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Elections Postponed

The final class elections were postponed last Tuesday because of the fact that the nominations of the class of 1935 were not valid. The elections will be held all day long Tuesday next.

The nominees are: President: Leslie Hutchings, Portland; Robert Ninison, Waterville; vice-president Leo Buckminster, Sedgwick; Lewis Lappin, Brookline, Mass.; Leonard Litchfield, Bath; secretary: Muriel Perkins, Ogunquit; Kathryn Bunker, Calais; treasurer: John Singer, Thomaston, Seth Williams, Augusta.

Executive committee: William Stillman, Providence, R.I.; Barbara Bertels, Bangor; Morris Day, Princeton; Lewis Dodge, Belfast; Paula Vallely, Sanford; Burr Dascombe, Livermore Falls; William Kierstead, Rockland, Mass.

Banquet Committee: Phyllis Phillips, East Orange, N.J.; Phyllis Dimitre, Calais; Theresa Oakman, Danvers, Mass.; Leonard Gates, Crono; John Gatti, Portland; Gordon Coffin, Norway; James Dow, Houlton; Carol Stevens, Bath.

Football Season to End

The freshman football season terminates this coming Friday when they meet a powerful Jay Vee team. The team has been very successful so far and has won three out of the five games played this fall. They have lost two, one to Kents Hill and one to Bridgton.

Sixty-five candidates responded to Coach Phil Jones' call, and soon a snappy, deceptive team was under way. In the backfield, Tapley Dow, Brewster, Brailey, and Minutti have been outstanding players while in the line Hamlin, Bullard, and Swab have starred.

Because of their lack of experience the team should be highly complimented for their record.

World's Fair In Gym Soon

A World's Fair, sponsored by the M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A. and the Liberal Club, will be held Saturday, November 18, in the Memorial Gym.

The World's Fair, a type of entertainment never before seen on the University campus, is put on for the purpose of stimulating the students interest in world conditions at large, to provide a sinking fund so that some of our leading speakers will be able to address the student body on international affairs, and to demonstrate the different customs of foreign countries.

Nine leading countries will have booths at the Fair. They are: Germany, Japan, Italy, Russia, France, China, Sweden, Holland, and India. Handiwork novelties, souvenirs, and food will be on sale. Impersonations of national figures, such as Gandhi, fortune tellers; and Gipsy entertainers will be offered for amusement. In the evening a stag dance will be held, and during the dance, an auction will take place.

The World's Fair is novel, as well as instructive entertainment, and the cooperation of the freshman class will help make the affair a success.

The co-committee consists of: Clifford Ladd, '34, and Mildred Haney, '34.

The general committee consists of: Lucinda Ripley, '35, Kay Wormwood, '36, and Alice Campbell, '36

The members of the freshman class wish to express their appreciation for the recent work Frank Morong did for them.

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FROSH BEAT COBURN SMEAR COBURN TIGERS

Playing a brilliant game of football both on the offense and the defense, Tapley and Dow, backs, led the University of Maine Freshman team to a 7 to 0 victory over a battling Coburn Classical outfit last Friday afternoon on Alumni Field. Coach P. L. Jones' Club proved too strong an opponent for the visitors and missed a couple of opportunities to score on account of bad breaks and frequent penalties. Brewster also featured in the Maine win while the leading players for Coburn were Savage and York.

The Maine touchdown came in the third period after Tapley carried the ball on a triple reverse to Coburn's 35 yard stripe. A beautiful 30 yard pass from Dow to Hamlin brought the pigskin to the 5 yard marker. After two plunges by Dow and Tapley, the former plowed through center for the touchdown. Proctor's placement was good.

Previous to this score the freshmen seemed well on their way to a touchdown. Tapley received a Coburn punt and ran it back 30 yds to Coburn's 40 yard line. A sustained drive with Dow chiefly carrying the ball, found the pigskin resting on the 9 yard stripe but here the visitors staged a strong defense and took the ball away on downs. Brewster, Maine quarterback, contributed the longest run of the afternoon in the final quarter when he gave a brilliant exhibition of broken field running which was good for 45 yards.

Maine (7) Coburn (0)
 re. Brown, Morrison, Childs; rt. Bulard, Parsons; rg. Mack, Houston, Hutchins; c. Colbert, Crozier; lg. Spooner, Dodge; lt. Proctor, Piunter; le. Hamlin, Williams; qb. Brewster, Bessom; lhb. Tapley; rhb. Braley, Aliberti; rb. Dow.

HOULTON HARRIERS OUTRUN FROSH

The Maine freshman cross country team was easily defeated by a score of 17-40 last Tuesday afternoon by the Houlton High School Harriers, national cross country champions last year. Captain Bill Hunnewell of the freshmen was the only runner who offered the visitors any trouble. He led the pack until the last quarter mile and Brown of Houlton forged into the lead and broke the tape for first place, running the grind in 17 minutes and 14 seconds. Hunnewell trailed a scant two yards behind for a second place.

Following is the order of finish: 1, Houlton, 1, Brown; 2, McCann; 3, Lawrence; 4, Sherwood; 5, Hardy; 6, Middleton; 7, Barnes; 8, Maine, 2, Hunnewell; 9, Dalot; 10, Webb; 11, Gatti; 12, Hayson.

FRESHMAN STICKSTERS DEFEAT JUNIORS

Last Thursday the girls' freshman hockey team defeated the juniors to the tune of 4-1. It was a fast game from start to finish. "Lib" Storey and "Barb" Lancaster did some brilliant playing for the freshman while Elizabeth Ashby did some fine work at clearing out.

On Friday, eleven confident and very earnest freshmen ran out on the hockey field determined to beat the seniors. Both teams put up a strong fight and showed some excellent passing. The seniors finally took the freshmen down to a 4-1 defeat.

Following is the freshmen lineup: rw. B. Shop; ri. Dill; c. Storey; li. Lancaster; lw. Ayer; rht. Jones; chb. Stover; lhb. Oakman; rib. Cliff; lfb. Folger; Goalie, Ashby and Lovejoy.

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The FRESHMAN is published Mondays during the college year by the members of the class of '37.

An article from a member of the Faculty could not be secured, hence the editorial.

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— EDITORIAL —

Although regarded by many as an old fashioned affair and one to be tucked away with moth balls, it seems that the practice of pre-game rallies seems to become one of U. of M.'s institutions again. Marked success has been realized in the last two meetings, due, in no small part, to the support of the Frosh. The informality of the occasion is such that one may cheer one's head off and pass unnoticed, which probably accounts for the fact that the Frosh have supported these rallies to a man.

No better opportunity is offered to show one's enthusiasm over an approaching conflict than at one of these meetings where the hail-fellow-well-met-atmosphere prevails.

The upper-classmen have been cooperating to their full extent and have lent a certain amount of stateliness to the affairs. They did not participate with a feeling that their dignity would be lowered, and an indifferent attitude was conspicuous because of its absence. Their support is as much appreciated by the Skulls as the presence of the Frosh is.

Merely the presence of these men of experience signifies their

The opening by the United States and Russia for immediate negotiations concerning the revival of their relations was made known last week by both countries. For a long time the recognition of Russia by the United States has seemed inevitable, and these announcements were by no means a surprise. President Roosevelt intimated that serious difficulties had to be cleared. However, with the impending visit of Comissar Litvinoff, there is every reason to believe that these complications will be satisfactorily overcome.

The chief reason for the delay of the United States to recognize the Soviet Union in the past has been because of its amity with the Third International, but this is no longer true. Russia has apparently broken away from the idea that a world revolution is exigent for the success of its form of government, and now is merely concerned with stabilizing Communism within its own territory. The question of war debts and their form of government has also entered in during the past. But everything cannot be harmonious with American beliefs.

Therefore, in justice and fairness to Russia as a world power whose government seems to be as permanent and reliable as many others; for the strengthening of international peace; and for the resultant expansion of trade, this country should recognize Russia.

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interest in the perfection of snappy cheers and songs. However the responsibility of future rallies rests on the shoulders of the class of '37. Let's be there in full force, Frosh, and show that we cannot only be seen but also heard!!!

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GIANT RALLY and STAG DANCE FRI.

Attention, Class of '37!
Next Friday night in the new Memorial Gym, all the organizations on the campus are going to join together in staging the biggest and best pep rally ever held at the U. of M.

Coach Brice will speak and Arthur Deering and Phil Jones will act as toast masters. The two leading women's organizations, the All Maine Women and the Student Government, are going to present several sport stunts. The University of Maine Military Band will play.

The Committee in charge consists of: Duke DeCourcy (Senior Skull), Ted Curtiss (chairman), Blondie Hinks (ass't dean of men), Phil Jones, Don Corbett (Senior Skull), Johnny Quinn (Senior Skull) and Donald Huff (Sophomore Owl).

EVERYBODY BE PRESENT!

First MCA Sing Held

Shades of our ancestors!
Once again "Sweet Adeline" rang harmoniously thru the M. C. A. building during the first "Sing" of the year, last Friday night.

From 7 to 8 everyone strained his vocal chords trying to outdo his neighbor. The result was slightly painful and ear-racking occasionally but a good time was had by all.

Betty Sullivan '36 sang several old favorites and our one and only Jack Frost did a tap dance.

Last Tuesday night, Miss Stiles gave a marshmallow roast for the girls in the Maples. After two strenuous hours of studying, there was a stampede to get down to the fireplace. Marshmallows were roasted and eaten, while the girls sang, led by Fern Allen.

Wednesday, Nov. 8
8:00 Maine Masque Play

Thursday, Nov. 9
8:00 Maine Masque Play

HOME COMING WEEKEND

Friday, Nov. 10
6:30 Maine Night Rally
8:00 Senior Skull Stag Dance

Saturday, Nov. 11
2:00 Football
Frosh vs. Junior Varsity
2:00 Bowdoin-Maine Game
6:00 Tea Dance
8:00 Phi Gamma Delat informal
8:00 Phi Kappa Sigma informal

Sixteen Freshmen to Make Stage Debut

This Wednesday and Thursday evening, sixteen Freshmen are going to get up on the stage in the Little Theater at Alumni Hall and give you everything they've got. For the last three weeks they've been working every spare minute just to get together a performance worthy of your approval. They've been working hard--and they deserve at least the support of their own classmates. This will be the first Masque production you've ever seen, and, just for your information, let us state that the Maine Masque is considered the best amateur dramatic group north of Boston.

If you can't go Wednesday, drop everything and go Thursday night. Now is your chance to show some class spirit, if you've got any. Don't let your classmates feel that their own class isn't behind them. Let's all go and show the other members of the college the loyalty of the Freshman class.

Let's all be there!

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THE BRANDING IRON

Brrrrrr-----a little chilly, ..
.....isn't it ?Here it is Nov
ember-----me, oh, my---what'll it
be like when winter comes-----
"Cold Love ?"-----more brrrrrrrrs
"Paine Night" is this Friday...
.....some of the boys seem to be
practicing up -----should be a ga
la affair.....Looks promising, any
way.....It's nice to be priv-
ileged.....Some of the women would
like to know how Ruth Rich and
Betty Bowles got out of wearing
caps.....it might be a valuable
secret---maybe they could comme-
rcialize on it -----***---Joe Grad
y was seen passing notes in the
bookstore.....with a frosh
girl at that.....Tut, Tut.....
Madeline Russon very clever sche-
mer....gets Carl an invite to the
vic party so she can bring her
happa Sig Romeo.....Oh, wottt...
-----Connie's pedals extremities
are slightly shaky---she fell a-
gain....seems strange-----
And did that photographer feel so
foolish when the entire Freshman
Staff broke out laughing at his
request to "look at my face", while
the picture was being taken.....
*****Warning; all person' (mascu-
line) take care going by the place
of "upid"-----Call your shots....
Is it because Jack Frost has an
awful crush on the gal, or what ?
....Anyway he raised such a rumpus
over an item intended for last
week's Iron that it had to be kil-
led....."Oh, dear---what can the
matter be ?"-----
.....Barbara Bertels gets so hot
and bothered whenever a certain
blond football star looks at her.
.....'fraid it's hopeless.....
.....Did you know that Gatti
used mercurochrome after his
reprimanding the other pm.....
.....the naughty boy.....

*****There is still
baby talk at the Maples...The
little girl thinks she's cute.
Tom Evans went to a dance in Weld
and rushed a eleven year
old beauty.....What would you
call that ???...George Smith
seems to go to see his sister an
awful lot....brotherly love ??.
Barbara Wyoth is working the
well-known double-cross at Maple
.....still water runs deep..
....Angela Johnston has transfer-
ed her affections to some other
guy....(don't know who he is yet
....but she went to the Colby
game with him)...Howard Stagg is
rather griped because the Fresh
man board's picture
better get a new press agent...
....Frosh seems to like Colby
gals, at least they seemed to be
turning it on royally at their
gym dance...Joe Collinson and
Ethel Bingle have their trials
and tribulations...Crabtree and
Sawyer and girls went to Bosto
for the week-end....Ray Bunker
doesn't like brightly lighted
Christmas treesGood....
...What were Tosses and Clarke
doing in Bangor that night?...
Mesh Crockett left for Pitts-
field with a nickel-----he
came back with two bucks-----
thanks to the galloping dominoes
-----After sending in some
good things last week you let
down-----You should be able
to pick up plenty this week-end
-----Let's see it-----
Well then, until that time-----
So long,

The Iron