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GIRLS TO HOLD INFORMAL

Mount Vernon's annual Fall Informal will be held Saturday evening, December 10. A six piece orchestra, Larry's Bears, has been secured to furnish the music for the gala affair, and a Bangor Caterer will supply refreshments.

For the past few days, the girls have been busy cleaning rooms, restocking their wardrobes at Bangor shops, and debating the question of how to invite the boys, to whom they may not speak on the campus.

The committee in charge of the dance consists of Georgia Fuller, chairman, Dorothy Howard, and Evelyn Tracy.

FROSH-SOPH TRACK MEET SATURDAY

Rules Hang in Balance

The annual Freshman-Sophomore track meet will be held next Saturday afternoon. This meet is of great importance to the class for it will decide whether rules are to be continued or not.

Up to date the following Frosh have entered the meet: Gross, Sargent, and Richter in the pole vault; Goulette and Sargent in the hurdles; Hotz and O'Connor in the half-mile; Ives, Beal, and Prince in the mile; Ireland and Blackwell in the high jump; Sidelinger in the discus; Ireland in the high-jump; Frame, Collette, and Thompson in the hammer; Cooney and Huff in the hundred yard dash; Collette and Thompson in the shot put.

Although little is known as yet about the ability of the men in the various events, Coach Jenkins says that the Frosh will probably have their best chance in the field events.

FRESHMAN NON-CORPORA APPOINTED

Twenty-nine Freshmen were recently appointed corporals by Major Oliver. They are: Wood, Guptill, O'Conner, Peaslee, Wakefield, Snow, Haggett, Levenson, Trapp, Solomon, Lieb, Rottenberg, Mindell, Heath, Hays, Hendrickson, Huff, White, Dean, Galbraith, Horonoff, Grant, Hennings, Atkinson, Brown, Howich, Crockett, Seur, and Chittick.

STEVENS HALL ADDITION

The brick walls of the two wings of Stevens Hall are nearing completion. The top cornice of the north wing is being put on now. The one on the south wing will soon be in place.

Both sections are of Colonial style to match Stevens Hall and the other new buildings on the campus. They will be two stories high, and will have class rooms in the basements. The architects were Crowell and Lancaster of Bangor.

The south wing when completed will house the ~~School of Education~~ while the north wing will contain the departments of Psychology, Spanish, French, and Music.

Although it was planned to have the two wings ready by the beginning of the next semester, it is doubtful whether they will be used before the first of March.

WANTED--COOPERATION

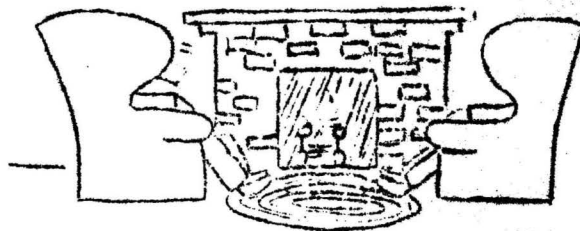
The M. C. A. building is visited almost daily by most of the members of the Freshman class. It seems that the privileges, which this building and organization offer to all, are being abused. The tables, chairs, ping-pong equipment, cards, and card tables are receiving an undue amount of maltreatment. These are only a few of the more evident abuses, but regardless of how many, or what they are, college students should have more pride than to leave the room in such a state after they have had their fun.

It is earnestly hoped and desired that the members of this class will heed this information, and that in the future more consideration for the property at our disposal will be tendered.

COME ON, FROSH

The local preliminary for the State Oratorical Contest will be held Monday evening, December 12, in Alumni Hall. Bates, Colby,
(cont. on next column)

THE CHIMNEY CORNER



Some of our friends recently went hunting and were lost all night. The deer-lure beats everything! What's it matter that many hunters are killed each fall, and even more wounded, lost or otherwise endangered? Next year's army is just as big and trigger-quick, as ready for the risks.

There's some strong reason for this, and it's not the value of the meat. Isn't it the romance? What man, in his heart, doesn't still want to "play Indian"? Many, whose positions and "figgers" long since forbade such crawling on stomachs, find in hunting the outlet for this boyish, romantic impulse. In pitting one's self against swift forest beasts is thrill transcending all caution. Death ever bows to Romance.

But "the forgotten woman" back home prays for a buck fever inoculation for every huntsman, to make him count five before firing the shot that would eliminate her provider.

and Maine will take part in the contest this year. Prizes of \$10 and \$5 will be awarded to the local winners, and the sum of \$100 will be divided among the state contest winners.

Although only one Freshman, Gerald Waxman, has entered thus far, there are surely more who desire to try out. Those wishing to do so must see Mr. H.L. Bricker in Stevens Hall, before Thursday, December 1.

THE FRESHMAN

YE CALFE SESSION

Today is not a day of Thanksgiving for many-----Remember ranks are out today for the first time-----On the other hand, how are you enjoying the cool weather-----John Sealey doesn't seem to mind it-----Colvin Hall is a nice warm place, ain't it Jawn-----In case you don't know it, John is our class Romeo-----Why all the clinking of bottles in Oak Saturday evening-----Why do the boys love the fair burg of Old Town-----Beware the Indians-----How do you like this week's Bull Session-----and last week's-----Some girls at Maples-----and maybe elsewhere-----Are bewailing the fact that the foresters have left for their annual hibernation-----Several men will be wanted now---Take notice Freshmen-----It is rumored that ye Ed. has a scarlet flame-----By the way-----How can we have a good paper if everyone goes home and stuffs themselves with eats-----Those who stayed here were tame-----Hence no dirt-----Y'know, dirt it a horrid word-----but it is worse in the column of this hyar paper-----Well, lets call it quits-----No news is good news and you won't be bored any longer-----But watch out next week

School Life -----A Paradox

School is a funny place, if you study, you're a dig, if you don't you're lazy. If you pass, you've got a drag, if you don't, you're dumb. If you read the funnies, you'll never amount to much, if you don't, you've gone high-brow. If you play up to the professors, you need their help, if you don't, you lack diplomacy. If you speak to everyone, you're too democratic, if you don't, you're a snob. If you dress well you're showing off, if you don't, you're a mess.

RIFLE TEAM TO START AFTER CHRISTMAS

According to reports from the military department, the Freshman rifle team will not be organized until after the Christmas recess.

At that time practice will begin, and a captain will be chosen from the high scorers. Throughout February, matches will be held with other R.O.T.C. units. The competition is carried on by means of comparative scoring. In any match, the score of our team is sent to the other team, and in this way the winner is determined.

The Freshman sharpshooters will practice twice a week, probably Tuesdays and Thursdays, and in addition, the members will be allowed to practice individually during any spare periods in the morning.

OUTING CLUB TAKES FIRST HIKE SUNDAY

The Maine Outing Club will make its first hike of the year next Sunday afternoon to the standpipe, across the Stillwater River.

A lunch of hot-dogs, coffee, etc., will be served. Among the Freshmen who are members of the committees in charge of the hike are Dana Sidelinger, Laurence Ives, and Donald Huff.

THANKSGIVING BASKET A SUCCESS

A Thanksgiving Basket filled by members of the Freshman Y.W.C.A. with vegetables, canned goods, and other food, was delivered to a needy Orono family Thursday morning.

This was the first project undertaken by the Y, and was very successful. The girls in charge of filling the basket were Claire Saunders and Agatha Kitrick.

C'EST TOUT

SPORTS

MEN

Basketball

A large number of Freshmen are expected to answer Coach Bill Kenyon's call for candidates at the Armory this afternoon.

The schedules for the Freshman teams are not quite complete as yet but there will probably be sixteen games. Practice will be held every afternoon. There are several former prep school stars among the men who have announced their intention of trying out for the squad, and a successful season can be expected.

Boxing

Twenty-five freshmen reported to Red Hagan, student boxing instructor, last week. These men will practice Monday, Wednesday, and Friday evenings in the gym, in preparation for the intra-mural boxing contest next spring.

The Freshmen who are now in training are: Ford, Higgins, Kadish, Crabtree, Hutchins, Logan, Smith, Haggett, Kilas, Tilton, Dean, Stillphen, Duncan, Harris, Somers, Sargent, Wood, Pinkham, Howich, Wollston, Bryer, Coombs, Manning, Grant and Hayes.

WOMEN

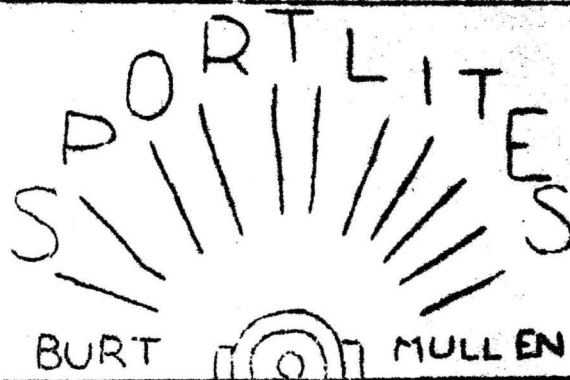
Rifle Team

A meeting of those girls wishing to try out for the girls' rifle team was held today in the sun parlor of Balentine Hall. A few Freshmen attended.

Those who were unable to attend the meeting may see Betty Barrows, captain of the team, or Josephine Muttly, manager. No credit is given members of the team.

Basketball

Basketball practice for girls starts tonight at 7 o'clock in Alumni Gym. Practice will be held Monday and Wednesday nights from seven to nine o'clock.



With only a week before the annual Freshman-Sophomore track meet, enthusiasm is running high, and the men who are to enter the various events are putting in a lot of hard practice daily.

To the Sophomores, the meet is only another inter-class activity, but to the Freshmen it is of vital importance, for should we be victorious, all rules would be automatically lifted. With this incentive in view, our track men can be counted upon to do their best.

Now that the cold weather is with us, it seems very improbable that the finals of the autumn tennis tournament will be played this year. In the deciding match, Al Rottenberg was to have met Charlie Lampropoulos. Both men, however, will have little difficulty in making a place on the team next year, judging from their fine play in the recent tourney.

Because of the small number of men entering the FRESHMAN ping-pong tournament, it was decided to hold it over until this week. New equipment has been obtained for the tournament, and a fine trophy will be given the winner. There is a large number of men in the class who are good players, so why not take advantage of this opportunity?