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In Recognition

OF THE
HIGH ESTEEM IN
WHICH SHE IS HELD BY THE
CLASS, AND OF HER KINDLY HELP AND INTEREST, WE
MOST RESPECTFULLY DEDICATE THIS
VOLUME TO OUR HONORARY
MEMBER,

Miss Rockwell.

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Introduction

THE GRIST Board, after many months of trial and hardship, issues the fourth volume of the college annual, and it is hoped that it will be worthy of a place beside the publications of former years. Upon looking at the diminutive size of the class roll at the beginning of the year, it seemed doubtful whether we should be able to undertake such an affair. But the class, determined not to be outdone by their predecessors, decided that they would issue a publication at any cost, and thus uphold the honor of '01.

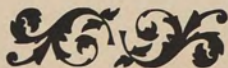
Accordingly, they elected us to prepare the book, and here we stand ready to bear the inevitable criticism and sarcastic remarks of our merciless readers. Well have we in mind the displeasure we shall cause some childish student, or, perhaps, some sensitive member of our honored faculty. But, nevertheless, we have spared neither time nor pains to make this book interesting; our plan being to amuse rather than to abuse. So, if in the following pages you should see your name mixed up with

some harmless grind, say nothing but pass on in search of some roast on your fellow classmate. If, however, the Board should in any way gain the ill-will of any of its readers, much of the pleasure which the year's work has given us will be spoilt.

This year by preparing an alumni directory we have endeavored to add to the usefulness of the book without infringing upon the contents of the College catalogue. The Board extends its heartiest thanks to all who have assisted us in our labors, special acknowledgement being due to the members of our alumni, whose helpful criticism and suggestions have been of great aid to us.

So, kind readers, if you wish to know about the college, of the sayings and doings of its great men, cast aside your College catalogue and invest in a '01 GRIST.

And now we will retire from our arduous task, leaving you to further acquaint yourself with the contents of the following pages at your leisure.



College Calendar for 1900-1901.

1900.

Fall Term.

<i>August 31, 9 A. M.</i>	Entrance Examinations.
<i>September 18, 10 A. M.</i>	Exam. of Conditioned Students.
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<i>September 19, 1 P. M.</i>	Term begins.
<i>November 6.</i>	Election Day.
	Thanksgiving Day.
<hr/> <i>December 21.</i>	Term ends.

1901.

Winter Term.

<i>January 2, 10 A. M.</i>	Exam. of Conditioned Students.
<i>January 2, 1 P. M.</i>	Term begins.
<i>January 31.</i>	Day of Prayer for Colleges.
<i>February 22.</i>	Washington's Birthday.
<i>March 29.</i>	Term ends.

Spring Term.

<i>April 8, 10 A. M.</i>	Exam. of Conditioned Students.
<i>April 9, 1 P. M.</i>	Term begins.
<i>May 10.</i>	Arbor Day.
<i>May 30.</i>	Memorial Day.
<i>June 16.</i>	Baccalaureate Sunday.
<i>June 18.</i>	Commencement.
<i>June 21.</i>	Extrauce Examinations.

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- Oct 1, 1899.* MR. BUTLER of Yale Univ., New Haven, Conn.
Oct. 22, " MR. G. R. MONTGOMERY, Yale Univ. New Haven,
Conn.
Oct. 29, " REV. PARLEY D. ROOT, Wakefield, R. I.
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Jan 7, 1900, REV. J. W. FOBES, Wakefield, R. I.
Jan. 14, " PROF. CHAS. F. KENT, Brown University, Provi-
dence, R. I.
Jan. 21, " REV. THEODORE SNOW, Wakefield, R. I.
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Mar. 11, " PROF. W. H. MUNROE, Brown University.
Mar. 25, " REV. PARLEY D. ROOT, Wakefield, R. I.
April 22, " PROF. JAMES Q. DEALEY, Brown University.

REV. JOHN E. TUTTLE of Worcester, Mass. gave the baccalau-
reate sermon, June 11, 1899.

REV. WALLACE NUTTING of Providence, R. I. preached on the
Day of Prayer, January 25, 1900.

The Year's History.

ALTHOUGH there have been no striking occurrences at the College during the year, there have been some improvements and changes, and, as in former years, a steady advancement. A new and successful feature was the summer school, introduced for the purpose of instructing teachers of the State in Nature studies. The fall term opened with about the usual number of new students, though few of these joined the Freshman class. The two years Preparatory course began with this term, and through the preliminary work accomplished there, the College standard is being raised. The classes in general have done very satisfactory work, although during the Winter term there was more absence on account of illness than has ever occurred before. The Faculty remains about the same as last year. Miss Putnam, however, resigned her position as teacher of Expression and English last June. She has been much missed by all, as she had been a part of the College for several years. Miss Sanborn filled her place during the Fall term, but in the Winter the course of Expression was omitted, and the English classes taken by Miss Elizabeth Kenyon, a graduate of Mt. Holyoke College and a student of Brown University. Miss Brooks, our first instructor in stenography and typewriting, having laid a foundation in those branches at the College, left us; and her successor, Miss Grace Hazelwood, has faithfully directed the work in that line since. Miss Bosworth, who spent last year in Europe, returned with a Doctor's degree, and as Professor of Mathematics, resumed her former duties, which had been carried on during her absence by Miss Smith.

No new buildings have been erected this year; but improvements made upon those standing, and upon the grounds surrounding them, have added somewhat to the beauty of the place. There have been several changes in the Experiment Station and Agricultural departments.

There have been several delightful entertainments in Lippitt Hall, some public and others private. It is evident that sociability has increased among the students, Faculty, and those interested in the College. The social life seems to progress from year to year. The Y. M. C. A. and the Y. W. C. U. have been very active. The first reception of the year was tendered to the new students by members of these societies, with the purpose of making the newcomers feel welcome to the College, and of making the old members better acquainted with one another. The Junior Reception was given in good season and was one of the most enjoyable occasions ever held. More enthusiasm than usual was shown at the Military Ball. Lippitt Hall was tastefully and appropriately decorated, and in every way the affair was a success. About the middle of the Winter term the Juniors arranged a musicale for the benefit of the GRIST of '01. The evening of February 21st was also an enjoyable time for many of the students and their friends. The Glee Club again has not been idle, and great is its fame and success throughout the country around.

The Grange meets quite often in the Chapel, and, although their doings are dark and hidden things, we know by the expression on the faces of the members that they are contented and like to congregate here.

The Committee on College Activities has done efficient service; and as for the clubs, some have disappeared, as prophesied, while others are flourishing. The Library and Chemical Clubs are among the most important.

More enthusiasm has been evinced in athletics than formerly; and, although in football not every game was won, as last year, yet the team did excellent work. Much interest is taken in baseball, and the players are kept busy during Spring term.

A very pleasant excursion was arranged by some members of the Faculty for the ten days vacation between the Winter and Spring terms. This afforded students and Faculty an opportunity

to visit New York, Washington, D. C., and other places in the vicinity of these cities. A party of fourteen went on the trip and reported having had a delightful time.

A poultry course was given during the Winter term, as last year.

So year by year new features appear in all things, and no less at the R. I. College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts. We hope that future enterprise may prove even more successful than that of the past; that many may be benefited by the opportunities here offered; and, that the College may stand as a great monument of industrial success in the minds of many throughout the land.

