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FROSH ATHLETIC TEAMS HAVE UNSUCCESSFUL WEEKEND.

The freshman athletic teams, baseball and relay, lost out in their encounters. The baseball team fell before a high-geared team from Bridgton Academy while the relay team, competing in a special medley mile relay, fell victim to the jinx that has been chasing Maine relay teams all season. The relay team competing at the New England at Portland against eight other college freshman teams came in last due to an unfortunate accident. Hurwitz, running the 440, as lead-off man was in second place to a 51 second quarter. Gowell running the first of two 220's closed the gap and handed the baton to Boettcher who went out and gained two yards on the field. When he went to pass the baton to Fuller, who was running the half mile, a Boston College man stepped on his heel and tripped him up, in falling, the baton hit Fuller's arm and bouncing off. Before he could recover it the rest of the field was far in the lead. New Hampshire won the race mainly because of their anchor man who ran a 1:56 half mile.

The baseball team suffered two defeats this week, one Wed. from Higgins Academy, in a slugger's battle 11-9, while on Saturday they went down before the fast moving Bridgton Academy nine.

Prof. (sternly) - "I shall not start the class until the room settles down."

Sympathetic Student - "Go home and sleep it off, old man."

"Guess my pen will have to go on itching."  
"Why."  
"I'm all out of scratch paper."

TWELVE FRESHMEN CHOSEN TO SERVE AS OWLS FOR THE COMING YEAR.

Twelve outstanding Freshmen were chosen, during the baseball game between Maine and Bates, to serve as Owls for the coming year.

The men chosen were; Lincoln Fish, John Gowell, Tom Lees, Basil Fox, Sidney Hurwitz, Dwight Lord, Ernie Reidman, Bob Schoppe, Phil Rogers, Joe Greenlaw, Harry Shute, and Ralph Viola. A bid to the Sophomore Owl Society is the highest honor that is attainable for a Freshman.

Fish and Lees are pledges of Kappa Sigma fraternity. Fish was prominent in football, and was temporary class president last fall. Lees has been active in football, basketball and baseball. He is the vice-president of the class.

Fox and Rogers are pledged to Phi Eta Kappa fraternity. Fox has been a regular player on the football, basketball, and baseball teams. Rogers is the president of the Numeral Club and has been prominent in four sports. He also serves on the Executive Board of the class.

Harry Shute and Ralph Viola are Theta Chi pledges. Shute has played on three of the freshman sport teams, football, basketball, and baseball. Viola was a promising candidate for a position on Phil Jones football team, until the injury jinx robbed him of his chance.

Sidney Hurwitz is one of the most promising middle distance men ever to run for the frosh. To date, he has been undefeated in his event, the quarter mile. He is a pledge of Tau Epsilon Phi frat.

Johnny Gowell and Dwight Lord are pledged to Phi Kappa Sigma. Gowell is president of the class and has been the shining light of an undefeated freshman track team. (continued on page 4)

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## REMINESCENCE

After watching this year slip away, we're perfectly to agree with Dr. Einstein that time is a relative thing. Just a snowdrift and a wink ago, we came to Maine as green, green freshies. Now, we've growed up, and when next we visit the campus it will be to grin at the antics of a new bunch of freshies.

But we've done things in the short time we have been here. Our athletic teams have built a record that the class is proud of. Our scholastic record, so we are told, is a bit better than the normal, and, altho our perspective may be blunted by the fact that we have been the scribes for the class, we can't help thinking that the class of '38 has made a good beginning. It is hoped that it will be more than a beginning—that it is a promise. It is to be pitied that the succeeding years will take from us some of the comradeships that have been built up. Already, the fraternity spirit has split us into fraternity groups instead of class groups.

This is a difficult editorial to write because there is so much to say: We might review at greater length what has been done, but we want, we might make prophecies, but they would be weak things; we might just wish that the promise of this year will be multiplied in the next three—and we will! We might just say adieu, to the "freshman" class—and we do: as the FRESHMAN, it has been our privilege to herald the evolution of our class: we have reported its successes, and its failings, and

and we are happy to say that the latter have been far less than the former. It has been our pleasure as the class paper to attempt to entertain you with our "Tower and House", if we have hurt, we are sorry, it was all in fun; then we have tried to tell you the happenings in our news, we appreciate our failings, but it wasn't too bad, we hope, so now we are going to complete our year by wishing  
 BEST OF LUCK AND ALL SUCCESS TO THE  
 CLASS OF '38. The "Freshman" '38

On Tuesday, May 20, four one act plays were presented in Little Theatre. They were directed and acted by students, most of them being freshmen.

The casts were as follows:

"Two Crooks and a Lady"—

Miller, the hawk, William Perlmutter; Lucille, the accomplice, Josephine P. Profita; Mrs. Linsvane, Marion Hatch; Miss Jones, her companion, Marguerite Davis; Garrity, the policeman, Bob Laverty.

"The Feast of the Holy Innocent",—  
 Cornelia Milk, Louise Getchell; Clesia Milk, Bernice Hamilton; Mrs. Oberle, the blacksmith's wife, Hilda Scott; Jennie, her daughter, Jo Profita; Mrs. Oman, Jean Walker.

"The Third Man"—

Mrs. Hausman, Bob Laverty; Mrs. Hausman, Florence Shannon; Adelaide, Hilda Scott; Marguerite Davis.

"The Postscript"—

Mrs. Valiera, Bernice Hamilton; M. Lancy, Beatrice Emery; a servant, Jo Profita.

## MISS 1938 CONTEST

Who is the most popular freshman girl on the campus? We would like to know, would you? As there will be no more papers it will be impossible to announce it through the paper. Write your choice on a piece of paper and hand it to some member of the paper and if enough interest is shown the winner will be announced—possibly on the bulletin board. Hand in selections before Wednesday noon.

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He is unbeaten in the hurdles, broad jump, and 300 yard run. Lord has played consistently on the football, basketball, and baseball teams.

Joe Greenlaw was on Team A of Bill Kenyon's Basketball fives. He was also active in football, and at present, is out for the baseball nine. S.A.E. pledge.

Bob Schoppe, who is an A.T.O. pledge, was on the cross-country team. He also serves on the Executive Committee.

A.O. BOSE BANQUET.

On Friday, May 22 nd, the Alpha Omicron Pi Sorority held it's annual Rose Banquet, in the form of a picnic at the girls field house. It is the custom each year for the sophomores, freshmen, and pledges to prepare and serve this banquet to the seniors. During the banquet, each senior was presented with a red rose, the sorority flower.

CHI O. BANQUET.

Xi Beta chapter of Chi Omega held their annual banquet, honoring the new initiates, at the Bangor House last Wed. evening. The freshman initiates are; Betty Drummond, Lucy Cobb, and Mary Deering.

Louise Hill '33 served as toast-mistress, and the speakers for the evening were, Phil Johnson, Lee Blackington, Betty Sullivan, and Carol Stevens.

A bachelor is a man who never makes the same mistake once.

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Upper-Set the alarm for two.  
Lower-You and who else?

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MANY FRESHMAN GIRLS TAKING PART IN THE ALL MAINE WOMEN PAGEANT

"Pandora" as written by Mrs. Mark Bailey will be presented on June 7th by the All Maine Women as a part of the Commencement Week program. The freshmen taking part in the pageant are Rose Whitmore, Norma Lueders, Sara Littlefield, Margaret Hinckley, Marguerite Picard, Alice Collins, Barbara Ware, Georgia Taylor, Louise Getchell, Bernice Hamilton, Marjorie Thompson, Mary Wright, Marguerite Benjamin, Nancy Hennings, Betty Littlefield, Helene Diehl, Amelia Woodman, Joanne Stuart, Solveig Heistad, and Lucy Cobb.

Music for the pageant will be furnished by Beryl Warner, Ruth Kimball, and Marion Hatch.

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A patient in a hospital awoke after an operation and found the blinds of the room drawn.

"Why are those blinds down, doctor?" he asked.

"Well," said the physician, "there's a fire burning across the alley and I didn't want you to wake up and think the operation had been a failure."  
-Red Cat-

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Little Boy-"Papa, vat's a vacuum?"

Second Dialectician-"A vacuum is a void, Sammy."

Little Boy-"I know, papa, but vat's the void mean?"  
-Chicago Phoenix-

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"Oh, Dear, I've missed you so much!"  
--and she raised the revolver and tried again.  
-Log-

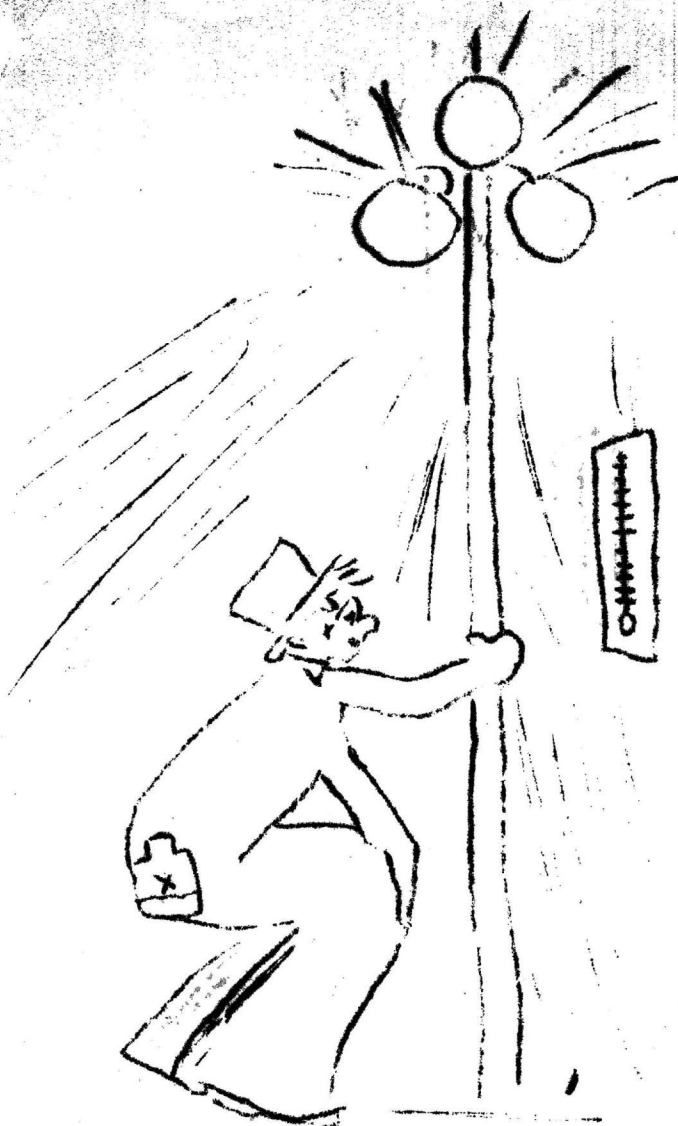
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"Waitress, what's wrong with these eggs?"

"I don't know. I only laid the tabâ2"

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The professor rapped on his desk and yelled, "Gentlemen, order!"

The entire class shouted, "Beer!"





Charlie Lowe is as fickle as a Maine spring day. Be careful, old man, the worst hangovers come from mixed portions.... The peeping Tom's heaven would be the painters scaffold at the Maples.... Pearlmutts acting is realistic, Profeta shot, he fell, and an egg bump roos on his forehead.... In spring, fancy turns to thoughts of love; but what queer shapes Cupid tekes. It's got Wally and Betty playing leap-frog, and Charlie and Helene counting the bricks behind Stevens.... Jim Beans upholstered Juliet is faithful--to men.... Does Dwight Lord always make errors when the girl friend is around?.... Hurwitz says, "All Maine girls are uninteresting." Maybe he looks in the wrong places.... Lucille Rankin could hardly believe that Johnny was really here the other night. Four months is a long time.... And there is the question of what Mahatma Gandhi would have done if he were in Sir Walter's shoes at the rescue of Queen Elizabeth from the mud puddle.... No matter how hard she tries, Adolphine can't

Yecawd! I'm late for dinner again. win.... Heard behind Memorial Gym, "There comes a time in every womans life, when--" He, "Well, I've got the time.".... What did Ellen think he wanted to go out in the car for, anyway.... Mary Leighton wouldn't go to the movies Sat. night, but she would talk on the phone for a half hour.... Where does Bee Lou's heart lay? In Bar Harbor, or Lambda Chi?... Johnny and Janey went into the country to pick wild flowers. Janey's mother went along too, so they pickwd wild flowers..... Phil, "Why do you like me honey?" "Is it because of my brains?"---Virgie, "It's hard to say sugarplum. You've got a head but so has every coin."..... 1st Veteran-"Did you ever eat any hash?"-----2nd Ditto-"No, I always remember the fate of poor Dugan when he was in the war. He was eating some in France when someone yelled, "Whoa!"--and he choked to death.....

A\* canoeing she would go. Tradey runs as deep water, silently, mightily..... Rose, "So he told you that you had a one-track mind?"-----Jeannie, "Yeah, but he didn't get away with it. I told him that it was a bored track when I was with him."..... Don't forget to vote for your choice in the most popular girl contest.

Adieu