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# FROSH FINISH UNBEATEN CROSS COUNTRY ONE OF BEST TEAMS WIN IN RECENT YEARS

Both of the Freshmen cross-country teams were returned victorious in their last home meets of the year. The two meets were run at the same time. The course was very heavy from the recent rain. Sawyer of Old Town led the pack home in the very good time of 17 minutes and 30 seconds. This is very good time considering the fact that there was a cold biting wind as well as the heavy footing. Both of the Frosh teams bunched their men well together and near to the front. Waddington of the Frosh finished in second place not very far behind the winner. Team A run up a score of 25-35 to defeat Old Town while Team B was taking Brewer by a score of 23-39.

This meet was used by Coach Jenkins as a time trial for the New Englands which take place a week from to-day. The first seven men to finish will represent Maine. This number will probably include Waddington, Smith, Cain, Hersey, Wishart, Ireland, and Schoppe. Team B journeys to Lee tomorrow to race the strong cluster of hill and dalers that will represent that school. Among those who will make the trip will probably be Henderson, Kelley, Fuger, Ford, and two or three more.

The invincible 38'ers didn't have any band to play for them while they won their final game of the year from the Maine School of Commerce. The two teams battled on about even terms for the first two periods. During the last half the Freshmen came back strong to score three touchdowns and three points after. The final was 21-0. As this was the last game of the year Coach Jones gave every member of the team a chance to show his stuff. The game was played on a gridiron that has been typical for the last seven or eight weeks. In the line Gleason, Fish, and Laurin played their usual steady games. Much credit is due these boys for these linemen are the ones who help to get the backs into the open. This point is usually very much overlooked when you see a back come thru the line and break into the open. Give some credit where credit is due. Enough for the line. Elliot, Tobey and Swenson stood out in a backfield that has been unstoppable all year.

### The Lineup

Maine Frosh	Commerce
Laurin(Adams)(Hayes)	le Cormier
Gleason	lt Stromback
Fish(Shannon)	lg Clukey
Lees	c Lane
Rubin(Goding)	rg Randell
Harding(Scute)	re Londer
Graham(Reidman)	rt Hichings
Elliot	qb Jameson
Tobey(Hussey)	lhb Buonett
Swenson(Lord)	rhb Jowdy
Reidman	fb Jenkins

## THE FRESHMAN

The Freshman is published on Mondays during the college year by members of the class of 1938 of the University of Maine.

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### HOME COMING WEEK

It was good to see the Alumni return to the University this last weekend. It reminds us that our life at the University of Maine is a worth while, important phase of life, a phase which we will return as often as circumstances shall permit. It shows us that they have gone through the mill, have studied, worked, played, and left the University with the hope that they might return often. Here they have lived the best years of their lives; here dreams were made, plans spun, and hope born.

Let us take our lesson from those returning Grads. Let's cram each week, each hour, each minute with the best we have; let's live the best we know how for the future may be cold. The present is ours, to do with it the best we may.

### MORE BAD MANNERS

We heard BOOING at the last game!! Unquestionably, one of the worst offenses to the good sportsmanship record held by the University is the habit of expressing our feelings by "booing". Remember, the referees of our games are trained men. It is their business to return an unbiased judgement upon points which often escape our attention. Besides, booing cannot help the decisions; it can apply and reflect to our disadvantage.

### DISCUSSION MEETINGS

We would like to extend a cordial invitation to the freshmen to attend the discussion meetings which are being held Sundays under the direction of Rev. Fielder.

Directly after breakfast in the M.C.A. building is held a non-sectarian devotional meeting which is followed by a short discussion period.

Immediately after supper a general discussion is held in the recreation room in H. H. H. At this time discussions on every subject of general interest will be undertaken. It is planned to feature each meeting with an address by some guest speaker.

### CALANDAR

Monday, November 5	
Tuesday, November 6	Choral rehearsal
Wednesday, November 7	Band practice
	Masque play
Thursday, November 8	Masque play
	Choral rehearsal
Friday, November 9	Stag dance
Saturday, November 10	U. of M. vs. Bowdoin

# FROSH GIRLS CLASS ELECTION BEATEN WEDNESDAY

Lucy Cobb was appointed acting captain of the senior-frosh hockey game Wednesday. Although the senior team overpowered the freshmen, there was much sportsmanship displayed by both teams.

The game also brought Miss Jane Clement to the limelight; she has every appearance of developing into the class of 1938's star athlete. As center on the team, she displayed much ability to avoid the skillful senior goalie, and score goals for the Frosh team.

Betty Clough and Lucy Cobb showed much talent on the field, and Jo Perfida's alertness marks her as a future star.

All in all, the Frosh have many hopes of developing into active athletes.

Margaret Miller, powerful goalie of the Frosh team is confined to her bed with injuries received when she was hit by a hockey stick in last Saturday's game.

Wednesday evening those girls taking tennis as their major activity were entertained by motion picture describing the most important knowledge and tactics of tennis.

## PING PONG TOURNEY STARTS

A ping-pong tournament will start on Monday, November 5 with about seventy-two Freshmen taking part. It is under the supervision of the M.C.A. A suitable trophy will be awarded to the winner.

The election of the Freshman class officers will be held Wednesday. The candidates are as follows:

### President

Lincoln Fish

John Gowell

### Vice President

Thomas Lees

Robert Tobey

### Secretary

William Thompson

Russell Bartlett

### Treasurer

Nancy Hennings

Randolph Smith

### Executive Committee (Vote for five)

Andrew Adams

Stanley Fuger

Richard Hayes

Donald Kelley

Robert Schoppe

Georgia Taylor

Barbara Ware

### Banquet Committee (Vote for five)

George Call

Fred Chatterton

Alice Collins

Betty Drummond

Wallace Gleason

Philip Rogers

Fred Sturgis

### The Song of a Bird by E. Adriance

My way was lost in night  
Dark fears left uncontrolled

My mind and stumbling feet.

When suddenly a bird  
Awoke and thrilled his song;  
And there between the trees  
I saw the coming dawn.

When darkness overshadows,  
And fears obscure the way,  
Ah God, let dawning light  
Awake some tiny bird  
To sing, and give me faith.

This is the third of a series of informal discussions by members of the faculty of the University.

Patriotism has been understood as the willingness to fight and die for one's country. It is no longer so narrowly conceived. The modern patriot is a person who concerns himself with the welfare of his fellowmen and contributes to the enriched life of his community and his country. So with school spirit and class spirit. It is no longer necessary in order to create or express loyalty to one's class to participate in class welfare. This is one of the easiest and lowest techniques for such a purpose.

But what other means are there? The use of symbols, common projects and the achievement of members of the class of which, not only you but entire University are rightly proud, all will aid in creating this intangible spirit you so desire. The very caps you so dislike may be a factor in uniting your class. Since the Freshman cap is a symbol uniquely yours. This year you can make it mean more than the symbol of oppression. Your numerals are another symbol that ties you together. The Project of publishing this paper is an excellent tool if skillfully used. Working together on such goals develops interdependence and mutual satisfactions. The contributions already being made by your members in music, public speaking, and sports should only increase your efforts to encourage such contributions.

And so, members of the class of '38, what shall class spirit mean to you? Shall it mean union on projects which will deepen the meaning of your symbols and make each of you everlastingly proud of what they stand for? Shall it mean consideration of the welfare of fellow students and enrichment of life at the University of Maine? Shall it only be "up with '38 and down with '39 or our class standing for the best in campus life so that our University will be the better for our being here? Dean Wilson.

## Society

Dorothy Mitchell from Bar Harbor was a guest of her sister Jean Mitchell at the Maples over the week end. Marie Gregory from Caribou, Mildred Thibodeau from Colby College and Margaret Wright from Caribou visited ~~at the~~ Currier at the Maples over the week-end.

Dorothy Thibodeau and Margorie Spooner from Caribou visited Mary Pendle, Maples, for the week-end. Betty Higgins from Deering was a week-end guest of Louise Getchell's.

Those who went home over the week-end were, Miriam Hilton, Solveig Heistad, Hildegard Forten, Edella Murphy, Diana Hight, and Maxine Parlin.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Sutton visited their daughter Mary over the week-end.

Barbara Ware entertained her father and mother, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Ware, for the week-end.

Last Thursday Lucille Rankin, Mary Hale Sutton, and Althen Millet entertained Miss Stiles, Matron of the Maples, and Mrs. King, Matron of the Phi Mu Delta House at the Maples for tea.

All Freshmen who are interested in participating in the Freshman-Sophomore track meet should report to Coach Jenkins this week. In the event of a Thanksgiving week-end recess, the meet will be held November 24. This leaves less than three weeks in which to get into condition. Here is the chance to get off rules. The Sophomores have a strong team and can only be beaten by the concentrated efforts of the class of '38. Let's have everyone out as we have the chance to be one of the few Freshman classes to win this meet.

# The Tower of Babel 5

Miriam Hilton has a green freshman tie in her room. We can't figure it out.

Al went to the Chateau alone Saturday night. Who's been responsible for the 'phone calls Mary-Hale Sutton has been receiving?

Some people like Fish on Friday but Betty Fournier likes him as a steady diet.

Demerits were given out generously in Maples over the weekend. There was much weeping and wailing and gnashing of teeth. Balentine girls don't seem to have to worry so much about this.

If there was anyone who didn't know the Stein Song prior to Saturday's game we'll bet they know it now.

Bob Fuller and Bud Sherry entertained their Portland flames royally over the weekend.

Evelyn Adriance and the Baron are out climbing trees again. That should prove something.

Joe Stiry is another one who goes big for Colby co-eds. Gus Swensen was relieved of his freshman hat by a young woman the other night.

Healy can't take it! Sunday was his birthday and he didn't dare to stay on the campus.

Newcomb of 212 H.H.H. took Lora of Colby to the football game on Saturday. How did she like the Maine cheering section?

Georgia Taylor, Alice Collins, Barbara Ware, and Marjorie Lynds have decided they are all four point students--a point apiece.

It seems that things keep following Willy where ever he goes. It seems that Bill Van Gundy got his wires crossed on Saturday evening. Ask Elliott.

Why does Doug Thompson take those nightly strolls to Orono? Barbara Ware and Rod Elliott were noted deep in the "Cabbage Patch". We wonder who the freshman boy replacing a certain Junior in Getch's affections is?

Who was the handsome gentleman to escort Marjorie M. Thompson to the last stag dance?

We wonder if Barbara Brown ever got her shoes cleaned. Imagine serving sour cream!!!

We'll bet Fran Jones enjoyed being off freshman rules. How's about it, Betty?

Verge has changed from ringing Bells to playing Crosby radios. Nobody's man around the Maples is safe.

Did Alice have any finger nails left after a certain play in Saturday's game?

Rose Whitmore is still going out with the freshman.

Is Jack Frost still climbing up on the Balentine fire escapes?

It looks serious, Key.

The Babblers