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PRESIDENT OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE.

To the Trustees and Overseers of Bowdoin College:

I have the honor to present the following report for the academic year 1902-1903.

Hon. Samuel Fisher Humphrey, of the Class of 1848, a member of the Board of Overseers since 1878, died March 12, 1903, in the eighty-second year of his age. Judge Humphrey's life was one of consecutive public service in positions of honor and responsibility. For four years following his graduation he was preceptor of Foxcroft Academy. He served as judge of the municipal court of Bangor; was a member of the city council; mayor of the city; a member of the state legislature; national bank examiner; president of the Bangor Savings Bank; a trustee of the Bangor Public Library and the Eastern Maine General Hospital. In all these positions, as well as in his service to the college as an overseer, he brought to the cause he served a gentle courtesy, a sound judgment, an unselfish integrity, an enduring loyalty, which won the devotion and affection of his colleagues, and the confidence and gratitude of all whose interests were intrusted to his faithful and conscientious care.

GIFTS TO THE COLLEGE.

During the financial year ending May 10, 1903, the college has received the following gifts:

Gen. J. M. Brown, Portland, Me. May 14, 1902.		
For General Fund	\$1,000	00
O. C. Stevens, Esq. May 22, 1902.		
For payment of a student's Term Bills	700	00
Gen. F. Fessenden, Portland, Me. May 20, 1902.		
For General Fund	1.000	00

Rev. W. W. Rand. June 3, 1902.
For General Fund
William Law Symonds Scholarship 3,000 00
W. G. Beale, Esq., Chicago, Ill. June 13, 1902.
For General Fund
J. E. Merrill, Esq., Newton, Mass. June 14, 1902. For General Fund
Galen L. Stone, Brookline, Mass. June 14, 1902.
For General Fund 100 00
Prof. C. F. Brackett, Princeton, N. J. June 20, 1902.
For General Fund
Hon. F. A. Wilson, Bangor, Me. June 23, 1902. For General Fund
Miss Annie L. Edmunds, Portland, Me. June 23, 1902.
For General Fund
Hon. J. A. Peters, Bangor, Me. June 24, 1902.
For General Fund
Miss Abby M. Storer and Miss Mary G. Storer, Boston, Mass. June 25, 1902
For General Fund
Hon. L. A. Emery, Ellsworth, Me. June 25, 1902.
For General Fund
Anonymous through a member of the Class of 1861.
F. H. Appleton, Esq., Bangor, Me. July 3, 1902. For General Fund
For General Fund
For General Fund
Mrs. O. M. Butler, Portland, Me. July 10, 1902.
Moses M. Butler Scholarship 10,000 00
Catherine M. Garcelon, bequest. July 10, 1902.
For Garcelon and Merritt Fund
For General Fund

Hon. W. P. Frye, Lewiston, Me. July 14, 1902. For General Fund	1 000	00
Miss Mary Woodman, Cambridge, Mass. July 14, 1902.	1,000	00
Cyrus Woodman Scholarships	3,000	00
E. G. Cutler, Ex., Hon. J. L. Cutler, Boston. July 17, 19		
· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	1,000	00
Miss Ellen J. Whitmore, Brunswick. July 24, 1902. Ellen J. Whitmore Scholarship	2,000	00
W. J. Curtis, Esq., Summit, N. J. July 24, 1902. General Fund	5,000	00
Mrs. Lucy M. Field, Bangor, Me. July 25, 1902.		
For General Fund	2,000	00
Hon. E. B. Nealley, Bangor, Me. Aug. 5, 1902.		
For General Fund	1,000	00
O. C. Stevens and wife. Aug. 4, 1902. For General Fund	2,000	00
Hon. D. S. Alexander, Buffalo, N. Y. Aug. 4, 1902.		
-	2,500	00
G. O. Robinson, Cambridge, Mass. Aug. 22, 1902. For General Fund	1,000	00
L. C. Hatch, Bangor, Me. Sept. 1902, \$50. Feb. 1903,		00
Fred Whitney Flood Scholarship	100	00
Professor William A. Packard. Oct. 13, 1902.		
Library Fund	100	00
Class of 1872. Nov. 17, 1902. Class of 1872 Scholarship	2,500	00
Class of 1875.		
For books on American History		00
Chas. M. Cumston, LL.D., Monmouth, Me. Jan. 5, 1903.		
Charles M. Cumston Scholarship	2,000	00
Edward L. Pickard. Jan. 10, 1903.		
Library-Students service	100	00
Mrs. Kate Douglas Riggs. Jan. 26, 1903.	4.0	0.0
Hawthorne Prize	40	-00

Frederic E. Lally, Chicago, Ill. Jan. 15, 1903.	
Consol. Scholarships\$500 C	00
Dr. Lucien Howe, Buffalo, N. Y. March 30, 1903.	
Albion Howe Memorial Loan Fund 1,000 0	00
Anonymous—Through President Hyde. April 6, 1903.	
Aid Intercollegiate Debaters	00
Hon. W. D. Washburn, Minneapolis, Minn. April 21, 1903.	
Honorarium Praesidis 950 0	00
Hon. W. L. Putnam, Portland, Me. April 21, 1903.	
Honorarium Praesidis 950 0	00
Total \$53,783 6	50

In addition to these gifts actually received, the college has been promised \$1,000 by Professor Jotham B. Sewall, D.D., of the Class of 1848. Miss Sarah Orne Jewett, Litt.D., has given the college a window in Memorial Hall in memory of her father, Dr. Theodore Herman Jewett of the Class of 1834. The artist is Mrs. Henry Whitman of Boston. It is hoped to have the window in place by the coming Commencement. By the will of Miss Mildred Everett the college is to receive a valuable property on the corner of Maine and Everett streets in Brunswick. The net income, which is estimated at \$700 or \$800, is to be devoted to the maintenance of a scholarship in memory of Professor Charles Carroll Everett, D.D., LL.D., of the Class of 1850. This scholarship is to be awarded to a graduate of Bowdoin College. The recipient may study any subject anywhere in this country or in Europe. This is the largest encouragement to scholarship the college has at its disposal, and will be of great value in stimulating the efforts of under-graduates to secure it, and in assisting graduates of promise to get started in their graduate work.

THE DEDICATION OF HUBBARD HALL.

Hubbard Hall, the new library of Bowdoin College, will be dedicated on Wednesday, June 24, at 3 p.m. The dedicatory exercises will consist of an Address of Presentation by Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard, LL.D., Class of 1857, and an Address of Acceptance by

the Chief Justice of the United States, Melville W. Fuller, LL.D., of the Class of 1853, both of which will be given in Hubbard Hall. Immediately after these exercises a procession will form in front of Hubbard Hall and march to the Congregational Church, where the Oration will be delivered by Rev. Edwin Pond Parker, D.D., of the Class of 1856.

It is hoped that as many as possible of the Alumni and friends of the college will be present to rejoice with us on this occasion. A full description of the building was given in my report of two years ago.

THE GRAND-STAND AND ATHLETIC BUILDING.

The new Grand-Stand and Athletic Building, given by Gen. Thomas H. Hubbard of the Class of 1857, provides permanent quarters for our out-of-door athletics. The cuts will give some idea of the beauty of the building and the convenience of its arrangements. The architect is Henry Vaughan of Boston. The builders, C. L. Fellows & Co. of Concord, N. H., promise to have their work finished by the beginning of the fall term.

The building stands on a terrace three feet above the field level and occupies the site of the old grand-stand. It is 123 feet long and 37 feet wide. The walls are on a cement foundation. Below the terrace level they are of granite and above they are of rubble or field stone as far as the tops of the basement windows where there is a water table of granite. Above the water table the walls are of selected red brick. The frame is of steel and iron. The roof is covered with green slate.

The interior of the building is of fire-proof construction throughout. The west end of the basement is occupied by the quarters for the home teams, and consists of dressing-room, lavatory, store-room and drying room. The east end provides quarters for the visiting team, also instructor's office, janitor's room and boiler-room. The basement will be heated by steam and lighted by electricity. The lavatories will be supplied with hot and cold water.

The grand-stand occupies the whole of the second floor. It has a seating capacity of 580 with promenade eight feet wide in which

if necessary extra seats can be placed. Shutters will protect the open part of the grand-stand during winter.

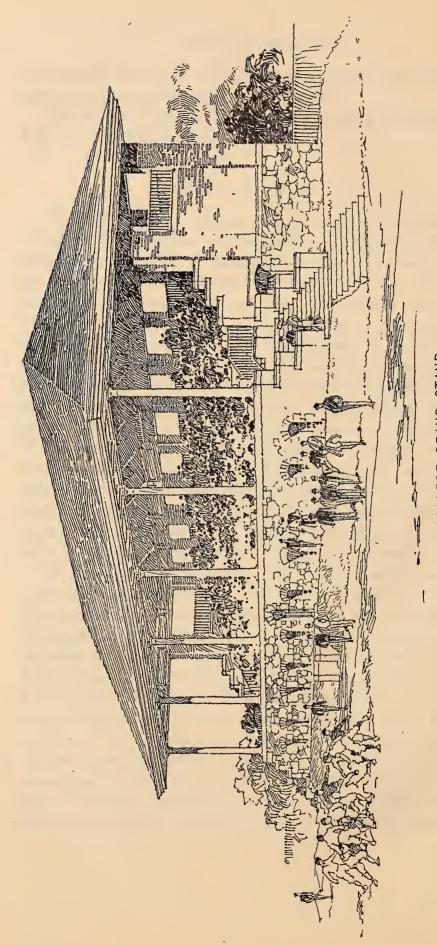
The building is of the same solid construction as Hubbard Hall. The total cost will be about \$32,000.

CHANGES IN THE FACULTY.

The most important change in the Faculty for the year is occasioned by the departure of Professor G. S. Callender, Ph.D., to accept a professorship of Economics in Yale University. During the three years that Professor Callender has been with us the department has steadily grown, both in numbers and interest. The courses in Economics, while recognized as among the most difficult, at the same time have been among those most eagerly elected by the students. During the past fifteen years, Political Economy and Sociology have been taught by five different professors, of whom three have been called to full professorships at Yale, one to Brown and one to Dartmouth. This is a striking evidence of the fact that these subjects have been well taught in Bowdoin College. At the same time, the fact that so many men in succession have been called from the same department to positions elsewhere, at salaries on an average 50 per cent. larger than the maximum salary at Bowdoin, is a striking commentary on the urgent need of increase in the salaries of Bowdoin professors.

At the last Commencement it was voted to employ an assistant in physics and mathematics. There are two other points at which the course of study requires strengthening by additional instructors. Although the college has more than doubled in numbers, and has increased its material facilities ten-fold within the past dozen years, nothing has been done to increase the teaching force in the sciences, beyond giving to each professor an assistant who receives a very small compensation, and who is expected to give only a fraction of his time. The appointment of an instructor in physics and mathematics gives long needed relief to the department of physics, and makes possible the presentation of elementary physics and astronomy, in courses extending over a year each. Similar relief and extension is urgently needed in the other scientific departments.





BOWDOIN COLLEGE GRAND STAND.

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GROUND FLOOR PLAN



At present mineralogy is attached to the department of chemistry, and geology to the department of biology. The result of tacking on subordinate departments to such important departments as those of chemistry and biology is to prevent the consecutive presentation of the main subject, without giving opportunity for adequate presentation of the subordinate subjects. It is impossible for one man to teach all that is required in the modern college of two subjects as diverse as chemistry and mineralogy, or biology and geology. The time has come to appoint a separate instructor in geology and mineralogy, thus allowing Professor Robinson to give his entire time to chemistry, and Professor Lee to give his entire time to biology. Such a division was contemplated at the time when the Searles Building was erected. There is a large and well-lighted laboratory waiting for the department of geology and mineralogy.

Another extension of the course of study, equally important and urgent, is in the department of philosophy. The college offers less instruction in this subject than it did twenty years ago, when a professor gave his entire time to this department. United as this department is to the presidency, it can command but a fraction of the president's time. Three courses, of four hours each, for a single term, in the elements of psychology, ethics and philosophy, are all that is done in this department. While the duties of the office of president are many of them of an indefinite nature, yet it would probably be a mistake to neglect them to such an extent as would be necessary if the president were to materially increase the amount of instruction offered in philosophy. In the near future the college should employ an instructor to give one course in psychology and another in metaphysics, extending throughout the year, leaving the president free to give a similar course in ethics, extending throughout the entire year. In connection with the work of such an instructor in philosophy, it would be possible to introduce a course on the history, theory and practice of education, which would be very valuable to those students who are intending to teach.

The standards of college education are changing with great rapidity at the present time. A course of study which places a

college in the first rank, if retained unchanged and unimproved for even five years, would place the college at the end of that period in the second class. The present tendency seems to be to define a first-class college as one in which all the important branches of study are presented in such a way that any one of them can be studied consecutively for at least three years. Yale and Dartmouth have gone so far as to make such consecutive study of some one chosen line, concluding with a genuinely advanced course in the third year, a condition of receiving the degree of A.B. The three extensions to which I have referred are all necessary to place the college in a position to meet this, which is coming to be the recognized test of an institution of the first grade. With these additions, and with such slight alterations in the existing course of study as our present force makes possible, the college will be in a position to give a student three consecutive courses in any department which he may choose to make the center of his course. elective system brought liberty to the college student. Liberty is the first word in every reform, political, religious or educational. It is never the last word. Now that the liberty involved in the elective system is everywhere accepted as the first principle of college education, it remains to prevent that liberty from degenerating into license, by encouraging and, if necessary, requiring each student to have as the backbone of his college education some one study carried beyond the elements to such a degree of proficiency as is represented by at least a third year of systematic study. Such a backbone was given to the old-fashioned college course by the required study of Latin, Greek and mathematics throughout the first two or three years of the course. Bowdoin College is so near meeting this new requirement to-day that it would be a great mistake to fall short of it by failure to make such slight additions to its teaching force as those to which I have referred. In Latin, Greek, French, German, English language and literature, history, economics and sociology the college is already prepared to meet this requirement. The departments of mathematics, and of physics and astronomy, will be in a position to meet it next year. The first will place biology and change proposed upon that basis and also add a department of geology and mineralogy, which can be speedily developed onto that basis. The other extension will place philosophy, the only remaining department, on the same footing. These proposed extensions are not asked as favors to individual departments or individual professors. They are essential parts of a plan to place the college, as a whole, on the footing which the trend of educational progress already is declaring to be the test of educational standing and efficiency.

Choice of Studies. (By Terms.)

The courses pursued during the year have been as follows, the numbers indicating the number of students in each course:

	1st.	2d.	3d.
Anatomy 1, 2		7	7
Astronomy 1			35
Astronomy 2			5
Biology 1			39
Biology 2, 3, 4	27	23	23
Biology 5, 6, 7	19	18	13
Chemistry (Special)	19		
Chemistry 1, 2	51	52	
Chemistry 3, 4, 5	34	22	10
Debating 1, 2	15	7	
Economics 1, 2, 3	59	53	42
Economics 7, 8, 9	57	50	47
English Literature 1, 2, 3	60	56	53
English Literature 4, 5, 6	34	42	39
French 1, 2, 3	61	60	58
French 4, 5, 6	33	34	27
French 7, 8, 9	13	11	7
Geology 1, 2	25	27	
German 1, 2, 3	60	57	56
German 4, 5, 6	25	23	21
German 7, 8, 9	12	11	13
German 10, 11, 12	16	13	13
Greek 1, 2, 3	56	55	55

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0 1 4 7 2	1st.	2d.	3d.
Greek 4, 5, 6	4	2	2
Greek and Latin (one-half course)	7	5	6
History 4, 5, 6	26	24	23
History 7, 8, 9	42	43	37
History 10, 11, 12	30	29	28
T II d o o	67	64	62
Latin 4, 5, 6	6	4	5
Mathematics 1, 2, 3	76	72	65
Mathematics 4, 5, 6	9	7	3
Mathematics 7, 8, 9	5	5	2
Mineralogy 1			44
Mineralogy 2			19
Philosophy 1, 2, 4	66	57	59
Physics 1, 2		30	
Physics 3, 4	.4	3	
Physiology 1, 2		7	7
Rhetoric 1, 2, 3	67	65	69
Rhetoric (Freshman)		64	63
Shopwork 1, 2, 3	6	10	8
Spanish 1, 2, 3	12	9	9

THE WALKER ART BUILDING.

The official annual report of the curator of the art collections includes notice of every item concerning changes or additions to the art collections. The following facts seem to be worthy of special notice here.

Since the last annual report of the curator the college has received from Miss Ellen M. Chandler of Boston an oil portrait of her grandfather, Professor Parker Cleaveland, copied from an original by Joseph Badger. It is a very welcome addition to the portraits of former college instructors and is hung in Memorial Hall.

A crayon drawing, a portrait of the donor, by Eastman Johnson, signed and dated January, 1856, has been presented to the college by Dr. Charles A. Packard, Class of 1848. This drawing is of great interest to the college, both for its connection with a historic family and also because the artist's work is already represented by an oil painting of our benefactor, Daniel Fayerweather, Esq.

Miss Leila Usher of New York City has presented to the college a cast of her excellent, well-known medallion of Professor Francis J. Child, of Harvard University. Miss Walker has added to her previous benefactions the series of sixteen original pen drawings by F. O. C. Darley, illustrating Longfellow's Evangeline. They have been framed and are exhibited in the Sophia Walker Gallery.

An oil portrait of John Mellen Williams, Esq., of Cambridge, Mass., painted by Joseph G. Cole of Dover, about 1825, has been given to the college by Mrs. Charles Packard of Brunswick.

The series of photographs by Professor Hutchins from our paintings has been increased and now includes over sixty subjects. As a means of putting before the general public some accurate knowledge of our art collections, this series is proving of great use. The curator rehung the paintings in the Bowdoin Gallery in August of last year in order to give a more orderly grouping of the paintings.

The attendance at the Building has been greater than in any year since it has been opened. The summer use of the collections is greater than that of any other period of the year. There were in 1901, 2,875 visitors in the three summer months; in 1902, 3,801 persons visited it in the corresponding period. The annual attendance from January 1 to December 31, 1902, was 9,331, an increase of 1,482 over the number for the preceding year.

RELIGIOUS LIFE OF THE COLLEGE.

The college is extremely fortunate at present in having the support and aid of pastors in the churches of Brunswick, who take an active interest in the spiritual welfare of the students, and who are able to make the services of public worship attractive and helpful to them. Under these conditions church attendance is materially increasing, and the attitude toward religion is quietly, though fundamentally, improving. The services of the Y. M. C. A. have been more interesting in character and more largely attended than in previous years. The removal of the library from Banister Hall will place at the disposal of the Y. M. C. A. a very attractive room. Any aid which the college can give officially, or which friends of the association may give personally, to fit up an attractive room will be most timely and welcome.

SHOPWORK.

A course in Shopwork has been introduced into the curriculum. The object of it is threefold: to give men who are going into business a knowledge of simple mechanical principles so that they will know the difference between good work and poor work; to enable students who intend to enter such institutions as the Massachusetts Institute of Technology to get additional credit on entrance and thus shorten their course; and to give those who are to be teachers and superintendents of schools in which manual training is taught a knowledge of its principles. The course has been very popular this year and there are already many applications for the course next year. It is probably the only course in college in which each student has done from fifty to a hundred per cent. more work than was required. The work this year has been largely experimental, using such materials as could be picked up and such aid as the Physics Department could give. If the course is to be continued it requires a permanent equipment of its own. Such an equipment will cost about \$2,000 and should include, in addition to what we now have, the following tools and materials:

1 Lathe 150 00 1 Drill 300 00 1 Arbor press and reamers 250 00 Carpenters' tools 50 00 1 Drill Grinder 25 00 Other grinders 25 00
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Carpenters' tools 50 00 1 Drill Grinder 25 00
1 Drill Grinder
Other grinders 25 00
O MICE STITLED
Chucks and lathe tools
Countershafts 60 00
Fitting benches
10 sets of individual bench tools, as files, screwdrivers, etc. 168 00
Materials; brass, steel, lumber 100 00
Total \$1,978 00

The college is extremely fortunate in having as its superintendent of grounds and buildings a person who is fully competent to conduct this course. Under this arrangement the course costs the

college but little, and when such an equipment as that indicated above is once provided, the cost of maintaining the course will be almost nothing. Even the first year the product of the shop has included many valuable instruments for use in the Department of Physics. The entire product of the year will be on exhibition at Commencement.

ATHLETICS.

As a part of the required work in Physical Training opportunity is given to each student to learn something of the out-of-door sports. During the winter term training squads have been maintained for foot-ball, base-ball and tennis. These squads were under special instructors and received valuable training.

Most of our students participate in one or more of the out-of-door sports during the fall or spring terms. Nearly one-half actually compete in regular college games or tournaments. The following figures show the number of students training in different branches of athletics during the present spring term:

Foot-ball	.5
Base-ball	23
Track-athletics 8	30
Tennis (tournament entries) 4	-0
Total 15	58

The new Athletic Building will furnish the best possible facilities for such training and will be a great help not only to the star athlete, but also to the average student.

THE NEEDS OF THE GREEK DEPARTMENT.

The needs of the Greek department of Bowdoin College are of such a nature that they ought to be fully and clearly stated. The abolition of the requirement of Greek for the degree of A.B.,—a position which has been adopted by Yale and Dartmouth within the year, and is now practically universal in New England—makes a change in the general conditions of the study which cannot be

ignored. It means that Greek, which has stood by prescription, must now stand on its merits, and compete for students with the other departments of the college. It is, therefore, imperative, if Greek is to hold its place as one of the important branches of the curriculum, that the facilities for instruction be made the best that our circumstances permit. The most pressing need of the department is for a room by itself which shall be at all times available, where reference books, maps, and other illustrative material may be stored and used. An indispensable item in the equipment of the room is an electric lantern. The department already has a collection of about 400 lantern-slides. These could be made very useful if there were a lantern in the recitation room. That would make it possible, without loss of time, to use the slides at any exercise, just as they are needed to illustrate the points brought up in the day's lesson. For example, in the study of the drama the slides on the theatre will give a clearer idea of the conditions of the ancient drama than any amount of verbal description, and the multiplicity of objects from the Mycenaean age that can now be exhibited make Homer both more real and more interesting. study of the language and literature in the old way, no matter how thoroughly the work may be done, does not meet the demands of to-day. The results of archaeological investigation are so extensive and stand in such vital relation to history and literature, that it is no longer possible to neglect them. In the work in the sciences, in which a lantern is no more indispensable than in Greek, each of the three departments of the college has its own lecture-room equipped with all needed facilities, which are therefore instantly available. When instruction in Greek is equally well provided for, the equipment which we now possess will become fully available for purposes of instruction.

As a temporary makeshift something has been done in this line. Professor Hutchins has been very hospitable and has never failed to allow the use of his lecture room and lantern when desired. But the lantern to be of solid value to the Greek department must be in the room where the regular work is done. This view of the case has become so clear and positive that the appropriation voted by the Boards last June for the fitting up of the

lantern in the Art Building has not been expended. The question of a room for the Greek department ought to be decided first.

Furthermore, to meet the demands of the time, students who specialize in Greek must spend a considerable period in graduate study. This work may be done in American or foreign universities, but there is probably no place where the advantages for it are so great as in the American school at Athens. Most the New England colleges are in close connection with this school. They are annual contributors to its funds. As a consequence of this support their Greek instructors are appointed, at somewhat long intervals to be sure, for a year's service on the teaching staff of the Athenian school. Several of these colleges have graduate scholarships which enable them to send men of special promise thither for advanced study. What the school at Athens has done for Greek scholarship in this country, particularly in furnishing well-trained instructors for our colleges and universities, together with the superiority of the advantages which that school now offers, is clearly shown in the recent report of Prof. T. D. Seymour, which covers the first twenty years of its existence. Bowdoin needs the stimulus of connection with this school and active participation in its life. This advantage must be secured, if Bowdoin, in her Greek department, is not to lag behind the colleges with which for years she has been ranked. Besides this there ought to be at least one graduate scholarship of \$500 to enable us to send a few of our best men to Athens for advanced work. The graduate scholarship just received by the college will doubtless be awarded sometimes to men who specialize in the classics. But there ought to be at least one such scholarship for the exclusive benefit of the classical departments, in view of the fact that in no other line, with the exception of modern languages, is study abroad so essential an element of the best training.

BOWDOIN GRADUATES IN PROFESSIONAL SCHOOLS.

More than one-third of each class continue their studies in graduate or professional schools. It is especially gratifying to note that they seek good schools, and attain high rank in them. Out of the last four classess, numbering 220 graduates, 86 have entered graduate or professional schools. In addition to this number, there are several at present teaching school with a view to earning money to defray the expenses of a professional education later. The 86 men already in professional schools have been distributed as follows:

Harvard Law School, 15. Medical School of Maine, 14. Harvard Graduate School, 11. Johns Hopkins Medical School, 11. Bowdoin College Graduate Study, 8. Yale Forestry School, 4. Columbian University Law School, 4. Harvard Medical School, 3. Johns Hopkins Graduate School, 2. General Episcopal Seminary, 2. University of Pennsylvania Medical School, 1. Albany Library School, 1. Northwestern University Law School, 1. University of Maine Law School, 1. McGill University Medical School, 1. University of Vermont Medical School, 1. Harvard Dental School, 1. Boston School of Pharmacy, 1. Columbia University Graduate School, 1. Clark University Graduate School, 1. Columbian University Graduate School, 1. Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1.

A considerable number enter upon teaching in secondary schools without graduate study. A few also work into the practice of law by the old method of study in a lawyer's office. The 86 men who have thus far indicated their choice of a profession by study in graduate or professional schools are distributed in the professions as follows:

Medicine, 31.

Teaching of a special subject, 24.

Law, 21.

Forestry, 4.
Ministry, 2.
Dentistry, 1.
Pharmacy, 1.
Engineering, 1.
Library Work, 1.

THE NEED OF INCREASED ENDOWMENT.

The generous response of many friends to the appeal issued last year has made a substantial beginning of the increase of the endowment of the college by half a million dollars. Yet it is only a beginning. At that time I distributed privately among friends of the college a comparative table showing the relative endowment in important particulars of Bowdoin and several other New England Colleges. During the year one of these colleges has published its financial statement; and consequently I am at liberty to place their figures publicly side by side with ours. Wesleyan University, in spite of its name, is in fact a college, having only about fifty students more than Bowdoin. Now fifty students more or less, in view of the tuition they pay, do not materially affect the financial problem of a college having two or three hundred students. Weslevan University this year has 322 students; Bowdoin College has 275. The tuition of 47 additional students would just about pay for the cost of one extra division in each of the elementary courses, which the presence of this additional number would make necessarv. Accordingly a comparison of Bowdoin College with Wesleyan University, which is very far from being the best endowed of the New England Colleges, will indicate our relative financial strength as well as any comparison it would be possible to make.

In addition to a few endowed scholarships Wesleyan University remitted tuition to the amount of \$12,161. Bowdoin College had an income from scholarship funds of \$4,927.99. Not quite all of this income was available; and no tuition whatever was remitted in addition. In other words, Wesleyan University, which charges precisely the same tuition as Bowdoin, \$75, gave to its students over seven thousand dollars more scholarship aid than Bowdoin.

The expenditures of Wesleyan University, leaving out the items of commons, and remission of tuition, to which we have nothing corresponding, were \$104,465.57. The expenditures of Bowdoin College for the same year 1901-1902, were \$61,331.69. It cost Wesleyan University \$43,133.88 more to carry on its work last year than it cost Bowdoin College. The salaries at Wesleyan for the year 1901-1902 amounted to \$64,300. The salaries for the same year at Bowdoin were \$34,262.50. In other words, Bowdoin College spends for administration and instruction only a little more than half the amount that is spent by Wesleyan University. It does its teaching on \$30,000 less than Wesleyan University.

The productive fund of Wesleyan University is \$1,443,754.30. The productive fund of Bowdoin College is \$673,861.58, of which \$91,966.86 is for the medical school; leaving \$581,904.72 available for the purposes of the college. Wesleyan University has \$861,849.58 more endowment than Bowdoin College. Yet Wesleyan University finds it necessary to incur a very considerable annual deficit.

I cite Wesleyan University for comparison because it is the institution nearest in size and location to Bowdoin College, concerning which the figures have been published. I trust this comparison will convince the most conservative of our friends that the present administration of Bowdoin College is not extravagant, nor its urgent call for substantial increase of endowment unwarranted. It is simply impossible permanently to offer advantages which will compare favorably with what other institutions are offering on less than a million dollars of unrestricted endowment funds.

For increase of salaries, for sub-division of departments, for aid to students, Bowdoin College needs at once \$450,000 added directly to the general fund; or so devoted to specific purposes as to release an equivalent amount of the general fund.

Among the specific objects to which contributions would in effect be at the same time additions to the general fund, are the following:

A Professorship of Physics, to be named by the donor... \$75,000 A Professorship of History, to be named by the donor... 75,000 A Professorship of German, to be named by the donor... 75,000

Completion of Endowment of Professorship of Greek	\$50,000
Completion of Endowment of Professorship of English	
Literature	70,000
Completion of Endowment of Professorship of Modern	
Languages	60,000
Completion of Endowment of Professorship of Natural	
Science	60,000
Endowment of Office of Librarian	75,000
Endowment of office of Director of Gymnasium	40,000
Book Funds for Department of Economics	10,000
Book Funds for Department of History (additional)	10,000
Book Funds for Department of French	10,000
Book Funds for Department of German	10,000
Book Funds for Department of Latin and Greek	10,000
Book Funds for Department of English Literature	10,000
General Book Fund	50,000
Fund for purchase of apparatus in Chemistry	10,000
Fund for purchase of apparatus in Physics	10,000
Fund for purchase of apparatus and specimens in Biology.	10,000
Fund for purchase of apparatus in Geology and Min	n-
eralogy	10,000
Fund for purchase of apparatus in Astronomy	10,000
Forty scholarships of \$2,500 each	100,000
Loan Fund	25,000

It is gratifying that in recent years, when buildings were our most urgent need, our largest benefactions have come in that most welcome and enduring form. It has also been gratifying to receive gifts like that of the Class of 1875 to beautify the college grounds, and that of Miss Jewett, to beautify the college buildings. The numerous gifts and bequests to establish prizes have also been most timely and welcome. There will always be occasion for enhancing the dignity and beauty of the college surroundings, and for stimulating the students to exert their powers. In the immediate future, however, it is hoped that, while the good work begun in the direction of beautifying our college home will continue, the largest gifts will take the direction of our most urgent need, and

some such form as those indicated above. After all, the essential conditions of a strong college are an abundance of well-paid instructors, plenty of books and apparatus to work with; and means whereby a sufficient number of students, poor as well as rich, can be provided with an opportunity to avail themselves of the instruction the institution offers.

It is not the policy or purpose of the college to make itself a nuisance to its friends, and to the friends of education at large, by personal solicitation and wearisome importunity. The record of the college is splendid, its list of alumni illustrious, its intellectual work thorough, its financial administration sound, its moral tone high, its Faculty devoted, its body of students as clean, and vigorous, and manly, and industrious as any in the world, and its need, whether measured by the actual work it is trying to do, or by the means which similar institutions have to do with, is pressing and imperative.

WILLIAM DEWITT HYDE.

Brunswick, Me., June 10, 1903.

ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

LIBRARIAN OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE

1902-3

REPORT OF LIBRARIAN OF BOWDOIN COLLEGE.

The Librarian of Bowdoin College presents the following as his twentieth annual report for the year ending June 1, 1903.

The number of volumes now in the library, inclusive of 4,549 belonging to the Medical School of Maine, is 76,240. The accessions for the past twelve months have been 2,788; of these 1,310 were purchased at an average cost of \$1.78; 343 were obtained by exchange; 605 came from binding pamphlets and periodicals; and 944 were given by various donors.

So important to the maintenance and completeness of a reference library is a steady influx of those books and pamphlets which are not to be secured through the ordinary channels of the book trade, that it seems proper to print in an appendix to this report the names of the individuals and institutions that have remembered the library the past year.

It is my privilege to announce a substantial increase of the General Library Fund by the bequest of \$1,000 from the late Hon. John L. Cutler, Class of 1837. Mr. Cutler, though not for many years a resident of the State, was always mindful of his Alma Mater and his benefactions included both her and his native town. This fund was also increased by the centennial offering of a living alumnus, a frequent benefactor of this department of the college, Professor William A. Packard, D.D., of the Class of 1851.

The Class of 1875 which last year showed its loyalty to the college by the gift of the beautiful entrance to the campus from Maine Street, has this year manifested its interest in the library by the gift of \$500 for the purchase of books relating to American History. With the advice and co-operation of the professor in that department, 282 volumes have been thus added to our collection.

The gift of Edward Little Pickard, Esq., of Auburndale, Mass., and the generous action of the Deutscher Verein are mentioned and explained in later paragraphs of this report, while the printing of the names of all donors in the appendix renders unnecessary fur-

ther allusion at this point to several gifts of books noteworthy for their number or value.

CIRCULATION.

The total number of volumes loaned without the building is 7,991. No record is made of the use of books within the building, though that of those specially reserved at the loan desk is very great. It is expected that the admirable facilities offered undergraduates for study in the new library building will tend to decrease rather than increase the number of formal loans. On the other hand there is a constantly growing use of our collection by literary workers in other parts of the State who are glad to pay the cost of transportation in order to consult books not otherwise to be obtained. It is believed that by means of the combined catalogue of the periodicals in the larger libraries in Maine, which the State Library Association proposes to issue, our somewhat unusual resources in this direction will become of much greater service to students at other institutions.

EXPENDITURES.

The contents of the itemized bills on file at the Treasurer's office are roughly classified below to show the character of the expenditures and the sources of the income of the library.

RECEIPTS.	
Annual appropriation, \$1,500	Books, \$2,331
Appropriation for moving, 450	
Class of 1875, 500	Library supplies, 394
Reading-Room Association, 421	Binding, 375
Smyth Library Fund, 61	
General Library Fund, 285	Student assistants, 164
Consolidated Library	Moving, 260
Funds, 1,014	Transportation, 128
Deutscher Verein, 119	-
Duplicates sold, 40	\$4,520
Gift of E. L. Pickard, 100	
Transfer, 30	

\$4,520

CONSOLIDATED LIBRARY FUNDS.

In the column of receipts it will be noted that Consolidated Library Funds has replaced the names, now grown familiar to readers of this report, Ayer Fund, Bond Fund, Bowdoin Fund, Sherman Fund, Sibley Fund, Walker Fund. For convenience of investment these separate book funds are now known by the Treasurer under a single name. Their individuality is still maintained in the library by means of the various book plates which are placed in the requisite number of books purchased from their income. It seems therefore, proper at this time to put in print a brief statement of the history and object of each of them.

The Ayer Fund dates from June 22, 1887, when the Athenaean Society, having received one thousand dollars under the will of Hon. Samuel Hazen Ayer of the Class of 1839, placed it in the custody of Bowdoin College to hold in trust and to use the income in the purchase of books for the college library. No restriction exists as to the character of the books to be bought. Since, however, the undergraduates for many years were practically dependent upon the libraries of the Athenaean and Peucinian Societies for access to current books in general literature, purchases in this class have been selected to bear the bookplate of this fund. The annual income, at first sixty dollars, failed completely in 1893-4, and was subsequently fifty dollars. Among the 550 volumes bought from this source are sets of Ruskin, Lowell, Holmes, Burroughs, Child's Ballads and Symonds's Renaissance.

The Bond Fund is the result of repeated donations by Rev. Elias Bond, D.D., of the Class of 1837. These began in 1885 and were at first expended in the direct purchase of much needed books. The fund proper dates from 1889 and for many years yielded an annual income of \$400. Its principal at the time of its transfer was \$7,082. No restriction exists as to its expenditure, but the donor was informed during his life-time that care would be taken to provide all needed books relating to missions and their history. Among the several thousand volumes obtained from this source may be mentioned Bliss's Encyclopaedia of Missions, The Nicene and Post-Nicene Fathers, the Jewish Encyclopaedia, a full set of

the Dublin University Review and the Palestine Exploration Fund publications.

The Bowdoin Fund was established by a gift of one thousand dollars from George S. Bowdoin, Esq., of New York City, a descendant of Governor James Bowdoin for whom the college was named. The income of this fund is strictly devoted to the maintenance and increase of the George S. Bowdoin Collection of Huguenot Literature. This includes all books relating to the Huguenots in France, and to that of their descendants in other countries. This fund yields an income of fifty dollars and from its proceeds have been purchased complete sets of the publications of the English and the French Huguenot Societies, with many other rare historical works.

The Sherman Library Fund of one thousand dollars was established July 15, 1882, by Mrs. Lucy Sherman Dodge, wife of Hon. John C. Dodge, Class of 1834, to serve as a memorial of her brothers, Joseph Sherman, LL.D., Class of 1826, and Thomas Sherman, M.D., of the Medical Class of 1828. By the conditions of this gift the books selected for purchase from its income must be "of current literature in distinction from books of a scientific or professional character." This has in practice been interpreted to mean fiction, popular essays and poetry. Our sets of Dickens, Thackeray, Reade, Trollope, Stevenson, Kipling, Tolstoi, together with those novels of the day which it is deemed best to add to our collection bear the bookplate prescribed in the letter of gift.

The Sibley Library Fund dates from July 12, 1881, when the Treasurer announced an anonymous gift of \$3,000 which was to be invested and the income added to the principal until the latter became \$5,000. Then one-half of the income was to be spent in the purchase of books, maps or pamphlets, each to be properly labeled with a bookplate indicating the source and the date of its accession. The balance of the income should continue to be added to the principal until such time as the Trustees deemed this procedure unnecessary. The name of the donor, John Langdon Sibley, A.M., a native of Maine and the librarian of Harvard College for a third of a century, was made known on his death in 1885.

Four years later by the gift of \$500 from his widow, Mrs. Charlotte A. L. Sibley, one-half the income of this fund became available, and in 1900, with her approval, the fund itself ceased to accumulate. It then amounted to \$6,958. No restrictions exist as to the class of books to be bought from the Sibley Fund, but in accordance with the well-known tastes of the donor, American local history has not been neglected in the selection of the several hundred volumes added to the library from this source.

The Walker Fund was established in October, 1896, when Hon. James P. Baxter, Hon. Seth L: Larrabee and John P. Fogg, Esq., trustees under the will of the late Joseph Walker, Esq., of Portland, transferred to the college for the benefit of the library securities which then afforded an annual income of \$240. No restrictions were mentioned at the time of the gift, but this was accepted by the Boards on the terms of a letter bearing date of June 23, 1897, which prescribes that the principal be "invested and reinvested to be used towards the construction of a new building for the library of the college when one is erected, and that meanwhile the income thereof may be used for the general purposes of the library as the Boards of the college may from time to time direct." In 1898 the Boards voted that the income of the Joseph Walker Fund be applied to the general purposes of the library until otherwise ordered. This fund in 1902 amounted to \$5,248.

THE SMYTH LIBRARY FUND.

The Smyth Library Fund is the oldest of our library funds. It dates from 1876 when Hon. Henry J. Furber of the Class of 1861, gave a mortgage bond for \$5,000 bearing interest at ten per cent. to establish the Smyth Mathematical Prize Fund. With the donor's approval the excess of income above \$300 a year, the amount of the prize, was "set aside as a permanent fund, the income to be spent in purchasing books for the college library, preference being given to mathematical works." Many years ago there ceased to be any excess of income from the original gift, but before that time the amount devoted to the library fund had increased to \$1,400. Since December, 1877, purchases of books

have been regularly made from its proceeds with the result that the college now possesses one of the best working mathematical libraries in the country. At his last visit to Brunswick, Mr. Furber generously provided for the filling of certain deficiencies by the immediate expenditure of five hundred dollars.

GENERAL LIBRARY FUND.

This fund, so named to distinguish it from those that owe their origin to a single donor, dates from September 7, 1882, when Captain John Patten of Bath gave \$500 for use of the library. (See Annual Catalogue, 1882-3, page 30). In January, 1887, one thousand dollars was received from a benefactor who chose to remain unknown but whose interest in early geographical discoveries led his contribution to be called the Hakluyt Fund. In accordance with his wishes the library has since been a subscriber to the publications of the society bearing that name. On September 24, 1890, Dr. Robert W. Wood of the Medical Class of 1832, gave one thousand dollars which was applied to this fund, and the donor was informed that memorial bookplates would be placed in volumes relating to economics, a department to which his own pen had made valuable contributions. The same year the proceeds of the sale to the Alumni of the publication called the Bowdoin Art Collection, amounting with interest to \$391.05, were added to this fund with the request that books relating to the State of Maine be purchased each year and receive a bookplate in memory of Professor Alpheus S. Packard of the Class of 1816. To this General Library Fund has also been added the excess of income from the J. B. Sewall Latin and Greek Prize Fund, to the amount of \$369.66, in accordance with the provisions of that trust. March 11, 1901, Philip G. Brown, Esq., Class of 1877, as executor of the estate of his brother, Captain John Clifford Brown, and in fulfillment of the latter's desire to establish a memorial of their father, Philip Henry Brown, Esq., of the Class of 1851, gave \$2,000, the income of which is to be devoted to the purchase of books on rhetoric and literature, each of these bearing a properly engraved book-plate. Recent anonymous gifts, with that from the estate of Hon. John L. Cutler, mentioned in a preceding paragraph, have increased the total of this fund to \$7,600.

STUDENT ASSISTANCE.

That remunerative work has been given to undergraduates in the library to the same extent as in previous years is due to two circumstances, neither of which is likely to occur again. Early in the year Edward L. Pickard, Esq., of Auburndale, Mass., gave \$100 to insure the employment of a former assistant whose college course had been interrupted by teaching. In dusting and packing the books for removal the service of students has been used to the amount of nearly one-half of the special appropriation for moving. The library has received as large a share as it could rightfully ask of the appropriation of \$500 from the Merritt-Garcelon Fund for This grant, however, was for a single year, and student assistance. it is very desirable to renew the former system, by which a specified amount can be regarded as available year after year. It often happens that an assistant who begins work in the library in his Freshman year becomes a particularly helpful member of the staff by his Senior year. It is a kindness to him as well as true economy for the library to prevent an interruption of his course by means of a liberal rate of payment for his services. The recent increase in the cost of living renders necessary a corresponding increase in the opportunities offered the industrious student of narrow means to earn money while pursuing his studies at Bowdoin. This institution cannot afford to discourage or turn aside to other colleges the ambitious and independent young men who wish to earn their way and apply for work as eagerly as they do for scholarships.

HUBBARD HALL.

The rear wing of our new library building was ready for occupancy the first of April and the work of removing the books has been in progress since that date. A general division of our collection into two great classes of the more and the less used books has been made. The latter class has at this writing been placed in its permanent home, the stack-room. The former will be moved as soon as the main portion of the structure has been accepted by the architect. It is believed that the library will be practically if not completely established in its spacious and attractive quarters on June 24, the day of its dedication.

While it is hoped that Hubbard Hall will be used to a large degree by other departments of the college, it is the library that will be most affected either by neglect of the care-takers or by thoughtless actions on the part of the students. It seems, therefore, reasonable to extend to the librarian the same responsibility for and authority over the interior of the new building that he exercises in the present quarters. Such authority is held, of course, subject to the oversight and approval of the Committee on Grounds and Buildings, the representative of the Boards in these The course thus proposed involves no innovation. For several years the expenditures incidental to cleaning the library rooms in King Chapel have been in the hands of the librarian, and while, happily, no occasion to exercise authority has arisen, the support of the Committee would doubtless have been given to maintaining any rules which he deemed necessary to check abuses. The amount of money, however, needed to keep in good order the interior of a building as large and finely furnished as this new home of the library is so considerable that the channel through which it is expended should be definitely decided by the Boards. If this is intrusted to the librarian, he will endeavor to give personal attention to the training of a young man in the duties of the janitorship and to obtain the largest possible returns from the appropriation made for this purpose.

DEPARTMENTAL ROOMS.

The seminar rooms described on page thirty of the President's Annual Report for 1900-01 have been assigned to the several departments of instruction by a committee appointed by the Faculty. It is believed that the material facilities thus offered students and professors for study and conference in close proximity to special collections of books, maps and illustrative material of various kinds will excel those of any other of the small colleges of the country. It is a pleasure to call attention to the generous co-operation of the Deutscher Verein in securing books for the room to be occupied by the department of German. This Club, which has for a considerable period been collecting a library illustrative of German life and literature, recently raised a sum of

money sufficient to purchase a complete set of the *Deutsche National litteratur* in two hundred and twenty volumes. While these special collections must duplicate many of the works placed in the Reference Room on the main floor, yet they are essential to any advanced work and will prove, it is believed, a great convenience to the instructors, if not to the average undergraduate.

COLLEGE PUBLICATIONS.

The General Catalogue issued last year was printed from stereo-The first edition of five hundred copies exhausted in February and a second edition of equal size was printed last month, occasion being taken to correct certain errors. and to add in an appendix a brief biographical record of the graduating class. Of the first edition two hundred copies were distributed gratuitously among officers of the college and the libraries of other institutions. The net proceeds of the remainder, \$114, is nearly sufficient to meet the cost of the second edition which is \$141. A pamphlet containing the oration of Hon. Thomas B. Reed, LL.D., and the poem of Rev. Samuel V. Cole, D.D., delivered at the one-hundredth anniversary of the opening of Bowdoin College, was published and distributed among the alumni and the publiclibraries of the country. A limited edition of a cloth-bound volume including the addresses and poems given at the anniversaries of 1894 and 1902 was also issued. It is with mortification that the librarian records his failure to publish at the proper time the annual Obituary Record for the year ending June, 1902, as well as a proposed new edition of the historical sketch of the college first printed in 1894. This failure, however, has been due to an unusual pressure of other duties, not to neglect of those connected with the library. Since the date of his last report he has been at his desk, Sundays excepted, every day in the year save forty, and his hours of labor have in the aggregate equalled the two thousand' required of each of his salaried male assistants.

This report cannot be properly closed without a word of testimony to the faithful and efficient work of the regular library assistants. The care and persistence with which they have striven to carry out the plans and purposes of the librarian has been most

gratifying. During the period in which the books have been moved, the library has had the valued services of Mr. S. E. Pope of the Class of 1895. If, as the librarian believes, the task of transferring the library to its permanent home, is being accomplished without material interference with its daily use, this is due to the unwearying labors and the accommodating spirit of his helpers.

Brunswick, Me., June 1, 1903.

APPENDIX.

DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY

From May 15, 1902, to May 14, 1903.

University of Alabama		1
Carnegie Free Library, Allegheny, Penn		1
Hon. Amos L. Allen, Alfred, Me., Class of 1860	1	
Charles E. Allen, Esq., Cedar Grove, Me		1
American Academy of Medicine	1	
Publishers of American Advocate of Peace	1	
Publishers of American Agriculturist	2	
American Board of Commissioners for Foreign		
Missions	1	2
American Congregational Association		1
Publishers of American Economist	1	
American Federation of Labor		5
American Free Trade League		1
American Friends' Peace Conference	1	
American Institute of Mining Engineers	1	
American Marathi Mission		1
American Missionary Association	1	
American Pharmaceutical Association	1	
American Tariff Protective League	1	
Amherst College		1

Rev. Asher Anderson	1	
Andover Theological Seminary		2
Anonymous	7	
Publishers of Association Review	1	
Carnegie Library, Atlanta, Georgia		1
Auburn Theological Seminary		1
E. S. Balch, Esq., Philadelphia, Penn	1	
Thomas W. Balch, Esq., Philadelphia, Penn	2	
Bangor (Me.) Public Library		1
Bangor Theological Seminary		1
Dennis M. Bangs, Esq., Waterville, Me., Class of		, -
1891	1	
Gen. I. S. Bangs, Waterville, Me	3	
Josiah W. Bassett, Esq., Winslow, Me	2	1
Hon. James P. Baxter	1	_
Library of Baylor University	1	
Bellevue College	_	1
Beloit College		1
Amos L. Benton, Benton, Me		1
Stephen Berry, Esq., Portland, Me		2
W. J. Black, Esq., Chicago, Ill	2	
Samuel L. Boardman, Esq., Bangor, Me		1
Miss Elizabeth L. Bond	1	_
Publishers of Book Notes	1	
Boston Museum of Fine Arts	-	3
Boston Port and Seamen's Aid Society		1
Public Library of the City of Boston	1	2
Boston University	-	1
Bugle Board, Class of 1903, Bowdoin College	2	
Bostonian Society	~	9
Class of 1902, Bowdoin College	1	
Deutscher Verein of Bowdoin College		
Charles H. Bradford, Turner, Me	00	1
Brigham Young College		1
Public Library of Brookline, Mass	1	1
Brooklyn Institute of Arts and Sciences	_	1
W. M. Brown, Esq., Bangor, Me	3	1
W. M. DIOWH, Esq., Dangor, Me	0	

Cleveland (Ohio) Public Library		1
Cobb Divinity School		1
James H. Codding, New York, N. Y	1	
Colby College		1
Alfred Cole, Buckfield, Me		1
Colorado College		1
University of Colorado		4
Columbia University		1
Columbian University		2
John A. Cone, Topsham, Me	1	
Connecticut State Library	11	8
D. P. Corey, Malden, Mass	1	
Cornell University		1
Daniel M. Crockett, Bridgton, Me		1
John L. Crosby, Esq., Bangor, Me., Class of 1853	1	
Rev. Edgar M. Cousins, Thomaston, Me., Class of		
1877		1
Dartmouth College		1
Prof. R. C. Davis, Ann Arbor, Mich		1
Public Library and Museum of Dayton, Ohio		1
Bowdoin Chapter, Delta Upsilon Fraternity	1	
De Pauw University		1
Detroit (Mich.) Public Library		1
Dr. Frederick H. Dillingham, New York, N. Y.,		
Class of 1877	1	
Doane College		1
Dodd, Mead & Co., New York, N. Y		1
E. S. Dodge, Esq., Boston, Mass	31	13
Mrs. Mary S. S. Dodge, Cambridge, Mass	30	
Estate of J. C. Dodge, Esq., Class of 1834	25	
Rev. C. F. Dole	1	
Dover (N. H.) Public Library	1	1
J. A. Douglass, Whitefield, Me		1
Drew Theological Seminary		2
Drexel Institute		2
Drury College		1
Publishers of the Eastern Gazette	1	

Publishers of Herald of Gospel Liberty	1	
Emil Herms, Turner, Me., Class of 1904	1	
Edward F. Hill, Cape Elizabeth, Me		1
Hobart College		1
Holy Cross College	•	1
Mrs. I. B. Hooker	1	6
Hopkins Grammar School	1	
H. H. Humphreys		1
Prof. Henry A. Huston, Lafayette, Ind., Class of		
1879	1	
Prof. C. C. Hutchins, Class of 1883	1	
James H. Hyde, Esq	1	
President Hyde	25	31
Indian Rights Association		1
Indiana Agricultural Experiment Station		1
Indiana State Library	5	
Iowa College		1
Iowa State College		1
State University of Iowa		1
Rev. Joel S. Ives, Hartford, Conn	1	
Rev. A. W. Jackson, Concord, Mass	1	
Col. William Jay	1	
Free Public Library of the City of Jersey City, N. J.		.5
Miss Sarah Orne Jewett, Litt.D	1	
John Crerar Library	1	2
Johns Hopkins University	2	8
Prof. Henry Johnson, Ph.D., Class of 1874		5
Augustine Jones, Esq., Providence, R. I., Class of		
1860		1
Kansas Historical Society	1	
Alpha Rho Chapter of Kappa Sigma Fraternity	1	
Dr. W. B. Kenniston, Class of 1892		2
D. H. Knowlton, Esq., Farmington, Me	10	
Lake Forest College		1
Lake Mohonk Conference on International Arbitra-		
tion		1.
Publishers of Latin Leaflet	1	

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Lawrence Academy	ì	2
Lawrence (Mass.) Free Public Library		1
Thomas W. Lawson, Esq., Boston, Mass	1	_
T. S. Lazell, Esq., Boston, Mass., Class of 1892	1	
Lehigh University		1
H. M. Leipziger, Ph.D		1
Leland Stanford, Jr., University		1
Charlton T. Lewis, Esq., Morristown, N. J		1
Rev. George Lewis, D.D., So. Berwick, Me	1	
George L. Lewis, Bowdoin College Library, Class		
of 1901	1	
Dr. Philip P. Lewis, Gorham, Me		1
Lewis Institute		1
Hon. Charles F. Libby, Portland, Me., Class		
of 1864		1
Publishers of Literary News	1	
Prof. George T. Little, Litt.D., Class of 1877	17	12
Los Angeles (Cal.) Public Library	1	1
Duc de Loubat, Paris, France	2	1
Lowell (Mass.) City Library		6
Hon. Francis C. Lowell, Boston, Mass	1	
Lynn (Mass.) Public Library		1
O. P. Lyons, Vinalhaven, Me		1
F. E. McFadden, Fairfield, Me		1
McGill University	0	7
Miss F. A. McKeen, Brunswick, Me	3	
McKendree College	_	1
Charles E. Magoon, Esq	1	N
Maine Central Railroad		7
Maine General Hospital, Portland, Me	ຄາ	1
Maine State Library	23	$\frac{4}{1}$
University of Maine	1	1
Massachusetts Board of Arbitration	2	
	1	
State Board of Charity of Massachusetts Massachusetts Board of Education	1	
Massachusetts Historical Society	3	
THE SHOTTUSCUS THE SUCTORY	0	

Massachusetts Horticultural Society		5
Massachusetts State Board of Insanity	1	
Massachusetts Institute of Technology		3
Massachusetts Bureau of Statistics and Labor	2	
Secretary of Massachusetts	2	
Massachusetts Single Tax League		1
S. W. Matthews, Esq., Augusta, Me	1	
Publishers of Mechanic Falls Ledger	1	
General Society of Mechanics and Tradesmen		1
E. B. Merrill, Esq., New York, N. Y., Class of 1857	26	25
Festus F. Merrill, East Eddington, Me		1
Miami University		1
Michigan State Library	31	17
University of Michigan	1	1
Library of the University of Michigan	1	1
Middlebury College		1
Mills College and Seminary		1
Minnesota Valley Historical Society	1	
University of Minnesota	1	1
Charles V. Minott, Jr., Phippsburg, Me., Class		
of 1891		1
Missouri Botanical Garden	1	
University of Missouri	1	1
Prof. W. A. Moody, Class of 1882	5	4
Hon. John A. Morrill, Auburn, Me., Class of 1876	1	
Prof. E. S. Morse, Ph.D., Salem, Mass		1
Mount Holyoke College		2.
Muhlenburg College		1
Thomas H. Murray, Esq., Boston, Mass		1
National Association of Wool Manufacturers	1	
National Civil Service Reform League		1
Publishers of National Reciprocity	1	
New Bedford (Mass.) Public Library		1
New England Catholic Historical Society		3
New England Society in the City of New York		1
New Hampshire Historical Society		1
New Hampshire State Library	1	

Pennsylvania College		1
State Librarian of Pennsylvania	3	
University of Pennsylvania		2
Perkins Institution for the Blind		2
Rev. Trueman S. Perry, Waterford, Me., Class		
of 1850	37	36
Central High School, Philadelphia, Penn		1
Philadelphia City Institute		1
Publishers of Philadelphia College of Pharmacy		
Alumni Report	1	
Free Library of Philadelphia		1
Library Company of Philadelphia		1
Phillips Academy, Exeter, N. H		1
Charles E. Philpot, Limerick, Me		1
Charles W. Pickard, Portland, Me., Class of 1857,		
and Frederick W. Pickard, Cincinnati, Ohio,		
Class of 189410)3	
Hon. Josiah L. Pickard, LL.D., Class of 1844	1	ŕ
Publishers of Pilgrim Missionary	1	
Albert E. Pillsbury, Esq., Boston, Mass	1	,
Carnegie Library, Pittsburgh, Penn	1	1
T. A. Ponce, Jr	1	
Portland (Ore.) Library Association		2
Portland (Me.) Public Library		1
Pratt Institute	2	
Princeton Theological Seminary		1
Princeton University		1
Providence (R. I.) Athenaeum	-	1
Publishers of Providence Libraries' Bulletin	1	-
Providence Public Library	4	1
Kappa Chapter of Psi Upsilon Fraternity	1	
George C. Purington, A.M., Farmington, Me., Class		1
of 1878		1
Alonzo Purington, Esq., West Bowdoin, Me		1
Hon. William L. Putnam, LL.D., Portland, Me.	11	
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G. H. Smyth	1	
Society of Arts, London, Eng	1	
Dr. Robert E. Soule, New York, N. Y., Class		
of 1896		1
Publishers of Sound Currency	1	
Publishers of Southern Workman	1	
Springfield (Mass.) City Library Association	1	1
Rev. E. S. Stackpole, D.D., Bradford, Mass., Class		
of 1871	1	
Dr. Myles Standish, Boston, Mass., Class of 1875:		2
J. A. Stinson, Woolwich, Me		1
Carl Stoeckel, Norfolk, Conn	1	
Publishers of Sunset	1	
Frank H. Swan, Esq., Westbrook, Me., Class		
of 1898	1	
Swarthmore College		1
Syracuse (N. Y.) Public Library		1
Tabor College		1
Publishers of Technology Review	1	
Miss Sarah A. Thompson, Topsham, Me	2	
Thornton Academy		1
George W. Tillson, C. E., Brooklyn, N. Y., Class		
of 1877	1	
Dr. Walter E. Tobie, Portland, Me		1
University of Toronto		5
Publishers of Travelers' Record	1	4
Trinity College, Hartford, Conn		1
Trinity College, North Carolina		1
Tufts College	4	2
Publishers of Union Mutual	1	NO.
United States Government20		78
U. S. Bureau of American Republics	2	
U. S. Bureau of Education	1	
U. S. Bureau of Navigation	2	
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Dr. Frank N. Whittier, Class of 1885	10	3
Gerald G. Wilder, Pembroke, Me., Class of 1904		2
William Jewell College		1
Williams College		3
Joseph Williamson, Esq., Augusta, Me., Class of		
1888	09	3 30
Williston Seminary		1
Dr. J. L. M. Willis, Eliot, Me	1	•
Wilmington Institute		1
J. H. Winchester, Esq., Corinna, Me		1
Wisconsin Free Library Commission		1
State Historical Society of Wisconsin	1	
University of Wisconsin		1
Wittenberg College		1
Prof. Frank E. Woodruff, Bowdoin College	2	3
Worcester Academy		1
Worcester County (Mass.) Law Library		1
Worcester Polytechnic Institute		1
Worcester Society of Antiquity		3
Yale University	1	3
Publishers of Yale Alumni Weekly	1	
Hon. W. S. Yeates, Atlanta, Ga	1	
Dr. Ernest B. Young, Boston, Mass., Class of 1892		32
Historical Library of Y. M. C. A	1	
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ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

LIBRARIAN OF THE MEDICAL SCHOOL.

The Librarian of the Medical School of Maine takes pleasure in reporting that all of the books in Brunswick belonging to the Medical School, in number 4,549, are placed on the fire-proof shelving assigned them in Hubbard Hall, the new library building of the college. It has been necessary, however, to move most of the collection thrice during the year. First, in July, to the Medical Lecture Room in order to obtain room for the new laboratory for histology and bacteriology; in November, to the basement of Hubbard Hall; and in April, to a permanent resting place on the fourth story of the stack room. The bringing together and classifying of the medical books in the college library with those of the school reveals the presence of a large number of duplicates. tion at once rises whether any of these should be removed to the building in Portland, or whether the accommodations there should be restricted to what may be termed "live books." The librarian requests that a committee be appointed with full power to act in this and other matters relating to the library. Owing to the delay in completion of the new building at Brunswick, it has been impracticable to formulate any definite policy for statement at this time.

The accessions for the current year amount to 257 volumes exclusive of pamphlets and periodicals which have not yet been bound. As in the previous year this increase is due largely to the Boston Medical Association, which has sent us over 250 duplicates from its collection. A list of all donors to the library is appended to this report. The only expenditures made by the librarian during the year have been \$18.75, the cost of the first removal of the library, and \$25.00 paid for the selection, packing, and transportation of the books sent from the Boston Medical Library. Both of these sums were charged to the incidental account of the School.

Since Mrs. Catherine M. Garcelon, our generous benefactor, requested that the "claims of worthy and struggling young men who may stand in need of pecuniary aid to enable them to complete their professional education" be always borne in mind, the librarian suggests that the former custom of a student assistant librarian be revived, and that a suitable amount be appropriated for the services such an assistant can render during the courses of lectures given at Brunswick. While there may be different views as to the method of his selection, and the amount of his compensation, the Librarian believes that all will agree there is no better mode of rendering efficient aid to at least one student in each medical class, and at the same time of relieving the college library assistants of much work which has been performed in the past without any expense to the Medical School.

Brunswick, Me., June 1, 1903.

DONATIONS TO THE LIBRARY OF THE MEDICAL SCHOOL OF MAINE

From May 15, 1902, to May 14, 1903.

Publishers of American Journal of Medical Sciences.	2	
Boston Medical Library	25	
Detroit College of Medicine		1.
Publishers of Health	2	
Medical Department of Johns Hopkins University		1.
Publishers of Journal of Cutaneous and Genito-		
urinary Diseases	1	
Journal of the American Medical Association	3	
Association of Military Surgeons of the U. S	2	
Publishers of Medical Libraries	1	
Publishers of New York Medical Journal	2	
Sir James Sawyer, England	1	
Dr. William L. Robbins		2
U. S. Census Office	1	
U. S. Treasury Department		4
Prof. Frank N. Whittier, M.D., Class of 1889	15	36:
Dr. C. A. Wood, Chicago, Ill		1.



