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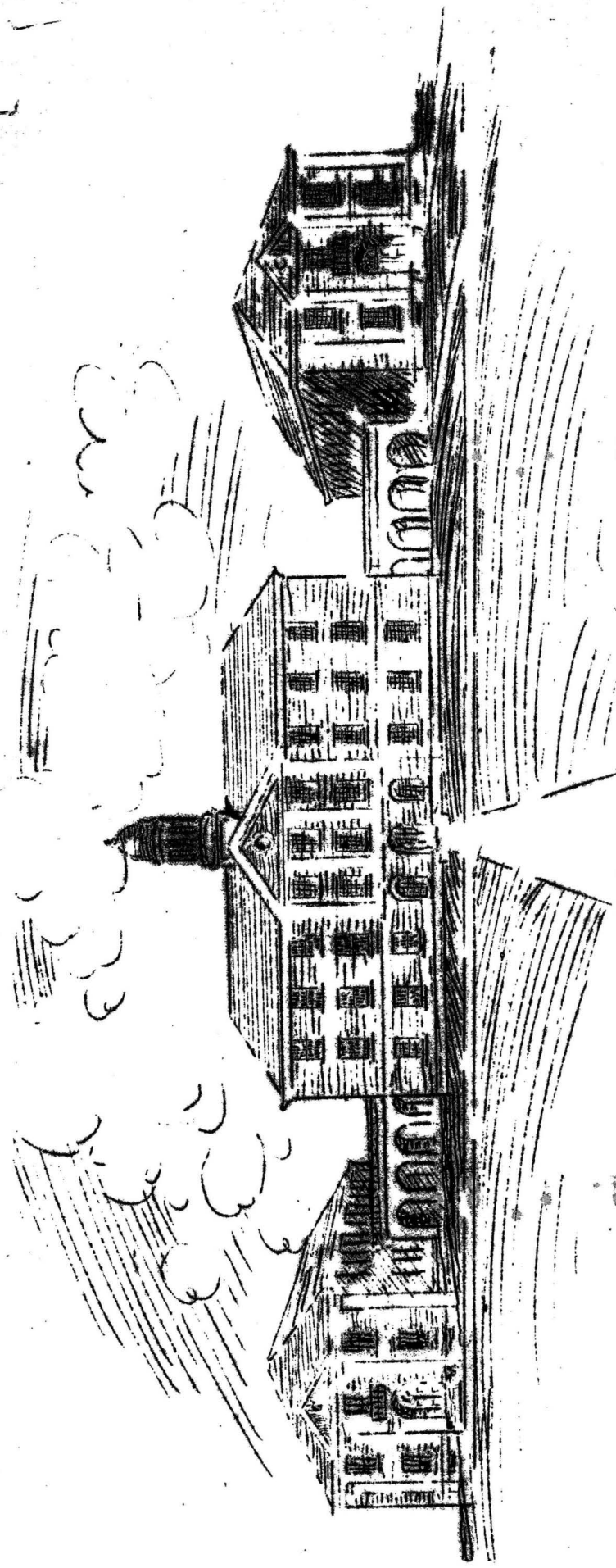
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Stevens, with its two new wings ~

ARTS STUDENTS ARE "ANGELS"

WINGS ON EACH SIDE OF THEM

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Editorial

The attitude of the freshman class as a whole has been very much in the wrong so far, and the actions of certain members at the President's Reception last Wednesday evening certainly left a very bad impression with the University in general. This reception is given by the President and is his only real chance during the whole year, to meet us. Naturally, all concerned are supposed to put their best foot forward, and be gentlemen. The events which took place, however, showed that some people thought they should conduct themselves in exactly the opposite manner. This sort of stuff does not go over, so will all the little cowboys who are responsible for this, stop their degrading actions.

At the last two freshman football games, the class has failed to show any interest, whatsoever, and consequently, there is no support. The FRESHMAN suggests that two cheer leaders should be called upon to organize the cheering. We have a great team, and if we support it to our utmost, the team will fight harder knowing that they have all their fellow-students in back of them.

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This is the second of a series written exclusively for the FRESHMAN, by various members of the University Faculty. The following is written by Mr. Milton Ellis, Head of the English Department.

Once when I was a freshman, I sent in two short articles to the Campus expressing my views on two recent measures affecting our class. The result was gratifying in one way--I was invited to become a reporter for the Campus. But it appeared that the University was not interested in the views of a freshman--or so the editor thought--and the articles never saw the light of day in print.

There were a good many sniffs on the campus when, two years ago, the first issue of the FRESHMAN appeared from the "press"; but some of us felt that a long-felt want was being supplied. After two years, we still feel that our opinion was justified. We anticipated, of course, the usual amount of ballyhoo about the red-headed girl that Joe Campus was seen with in Bangor Saturday night, but we knew there was much real news of interest to the first year men and women for which the University newspaper doesn't have room. More important, however, is the fact that the FRESHMAN offers a medium for the expression of real grievances suggestions, or criticisms which ought to have an outlet and which, when thoughtful and well-founded, may serve a useful purpose.

So I say to the editor of the FRESHMAN, "Go ahead and make the sheet as entertaining, and at the same time as useful, as you can". Appreciate and back up your editors; let them know when you approve, and when you think they are not living up to their proper standards; tell them frankly that you think so, and why, and how you think improvements can be made.

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Frosh Swamp Ricker Classical

Still smarting from the drubbing suffered in the Bridgeton game last week, a powerful Frosh team smothered Ricker Classical Institute by a score of 39-13.

In the initial canto, both teams pushed the ball over the final stripe for scores. Brailey of Maine, on the kick-off, ran the ball back to Ricker's 30 yard line and after a couple of line bucks, Brailey carried the ball over for the score. Brewster kicked the extra point. On the kick off, Ricker, displaying a surprising brand of passing and running, marched 80 yds. for their first tally, a pass from Robbins to Rafford was good for the point.

In the second quarter, both outfits crossed the goal line. The Ricker lads, starting from their own 24 yd. line, uncorked an offense and tallied when Rafford ran 7 yds. on an off tackle play to score. The Cubs came back strongly and after a determined 68 yd. march, Minitti skirted the end for the touchdown.

In the third period, after sawing back and forth, the fighting cubs rolled over the third touchdown. Hamlin, a former Hebron star, ran 16 yds. on a triple reverse and gathered the first of three scores. Brailey, on an off tackle play reversed his field and ran 90 yds. for the second. The third was made by Minitti, terminating a 60 yd. march

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Harriers Drop Two In Dual Meet

Teams A and B, the cross country teams, suffered defeat Saturday at the hand of the powerful Lee Academy and Brewer High School outfits. The final scores were 25-37, and 30-37. This is the first defeat of the season, but the team is undaunted and ready for the meet next week with the Hopedale, Mass. harriers.

In the first meet between Frosh and Lee, Lee was first to break the tape, covering the 2.9 course in 17 min. and 25 sec. Hunniwell of Maine, not far behind, finished second. Following is the order of the finish: 1st. Stevens, Lee. 2nd. Hunniwell, Maine, 3rd. Cobb, Lee. 4th. Chase, Lee, 5th. Gatti, Maine, 7th. Pinkham, Lee, 8th. Corbett, Maine, 9th. Webb, Maine, 10th. Crocker, Lee.

The Brewer team took first and second places against team B and while Heald and Baylor took 3rd. and 4th. places, the orders of the men finishing, were as follows: 1st. Mayo, Brewer, 2nd. Dalton, Brewer, 3rd. Heald, Maine, 4th. Baylor, Maine, 5th. Hyson, Maine, 6th. Hooper, Maine, 7th. Perry, Brewer, 8th. Pratt, Brewer, 9th. Burnett, Brewer, 10th. Parker Brewer, 11th. Murray, Maine.

Dow of Maine, in the last quarter, made the final touchdown for the baby boars and Brewster kicked the point. For the visitors, Rafford and Dobbins starred, while Dow, Minitti and Brailey were outstanding for the Frosh.

Reception For Freshman A Success

Throngs of freshmen walked up the brilliantly lighted path to the President's house last Wednesday night for the annual reception given by the Boardmans.

With Dean Wilson and Mr. Hinch acting as ushers, each student was introduced to pres. and Mrs. Boardman and then went into another room where an informal gathering of the faculty was receiving the class of '37. Students enjoyed conversation with the various representatives of the faculty for a few minutes and then proceeded into the next room where delightful refreshments were served.

After refreshments the evening was spent in talking with one and another, and singing around the piano. Incidentally, a great deal of hitherto undiscovered talent was brought to light in the latter form of entertainment.

Those members of the faculty who were present were: all the Deans and their wives, Rev. and Mrs. Cecil G. Fielder, Registrar James A. Gannett, Mr. and Mrs. A. K. Gardner, Mr. and Mrs. E.H. Sprague, and Dean Wilson.

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Organized support means that we will get to know each other better individually, and as a class.

Might we suggest that before the next varsity game, the freshmen delve into their hand-books and learn all the cheers and songs. The cheers have been so ragged, that the players have been unable to hear them at all. We want our college to come out on top, so get those cheers and show some class spirit which has been so sadly lacking in the past.

Max Montor Addresses Student Body

Max Montor, the famed German actor, rendered some very interesting readings from Schiller, Goethe and Heine, and passages from Shakespeare and Teissing, to a large audience assembled in Alumni Hall last Thursday morning.

This widely known personage, a Viennese by birth, but an American by adoption, has appeared in many prominent European and American theatres and has visited over one-hundred and twenty five Universities in the past year. It has been estimated that he has traversed over sixteen thousand miles during the time that he has been interested in drama.

Thursday evening, Herr Montor presented a series of sketches in German, to an enthusiastic group of students, in the Little Theatre in Alumni Hall.

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The editors do not need to be reminded that news written with sloppy grammar or cheap and time-worn witticisms, is merely bad news-writing. Ask Jimmy Moreland if it isn't. And one thing more, to all the freshmen: Dr. Turner and his English staff are hired to help you to become better engineers, teachers, lawyers, county-agents, or whatever you are going to be, through knowing better what and how to speak and write in your everyday business and activities, if you will let them help you by giving you cooperation. Let's go N.R.A. in this too.

The guest of last Sunday night's Freshman Forum was Mr. Steller, teacher of sociology at the University of Maine.

In his discourse, he emphasized particularly that during a college course, a student should teach himself to think out existing social conditions, not merely accept them because they are there. The institution of war and industrial conditions of today were played by Mr. Steller as irrelevant in our present society. He closed by pointing out that if a student does not begin understanding economic and social relationship in college, he never will.

Mr. Jimmy Moreland will be the Forum's next speaker.

Thirty-five freshman girls have reported for hockey. Many who have not played the game, before, are finding out what a grand sport it really is. There are scrimmages every afternoon between the freshmen and upperclassmen, and Coach Rogers would like to have the girls come out for as much practice as possible. We need a best team for the games which are scheduled to take place this month.

Y.W.C.A. HIKE

On Thursday, October 12th, thirty members of the Y.W.C.A. hiked to Piney Knoll. The freshman class was represented by only eight girls. A fire was built and lunch, consisting of hot dogs, cider, coffee, and doughnuts was served. When it got dark, the picnic was finished with a lot of "close harmony" which was kept up until everyone reached the dorms.

INTRAMURAL SPORTS

Sunday morning, all the lads from Dorm B, on the intermural touchfootball team, met the powerful Sigma Nu outfit. The Frosh team made some very brilliant passes in which Wilson starred, but were finally forced to kowtow to the Sigma's to the tune of 6-0.

The line-up for the Frosh was as follows: F.B. Carr, L.H.B. Wilson, R.H.B. Haskell, Q.B. Lee, R.E. Hunn, R.T. Whiting, C. Loveless, L.E. Violette, L.T. Seavey, Lawless, L.G. Felberg.

The boys in Oak Hall won their first game in the Intermural Touch-Football schedule Sunday afternoon, when they defeated the Beta House by a score of three firstdowns to two.

The lineup for Oak Hall was as follows: L.E. Tyler, L.T. Staples, L.G. Peterson, Filbrown, C. Lindenbergcr, Bucknan, R.G. Levine, Mosher, R.T. Limmons, R.E. Brooks, R.H.B. Upham, L.H.B. Mader, F.B. Rederick, Q.B. Cadarette.

Did anybody notice the disconsolate expression on several girls' faces last Monday? There was a good reason for it--Freshman girls' tans had arrived!!! Each girl put off as long as possible going to the book-store to buy the long-awaited hats.

Then, on Tuesday morning, the freshman class came out in all its glory, for the combination of the boys' caps and ties and the girls' blue tans dotting the campus made a picture that, to say the least, was anything but inspiring.

Debating Society Meets

The Debating Society held its first meeting of the year, Wednesday, October 11th. There were twenty-four students present.

At this meeting, Coach D.W. Morris outlined the coming activities of the society. On January, there will be two debates with Bates. One will be broadcasted over W.L.B.Z, Bangor, and the other over W.C.S.H. Portland. The team will be composed of two sophomores: Clark and Hendrickson, and two Juniors: Boothby and Kapton. Besides this, there will be an intercollegiate discussion at Bates. Gordon and Stewart will represent Maine.

For the benefit of the new members, there will be a plan of community debates. A team will be sent to any organizations in nearby towns wishing a debate for part of their program. There is also some idea of sending men out to address clubs and other groups, in order to gain experience in speaking before an audience.

The debating club will hold a dance in Alumni Hall, Friday, Nov. 11th, and the proceeds of the dance are to pay for the annual debating tour among the eastern colleges. Further developments and plans will be announced in a later issue.

Last Thursday the permanent officers of the Maples were elected. Those who were chosen were: Pres. Marjorie McKinnon; Vice Pres. Ethel Bingle; Secretary, Phyllis Phillips; Treasurer, Marjorie Young; and Fire Chief, Ann Bradley.

Stag Dance

In Alumni Gym last Friday Evening, a large, colorful crowd attended the dance given by Sigma Delta, honorary mathematics club. Larry and his bears furnished the music, and played several numbers on request. Refreshments were served in one corner of the gym during the intermission.

Two novelty dances were held; in which the young lady standing on a certain spot after the music had stopped was awarded a prize.

Miss Dorothy Towne of Bangor, the guest of Mr. Kenneth Kimball of the Delta Tau House was awarded the first prize, a beautiful Maine banner. The second, a duplicate of the first was awarded to Miss Helen Thompson of the Freshman Class. Over fifty freshmen attended the dance.

The chaperones were Professor and Mrs. Bryand, and Professor and Mrs. Lucas.

Calendar

Monday, Oct. 16-

1:00-Meeting of off-campus women, 30 Coburn.

Tuesday, Oct. 17-

1:00-FRESHMAN staff meeting
M.C.A. Building.

6:45-CAMPUS broadcast, WLBZ.

Friday, Oct. 20-

8:00-Stag Dance, Alumni.

Afternoon-Freshman football vs. Kents Hill.

Saturday, Oct. 21-

New Hampshire vs. Maine, 2:00

8:00-Colvin Informal.

Sunday, Oct. 22-

4:00-W.S.G.A. tea, Balentine.

6:00-Freshman Forum

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Back again after another week that was uneventful...wish something would happen----Maybe it would if some of you would wake up to the fact that you're alive....Everyone goes around acting half-dead....Y'know in a place like this,one has to make his own fun----Wake Up.

Too bad some more people don't appreciate what's done for them....The host of our reception had a tough job brushing his teeth and combing his hair...the mornin' after...I suppose it was all in fun but little boys mustn't touch things that don't belong to them....

While we're hashing over the reception.....-What's this strange power Stagg has....Peggy Snow wouldn't let him leave...Looks like the well-known Green-Eyed Monster.... Why must Jack Frost be so affectionate (in public?).... ---Moxie-plus.....I hear Frances Austin is quite a singer, and talker ???.....

They say y (chief) Tourrtelot is joining an Indian tribe ... at least he was seen with a red-skin in the club-room Sat.night... South section fourth floor is sort of a nursery, the kiddies have more darn fun thrwoing water down-stairs...Oh,well----I And speaking of children, Jack Bessem is making the "cutest",ittle, bittie---sail-boat...more fun.... Cupid (with the help of Na ida Saunders) arranged a lovely romance on the tennis courts.....Oh,well....they say the "Old Ox Road" can be most any place... (...What d'you know... Ken Young's with us again)....He seems to be turning things on in a big way... what with nurses and so on ... where ye goin' son?.....I hear Helen Thompson receives thrilling (oh, my dear...) letters from her fiance... Ah me,.....love, love everywhere, but.....I wonder if Al's

Sweeney will be able to change Marjorie Young's mind about good old Karl?.....Absence makes a heart go wander, etc..... I hear strange rumors about those "vicparties"....Oh! this younger generation.....

"An army officer is a gentleman".....I see some line up to that... very nice of the man (dunno who) who kept Barbara Wyeth warm at the game.DID YOU KNOW THAT?..... There are mice in the dorms?..... Ask Caroline Brown.....that Kay Bunker wears a diamond?....personally I think it's a dirty trick.....

A certain little girl wanted to know what a couple were doing in the shadows of Coburn....MMNmmmm I wonder if she found out?.... McCrumm stayed in this week-end, maybe this razz does some good after all. We have two famous riders (or liars, probably the latter) in 310 Hamlin.....ask them to talk polo.Crabtree gets his car by fair means of foul..imagine-provaricating to one's parents...sorry, state of affairs..... There's a dope fiend in our midst..he got hopped up and left his bed over the week-end.....(Whew, what a collection in this class, burglars, gunmen, snowbirds. is any one safe?..... Due to the advertising of our last issue, Mary Dunton has gone out again twice..... NOTE:-The ring has disappeared.....

We hear that Barbara Wyeth is taking up pipe smoking..... Gatty gives pretty good haircutsIts time to lend their ears to..... oh nuts.....

The "Iron"