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RULES LIFTED FOR DORM DANCE

All frosh rules are to be off for the annual dorm dance to be held on the evening of November twelfth. This dance follows the annual football game between the Sophomores and Freshmen. The rules are to be lifted regardless of the outcome of the game.

The announcement that all rules were to be lifted for this dance was made several weeks ago, so that the Frosh would have plenty of time to obtain one of the fairer sex for the occasion. This announcement was followed by much cheering and hand-clapping.

Plans are being made for a big time for the enjoyment of all. This dance is entirely a frosh affair, and is for the purpose of getting the Frosh better acquainted with one another.

HERE IT IS!

This is the first edition of the FRESHMAN. It is our paper, written by freshmen for freshmen.

This first edition is given to you through the courtesy of the N.C.A., and you will soon be called upon to decide whether you wish to subscribe to it. The price will be less than fifty cents for the entire year, and will be added to your class dues.

The material within these pages is widely diversified, and every form of freshman activity is included in its scope. Its purpose is to unite a class which is new to the University, and to promote better class spirit.

FRESHMAN IN ACCIDENT

John Murphy of Oak Hall suffered a cut over his left eye as a result of an accident at the corner of State Street and Forest Avenue in Bangor Monday night. A touring car, which was being driven by Ralph Perry, Phi Kappa House, was demolished when it crashed into a truck reported parked without a tail light. The driver of the truck was ordered to appear in municipal court.

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THE HONOR SYSTEM

Resolutions recommending the adoption of an honor system were placed by student representatives before the student senate for discussion.

The resolutions, compiled by a committee of students in an effort to outlaw cribbing or cheating of any kind, suggest an honor council, with the power of expulsion, to cope with all offenders. The council would be composed of five members, one from each class and two from the seniors, one of whom must be a woman. In each case brought under its jurisdiction, a unanimous vote for conviction is necessary.

Each student under the honor system would be pledged to abide by the honor code, and report by a written statement any infraction of the honor rules. The accused is then personally informed by the council to appear at an immediate meeting to defend his case.

Should he fail to appear or should he plead guilty of the offense, he receives a warning from the board. If he defends his case, the council is privileged to call the accuser and any other witnesses before the council. The defendant is likewise granted the same privilege. Should a student be found guilty of cheating twice he would be immediately expelled from the university. By this method of expulsion the offender is permitted to enter any other university or college provided his scholastic standing warrants it.

Members of the honor council would be selected from each class by popular choice. Freshman and Sophomore voting will take place for the following year in May, while Juniors will vote in June. The incoming Freshmen election would be held in November. The recommendations specify that the chairman of the honor council must be elected from the senior

THE CHIMNEY CORNER

A southern paper recently ran a headline, STUDENT BETTER AFTER SHOOTING. We've often thought heroic measures might be necessary to correct some student ailments, but never considered going quite so far as this.

Take this matter of cribbing now. Wouldn't it after all be more effective, and pleasant, just to sit down and think things through? The cure wouldn't be so hard if we had a careful diagnosis to go on, and that other essential to health, the will to get well.

Things are pretty bad now. Everybody is taking a beating, whether he is caught at the disease or not. Fact is, we are at the place where we must choose whether it will lick us or we will lick it; whether we will succumb to creeping paralysis or stand up on our feet and enjoy life as men and women with all our powers. It lies with us. Let us study it carefully, and will to be well.

FRESHMAN SCHOLARSHIPS

Seven members of the Freshman Class were awarded tuition scholarships by the University as a result of the state-wide contest conducted last year.

Max Fitch of Orono received the highest rank. The others who received scholarships were: Allan Corbett, Orono; John M. Coombs, Boothbay Harbor; Pernice Yeomans, Lee; Alice M. Campbell, Machias; Vernon A. Herrick, Easton; William H. Berry, Fryeburg.

members, while a secretary may be chosen at large.

To be adopted by the university, the proposed honor system must receive the approval of the student body, the faculty, the administration board, and the board of trustees.

SECONDARY NOM'S

From the myriad of names that the primary nominations offered, a final list of candidates was arranged Tuesday night. Under the direction of the president of the Student Senate, John Wilson, the delegates offered their respective candidates.

The following names will go on the ballot to be used at the polls on Tuesday, November first: President; John Adams Howard Foley; Vice-president, Williard Brooks, Thomas Reed; Treasurer; A. Roberts, A. Sweeney; Secretary; A. Higgins, M. Sewall; Executive committee; E. Chadwick, A. Corbett R. Morrison, K. Pruett, E. Vaughn, M. Walker, and Janet Wheeler; Banquet committee: Harold Boardman, Helon Baker, R. Clark, K. Johnstone, F. Peasless, Louise Steves, and E. Sturgis.

FORESTRY

The first meeting of the Forestry Club was held Wednesday evening October 26. The first speaker of the evening was Mr. P.T. Coolidge, who spoke about the taxation of forests. Following this, Mr. Goodspeed, graduate of U. of M. '29 and now a professor at Yale, gave an interesting talk on "Why Graduates Should Continue Their Studies for a Degree in Forestry."

Refreshments were served after the meeting was adjourned. Those present were L. Brown, J. Dunlop, R. Foster, L. Ives, P. Jenkins, C. Marble, R. McRay, G. Northrup, L. Peterson, E. Porter Jr., A. Prince, K. Pruett, D. Sidelinger, J. Spear, F. Finch Jr., and A. Worcester.

FROSH Y.W.

The first meeting of the Freshman Y.W. was held at Mount Vernon on Oct. 12. Miss Wilson led the meeting. The subject for the evening was "Traditions."

At the second gathering of the group, the subject under discussion was "Activities". Various upperclass girls from the different groups gave speeches.

The next meeting will be held at Mount Vernon, Nov. 2, at half past six. The speaker will be Miss Stone of the English department. The subject of the evening will be "Time Budgeting."

UNIVERSITY ORCHESTRA

The University Orchestra meets every Thursday evening at seven-thirty under the direction of Mr. Harold O. Doe.

Freshmen playing in the orchestra are: R. Erskine, H. Little, R. Williard, H. Boardman, N. Blanchard, E. Gifford, E. Carr, B. Racioppi, and R. Kinley.

FRESHMAN PRES. VOTE

The freshmen seemed to be more interested in who the next president is going to be than the upperclassmen, according to the results of the straw vote cast by the school last Tuesday under the direction of the "Campus."

The results of the balloting were as follows:

Hoover	196
Foosevelt	66
Thomas	31
Foster	2
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Approximately 70% of the class voted and two-thirds of this number were for Hoover.

MEN'S SPORTS

Football

Because of the wet weather, the annual football tilt between the Junior Varsity and the Freshman teams, originally scheduled for Friday, has had to be postponed till Monday. The showing that the Jayvees made against Higgins makes them heavy favorites to win.

The men who will start for the freshman team are Doherty, left end, Golobski, right tackle, Frame, right guard, Costa, center, Breslaw or McDougal, left guard, Sidelinger, left tackle, Smith, left end, Vermilyea and Littlehale, half-backs, Adams or Downey, full-back, and Pruett or Sargent, quarterback.

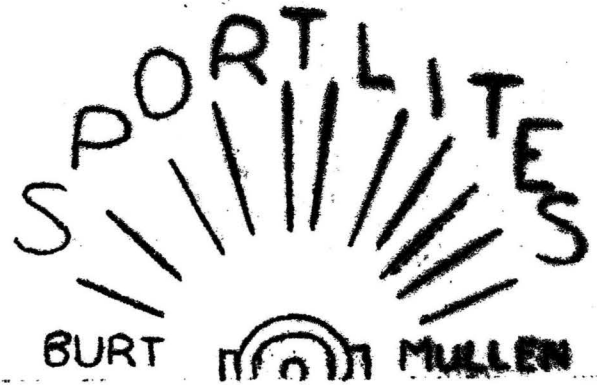
Cross Country

The freshman cross country teams A and B will be cut after a pair of victories Wednesday when they meet Houlton and Winterport respectively.

The men who will run Wednesday are Prince, O'Connor, Ireland, Boston, Huff, Beal, Cameron, Ives, Keller, Blackwell, Hirshon, Clarke, Dionne, and Cunningham. The cross country squad at present consists of about twenty men.

Bowling League

A freshman bowling league has been formed with three teams from each of the men's dormitories. The winning team in this league will play the fraternity team having the highest standing, for the championship of the campus. A prize will be given to the winning team, and individual prizes will be given for high scorers. Anyone wishing to join the league should see either Monroe Romansky in Hannibal Hall, or Maurice Rappaport in Oak Hall.



The Fresh Football team will try for the fourth time this season to break into the winning column Monday when they meet the Jayvees. Their chances for a win seem pretty slim after taking a look at their opponents in action.

And yet they may surprise their upperclass rivals. In twelve quarters of hard fought football, only three touchdowns have been scored against them. They have a strong line and a powerful backfield. It seems to be that old bugbear, the lack of a scoring punch, that is holding them back.

Perhaps another reason for their lack of success is the poor support they are receiving from the rest of the class. This is especially true with respect to the female element of the class. You have no idea, young ladies, how inspiring you can be to your heroes of the gridiron. So let's see a big turn-out Mon. afternoon.

The cross-country teams can do little boasting over their gridiron brothers, for in six races they have taken only two victories, and they have only two more dual races to run. All of which does not look so good for the Freshman-Sophomore track meet at a not far distant date. Two more wins Wednesday will do a lot toward bolstering up their average.

WOMEN'S SPORTS

TENNIS

Tennis was discovered to be the most popular sport among the freshman girls, although several of the enthusiasts were later drawn to hockey. The remaining numbered ninety-four. These were divided into two groups: The beginners and the advanced players. During the fall course written examinations, exhibition games, stroke demonstrations, and all forms of the game are required. Tennis is instructed by Miss Rogers.

HOCKEY

This fall there are about thirty freshman girls out for hockey. Miss Rogers is the instructor, and her students are progressing rapidly. A team has not been chosen as yet, but there is plenty of material available. A schedule of games will be posted in the near future. The games will be well worth seeing so everybody come!

BASKETBALL

A few weeks ago the first basketball call the issued for exhibition games. Between eight and ten Frosh girls applied. There were three in the lineup for the game last Friday. These were: Marie Archer, Helen Baker, and Evelyn Boynton.

DANCING

The aesthetic dancing class under the supervision of Miss Arlene Cassidy is under way. Eight freshman girls are taking advantage of the opportunity and are becoming quite skilled in the art.

A LAUGH A WEEK

Take Heed, Freshmen!

Many boys go to college
 And you will admit
 Some go there for knowledge,
 Some to make a hit.
 In the giddy social life
 Others would excel;

ARCHERY

The freshman girls' class in archery is progressing rapidly under the supervision of Miss Lengyll, head of the Women's Physical Educational Department. Miss Lengyll wishes all girls to see her about extra practise, if they are taking archery for credit.

INTRAMURAL FOOTBALL

The B team of Hannibal Hamlin Hall will meet an as yet undetermined opponent in the final touch football game of the northern league.

Oak Hall and the Dorm A team were both eliminated in the first round games of the tournament. Beta Theta Pi easily defeated Oak Hall by a score of 18-0, while Theta Chi won from Dorm A., 7-0.

If Dorm B wins its next game, it will play a representative of the southern league for the championship of the school.

FRESHMEN IN DRAMATICS

Alfred Sweeney will take the part of Hippolitus Lomi in the coming Masque play, "As Husbands Go."

Among the many freshmen who tried out for parts in this play were: A. Higgins, H. Baker, K. Davis, B. Sullivan, R. Perry, P. Harmon, A. Tanner, E. Little, R. Chase, and R. Tondreau.

NOTICE

There will be a meeting of the FRESHMAN staff Tuesday at 12:45 in the "Campus" office. Anyone wishing to try out for the paper be there.

REMEMBER THE DORM DANCE

In the gridiron's storm and strife
 A few live to tell.
 But a large majority by far
 will confess that they go
 to ascertain if co-eds are
 as cute as movies show.

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THE FIRST SESSION

Greetings, fellow freshmen,---Here I am to harass you with the weekly joys and sorrows for us thirty-sixers.---Is everybody happy? O.K. then, lets commence to begin---The first thing that seems to be very noticeable is the continual presence of certain members of the class at night in the library.---Yes, there are as many girls as boys but do the boys love the secluded tables.---Just ask J.A. he knows. ---It is rumored that the Mt. Vernon girls will be received by the Phi Etas during their next fire drill next Monday night---Will there be room for a few freshmen---Who knows?---Where, Oh Where Have the Little Red Ants Come From seems to be the mutual theme song of all the dorms.---Yes, even the little sugars in Mt. Vernon attract them too.---It has been reported to the paper that some freshman found a freshette cap in a local graveyard---That's not so good but what was he doing there?---Oh, yes, we have a few smart freshmen. One bright member of the class asked his roommate if they served anything at the Tea Dance--His pal replied in the negative and the bright one responded: "I thought they gave you tea to eat at a Tea Dance."---What I want to know is who is My Girl?---There are a few who are in the know, lucky stiffs.---Some of the girls want to know what would happen if: "Spec" Boynton lost her freckles?---"Beanie" Reed lost her fire whistle?---Ruth Colby ever drank milk? ---Georgia Fuller lost here all her pep?---"Jean Harlow" lost her violin?---Or if 'Windy' Brookes didn't have a window?---Ask me sometime and I can't tell you.---It seems that the inmates of Mt. Vernon join in extending their deepest sympathy to Lizzy Ladd because of the death of her pet goldfish--Said goldfish died of over-exposure.---Hey, what is the matter with you, L'il Winchelles in the Maples?---Be there no dirt?---Notice---Anyone wishing to obtain some interesting literature to while away the long fall evenings, please apply to room 408 in Poison Ivy Hall.---Incidentally everyone is waiting with profound--'scuse the two bit word---interest to the day when the "Trapper" publishes: "Adventures in a R.O.T.C. Uniform." Well, we'll be seeing vuh all next week---If I live---And as a parting shot---Be careful not to Suffermore Howls than necessary.

DEBATING

The Debating Club has been meeting twice a week since the first of the semester under the supervision of Mr. Norris and several Sophomore debaters, who are now teaching the fundamentals of debating.

The following freshmen are members of the Club: D. Brown, D. Fitch, A. Gordon, K. Hendrickson, G. Howard, G. Waxman, M. Rappaport, R. McKay, D. Sidelinger, C. Gowen, D. Russell, R. Gleszer, K. Lunt, J. Sealey, D. Washington, W. Berry, A. Rottenberg, S. Benjamin, G. Clarke, G. Beverage, R. Chase, W. Wood, H. Copeland, F. Dennett, R. Atchison, J. Haggott, and L. Hornoff.

ROTC

At the present time all of the freshmen boys eligible for military training are installed in the R.O.T.C. unit.

Drill is now in full swing and it is expected that the freshman officers will soon be appointed.