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Mr. Curtis

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HERE

THE FRESHMAN

BAND
PLAYER
OVER
WL 3Z
SATURDAY
4:30-5:00



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FRESHMEN RUSH ORONO THEATRE

Special Police Greet Class As
Over Hundred Members Attend
"East is West" Saturday
Acting on a suggestion
made Friday night about 125
ambitious and lively freshmen
left the dorms Saturday night
to crash the Orono theatre.

The rumor had spread to
the college officials and to
the theatre officials with the
result that a special guard of
police was on the scene when
the lads arrived. After sev-
eral members of the class had
felt the blows of clubs, and
some had run off, Mr. Gold-
smith, manager of the theatre,
came out and announced that
he would allow the class to
see the second show free.

From that time until the
second show started the crowd
grew. When only fifteen minutes
remained before the second per-
formance was to start the gang
assembled in front of the theatre
and sang songs, most of which
were Maine songs.

The unfortunate part of
the whole affair was that a
Sparrow owl went in with the
class and escaped payment.

CLASS BANQUET TO BE HELD APRIL 10

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Stan Searles Presides Over
Class Meeting Urging
Good Conduct

A short but snappy class
meeting was held in Alumni Hall
last Monday noon, at which it
was announced that the Class
Banquet will be held in Bangor
on April 10. Stan Searles, who
presided over the meeting, urg-
ed the class to make the ban-
quet a success in good conduct,
as well as in other ways.

It was also announced that
if the banquet is not conducted
in good order, there will be no
more class banquets.

AROOSTOOK TRIP IS FAIRLY SUCCESSFUL

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Basketball Team Wins Three And
Loses Two As Red Osgood
Leads in Scoring

Meeting five of the lead-
ing teams in the spud country,
the 1934 basketball squad came
back from Aroostook with 3 wins
and 2 defeats. Red Osgood was
the dark horse of the squad
and led the team in scoring.

The class can well be proud
of their basketball team, and
don't forget he who made such
a powerful team from such raw
material. That man is Bill
Kenyon.

Summary: Caribou 42-Maine
43: Fort Fairfield 23-Maine
34: Presque Isle 16-Maine 18:
A.C.I. 18-Maine 16: Houlton
19- Maine 18.

BILL FLORING SETS NEW DASH RECORD

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Bill Floring, 1934's Char-
lie Paddock, set a new indoor
record for the college in the
100 yard dash, when he covered
the distance in 10 seconds while
running in the intra-mural track
meet a week ago Saturday. Bill
has been going strong in track
all year.

EDITORIALS

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CHEATING (Contributed)

Now that the examination period is approaching, it is perhaps a good time to discuss some of the comments which have been heard concerning the last examinations. The comments, largely from freshmen, to whom this examination system is new, center largely around one topic. This topic is "Cheating". This one subject and the effects it produces have been the topics for many discussions both in this university and others.

Some people place the blame entirely on the students, others place it equally on the students and the faculty. It is with the last persons that we agree rather than with the former. We believe that the students are only partly responsible for cheating. It is our opinion that the habit could be stopped, if it were not encouraged by a few students and by the attitude the faculty takes during the examination period. Most students come to college with an earnest desire to obtain an education, and they do not wish to get through the course without obtaining some knowledge of the subjects. If a person cheats in an examination, he is accused of trying to pass the course without honestly learning the material. We believe that this is an unjust accusation in most cases.

The greatest cause for cheating lies in the fact that the faculty tries so earnestly to prevent it that they actually encourage it. Instead of telling the students in an open, fair minded, straight forward way that they were to be placed on their honor not to cheat, and explaining that it would be to their advantage to do their work honestly, they place the students as far away from each other as possible, remind them constantly that any papers or books found on their person or near them would incriminate them, and throw a cordon of special police in the form of instructors all around the class. These instructors are to watch carefully every move the student makes during the examination and to report anything that might look suspicious.

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LET'S BE SENSIBLE AND COOPERATE IN OUR ACTIONS AT THE CLASS BANQUET? SO THAT THE CLASSES AFTER US WILL BE ABLE TO HAVE ONE. WE CAN HAVE A MIGHTY GOOD TIME WITHOUT BREAKING ANYTHING, IF WE WANT TO. LET'S BE DECENT, AND REMEMBER THAT WE

Under those conditions what is the student to do. He is regarded as a criminal before he has committed any crime. He is regarded as guilty unless he can prove himself innocent, which is just the opposite of that it should be. This attitude of the faculty forces the student to believe that his honor and honesty don't amount to anything, and that if he is to be watched every minute during the exam period, he might as well give up trying to do the thing fairly. The result of this attitude the student takes is that he loses respect for fairness and easily falls into dishonest methods.

Why can't the faculty try to remedy this situation, and give the student a chance to prove that he is made of the right stuff and wants to be honest in all his exams?

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NINETEEN THIRTY FOUR

It is said that the man who pats himself on the back will have a hard time finding anybody else to do it, but we think that we can slip in a few words of praise for the way the class conducted itself Saturday night in Orono. Instead of getting destructive we acted mighty well, and showed ourselves to be appreciative of seeing the picture free.

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TIME

If you are always complaining that you do not have time for this or that, you do not know how to use time. Thomas Jefferson once said that no one would have occasion to complain of the lack of time who never lost any. Twenty-four hours a day is enough for anyone, and those who do not find it enough, would make the same complaint if the day were thirty hours long. If you do not seem to have time for your day's work and recreation, look for the leaks. Somewhere minutes are going to waste.

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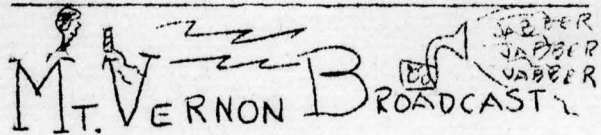
HEBRON BOWS TO MAINE TRACKMEN

Favor, Hardison, and Davis
Shine as Freshmen Trim
Big Green 69-21

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Continuing their undefeated record, the 1934 track team swamped the Hebron team in the indoor field Saturday afternoon by the score 69-21. The Pale Blue yearlings took every first place with the exception of the broad jump, which went to McLean of Hebron.

Summary: Shot Put: Hill, M; Sullivan, H; Favor, M: High jump: Favor, M; McLean, H; Clap, H: Mile run: Earle, M; Crosby, M; Winston, H: 600 yd run: Hildreth, M; Smith, H; Corbett, M: 100 yd. dash: Hardison, M; Jordan, M; Morgan, H: Broad jump: Jensen, H; Parsons, M; Mooney, H: 1000 yd. run: Osgood, M; Berg, M; Harvey, M: Pole Vault, Favor, M; McLean, H; Black, M: 300 yd. dash: Davis, M; Hardison, M; Parsons M.



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Any freshman co-ed desiring tickets for the Mt. Vernon house party on March 14 may get them at Mt. Vernon now.

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Miss Winifred Wygall, secretary of the National Student Council of the Y.W.C.A. was a dinner guest on Tuesday.

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Gertrude Perry is rapidly recovering from her recent illness, and is expected to return to classes next week.

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All Gene Austin's friends are around when a certain gentleman calls. Look out "Stan", Mt. Vernon is out to win.

MAINE IN TURKEY, VESPER TOPIC

"Maine in Turkey" will be the subject of next Sunday's Vespers. The speaker is Mrs. Ruth Allee. These services sponsored by the M.C.A. are held every Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock in Alumni Chapel.

MT. VERNON FROSH TO GIVE TEA

The freshmen girls at Mt. Vernon are giving a tea in honor of all freshmen girls. This will be held at Mt. Vernon on Thursday, from 3 to 5 o'clock.

CONY HIGH BEATS FRESHMAN B TEAM

Invaders Take Early Lead And Give Stiff Opposition To Win 18-14

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Cony High school of Augusta slipped one over on the frosh B team Saturday night, when they beat the local hoopsters 18-14. Cony took an early lead which they were not forced to relinquish throughout the game. Merrill of Cony led the scoring with seven points, but was closely followed by Sawyer of Cony and Blanchard of Maine with six each. Coach Kenyon used a large number of men, sending some so that they could get credit toward their numerals.

Summary:

	G.	F.	Pts
Baker, rf.	0	1	1
Weeks, lf.	0	0	0
Dow, c.	0	0	0
Topolosky, rg.	2	0	4
Blanchard, lg.	3	0	6
Ballard, lf.	0	0	0
Berg, lf.	0	0	0
Crockett, lg.	0	0	0
Jackson, c.	0	0	0
Wilbur, rf.	0	0	0
Merrill, lg.	<u>1</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>3</u>
	6	2	14

Y.W.C.A. CABINET MEETS TUESDAY

The freshman Y.W.C.A. Cabinet will hold a meeting in the MCA building Tuesday afternoon at 3.20. The members of this cabinet are requested to bring ideas concerning "Y" work for the coming year.

FIVE SHINGLES UNCALLED FOR

The following shingles for cross-country and football numerals have not yet been called for: Attridge, Caswell, Walton, Parsons, and Thorne. They may be obtained at Ted Curtis' office.

"CONTROL" GENERAL LECTURE SUBJECT.

Mr. Powers of the Westinghouse Electric Company will speak on "Control", touching the subjects, light-sensitive devices with demonstrations, at the general lecture to be delivered in 305 Aubert on March 12.

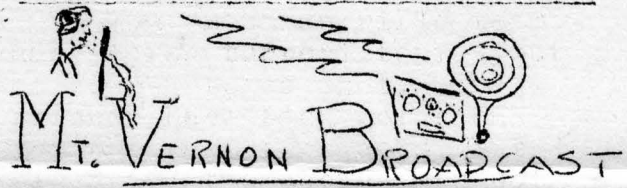
FROSH MUSKETEERS WIN THREE MATCHES

Locals Beat Johns Hopkins,
Cincinnati, and Okla-
homa. Ludden Shines.

The Freshman rifle team has scored ~~three~~ three victories out of four matches shot. The matches have been going on for the past few weeks, but since all the scores had not been telegraphed until last week, a complete story could not be printed. The University of Iowa beat the locals by a narrow margin the score being 1769 for the winners, and 1748 for Maine.

Maine trimmed Johns Hopkins University with a score of 3329 to 3029, and the University of Cincinnati with a score of 1748 to 1704. The match with Oklahoma A. and M. College was forfeited to Maine because members of all four classes fired for Alabama, while the contract limited competition to freshmen.

Captain Ludden is still high scoring man, with Kenneth Jones a very close second.



Plans are in order for a Faculty-Freshmen Tea to be given in the near future.

We want to thank our kind friend, who left the four pound box of candy at our door last week.

While out snow-shoeing Little Red Riding Hood from Mount Vernon met the great big wolf from Lambda Chi. No casualties have been reported as yet.

"Peanuts" Bunker spent a most enjoyable week-end in Calais. It's a great place says "Peanuts".

Enid Humphrey, Mount Vernon's famous journalist, has accepted a position as staff reporter for the "Freshman". In the future you can blame most of this column on her.

FRESHMAN Y MEETING LAST WEEK

The Freshman Y.W.C.A. Meeting was held last night in Mount Vernon. Miss Winifred Wygall spoke on the topic, "Student Life in the World".

FROSH SHOW UP WELL IN BOXING

Augenstein, Rossing, Stone, and Attridge beat upperclass Opponents

Freshmen entered the boxing bouts in the intra-mural preliminaries Thursday night with the following results: Augenstein beat Chetley, S.A.E. Shapiro lost to Whitten, ΦH. K Romero lost to Murphy, ΘX Rossing beat Eskenas, ΓΕΦ Stone beat Haggett, ΔΤΔ Crosson lost to Overlock, H. N. Π Attridge beat Robertson, Σ N. Venskus lost to Feely, ΘX Langlois lost to Sullivan ATO

The semi-final bouts will take place Tuesday night at seven o'clock. Let's have a big turnout of freshmen to give our boys moral support.

INSIDE DOPE ON WHAT HAPPENED OFF THE COURT ON THE ARDOS- TOOK TRIP

Armand Giguere checks off his usual two points.

"Peanie" Ramsdell plays nursemaid to thirteen year old Mars Hill Junior High girl.

The boys wonder if "Fish" Cormier was waiting for a subway in Houlton.

The Northland welcomed its heroes Osgood and Towle, who showed their stuff.

Spot Shot Russ makes a hit in the bleachers.

Gilman does justice to his good old Alma Mater, Newport.

How did Perkins make out in Caribou?

Faithful Favor remains true to the girl back home.



TOPOLOSKY (HIMSELF) SD.