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FRESHMEN TO TAKE ON BRIGTON ACADEMY IN A DUEL MEET ON SAT.

On next Saturday afternoon Coach Jenkins squad of yearlings will face a strong track squad representing Bridgton Academy. This will be the first meet in which all of the events will be scheduled.

One race that is sure to have plenty of appeal will be the 600 yard dash in which Hurwitz of the Frosh will battle it out against Ralph Askov, formerly of Portland, now sporting Bridgton colors. Both men had plenty of experience and it should develop into a race to the finish. Fuller, running the thousand for the Freshmen, will be up against a fast man when he encounters Hanley of the invaders. Another good competitor for the visitors will be Whitten who has topped almost twelve feet in the pole vault. They also have a shot putter who has done close to fifty feet in his special event. For the Frosh Gowell and Smart are the best bets in the hurdles. There are quite a few dashmen who are apt to break into the scoring. Some of these are: Boettcher, Dow, Pierce, Smith and Shea. In the 300 yard dash Boettcher, Dow, Sherry should carry off most of the points. The Freshmen are ably represented in the mile run with Waddington, Cain, Troland, Hersey, and Wishart and Dean. The Freshmen are well balanced in the field events with Smart and Ireland and in the high jump; Hardison is the best pole vaulter out. In the shot put there are several capable men in Rogers, Ireland, Fox and Davis. The running broad jumps well taken care of by Gowell, Boettcher, Shea, Dow and Sherry. Buzz Sherry should place high in javelin with Dow and Boettcher potential point winners. Rogers Gleason, and Harvey in the 35 lb. weight and Sherry, Drake, and Harvey in the discus throw should come in for their share of points in these two events. Come and support your team. 2 o'clock Sat.

TEAM B TAKES THRILLER FROM RUMFORD TEAM B LOSES TO MONSON ACAD.

On last Saturday night Bill Kenyon's crew of Frosh basketeers split a twin bill. Team B lost to a determined outfit representing Monson Academy. On the other half Team A put on a spirited finish to nose out the Rumford Panthers by the score of 33-32.

In the B team game Monson showed superior playing ability showed to a marked advantage. Team B was not up to their usual game and the visitors took very good advantage of it to run up an early lead and hold it to the end. Additon, Veague, and Adams played good games for the Frosh.

The Rumford club started off auspiciously by running up a good sized lead which amounted to ten points at half time. The first half was marked with basketball which was at its best only mediocre. With the beginning of the second half the Frosh opened up their amid the incessant roar of the very partisan crowd. Rogers and Chute started things off with baskets in quick succession. Going into the third period the lead which had been piled up in the first half had been cut in to and the Frosh steadily forging to the front. The Frosh came within striking distance several times during the first part of the last period but couldn't seem to get in the lead. With about a minute left to play the Frosh went into the lead by one point from this time on they were content to pass the ball about and keep it entirely to themselves. The whistle found the Frosh one point to the good 32-31.

This made the third game this week in which the score has been decided by the margin of one point. Hebron going down 35-34 on Tuesday night. Gilman High of Northwest Harbor falling 17-16 on Wednesday night.

Rogers, Swenson and Chute played good consistent games for Team A while several were outstanding for Team B.

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EDITORIAL

Last week, at a bull session, one of the fellows concluded a tale of woe with the following: "Oh well, life is only a hard preparation for a permanent bed six feet under the ground." and, knowing the fellow we almost believe he meant it.

What a tragedy. What a waste of life. Here we are, blessed even more than the average, with a chance to enjoy life to the fullest and to make of ourselves what we will.

It is a good life. We wish we could tell just how fine it is. Every day is a grand adventure. Every day, from the mere fact that it is a new day and a new adventure should fill us full of the joy of living. Yes, we know all this is true: we are aware of the fact that copy-book maxims don't cheer us up when we are blue, nor do they make optimists out of pessimists, but we would pass on a couple of arguments that have helped us when the going has been hard.

First, we believe that no one is unhappy unless he deliberately invites unhappiness. Unless he allows his mind to dwell upon troubles, real or fancied, he cannot be unhappy. Therefore, we suggest, and we know it works, that if we are faced with difficulty, that we answer the question as well as we can and then drop it completely and think no more about it.

Second: We concur with the man who said: "I do not make mistakes; I only experiment, and no experiment is futile because it either points to something which cannot be done, or that can be done, and it is necessary to know both."

Third: Don't worry about what is to come. Do what you think is right and then forget it. Tomorrow is another day, another adventure; yesterday was a lesson learned. And last: Don't take yourself too seriously. When we feel blue we just remember that we are but one of millions. Therefore, we answer our questions, then we go ahead and do it, and forget it. We know that we go on to victory, we can but learn-and the greatest lesson we have to learn is this: Life is a grand adventure, no matter what our circumstances, we should concentrate upon making the most of it. We should welcome the best, shun the worst, and have one good time doing it.

ATHLETIC SCHEDULE FOR THIS WEEK

Monday-Dorm A vs $\Phi K \Sigma$
Dorm B vs $\Delta T A$
Wednesday*Team A vs Winslow
Team B game
Frosh vs Juniors (girls)
Thursday-Dorm A vs $T E \Phi$
Dorm B vs $B \Theta \Omega$
Saturday-
Frosh vs Bridgton Acad.
Track meet in afternoon
Night-Team A game
Team B game

Support the team!

Women in Sports

This week the girls' basketball teams begin inter-mural competition Wednesday the Frosh A Team plays the Junior A Team and Friday the B Teams compete. Miss Rogers isn't very optimistic about her Frosh Teams but maybe if they show some of the pep Miss Rogers claims she witnessed at the last practice, they will surprise her. Her lack of optimism is due to the decade it took the girls to understand a few fundamental plays. The coach has been holding out on us as to her selection for the first teams. Those who will probably be considered are: Mary Leering, Betty Clough, Ross Whitmore, (her dribbling had quite a startling effect), Adolphine Voegelin (after she learns to play pig), Blanche Holman, Mary Leighton (despite the heaviest), Betty Mitchell, Norma Seyders, Marguerite Benjamin, and Junie Clement.

VIC PARTY.

Fifteen couples enjoyed dancing and moving pictures of Hawaii Saturday nite at the Maples.

Among those present were: Nancy Henning, Dick Lunt, Evelyn Adreance, Kenneth Arlen, Blanche Hobman, Paul Woods, Alice Collins, Al Duff, Louise Getchell, Liston Paquette, Maxine Perlin, Jack Higgins, Jean Mitchell, Ray Dunlery, Marion Hatch, Dick Berry, Marjory Thompson, Gerald Hart, Betti Bruce, Jimmy Salisbury, Lena Refuse, Bob Aldrich, Bee Loy Hodgkins, Vernon McFarlane, Betty Mitchell, Gerald Smythe, Diana Hight, George Smith, Marguerite Pickard, and John Delong.

Stag Dance.

The Pale Blue Key sponsored the stag dance held Friday Night at the Alumni Gym. Among those present were: Bill Thompson, Phil Rogers, Edella Murphy, Meriam Hilton, Georgia Taylor, Barbara Ware, Russell Orr, Stanley Dunla, Fred Stur...

Stag Dance Continued

Fred Sturgis, Robert Boynton, Charles Lowe, Marguerite Davis, Mary Leighton, Marguerite Pickard, Ethel Mae Currier, Bernard Keff, Johnny Gowell, Keith Bates, Bud Dean, Eleanor Gould, Donald Kelly.

Smokers.

There have been several very good smokers at different fraternity houses during the past week. Last Monday night many of the boys played Bingo at the Delta Tau Delta house. The same evening, S.A.E. and Kappa Sigma had motion pictures of several Maine sports.

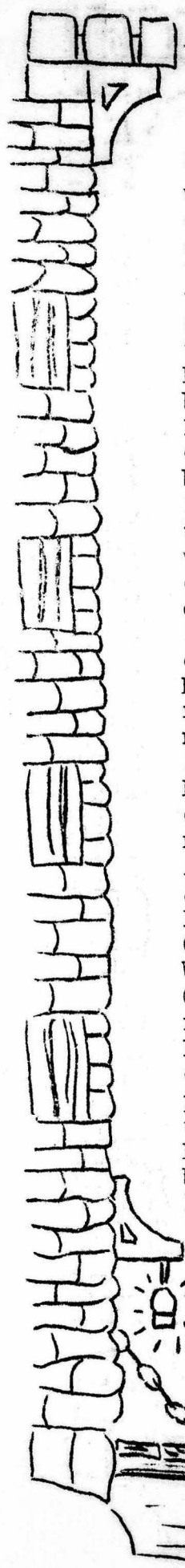
Wednesday evening there were five smokers. At A.T.O., there was a very good demonstration of amateur theatricals, followed by a wrestling match between Sammy Reese and Carl Honer (In the bag). Phi Gamma Sig had a baffling magician; Lambda Chi had a good bunch of fellows singing, playing cards, playing musical instruments, partaking of cider and donuts, playing Beans, etc. Several other frats had smokers on Wednesday evening also.

Thursday evening Phi Gamma Delta had a smoker. Quite a few fellows attended and saw some of Ted Curtis motion pictures of athletic events.

Friday and Saturday evenings, many of the frats held Vic Parties to which Freshman were invited.

Colvin Formal.

The annual Formal dance at Colvin was held last Friday evening. Everybody was having such a good time that it was with reluctance that Parley Reynolds' Orchestra was heard to play its concluding number of the evening. President and Mrs Hauck were among the guests, and seemed to enjoy the dancing as much as any one else. The committee in charge was Dot Sawyer, Lee Blackington, Hope Wing, Carolyn Currier, and Beth Schire.



THE TOWER OF BABBLE

Solveig cant eat, she cant sleep, she cant study when she is away from him-but can she talk also can she eat when she is with him, especially cheese sandwiches, eh Porter?..... How did Marguirite Piccard develop the beautiful eye? We wonder, anyway there is always the one about running into the cowshed door.....To think that the Maples would turn into a cradle snatchers union, tech, tech..... Bar harbor seniors seem to have something that the boys at the U. Of M. lack. Wont you tellus?.....Maxine Parlin seems to have joined the select class, just another of those who think that love is just around the corner, but picking the right corner is not always the job that it is cracked up to be.....Next time that Solveig tells Evy and the Baron that the lights didn't flick we doubt if they will believe her.....Quite a few of the girls have been rushed with an over abundance of date requests for the coming house parties. It is also a fact that the Frosh are turning to the upper class girls for dates in an appreciable amount..... Bud Dean has decided to be an Archer no more or less next Friday night.....Jim Bean the rythm king of middle section og Hamlin Hall was very much in evidence at the Stag dance held last Friday night...../We have discovered that there are several onion enthusiasts in the Maples.....Miss Styles does not favor the atmosphere that they create, 'tis rumored. And now a little jumble of some of the modern music . Just Once TOO Often, Stars Fell On Alabama. When Its Dark On Observatory Hill, Love Is Just Around The Corner and I Think of YOU With Every Breath I take. When the team was behind who came to the rescue? Good ole Zilch, he put the crowd on its feet when he rushed to the rescue of the falling Team B Sat. night. He claims that thereson that he didn't haul the game out of the fire was because he was not playing his own position..... Many of the boys are just marking time until the twenty-third of the month. 'Tis nice to have somebody back home like that.....You have it bad when you have to call somebody up, send a regiserd letter all on the same night.....Not much going on at least in the open where it will reach waiting ears. Jeannie and Arbie seem to be having quite a time as to what it will be , friends, pals or what have you The house parties should be a good place to get you who always seem to be one step from the column. Here's for a happy weekend.....

The Babblers