least that deep. This ground cost many lives, but mostly German ones. The plateau was once heavily wooded but the trees, every one, have been uprooted and shot off, until now only an occasional stump sticks out of the mud. You never could imagine the absolute ruin and desolation of this strip of France: the soil, even, must be reclaimed for farming.

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LEND HIM A HAND

That khaki-clad American soldier of ours, facing the Germans across No Man's Land from the trenches in France. He is facing cold, storm, hunger, disease and death that America's homes may be safe from the threat of German arrogance and brutality. He is enduring hardship and danger willingly, without a murmur, that American liberty and justice may endure. *He is fighting for you!* What are you here at home in the peace and plenty of America doing for him? Stand by him! Back him up. Lend him a hand! He is depending on you for food and clothing, for the shells, rifles, and machine guns that can take him over the top to victory. You will not fail him now. The Third Liberty Loan is the measure of your support. Its success is vital to his comfort, to his safety, to his VICTORY.

LEND HIM A HAND

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EDITORIAL

—M—

Because of the fact that the continuance of the daily assembly is in doubt it might be well to stop and think over why these exercises are held.

In the first place the religious value was doubtless the reason for the origin of these exercises. That value is not strong in our present exercises but still it is worth while to listen once a day to the unchanging truths of the Bible. We often lose sight of this small value but it is important. Its strength depends largely upon the attitude of the undergraduates.

The great value of the present exercises lies in its creation of Maine spirit. This year with little intercollegiate athletics and our student union not yet a reality, we have no unifying force at all except this daily assembly. Just to go into the Assembly hall every morning and see everyone else present makes one realize that the University of Maine is a force, and the exercises in unison, the singing, the responsive reading, all tend to bind the student body together. We see men in assembly that otherwise, we would not meet once a month. Thru hearing the notices read we find out what is going on within the University. Without the daily assembly exercises we would be lost. We would tend to form cliques. Maine spirit and love of our Alma Mater would be replaced by group interests and this disintegration would be intensified this year by the few ath-

letic events that bring us together.

So let us not forget that two weeks ago President Aley left the fate of assembly with the student body. We will get from it just what we put in it. A little application of the Maine spirit will make the underclassmen eliminate the infantile book throwing, and will allow the chapel program to occupy the place in the University life that it should. For we all know that college is not entirely books and we think that of the outside developing forces the daily assembly takes one of the highest places.

A BADGE OF HONOR

A Liberty Loan button is a badge of honor. Rightfully obtained it marks the wearer as one who has performed a distinct, definite service to the country.

Not all can fight, not all can work directly for the Government; but in buying a Liberty Loan Bond, or War Savings Stamps, every American renders some service to the Nation. It has been put within the reach and power of every citizen to aid the United States financially; it is a poor American who withholds support from the Government, from our soldiers and sailors fronting death on battlefields and oceans.

Iron crosses to German soldiers, and diamond orders exchanged between Turkish and German sovereigns may be but the honors of atrocity. But a Liberty Loan button, simple as it is, signifies a patriotic duty done and is an insignia of honor.

A new and distinctive feature will be introduced in the Third Liberty Loan campaign, and every city or town in the country which subscribes more than its quota of Liberty bonds will be awarded by the Treasury Department an Honor Flag.

The flag will be 36 inches wide and 54 inches long. The body of the flag will be white with a broad red border, and three broad blue vertical stripes denoting the Third Loan. The flags, which will be of the same quality as the flags of the Navy, are already being manufactured and will be awarded as fast as the right to fly them is won. Though awarded by the Treasury Department, they will be distributed by the Liberty loan committees of the different districts.

There will also be a National Honor Flag for each State, to be flown at the State capitol, with the name of each town winning a flag inscribed upon it. There will be also preserved in the United States Treasury a National Honor Flag, with the record of each State recorded on it.

Stars, to be placed on the flag of each city or town doubling its quota, will be also awarded, and an additional star for each time the quota is doubled.

An Honor Roll, containing the names of all subscribers, but not the amount of the individual subscriptions, will be kept in each community. A

INTERSCHOLASTIC PRIZE
SPEAKERS COMING

The Interscholastic Prize Speaking Contest will be held on Friday, May 3rd, according to an announcement made Saturday by Professor Windsor P. Daggett of the Department of Public Speaking.

This annual contest is held for the purpose of stimulating interest in Public Speaking and is open to Class A Schools of the State. Each school is entitled to send one representative, a boy or a girl, who is entertained as a guest of the University.

Two prizes are awarded; a prize of \$20.00 for the best oration and a prize of \$20.00 for the best recitation.

The orations are to be selected from classical or from contemporary public speeches, and the recitations may be dramatic, narrative, or colloquial selections.

There will be a preliminary trial for all the speakers on the afternoon of May 3rd. The four speakers best qualified in oratory and the four speakers best qualified in recitation will compete in the final exhibition in the evening.

Delegates will be met at the University waiting room by a committee of students. On the afternoon of the trials, delegates will be informally entertained by the Speakers' Club and by young ladies from the department of Home Economics. The reception will continue until 5.30 o'clock, when the result of the preliminary trials will be announced. The eight speakers chosen for the final contests will report at Alumni Hall at 7.45.

FRESHMAN BABES SERVE
THEIR COUNTRY

Did you realize when you used to see our charming "babes" skipping over the campus this fall gaily attired with the dainty green bibs that distinguished them from their superiors, that they were serving their country? 'Tis true such an idea did not occur to the Freshmen. But the Sophomores realized it and have now made manifest that patriotism which is ever surging through their souls. Casting aside all thots of pleasure which the revenue from these bibs might bring them, they have gallantly bequeathed the entire sum of \$6.59 to the campus auxiliary of surgical dressings. The amount received will be used to purchase gauze for bandages and sponges and will be made up by the girls on the campus. Especial mention is to be made of those Freshmen souls who lost (?) their bibs and purchased another at double price—thereby increasing the sum to be handed over to this worthy cause.

A Sophy Moore

window card, bearing a representation of the Honor Flag, will be given each subscriber to the loan, to be displayed at the home or place of business.

MANY DEGREES TO BE
GIVEN THIS SPRING

The graduating class this year numbers over one hundred members, which is most creditable in view of the uncertainty of the past year.

The number of degrees to be given are as follows:

Bachelor of Arts	26
Bachelor of Science	70
Bachelor of Law	14
Graduate in Pharmacy	1
Degree of Civil Engineer	2
Degree of Chemical Engineer	1

This is the latest official list, subject to possible revision.

TAU BETA PI INITIATES

The Maine Alpha Chapter of Tau Beta Pi held its eighth annual initiation banquet at the Bangor House, Thursday evening, April 4. The following initiates were present: Vernon Howard Wallingford of Auburn, Emerson Chase Lawry of Fairfield, Elmer Joseph Wade of Richmond, and Ray Clifford Hopkins of Camden. Among the faculty members present were Professor C. W. Easley and Professor C. P. Weston.

Dr. W. J. Young, former director of athletics at the University, has recently been promoted to Captain in the U. S. Medical Reserve Corps. Dr. Young enlisted as lieutenant last spring and after a three months' training course was assigned as temporary commander of a Medical Reserve Section in the Middle West. His appointment as commander of the section has just been confirmed.

RESOLUTION OF OWLS

At a meeting of the Sophomore Owls on April 2nd, the following resolution was unanimously passed:

Be it hereby resolved, by the Sophomore Owls in meeting assembled, that we, as an organization which ever seeks to promote the best interests of the University of Maine, protest against the proposed abolishment of the daily assembly and urge, believing that we express the desire of the student body of this university, that this old Maine custom be continued.

Signed,

W. E. BURKE, Scribe of the 1920 Owls.

Y. W. C. A. ELECTION

—M—

On the evening of March 24th at their annual election votes were cast for President, Treasurer and Secretary of the Y. W. C. A. officials. The winners were: for President, Miss Ethel Scott '19; for Vice-President, K. Hitchings '19; Treasurer, Olive Chase '20; Secretary, Dorothy Hannington '21. Other members of the Y. W. C. A. cabinet will be chosen by the new president and their names announced later.

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Signed,

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WINDSOR P. DAGGETT

Kate Dow

R. J. Hammond

L. W. Hunt

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BALENTINE NEWS

Mrs. Charles Gordon, Miss Rachael Gordon and Miss Pauline Hatch of Livermore Falls were the guests of Katherine Gordon this week.

Cora Phillips spent a few days last week at her home in Northeast Harbor.

Marvel Fabian has been spending a few days at her home in Milo.

Julia Gilpatrick '20 returned from her home in Bar Harbor Thursday.

Miss Elna Pearson of Bangor spent the week end at the hall, the guest of Dorothy Hannington.

Mrs. Dolliver and Miss Rachael Manchester of Northeast Harbor have been the guests of Miss Cora Mae Phillips during the week.

Mrs. Hamlin of Springfield, Maine, has been the week end guest of Jessie Pinkham.

Nellie Jones returned from Charleston Wednesday.

Mary Coughlin returned Saturday after spending the week at her home in Rockland.

Dorothy Folsom returned Thursday from her home in Norridgewock.

Florence Chandler '20, who was to have taken the part of Villain in the Pantomime given by the co-eds, was suddenly called to her home in Brunswick Wednesday by the critical illness of her grandmother. Katherine Hitchings '19 will take the part Miss Chandler had to give up.

Mrs. Whiting of Winthrop was the week end guest of her daughter, Alice Whiting.

Many of the girls on the campus resolving that if they couldn't help out in Patriotic work by marching in Bangor Saturday gathered at Balentine and spent the afternoon making surgical dressings.

MT. VERNON NOTES

Miss Rowene Hersey was the guest of Lilla Hersey Wednesday.

Priscilla Elliott, Fay Smith, Vera Gellerson, and Ella Wheeler were guests of Mrs. David Beach in Bangor, Thursday.

Ruth Brown '17, was at Mt. Vernon to lunch Sunday night.

Joyce Cheney, ex '19, spent Monday on the campus.

JUNIOR PRIZE SUBJECTS

1. Segal, Abraham—An Appreciation
—Benjamin Disraeli
2. Lurvey, Preston
President's War Message
3. Altman, Frank
The American Ideal
4. Weisman, Samuel
Zionism and Democracy
5. Chellis
Leadership of the Engineer
6. Gooch, Marjorie
In the Service
7. Scott, Edith M.
Justice to the Negro
8. Scott, Ethel L.
Women after the War

U. SEDIT COLUMN

There are only three colors that won't run—Red, White, and Blue.

Being full of grip wouldn't be half bad if your roommate didn't insist upon filling you still fuller with a lot of awful medicine.

Freshie: "I would kiss you if we weren't in a canoe."

Co-ed: "Sir, take me ashore immediately."

A thrift stamp may be a small thing but it can't be smaller than the heart of a student who won't buy one.

1st Stude: "Gee, I had a funny dream last night."

2nd Stude: "Yes, I saw you with her down in Orono."

A lie is good for a short race but it takes truth to run the heats.

Get into the game, don't let your wish-bone take the place of your backbone.

"My son, consider the postage stamp, how it sticks to one thing till it gets there."

Some complete college courses in six months; others find four years better.

Whatever the trouble Adam had, No man could make him sore By saying, when he told a joke, "Oh, I've heard that before."

Altho he lacked for company, No bores thru Eden passed, And put the question up to him "How long will this war last?"

A man like a nail is of little use when he loses his head.

On Saturday evening, April 13th the Girls' Glee and Mandolin Clubs will give a combined concert in Assembly Hall. The clubs are exceptionally strong this year and have among their members many fine singers. The concert of Saturday night will be similar to those given last month in Old Town and Bangor and dancing will be held after the concert.

At a meeting held Monday noon, April 8th, the women of the Senior Class voted to purchase "swagger sticks" with a silver knob in order to be on equal footing with the other half of the class which has already appointed a committee to secure suitable canes for them.

Within the last week a half dozen of the members of the Freshman Class have been brought before the bar of "justice" as established by the class of 1920 and, having been found guilty of misdemeanors, have lost their pretty locks of hair. One repeated sinner gave, on Monday afternoon, an exhibition swimming contest in the Stillwater river, thus proving to an admiring crowd that the ice had "gone out."

It is evident that the "Smileage" book campaign has been successful on the campus as Mr. Gannett has sent for a new supply of them.

PINE CONES AND NEEDLES

MY ROW'S AWRY

The hours I spent in sweater art, Are as a string of purls. I sigh, To count them o'er each one apart, Cast one, purl four; cast four, purl one.

The professors of the University will soon be tearing up the Tarvia "X" with their petroleum wagons if this weather lasts. (We receive no remuneration for the above advertising. Ed.)

Will the class in physics, or is it bollistics, kindly determine how high into thin air a shell must rise in order to offset the pull of gravitation during a seventy-six mile flight.

Stiff arms from the "peerade" were the rule. Now do you know what the march was for?

LIBERTY LOAN—Not whether,—how many?

Now that a satisfactory time schedule is being maintained, a few of our most expert hammer throwers are practising on the erratic roadbed of the B. R. & E.

What time is it by the "right" time? A request has been made for a knitted muffler, large enough for Senator Lodge. It is needed to make the world safe for democrats. (With exceptions).

SERMON FOR TODAY

Ye young fops of the campus now contemplating sportive regalia for spring wear will please note that "Unc" Samuel is putting out a nobby trench coat with large pockets, in the popular olive drab. The buttons are bronze with slight figure representing a bird in flight. The same concern announces a new Hardware Headwear, known to the trade as the "Tin Derby." Swagger sticks are to weigh slightly over thirteen pounds this year being heavily trimmed with metal. These up-to-the-minute articles are being furnished free of charge to young men over eighteen. Follow the thought?

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TERESA PYNE

At eight o'clock on Saturday morning, the day of the big Liberty Loan parade in Bangor, the women of the university showed their Americanism by raising a new American flag, which now flies over Balentine Hall.

The faculty committee of administration voted at their last meeting April 1st, that students who enlist or who are drafted into national service shall be given credit on the university books for the semester's work, provided that their mid-semester's record is satisfactory at the time of their leaving.

PRIVILEGES FOR WOMEN OF THE UNIVERSITY

The following letter to the women of the University and especially to the co-eds on the campus was received Thursday with joy! It was obtained thru the efforts of the girls of the Senior Class with whom President Aley kindly co-operated in this step towards self government. The letter reads as follows:

"It has been decided to grant the women of the University the following privileges for the remainder of the semester:

A. To all women students of the university

- (1) Study hours begin at 8 P. M.
- (2) The use of the Library until 8 P. M.
- (3) The usual daytime freedom until 8 P. M.

B. To residents of Baltentine Hall and Mt. Vernon

The entertainment of callers with dancing on Friday and Saturday evenings, provided there is no interference with the rights of other residents of the buildings.

C. To women students whose homes are in Bangor, Brewer or Old Town: When general consent of parent is filed, they may return to their homes at their own pleasure.

D. To women of the Senior Class They may attend entertainments on Friday and Saturday evenings and on one additional evening each week with escorts and without chaperones."

The Junior Week Committee announces that it has arranged the following program for this year's Junior Week which will occur April 24, 25, 26 and 27. As has been the custom in the past years the week will be opened on Wednesday night by the Junior Speaking Contest which will be held in Assembly Hall under the direction of Professor W. P. Daggett. On Thursday afternoon there will be a baseball game between the university Varsity baseball team and a team from the Boston Navy Yard under the leadership of F. A. French '17. In the evening will come the presentation of the comedy "A Pair of Spectacles" by the Maine Masque. The usual Junior Chapel exercises will be held Friday morning in the Assembly Hall when President Aley will deliver an address to the members of the Junior Class and the Class President, L. E. Mellow, will welcome the visitors to the Maine campus. On Friday evening will be held the Junior Prom which it is planned to make the biggest and best dance of the college year. On Saturday morning the University of Maine R. O. T. C. regiment will give an exhibition drill on Alumni Field where, in the afternoon, will be the second baseball game of the week, Bates vs. Maine. The week will be brought to a fitting close by the big Cabaret Show in the gym which will be conducted by the Junior Mask society. This show will be featured by clever vaudeville stunts by various students and fancy dancing.

THE BAND IN ACTION

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But the sector is very quiet now, and sometimes not a shot is fired for hours at a time. This morning one of the German batteries started to find one of the U. S. batteries just over the hill from us, and I went up on the hill to watch. They put over H. E. shells about 90 seconds apart. First you hear the German gun like a door slamming, then the shell whee.....e.....e.....e Bang! and a foundation of dirt and smoke bursts in the foreground. They fired all the forenoon, and did nothing but muss up an already perturbed landscape.

There are bushels of unexploded German hand-grenades here, and when time hangs heavy one of the favorite tricks is to hit the starter on one and drop it in a well—then you have five seconds to move, then a geyser of water and a most soul satisfying noise results. Some of the fellows were engaged in an unauthorized bombing practice this morning over a high wall, and almost potted a Y. M. C. A. Secretary."

BLUE BELLES MAKE FIRST APPEARANCE

The girls of the university presented the pantomime "Into the Nowhere" at the Maine State Hospital at Bangor on April 6th. The management announces that seven presidents of prominent women's clubs of Bangor very graciously gave their consent last week to act as patronesses for the U. of M. pantomime. They enthusiastically agreed to give the Maine women's new departure in dramatics their heartiest support. Their names which were used on the program are as follows:

Mrs. Phaff, Quipus Club; Mrs. Simpson, Athene Club; Miss McSkimmon, Teachers' Club; Mrs. Trickey, 19th Century Club; Miss Strickland, Shumann Club; Mrs. Buzzell, Bird Club and Mrs. Smith, Bangor Y. W. C. A.

The "Heck" club held its regular monthly meeting Wednesday evening. Speakers were Dr. Morse, on "The Relation of Pathology to Farming" and Dean Merrill who emphasized the points made by Dr. Morse. Refreshments were served during the evening.

Plans are already under way for the holding of the annual "Rising Day" on May 1st of this year. This day is a red letter day for the members of the two lower classes of this university for on that date the members of the Freshman class will be granted upperclass privileges. The event is under the control of the Senior Skulls of the university and in past years has taken the form of a tug-of-war over the frog-pond, the losing side thus being pulled thru the water and mud by the victors.

A good time to stop talking is just before you have told all you know.

THAT'S ALL I WANT

—M—

Give me a book, a bright piece of fiction—

Nothing that deals with torsion or friction;

Give me a pipe with copious fuel—
I'll read of heroines, dark villains, cruel,
Till "lights" at eleven.

Give me a message that I've passed all my courses,

No dreaded make-ups, no more re-morses;

Give me an easy chair, cushions about me—

Then I'll exclaim, with no one to doubt me:

"This must be heaven!"

—The Beacon.

The following men were elected to the Practical Husbandry Board for 1918-19 at a meeting of last year's board held Wednesday night.

Editor, Samuel Collins; Associate Editors, E. C. Fossett and D. C. Packard; Assistant Editors, Gordon, Johnson, and Wyman; Circulation Manager, F. L. Foley; Business Manager, C. E. Brown.

He knocked him with a hammer,
He biffed him on the head,
He drove him hard thru thick and thin,
Until his finger bled.
Now don't think it was murder,
And don't you get so pale,
For what he really hit so hard
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