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CEH
To the victor belongs the spoils—And this time the victors chose to throw away the spoils; for the spoils were Freshmen hats and rules. It was a pleasure to depart with or from them.

Wednesday afternoon when the Frosh Hockey team met the Sophs to decide whether or not the Freshmen rules for women would go off, there was great tension and excitement in the air. The Freshmen, with green bows and blue hats, met at the gym and marched noisily to the field. Wasn't that the dry, Froshmen? And did we have the fun! First we marched around the field singing and shouting and whooping her up—carrying our royal banner "1934" on high.

But we weren't the only ones on the field, and it wasn't long before the Sophs showed up with their cheering section. Cheere more cheers, but the Sophs never had a chance because we had two darling little white bears. Thanks, Mary Deering.

Finally the whistle blow and the game began. The Sophs were off to a grand start. They had us scored for a moment, but eventually we came into our own.

Our faithful goalie, Mary Leighton, prevented a couple of "almost goals" for the Sophs. Did we hold our breath—More cheers when she kicked it outside the goal. (Continued on page 3)

For the first time in three years, the Frosh track team was victorious over its arch rivals the Sophomores, by running them into ground with a score of 78-57.

The foremost purpose of the freshmen was to get the victory that meant the end of the hated caps and ties. With this thought in mind, a determined group of weight men piled up a 22-5 lead over the Sophs Friday afternoon, making clean sweeps of the discus and 35-pound hammer, and taking second and third in the javelin.

Saturday afternoon nearly the entire freshman class was in the Armory, backing their team with as fine a spirit as ever existed in the University.

Our Owl friends, Webb, Murrey and Hunnewell were on deck for the Sophs and tried their best to keep the upper hand over the Frosh. Much credit is due these three men for their fine performances as Webb was high scorer for the Sophs with 13 points, while Hunnewell took 11 and Murrey 10.

The whole freshmen team turned in good showings, with Johnny Gowell in the shining light. Gowell, with 13 points, tied for high point scorer with Webb. Herowitz did some fine running in the quarter and 220. Troland looked good in the mile and 1 \frac{1}{2} mile. Fuller led the pack home in a fast half, Bottcher was close on the heels of Murrey in both the 100 and 220. Sherry got off a good toss on the javelin, Hardison scored 5 points in the pole vault. (Continued on page 4)
EDITORIAL

And now we've become an accepted part of the University. We've won our spurs in every student activity held this year. We've usually tried to be good sports—even the lovely blue hats and green ties have been a part of the game—and we have had a grand time.

Funny isn't? "We cheese-and-under the restraint of those 'silly rules'." But we enjoyed them. They forcibly threw us into the spirit of college: they made us aware of our lives as a class; they bred a proper respect for each other, and for the upper classes; and the results of the athletic competitions show us that we have the stuff.

Well the game has only started. We have many good times ahead of us. We've made a good start—and we're on our way.

Alright, let's be good sports and play the game; let's not abuse the privileges we have been given, or the rules and the 'silly green ties' may be put on again.

O.K. Class of '38--------

Let's make History!

Notice:

Will whoever took the victor records belonging to the 'Maples' please return them?

CALENDAR

Monday—Call for basketball boys
Tuesday—Freshman staff meeting, 6:30
   Chorus rehearsal
   M.O.C. meeting
Wednesday—Y.W.C.A. meeting
Thursday—Thanksgiving
   No classes
   Girls eat at Hannibal Hall
Friday—Stag dance
Saturday—Military drill

Bunny says that plenty is going to happen.

DISCUSSION PERIODS

Don't forget the "discussion" periods held every Sun. morning at 8:15. They are non-sectarian and are interesting. Pop into the M.C.A. building some Sunday. You'll come again if you do.

PHYSICS CLUB NOTICE

The third meeting of the Physics Club will be held Mon. evening, Dec. 6, at 6:30. The speaker will be Professor Hugh D. Chase, who will give a talk on Geology.

The meeting is open to all members of all colleges who are interested and all are cordially invited.

We especially hope to see a big turnout of the Physics students to support the club.

PING-PONG IN SEMI-FINALS

The Freshman ping-pong tournament has advanced to the semi-finals.

William Veague plays Gordon Somut in one match, while Arnold Veague plays Tsoulas in the other match. The winner of these two matches will meet each other for the championship.

The winner will receive a trophy donated by the M.C.A., who are sponsoring the tournament.
Other first place winners were: 
Gleason in the 35 lb. weight, 
Roger's in the shot put, Keller in the discus.

Johnny Gowell and Bill Smart were the co-captains for the Frosh runners while Webb and Johnny Murry were the co-leaders of the Sophomore outfit.

---Summary of the meet---

100 yd. dash, won by Murry (S)
2nd Bottcher (F), 3rd Perkins (S)
Time 10 2-5 secs.

45 yd. high hurdles, won by Webb (S)
2nd Gowell (F), 3rd Leavitt (S)
Time 6 3-5 secs.

1 mile run, won by Hunnewell (S) and Corbet (S), 3rd Waddington (F)
Time 4 min. 50 4-5 secs.

440 yd. run, won by Herowitz (F)
2nd Dewick (S), 3rd Leavitt (S)
Time 52 1-5 secs.

1 ½ mile run, won by Hunnewell (S)
2nd Troland (F), 3rd Cain (F)
Time 7 min. 39 secs.

100 yd. low hurdles, won by Gowell (F)
2nd Webb (S), 3rd Laurin (F)
Time 1 1-3-5 secs.

880 yd. run, won by Fuller (F), 2nd Hitchings (S), 3rd Hunnewell (S)
Time 2 min. 6 4-5 secs.

220 yd. dash, won by Murry (S), 2nd Bottcher (F) and Herowitz (F)
Time 23 1-5 secs.

Shot put, won by Rogers (F), 2nd Beisel (S), 3rd Fox (F)
Distance 44 ft. 9 1-2 in.

High jump, won by Webb (S), 2nd Smart (F), 3rd Elliott (F)
Height 6 ft.

Pole vault, won by Hardison (F), 2nd Dow (S) and Boyle (S)
Height 1 0ft. 5 in.

Broad jump, won by Gowell (F), 2nd Elliott (F), 3rd Smith (S)
Distance 21 ft. 3-4 in.

Javelin, won by Bell (S), 2nd Sherry (F), 3rd Dow (F)
Distance 1 84 ft. 5 1-2 in.

Discus, won by Kelley (F), 2nd Sherry (F), 3rd Dow (F)
Distance 114 ft. 1-2 in.

35 pound hammer, won by Gleason (F), 2nd Fox (F), 3rd Rogers (F)
Distance 27 ft. 5 in.

Now the Freshmen have gone into new fields to conquer, that is they have found new fields to overcome. The latest team formed by the Frosh is a bowling team. Headed by Manager Penelis "Spere" Jones the Freshmen won their first match last Tuesday by defeating the strong A.L.O. team by a score of 2 to 1.

The make-up of the rest of the team is as follows: Orsy Norris, Dick Gerry, Sid Ames, and Bud Frost. The pin pickers bowl again tomorrow night, and may they continue to get strikes and spares.

Basketball starts this afternoon. A squad of between 75 and 100 is expected to answer the call.

Congratulations to the girls hockey team, and the boys' track team for their victories over the Sophs during the past week. Altho the boys failed to support the girls when they played their hockey game the girls were out in great numbers at the track meet.

Some of the Freshmen tennis players have been practicing indoors during the past week. It is expected that quite a few Frosh boys will take part in indoor tennis this winter. Among them are: Dick Healey, Richard Plummer, and Brooks.

Shorty Shots: Gowell steps over the hurdles like nothing at all; Billiot, the pole-vaulter, flies through the air with the greatest of ease; Sleepy Shute is smooth in basketball as well as football, and Frosh, where are your hats and ties? Did the loved one back home receive the little green tie along with the hat?
The indoor intra-mural sports season is well under way. Memor Gym is lighted up nearly every week day evening for the use of those participating in these popular games. Volley ball and basketball will be the chief intra-mural sports this winter. The many teams consisting of those representing Dorm A, Dorm B, Oak Hall, and each of the many fraternities play about two games a week, the winning teams being picked at the end of the season according to the number of games won and lost. This means that the loss of a game does not eliminate a team from further competition as in touch football, but allows them to play out their schedule, playing as many games as every other team. Those out for freshman basketball may not participate in these games. This system of intra-mural sports is a good thing in that it provides an opportunity for every fellow in the school to take an active part in some sport.

**Girls Hockey Game**

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It was just a case of play-play-cheers-more cheers--
All of a sudden what should happen but a terrible congestion down around the freshman goal--And then lo and behold!!
A goal for the Freshmen.
Thanks to Peg Hinkley.

A few more minutes of violent and exciting play and it was over. Score: 1-0, Winners: the Fresh.

Saturday night the Freshman class celebrated their victory over the Sophomores by holding a get-together in the M.C.A. building. About 150 members of the class attended. The party was chaperoned by Miss Ring, Mr. and Mrs. Fielder, Miss Crosby, and Mr. Bricker.

The fun began with a snappy game whose chief object was that of getting people acquainted. Following the game two very humorous skits were presented under the direction of Jo Profita and "School Boy" Rowe. Albert Meade furnished some musical entertainment for the audience by playing two numbers on his accordion.

Then Dick Boyer took charge of the proceedings and ably organized a scavenger hunt which led the enthusiastic participants a merry chase over the hills and into the barnyard. Ethel Mae Currier, Phil Gregory, Ted Shannon, Hamlin Gilbert, Marjorie Thompson and Doug Best were in the group which won the prize (lollypops).

At this point the hunters were ready for refreshments. Cider, doughnuts and cookies were served in profusion.

The party was brought to a conclusion by more games and dancing. Ask those who attended whether or not the party was successful.

The committee in charge was composed of: Ross Newcomb, Jo Profita, Betty Drummmond, Kay Cox, Dick Boyer and Don Kelley.
Our class president must be quite a man when he can make Miriam Hilton lose sleep.
Did Wimpy catch a tartar or not?
Where does Eleanor Gould find that Buttercup at this time of the year?
'Tis rumored that Fuller was quite upset because his Cook didn't come up over the weekend.
Hersey to his girl friend: 'I suppose you girls will get a lot of rushing now that rules are off.' His friend: 'I sure hope so.'
Betty Fournier has returned to her diet of fish.
Are Rose and Russ glad that Freshmen rules are off! Just muscles, O ose?
She's getting to be quite a visitor now, isn't she, Buzzie?
Mary-Hale Sutton crashed through with two in one night.
Betty Clough and Charlotte Lowe seem to hit it off pretty well.
With the coming of spring a young man's fancy turns to what the girls have been thinking about all winter.
Luke Williams says that he learned how to dance when he slipped on a banana peeling at Whataguyiam.
Ask Mike Wanagel if he knows a girl by the name of Rose.
'School Boy' Rowe will just have to learn how to dance if he intends to go around with Mary Frost.
Most of the boys were successful in getting a horse hair.
Of all the cars on campus to pick from why choose Cobb's?
We wouldn't wonder if a lot of gas was spilled Saturday nite.
Marguerite Picard would have worn the newly acquired tie to bed on Saturday night if it hadn't been for the persuasive powers of her neighbors.
Probably the best known boy on the campus is Junior Boyer.
At least, he got the biggest hand Saturday night at the party.
Madeleine Jones got tempermental and almost missed her own birthday party.
Zilch went hiking Sunday in his 14 league boots.
Kelley gave her watch back.
The mystery of Oak Hall is 'Where is Killer's milking stool and what did he want with it?'
Betty Bruce goes for a Civil Engineer, too.
Where did Dick Williams get his girlish figure? How about it, Dick?
We'll admit that Bunny Hamilton pays her debts, but she might have picked a more suitable spot.
We wonder why some of the couples came back from the Scavanger hunt and claimed that they didn't have any success.
Georgia Taylor has reached the stage where she falls for whole groups of them.
Some of the fellows claim that they drank too much cider Saturday night.
It was a shame that Kay had to shadow him around at the track meet like that.
Some people make a practice of meeting at Pat's-------- accidentally, of course.
Althea seems to keep him waiting just from force of habit.