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In Memorial Gym.

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Frosh Football Candidates Are Heavy Group

51 Men Weigh More
Than 170 Pounds
And 14 Over 190

All indications at the present moment point to the probability that the 1944 freshman football team will be a powerhouse. At registration Wednesday well over 100 men signed cards saying that they had played football. Of this group about 80 are of more or less known ability. Of the 80 there are 51 who weigh over 170 pounds and 14 who weigh over 190 pounds.

Several of the freshmen come to Orono with excellent records behind them. One of these is Higgins, of Bangor, who was All-State last year. Others that will be worth watching are Nute, Curtis, and Brownlee.

Two men registering in this class come to Maine with football names if nothing else. They are Sims and Kisonak who had relatives at the University back in 1930 and 1931 who were chosen to the All-Maine team.

Besides these there are several others with names that sound promising. Obar, from his looks, is just what his name sounds like. He weighs 202 pounds and was better than six feet tall by a couple of inches.

Another name that has been prominent in recent sports circles is Angel. He is a 182 pound, 6 foot 2 inch tackle, and if he is anything like his namesake

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Owls To Enforce Freshman Rules

The Sophomore Owls begin their active duty on campus with the enforcement of freshman rules Wednesday morning, the first day of classes. The seventeen members, who were elected last spring, include John Creamer, Dana Dingley, Stanley Frost, Carleton Goodchild, Frank Haines, George Harvey, Richard Martinez, Dwight Moody, Clifton Nickerson, Bertis Pratt, Lloyd Quint, John Radley, Frederick Shepard, John Stewart, Gordon Tooley, Lowell Ward, and Robert Weisman.

Creamer, who ran on the cross country and track teams, is now in his first year at the United States Naval Academy.

Dingley received a Charles F. Woodman scholarship and the Owl award. He played football and is a Phi Mu Delta pledge. Frost is a cross country and track man and is also pledged to Phi Mu Delta.

Goodchild is a football and track man and is pledged to Phi Kappa Sigma. Haines is a member of the class executive committee, played football, and is a Beta Theta Pi pledge.

Harvey is on the track and baseball squads and is pledged to Kappa Sigma. Martinez, president of his class, was elected sophomore member of the athletic association. He was active in the Arts club, is a cross country and track man, and is a Phi Gamma Delta pledge. Moody is a cross country and track man, pledged to Phi Eta Kappa. Nickerson, a Phi Gamma Delta pledge, was a member of the football, basketball, and baseball teams. Pratt was the University's tennis champion and was a member of the basketball squad. He is pledged to Phi Mu Delta.

Quint, a Sigma Chi pledge, played basketball and baseball. Radley was the recipient of the second Owl award, a member of the cross country and track squads, and is a pledge to Phi Mu Delta.

Shepard is treasurer of his class and was on the Dean's List last semester. He played football, is a track man

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Special Staff Edits Freshman Week 'Campus'

This special Freshman Week edition of the "Campus" was prepared by a staff that came back to college early for the purpose. Included were Warren Randall, editor-in-chief, Paul Ehrenfried, news editor, and Robert Willets, sports editor. Richard Cranch, Corinne Comstock, Catherine Ward, Martin Scher, and Philip Pierce also contributed to the edition.

Freshman Coach



PHILLIP A. JONES

All-Maine Girls To Help Frosh Get Adjusted

Senior Honor Society
Will Assist Girls
To Feel at Home

With the opening of school next Wednesday, the All-Maine Women will function as a group to make the freshman women feel at home, said Helen Wormwood, president of the leading women's honorary society, early this week. The All-Maine Women, all of whom are seniors, were elected last May and include Mary Bates, Mary Boone, Corinne Comstock, Elizabeth Emery, Elizabeth Gammons, Alma Hansen, Virginia Jewett, Catherine Ward, and Helen Wormwood.

Miss Bates is president of Chi Omega sorority, was on the Y.W.C.A. cabinet, and is a home economics major. She was a member of the girls' rifle club and was assistant manager of hockey.

Miss Boone is president of the Y.W.C.A., is a member of the Masque and of Delta Delta Delta sorority, is a home economics major and a Dean's List student.

Miss Comstock is assistant news editor of the "Campus," president of Delta Delta Delta sorority, is a history and government major, and a Dean's List student.

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Bangor Offers Nothing New To Excitement Seeking Frosh

By Dick Cranch

"Going to Bangor?" cried three stranded freshmen on the first night here at the university. Without waiting for the university entertainment these boys were out to see the sights of the neighborhood.

They wanted to start with Pat's Café. When we arrived there, although it was a miserable night, a good dozen of the new yearlings were standing in front of the well-known spot. The half dozen inside also found the entertainment wet.

After downing the universal coke, the gang wondered how many of their classmates were in the theater. Orono's local cinema claimed the majority of self-entertained future freshmen. A few of the boys took themselves as far as Bangor for the movies.

"Do you know any girls around here? We came by Balentine Hall and all the girls in there were playing ring around the rosy," asked the leader in this search for amusement. Upon explanation he opined that it was a rather odd manner of conducting introductions and that the introductions should be in other directions from just among the girls.

They agreed that the larger the city, probably the better chances of looking over the local feminine talent. But the local talent did not like to promenade in the rain.

One look at the Chateau and they decided that they would not try that. They had heard marvelous stories about Brewer, but a look discouraged them. They wanted to see Hancock Street and then head back to Orono. "It looks funny to see the street cars

Trustee President To Speak Wednesday

Edward E. Chase, president of the Board of Trustees, Dr. Payson Smith, recently appointed professor of education, and President Arthur A. Hauck will speak at the opening assembly of the college year, Wednesday, Sept. 18, at 7:30 a.m. in the Memorial Gymnasium.

Build \$122,000 Wing on Rear Of Aubert Hall

Will Be Available
During Second
Semester this Year

Increased space for instruction in chemistry, chemical engineering, and pulp and paper technology will be provided by the building of the extension to Aubert Hall. Growth of the enrollment by 100% since 1914 when Aubert Hall was built, to the present registration of 2,000 and developments in the fields of chemistry, chemical engineering, and pulp and paper technology has taxed the capacity of existing laboratory and classroom space.

The new structure, which will be available sometime during the second semester, will extend eastward from Aubert Hall. Conforming to the campus style, its architecture will be colonial. Fire proof, it will rise four stories, with a flat roof.

Laboratories for unit operations, such as distillation and absorption columns, related to industrial processes in pulp and paper technology and in chemical engineering will occupy the first floor and a large part of the second floor, where there will also be located several research laboratories. On the third floor there will be a large laboratory for graduate research work and classrooms. On the fourth floor there will be laboratories for classes in organic chemistry.

In addition, some space is to be allotted temporarily to the Agricultural Experiment Station for chemical investigations.

The cost of the construction for the new unit, including heating equipment and plumbing and electrical work will be \$122,000.

President Arthur A. Hauck



We extend a sincere and cordial welcome to the members of the Class of 1944.

As the academic year 1940-41 begins, we cannot forget, even on this beautiful and quiet campus, that the world faces critical and crucial problems. Your part as students is to make full and intelligent use of the educational opportunities provided here. To be satisfied with "getting by" would be to fail those who are interested in you and in the advancement of the University. The days that lie ahead for our country will need the best that you can get from your university training.

In the spirit of friendliness and helpfulness which is our cherished tradition, let us each do our part to make 1940-41 a great year in the history of the University.

Arthur A. Hauck
President

Aim of Skulls To Acquaint Frosh With Maine Spirit

President of Honor
Society Welcomes
Incoming Yearlings

To acquaint the freshmen with the true Maine spirit and to promote a friendly feeling among the classes has been the objective of the Senior Skull society since its founding in 1906, said James W. Harris, president, in a statement issued Thursday.

"The society has always been interested in the freshman class because it is the first-year students who must be familiarized with the spirit of Maine in order that it may be passed down to future freshman classes," Harris said.

Membership in the Skulls is the highest non-scholastic honor for men at the University. The organization promotes University interests, prescribes freshman rules, sponsors all rallies, and runs special football trains. It also awards the Fraternity Scholarship cup each year to the fraternity having the highest point average.

This year's Skulls, of whom there are nine, include Charles J. Arbor, Rockwood N. Berry, Kenneth W. Blaisdell, Howard L. Ehrenbach, James W. Harris, Lawrence B. Kelley, Roger A. Stearns, Samuel E.

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25 Freshmen Get Waiters Posts

Twenty-five men have been selected from the freshman class as waiters in the Hannibal Hamlin dining hall, it was announced by Philip J. Brockway, placement bureau director, this week.

The group, under the supervision of William C. Wells, University steward, includes Winfield Allen, Philip Cheney, William Condon, Benjamin Curtis, Paul Fleming, Richard Fuller, Albion Hayman, Wendell Johnson,

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Appoint Jim Harris Head Proctor in Men's Dormitories

Stulis in Charge
Of Oak Hall, Grant
In North Hall Annex

James Harris, a senior, has been appointed head proctor in the freshman men's dormitories by Dean Lambert S. Corbett. Walter L. Stulis is the assistant head proctor in charge of Oak Hall, and George Grant is the assistant in charge of North Hall, formerly a women's dormitory.

Harris is a business administration student from Winchester, Mass., was a proctor last year, and is president of his class. He is a regular center on the varsity football team, president of the Senior Skulls, a member of the Pale Blue Key and Scabbard and Blade, and belongs to Phi Mu Delta fraternity. He served on the Student Library Committee last spring and is senior representative on the Athletic Association. He was president of the Sophomore Owls.

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1940 Coed Steals Styles From Men; Goes Radical After Dark

By Catherine Ward

Boys, watch out! Your college sister will steal the clothes off your back, if you're not wary. Yes, sir, she has appropriated masculine tweeds, jackets, top coats, shirts, chapeaux, and everything that you once considered the sacred property of American manhood. Perhaps you'll think you're staring at your mirrored reflection when you call for your date.

The 1940 coed, however, has a magician's hat full of other tricks guaranteed either to delight or to mystify all beholders. She'll take a flight back to Alice-in-Wonderland days in a pinafore of corduroy, jersey, or velvet. She'll emulate the Gibson girl

Freshman Enrollment Larger Than Expected

Frosh Present Entertainments In Each College

Dusenbury, Beverage,
and Dean Deering
Direct Programs

An innovation in freshman entertainment was introduced last night when each college held its own program separate from the others.

The College of Arts and Sciences had its entertainment in the Memorial Gymnasium under the direction of Delwin B. Dusenbury. The program consisted of vocal and instrumental numbers, a magician, and several quizzes, including a spelling bee.

The College of Technology's entertainment was held in the Alumni Gymnasium with Al Beverage, of the M.C.A., as master of ceremonies. Al Goldsmith accompanied a community

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551 Register in Spite of Drop at Other Colleges

Five hundred and fifty-one freshmen have enrolled in the class of 1944, according to a statement issued by James A. Gamett, registrar, Friday morning. The number, 24 less than last year's final registration of 575, was much larger than was anticipated, because of the fact that the enrollments of other colleges have dropped off considerably.

It was estimated that the boys outnumbered the girls by more than three to one. The ratio in last year's class was about the same with 425 men and 150 women. This year's class at present has ten more than the class of 1942 which mustered 541 students.

It was also discovered that the most popular name was Smith, closely followed by Davis. Last year's class held the distance record with a member who hailed from Australia. It is expected that several more will enroll within the next few days.

Advice to Freshmen, or Adrift on the Sea of Life

By Paul Ehrenfried

Now, naturally, this business has to be conducted on a man to man basis, or, in the case of you girls, on a man to woman basis, because—well, after all, I realize that you're not exactly children—er, that is, not exactly. So, consequently, I'm going to be very matter-of-fact and give you the low-down on things just as they are and just as you yourselves have to face them.

First of all there's this matter of things. As you may have guessed, freshmen are required to do lots of things; for instance, brushing your teeth, combing your hair, washing your face and hands, etc. In other words, you're going to meet up with a lot of new experiences, and it's up to you to prove that you've got what it takes.

I remember we used to say to a kid in high school, "What rank did your mother get in algebra today?" But that stuff doesn't go in college, although I believe I recall one fellow's mother taking an apartment in Orono for the fall semester. He had to take Home Economics, however, so it really didn't pay.

Then, of course, there's always the

painful question of boy-girl relations. I've got to admit that I know absolutely nothing about what boys in general like in girls (in general), and even less about what girls in general like in boys (in general), but I feel fairly safe in telling you boys that if a beautiful coed should run up to any of you and throw her arms around your neck and ask you for a date (on Saturday night, of course), you should really do the right thing by her and take her out, simply as a matter of common courtesy.

And I might tip off you girls that if you should bump into a really sharp boy who just about fulfilled your fondest hopes and desires, you might do well to ask him to ask you for a date. After all, these are pretty confused times, what with the war, conscription, and presidential election, and one must think of the future.

Also, there's this matter of walking on the grass. I think that I might as well get very personal and ask you, how would you feel if you were a blade of grass and some big, hulking freshman stepped on you? Naturally, I can't answer that question, because even the idea of you being blades of

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Noted Preacher Will Open Vespers Series

Dr. Gaius Glenn Atkins, eminent preacher, author, and educator, will be the speaker at the first of the weekly Vesper services at 4:15 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 22, it was announced this week by Albion Beverage, secretary of the Maine Christian Association.

Dr. Atkins was formerly professor of homiletics at Auburn Theological School, of New York, N. Y., but is now retired.

Eagles Help Frosh In Registration

For the first time the sophomore Eagles, honorary women's society, are on campus in a body during Freshman Week to aid with the registration of freshman women. The ten, elected last April, are Margaret Church, Helen Deering, Frances Donovan, Dorothy MacLeod, Jeanne Patten, Elizabeth Price, Marie Rourke, Evelyn Thoudreau, Lois White, and Rita Wilcox.

Miss Church is a home economics major and a member of the department club. She was elected secretary of Chi Omega.

Miss Deering is also a home economics major and a member of the Home Economics club.

Miss Donovan, and Arts and Sciences student, is a member of Delta Delta Delta, was recently elected treasurer of the W.S.G.A., and was named to both the All-Maine hockey and basketball teams.

Miss MacLeod is a member of the French Club, and Arts and Sciences student, and is a member of Alpha Omicron Pi.

Jeanne Patten was a member of the W.S.G.A. council and belongs to Delta Delta Delta sorority.

Miss Price is a member of Delta Delta Delta sorority and was named to Neai Mathetia, an honorary group composed of the ten highest ranking freshman women.

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Introducing the 'Maine Campus'

The *Maine Campus* wants to add its welcome to those of the other student organizations on campus. We publish this paper weekly throughout the school year. It is an independent organization, not connected with any course or department. Members of the staff are all students. Everyone is a subscriber to the paper, which is normally circulated Thursday afternoon.

Every freshman who is interested in journalism is cordially invited to apply for membership on the staff. Satisfactory work is always rewarded with advancement in the three grades of reporter, and next April at the annual staff elections several freshmen will almost certainly be elected to an editorial board position. All of these positions are elective, from the editor down. So we can almost promise promotion to any freshman who works faithfully for the next seven months. The business staff is also open to freshmen.

The *Campus* makes a profit each year, which is shared among the staff. Members of the editorial board and business staff receive fairly substantial checks each fall.

Announcement will be made next week when the first meeting of freshman candidates will be held. In the meantime, anyone interested is asked to leave his name and address at the *Campus* office on the third floor of the M.C.A. building.

The Modern Freshman

It's great to be a modern freshman just starting the four years of his college life. His spirit is yet unmarred by serious failures, he faces the future undaunted. From the experiences of the upperclassmen and the help of his advisers, he receives certain lessons which help him to avoid the pitfalls which lie in wait for the unwary or unskilled footstep.

For his part, the freshman injects new blood into the college body. His fresh energy and modern outlook must inevitably aid in maintaining the broad and liberal policy of the University. He is ready to receive the statements of his elders, but he refuses to accept them as unqualified facts. He subjects all matter to a careful analysis before accepting it or rejecting it.

The great tragedy of the European War overshadows the life of these freshmen. They realize that they may soon be called to defend a land which has given them many things, and they are ready to do their part. Yet their sense of humor is very much alive. They laugh and talk, living for the moment, it would seem. But they understand that theirs is an uncertain age—disturbed by strange and unknown currents. It is only with laughing courage that the dark troubled days ahead may be overcome.

Within the University itself, the freshman helps to maintain the morale of the upper classes—particularly that of the sophomores. The respectful, sometimes almost obsequious, attitude (when an Owl is in sight), of a freshman seems to give new self-respect to those august bodies having the right to look down on the lowly freshmen.

However, the modern freshman has lost much of the self-consciousness which was so noticeable in earlier years. He has a knowledge of the world events, drives a car, sometimes steps into an aeroplane. His is a new age which is in a constant state of evolution—one could easily say revolution. He himself is a new product, its paint job still unravaged by time and stormy weather.

Thus it would seem that the University of Maine has a right to expect great things from this class of 1944. It can expect new thoughts, modern suggestions, liberal attitudes, and a broadmindedness that makes for tolerance and demands tolerance. Yes, this freshman class has great possibilities. Do not disappoint us, Class of 1944.

C. M. C.

Introducing the Editor

For several days now everyone not a freshman has felt duty bound to utter sage words of wisdom, advice to freshmen. This entire issue of the *Campus* is devoted to giving you advice and information. File it away where you can find it again, and some time in the weeks to come you may be able to refer to it for a little of the information.

As for the advice, we will offer this much. The difference between the upperclassmen and you is a great deal less than you may think. It is mostly a matter of time and experience. Both of these factors will take care of themselves.

You can help along the experience factor by keeping your eyes and ears open and your mouth shut. It may be a great experience for someone else to hear you talk, but it won't add to your own fund of knowledge if you talk too much. Right now you "don't know what the score is." And there are some who maintain that you won't for a long time. We doubt that.

Listen to all the pearls of wisdom you hear; the law of averages

Res Politicæ

By Martin Scher

He is more blessed who sticks to truth in the face of opinion than he who sticks to opinion in the face of truth.....

Inasmuch as this is the first column of the academic year and will be read predominantly by freshmen, it is only fitting and proper that the writer clarify and delineate the existence of it for his readers.

Every day there occurs some event or happening which is worthy of note, inasmuch as it may either affect our living conditions, our freedom, or perhaps even our intellectual curiosity. Every week this column will contain some of the highlights and sidelights of the preceding week which are worthy of consideration.

Undoubtedly throughout the year occasions will arise when some persons on the campus, either students or faculty, will disagree with me upon views which I may hold, but I should like to make it clear, with no mental reservations, that there is space here for any comments which you think are in order. This university can be likened to a community which cannot be considered a healthy democracy unless there exist not only differences of opinion between individuals and individuals, groups and groups, but also amicable means of settling these differences.

Though we may be intellectually isolated, if we hope to become worthy members of society, we who are fortunate enough to be going to college, where there is available so much knowledge, should not insulate ourselves from the outside world by forgetting that in just a few years we shall be in it.

We must not become so narrow in our own particular fields that we neglect the fact that we are members of society as a whole and that unless we understand the problems of others with whom we exist we cannot possibly call ourselves educated.

That is enough moralizing, so I should like to take this opportunity to welcome the freshmen and hope that

says that at least some of it must be good. You won't have to ask many questions because most of the answers will be volunteered before you get around to them.

Before long you will find that you have a friend at every turn. You will get helping hands from the most unexpected sources. You will find that the percentage of regular fellows is even greater among the faculty than among the student body.

Make the best of things. Even the darkest cloud has its bright side, and time will bring them around. In the meantime keep your woe to yourself and soak in everything you can. You won't be a freshman long.

W. B. R.

Reserve Officers Replace Regulars On ROTC Faculty

Henkle, Cooper, and Loupret Have Left University

Three new reserve officers have been included in the teaching staff of the military department, replacing Majors Harry Henkle and James Cooper and Captain George Loupret, who were called away because of the expanded defense program.

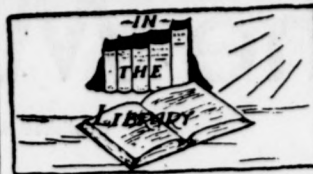
Second Lieutenants Arthur W. Hodges, Jr., and Richard W. Healy, new infantry instructors, graduated from the University of Maine in 1938. Lieutenant Hodges served one year of active duty during 1938 and 1939 under the Thomson Act. While at the University, he was manager of track and was a member of the Pack and Pine, the Outing Club, and Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He is single and comes from Newton, Mass.

Lieutenant Healy served at Fort McKinley, Fort Devens, and participated in the 1940 First Army Maneuvers. At the University he was manager of baseball for two years and was cadet colonel of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps in 1938. He was president of the mathematics society and was a member of the Maine Masque and Lambda Chi Alpha fraternity. He is a teacher by profession, having been principal of the West Forks high school. He is married and has one child.

The new coast artillery officer, First Lieutenant Walter M. Lask, has just completed a coast artillery course at Fort Monroe, Virginia. He graduated from the University of Alabama in 1932 with a B.A. in education. He is married but has no children and comes from Harrisburg, Pa.

The first get-together of the Women's Glee Club will be held Thursday, September 19, at 6:30 in the M.C.A.

they will all have a successful and fruitful career here.



By Catherine Ward

A procession of varied and absorbing books have appeared during the summer that will tempt not only the avid devourer of best sellers, but also the reader whose appetite demands more substantial fare. Many of these books are indispensable footnotes to the drama of our times and will find a large following among those who pride themselves on keeping abreast of the world today.

M-Day, by Donald Edward Kehoe, has been described as a "Complete blueprint for your life as you will live it under war conditions." Read what you will do, should war be America's unhappy lot.

Americans are in the habit of taking Canada for granted. Now we find her fate inextricably entwined with ours. For the answer to many vital questions about our little-known neighbor, read *Canada: America's Problem*, by John MacCormac.

Are you interested in the story behind France's surrender? Andre Simone tells why France collapsed in *J'accuse! The Men Who Betrayed France*.

The American Presidency, by Harold J. Laski, an ideal choice of reading in an election year, gives us a comprehensive view of one of the greatest and the most arduous of all jobs, and throws a ray of light on the third term issue.

M. C. A. NOTES

Sunday morning service at 10:30 a.m. in the Little Theatre. Mary Boone, president of the Y.W.C.A., and Robert Goodwin, president of the M.C.A., will assist in conducting the service. Miss Whittet and Mr. Beverage will give brief meditations. Music by a volunteer choir.

All those who are interested in the Fall Retreat to be held by the M.C.A. and Y.W.C.A. on Saturday and Sunday, September 21 and 22, are asked to register with Miss Whittet or Mr. Beverage as soon as possible since there are limited accommodations.

Monday night, 7:30, informal dance in the Memorial Gym. Music by volunteer band, including freshmen and upperclassmen.

In The Spotlight

By Phil Pierce

Greetings and salutations to the class of '44. In case you are interested, this corner deals mostly with stuff and things and, since most of you are strangers around here, our first effort of the year will be to acquaint you with things in general.

Needless to say, there will be little of academic value found within the confines of this pillar of wisdom; but you know that old adage, "All work and no play makes Jack," or words to that effect. So gather 'round and listen to the sage words of your old oaken expert.

First off perhaps we should say a word or two about the Maine Masque.

The Maine Masque is the University's dramatic society. It has a membership of somewhere between 200 and 250. The guiding light of this organization is its director and most ardent supporter, Prof. Herschel Bricker. Professor Bricker is recognized as one of the leading figures in the American theater today, in addition to being a thoroughly swell gent.

Membership to the Masque is obtained through the fulfillment of certain requirements. These requirements include the portrayal of two major roles or three minor roles. Membership may also be obtained by working on the production end and as prop boys, stage crews, scene builders, designers, lighting crews, ushers, and what-have-you. Non actors are just as essential to this society as the thespians themselves. It is a safe bet that at least

sixty per cent of the members of the Masque have never appeared before an audience.

The Masque presents four plays each season which run for four nights each. Speaking from experience we add that every production of this society is well worth seeing. Tickets to the shows go at six bits a throw, but if you are smart you will buy yourself a season ticket for \$2.00, which gives you a reserved seat at each production and saves you a one dollar bill.

The plays to be produced this season have not been completely selected, but it is a certainty that "Family Portrait" and "Hamlet" will be staged. The cast of "Hamlet" is as yet incomplete but the title role will be played by Earle Rankin, of the class of '42. Incidentally, Earle has plenty on the ball in the Shakespearean department.

Considering the radio angle, be it known that the University presents four broadcasts each week through the facilities of station WLBZ in Bangor. These broadcasts are made from our own studios in Lord Hall.

The programs include music, drama, and news. The schedule of broadcasts has not been arranged as yet, but it is a safe bet that the *Campus* news broadcast will be aired on Thursday nights.

To those of you who lean toward instrumental or vocal expression we offer the following fields as mediums in which you might give vent.

WE CORDIALLY INVITE
the Freshmen to inspect our new Fall line of
CAMPUS WEAR AND PARTY DRESSES

Pines Co.

Main Street

Bangor, Maine

Welcome, Freshmen!

SPECIAL LAMPS FOR STUDENTS

Floor Lamps—Bridge Lamps—Study Lamps at
Student Prices

Buy a new 1941 Radio for your room

Visit the

BANGOR HYDRO STORE

MAIN ST., ORONO

The Campus Barber Shop

Is in Fernald Hall at the Rear
of the Store

It is One of the Cleanest in the
State

You Cannot Get a Better Job Done
Anywhere

**UNIVERSITY BARBER
SHOP**

Drop in and Say
HELLO

To the girls of the UNIVERSITY of MAINE Class of 1944

It will give us a lot of pleasure to welcome you to Freese's every time you come to Bangor during the next four years. Most Maine girls do a good share of their shopping in Freese's. Our 63 complete departments and 6 huge shopping floors offer practically every feminine need from a new lipstick shade to a lovely evening gown. We specialize in just the things that college girls want, and, as a matter of fact, our brand new line of "Carole King" dresses for street and campus, in Junior and Misses' sizes, was installed at the suggestion of many Maine girls. See "Carole King" when you are enjoying your first visit to Freese's.

See the beautiful and famous
Third Floor of Fashions
"Fifth Avenue in Maine"

Freese's Fall Opening—the biggest and brightest style showing of the entire season—is now going on. Be sure to see these Fall Fashions in Freese's. They're so new that similar styles are making their first appearances in the fashion salons of Fifth Avenue.

FREESE'S
MAIN STREET IN BANGOR

Over 100 Freshman Register As Having Played Football

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in the wrestling profession—look out, frosh opponents.

Coach Jones declined to make any definite statement as to the outlook for the coming freshman football season. He said that he had been unable to learn anything about most of the players. He also stated that you could not tell much from such statistics as weight and height. However, he did seem pleased with the roster of those who have had football experience and hopes that a large percentage of these will turn out when he calls the squad for informal practice some time the first of next week.

The following is a partial list of those claiming football experience: Hall, Williamson, White, Ward, Welch, Sutton, Stickney, S. Smith, G. Smith, Sweetser, Savage, Solomon, Stocking, Sewall, Sawinger, Thibault, Adams, and Buck.

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Commence Work on 2,300 Seat Stand

Will Be Ready For Homecoming Game With Colby Nov. 2

A much-needed addition is now in progress back of the north grandstand—the building of an additional separate stand to extend twenty rows higher than the one now there. This new stand is expected to hold about 2,300 more spectators, and it is to be ready for the Homecoming game with Colby November 2, it was announced by Faculty Manager of Athletics Ted Curtis this week.

In past years the University has been forced to borrow stands from other colleges to accommodate the homecoming crowds. It is hoped that this new addition will take care of this need as the stands from other colleges will not always be available.

FRESHMAN FOOTBALL

Oct. 12 Ricker at Orono, 2:00 p.m., E.S.T.
19 Kents Hill at Orono, 9:30 a.m., E.S.T.
25 Colburn at Orono, 2:00 p.m., E.S.T.
Nov. 2 Junior Varsity at Orono, 9:00 a.m., E.S.T.
8 Bridgton at Orono, 2:00 p.m., E.S.T.

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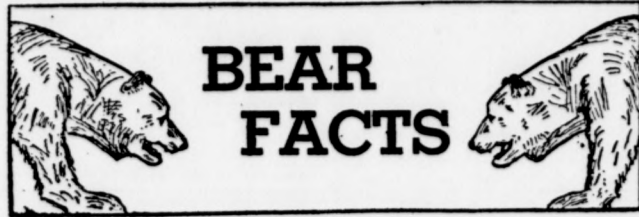
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By Bob Willets

By way of introduction may we say that this ink blot, "Bear Facts" appears in about the same place in the University's weekly paper, "The Campus" that the guy who writes this does so on the typewriter because he figures that the greatest column ever written is on that thing... the whole trouble is he can't figure the right combination of buttons to push... and that he better get down to business before the editor throws a fit.

Once again autumn has rolled around with its cool crisp weather, the color of nature, the smell of wood fires on the breeze, and footballs flying through the air. Once again the University of Maine has opened its portholes and young men and women, eager for knowledge of the various arts and sciences, are converging on Marsh Island.

Once again a freshman class has assembled. Come together for the first time as a group—a group that four years hence will stand under June skies, sing the Stein Song and pass into the history of this campus. To you who are entering on this four-year journey—welcome, good luck—and we hope you make the grade.

You who have taken this step to college are close to the old ties—the old loyalties to high school and prep school alma maters. The rivalries of those days are still fresh in your memories. Remember when East Overshoe and Overshoe Center were fighting it out for the Conference championship—you do—well, forget it. You are at the University of Maine and the stars from both these schools, as well as many others, are wearing the same colors now—players who once fought to tackle a ball carrier are now fighting just as hard to clear a path for him. Let's see you get the same spirit.

The Will To Win

Speaking of spirit and stars brings up two more subjects which we'll spout about now, get them off our chest, and say no more. The first is spirit. Both teams in any game will always have a certain amount of spirit—that's not what we mean—the "Maine Spirit" is the will and the power to win. Always remember that the odds are ten to one that the team that is first across the scrimmage line is the team that wins the game. Fight hard, and clean, but win!!

Now about these stars. Every college, every sport has them. They are those guys who are lucky, who are good, and who get good press releases. But remember this, it takes a lot more than stars to win a game—the boys on the third team make it possible for the stars to be in those little blue heavens that surround all great performers in the sports world. To prove the point we are trying to make—that is, that a team doesn't have to be a stellar aggregation to be winners, let us cite a recent example, the Eastern All-Star-New York Giants football game this year.

For the first time in the history of this game the All-Stars handed the Giants a good trouncing, 16 to 7. And also for the first time in the history of the game the All-Stars lacked the headline names in their line-up, names like Sid Luckman, Bill Osmanski, and Larry Kelly. Instead of picking them for the number of headlines they made, these men were picked for their ability to play in harmony with ten other men—and they won.

This is what we mean when we say "Maine Spirit" around here. It is the spirit to pull together, to fight, to work shoulder to shoulder as a team—not as individuals. This is the strength that gave last year's frosh the National Freshman Cross Country title, and the New England Conference title to the Varsity football team. It is that intangible something that those who have been here a while have, and which we hope to see you who have joined us assimilate.

VARSITY CROSS COUNTRY

Oct. 12 New Hampshire at Durham, 2:30 p.m., E.S.T.
25 State Meet at Augusta, 3:00 p.m., E.S.T.

Nov. 5 Rhode Island at Boston, 11:00 a.m., E.S.T.
11 N.E.I.C.A.A. at Boston, 1:45 p.m., E.S.T.
18 I.C.A.A.A. at New York

Well Balanced Cross Country Team Expected

Freshman National Championship Team Will Add Strength

Coach Chester A. Enkins was unable to make any statement concerning the possibilities of either the freshman or the varsity cross country teams this year. The freshmen are an entirely unknown quantity, and even a guess as to the material in the class of '44 cannot be made.

On the other hand, if all those expected to return this fall do so, the varsity team should be one of the best-balanced teams in the history of the University and perhaps one of the best in competition this year.

The loss of Don Smith, sensational cross country and distance runner for the last four years, will be felt, of course. However, four of last year's team will be back and will help to make up for this loss. They are Blaisdell, Butterworth, Ingraham, and Ehrenbach, all of whom have several years of experience behind them.

To supplement these men there will be all of last year's Freshman National Championship cross country team back with the exception of Creamer. With these men to work with, Coach Jenkins should have nearly as strong a team as he has ever had.

Three New Practice Fields Being Built

Three new football practice fields are now under construction north of the Memorial Gym, two of which are expected to be ready for use when next year's teams report. These fields have been in the offing for the last four years, most of the work being done by WPA labor.

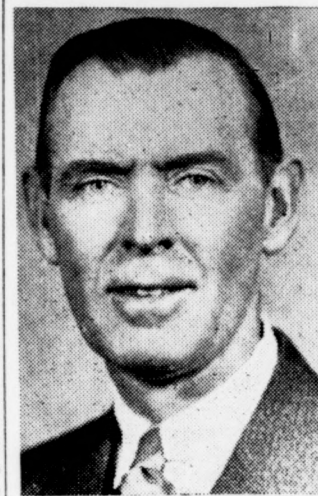
Much progress has been made in the last ten years in the development of the athletic fields at the University. Ten years ago all teams not only practiced, but played their games on what is now the varsity football field. Since that time a separate baseball field has been built for the varsity and another for the freshmen.

VARSITY FOOTBALL

Sept. 28 Rhode Island at Orono,
Oct. 5 Columbia at New York,
12 New Hampshire at Durham,
19 Connecticut at Orono,
26 Bates at Orono,
Nov. 2 Colby at Orono,
9 Bowdoin at Brunswick

Varsity Squad Reports For Preseason Practice

Varsity Mentor



COACH BRICE

Johnson Retains AAU Hammer Title

Since college closed last June, Maine's two National record holding weight throwers, Stan Johnson and Bob Bennett, have added further laurels to their long list of championships.

Johnson edged out Bennett in the 16 pound hammer throw by a shade less than two inches in the National Senior AAU championships at Fresno, Calif. Johnson's winning toss was 182 feet 4 7/16 inches, Bennett's, 182 feet 4 6/16 inches. A year ago at the meet, Johnson won the junior hammer and the junior and senior 56 pound weight throw. Not eligible for the junior events this year, he again placed in the senior 56 pound weight event.

Bennett also won the New England AAU title in June.

Both Johnson and Bennett have bettered the National Collegiate hammer record. Bennett's throw of 183 feet 10 3/4 inches in the New England championships will probably be accepted as the new record, although he threw 184 feet 10 inches in the frosh-varsity meet last spring.

Johnson was a senior last year and so has finished his competition for the Pale Blue. Bennett was a junior, but probably will be unable to return to college this fall.

Three Lettermen To Form Nucleus Of Bear Eleven

By Bob Willets

The Pale Blue football squad, thirty-seven strong, reported early this week to Coach Fred Brice for preseason training. There are only five lettermen back, and Coach Brice is attempting to build this year's team around three of these who were starting players last year: Ed Barrows at fullback, Charley Arbor at right halfback, and Roger Stearns at either left half or left end.

Through graduation and that annual jinx, ineligibility, the Black Bear lost 19 of the 24 lettermen from last year. Three ends, 3 tackles, 4 guards, 1 center, all the quarter backs, 2 left half backs, 1 right half and 1 fullback failed to return this year. To make things look even blacker, there was only one sophomore letterman on last year's squad. This shortage of new material coming up from the under classes has caused a serious lack of experience in the ranks of this year's squad.

Aside from this lack of experienced men to fill the positions, most of those who have reported are extremely light for football. Because of this weakness Coach Brice is putting a great deal of emphasis on the fundamentals, and is going to have more scrimmages than ever before.

Rhode Island, the first team on the schedule, has most of last year's team back. The Pale Blue is definitely outclassed in its next encounter with Columbia. New Hampshire and Connecticut both have a large portion of last year's teams back.

However, every cloud has its bright side, and the spirit and enthusiasm which the candidates for this year's squad are displaying are heartening, to say the least. Another thing that looks good is the fact that, for the first time in the history of his coaching at Maine, Fred Brice doesn't sound pessimistic. He feels that, although the other teams in the state have a lot to work with, he may be able to pull a win or two out of the State Series.

In this series it looks like Bates and Bowdoin are the dangerous teams this year. Bates, for the first time in about ten years, is being given a good chance of taking the Series. This prediction on the part of some of the coaches in the state is based on the fact that Bates has two complete backfields left from last year.

The Bowdoin team, while losing some of its weight from the line, still promises to be a threat to any aspirant to the Series title. Colby will be sporting one of the most experienced lines in the state this year. However, they lost three of their four backs and the ball carriers are expected to be the Mule's weak spot this season.

Strong Tennis Team Expected

The annual fall tennis tournament will begin September 20. Entries are expected to exceed last year's record-breaking 103 by about 50. Burtis Pratt winner last year as a freshman, is given a good chance to walk away with the tournament this year. He has won several cups during the summer, including the Bangor and Fairfield tournament awards.

In a statement early in the week, Coach G. W. Small announced that although several of last year's veterans have been lost from the squad the outlook for this year's team is the most promising in several years. Five of the first six ranking players have been lost to the squad, but Coach Small said that he hoped to announce a strong varsity tennis squad this fall.

The undefeated freshman team is expected to return intact. With six lettermen as a nucleus from last year's squad and the addition of last year's frosh, the outlook is the most promising in many years.

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FROSH PRESENT (Continued from Page One)

sing and a trumpet quartet played several selections.

An informal party was held by the College of Agriculture in the social rooms of Estabrooke Hall. A double male vocal quartet and folk dances led by Jean Whittet, women's secretary of the Y.W.C.A., were features of the entertainment. Dean Deering gave several readings and games were played.

Watie Akins played at the first freshman stag dance which was held in the Memorial Gymnasium Thursday evening.

Five hundred fifty-one freshmen were welcomed to the University by Professor Walter J. Creamer, director of Freshman Week, at the opening assembly in the Memorial Gymnasium Wednesday evening. Percy F. Crane, director of admissions, and President Arthur A. Hauck also spoke.

Barbara Ashworth, Helen Wormwood, Jim Harris, Ed Barrows, and Roger Stearns led the cheering, and Phil Jones, freshman football coach, directed the singing.

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ALL-MAINE GIRLS (Continued from Page One)

List student.

Miss Emery is president of Alpha Omicron Pi sorority and is a home economics major. She is also a member of the Y.W.C.A., the Women's Forum, and the Modern Dance club.

Miss Gammons was a sophomore Eagle, is secretary of Delta Delta Delta sorority, and is a history major. She was on the W.A.A. council and was president of the Modern Dancing club.

Miss Hansen is president of the Women's Student Government, was president of the sophomore Eagles, was a member of Neai Mathetai, is an English major, and a Dean's List student.

Miss Jewett was president of Pi Beta Phi sorority and is a home economics major. She was a member of the W.S.G.A. and the Panhellenic council.

Miss Ward is associate editor of the "Campus," was a member of the *Prism* board, the International Relations Club, and is a Dean's List student.

Miss Wormwood was a member of the Student Senate, the Women's Forum. She was vice president of the

25 FRESHMEN (Continued from Page One)

Carleton Kilpatrick, Clarence McIntire, Albert Murch, Dwight Sawin, Erlend Sleight, John Whitten, Smith Sherrold, Albert Ehrenfried, John Schoppe, Philip Spiller, Frank Neal, Herbert Wing, Richard Dodge, Richard Lewis, Merton Meloon, Thomas Parmenter, and Lawrence Sedgely.

Willard Fenderson, a senior proctor, is acting as head waiter, assisted by Charles Arbor and Roger Stearns, who are also senior proctors. Upperclassmen working in the Hannibal Hamlin kitchen are Al Adams, Nat Crowley, Herb Johnson, William St. Germain, and Bob Brown.

OWLS TO ENFORCE (Continued from Page One)

and is pledged to Phi Gamma Delta. Stewart was a member of the cross country and track teams.

Tooley played football and baseball and is pledged to Phi Mu Delta. Ward, an Alpha Tau Omega pledge, was on the football, basketball, and baseball teams. Weisman was a weight man on the freshman track team.

The Owls of the class of 1942 chose the maximum number allowed under the constitution for the first time in the organization's history.

W.S.G.A., was a sophomore Eagle, and is a Dean's List student.

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AIM OF SKULLS (Continued from Page One)

Tracy and Maurice H. Whitten. Arbor played varsity football and basketball and was chairman of his class executive committee. He is a proctor in a freshman dormitory, a member of the athletic association, and a pledge of Kappa Sigma.

Berry has been on the Dean's List three semesters. He is a member of Alpha Zeta, Scabbard and Blade, and Sigma Alpha Epsilon.

Blaisdell is class treasurer and was a member of the varsity track and cross country teams. He belongs to Phi Kappa Sigma fraternity.

Ehrlenbach has been on the Dean's List two semesters. He is a distance man on the varsity track and cross country teams and a member of Phi Eta Kappa.

Harris is president of his class and is a varsity football lineman. He is head proctor of the freshman dormitories this year and is the senior member of the athletic association. He is a member of Phi Mu Delta.

Kelley was business manager of the *Prism* and secretary of the Maine Day committee. He is in the Scabbard and Blade and is president of Phi Mu Delta.

Stearns is president of the athletic association and was vice president of his class last year. He is a freshman proctor and a member of Phi Mu Delta. He received All-Maine and All-New England mention in football.

Whitten played varsity baseball and basketball. He is president of Phi Eta Kappa.

Tracy was chairman of the Junior

ADVICE TO FRESHMEN (Continued from Page One)

grass is absurd, and, never having been one myself, I'm baffled by the whole situation. Maybe I was thinking of something else.

In conclusion I'd like to say something about the business of cheering at football games. Of course, I don't expect anyone with a streptococcus infection of the throat to do much cheering; in fact, a person in that condition shouldn't go to a game in the first place. And I don't think that cheering helps the team much, because, just between you and me, I don't think they can hear the cheering anyway. But on a good cold day with a stiff wind blowing, let me tell you, you'll be glad to have an excuse to holler and clap your hands and stamp your feet. Take it from me.

EAGLES HELP FROSH (Continued from Page One)

Miss Rourke, and Arts and Sciences student, is a member of the French Club and the W.S.G.A. council. She was recently elected W.A.A. secretary and belongs to Alpha Omicron Pi.

Miss Tondreau, and Arts and Sciences student, is a member of the Arts Club and the French Club.

Miss White, a member of Pi Beta Phi, was named to the All-Maine hockey team, is a home economics major, and a member of the Home Economics Club.

Miss Wilcox is an Arts and Sciences student and was named to Neai Mathetai.

The Eagles function in the government of freshman women and enforce freshman rules.

FRESHMAN CROSS COUNTRY TEAM A

- Oct. 1 Lee at Orono, 3:00 p.m., E.S.T.
5 Houlton at Orono, 3:00 p.m., E.S.T.
12 Caribou at Orono, 3:00 p.m., E.S.T.
19 Hopedale at Orono, 10:30 a.m., E.S.T.
26 Gorham Normal at Orono, 10:30 a.m., E.S.T.
Nov. 5 Farmington Normal at Orono, 3:00 p.m., E.S.T.
11 N.E.L.C.A.A. at Boston, 1:30 p.m., E.S.T.
18 I.C.A.A.A.A. at New York, 2:00 p.m., E.S.T.

Prom committee, a member of the Maine Day committee, the Scabbard and Blade, and of Sigma Alpha Epsilon. He played varsity basketball.

APPOINT JIM HARRIS (Continued from Page One)

Stisulis, a civil engineering major, was a Sophomore Owl and is a member of the Maine Masque. As a freshman he won the Owls scholarship, and he was a proctor last year. His home is in Mexico.

Grant, a psychology major, was a Sophomore Owl, is a varsity tackle, and is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity. He was a proctor last year and his home is in Waterville.

Millard Fenderson, proctor on the first floor, North Hannibal Hamlin Hall, is a senior zoology major from Calais. A proctor last year, he is a member of Delta Tau Delta.

Donald Marriner, a chemical engineering major from Rockland, is proctor on the second floor, North Hamlin. He is a member of Kappa Sigma fraternity and is a junior.

Bill Irvine, a guard on the varsity eleven, is proctor on the third floor, North Hamlin. He is a junior majoring in business administration, was chairman of the Sophomore Hop committee last year, and is a member of Phi Gamma Delta fraternity. His home is in Framingham, Mass.

John Houghton, an economics major from Fort Fairfield, is proctor on the fourth floor of North Hamlin. He was a Sophomore Owl and is a member of Phi Eta Kappa. He is a junior.

Fred Koalovitch, a member of Alpha Tau Omega, is proctor on the third floor, Center Hamlin. He is a junior, majoring in mechanical engineering, and his home is in Waterville.

Kenneth Robertson, a member of the track team, is proctor on the first floor of South Hamlin. He is a senior, majoring in mechanical engineering, and his home is in Auburn. He was a proctor last year, is a member of Phi Eta Kappa, and was a Sophomore Owl.

George Murphy, proctor on the second floor of South Hamlin, is an electrical engineer from Bar Harbor. He is a junior.

Roger Stearns, a Senior Skull, is proctor on the third floor of South Hamlin. A member of Phi Mu Delta fraternity, he has been regular end on the football team two years, and last fall received All-Maine and All-New England mention. He is vice president of his class, president of the Athletic Association, a member of Scabbard and Blade and the Pale Blue Key, was a Sophomore Owl, and was a proctor last year. He is a major in agricultural economics, and comes

from South Paris.

Loren Stewart, a junior chemical engineer, is proctor on the fourth floor, South Hamlin. He lives in Augusta and was an assistant manager of indoor track.

Charles Arbor, proctor on the first floor, West Oak Hall, is a senior-majoring in economics. He was a Sophomore Owl, is a member of the Pale Blue Key, was president of his class two years, and is a pledge of Kappa Sigma. He is a regular back on the varsity football team and a veteran member of the basketball team. His home is in Rumford, and he was a proctor last year.

Carroll Davis, a junior from Solon, is proctor on the third floor, West Oak. He is an electrical engineering student, a member of Phi Mu Delta, and a third baseman on the baseball squad.

Keith Thompson, an agricultural economics student from Limestone, is a junior. Proctor on the third floor of Center Oak, he is a center on the basketball team.

Wilson Alford, proctor on the first floor, East Oak, is a senior civil engineer from Windsor, Conn. He is a member of Kappa Sigma, was a proctor last year, has been on the Dean's List three semesters, and has won the Philip R. Hathorne scholarship twice. He is a member of Tau Beta Pi, honorary engineering fraternity, of the Maine Masque, and was on the editorial board of the *Prism*, annual year book last year.

Harold Warren, proctor on the third floor of East Oak, is a junior chemical engineer. His home is in Lisbon Falls, and he is a member of Phi Kappa Sigma.

Donald Kilpatrick, proctor in North Hall, is an agricultural economics major from Caribou. He has been on the Dean's List three semesters, was a Sophomore Owl, and is a first baseman on the baseball team.

Kenneth Hodgdon, a wild life conservation major from Anson, is a proctor in the University Cabins. He is a senior, and was a captain in the Student Library Campaign.

Robert Chute, also a proctor in the University Cabins, is a mechanical engineer from Norway. He is a junior, and won the Charles H. Payson scholarship his freshman year.

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