

Sophs Win Flag Rush In Slightly Mild Battle

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The annual flag rush between the sophs and the lowly frosh ended yesterday in a complete victory for the upperclassmen, when the freshmen failed to pull down the flag. A large crowd gathered on the corner of the campus in front of the chemistry lab to see two teams of eight men fight it out in a knock-down-drag-'em-out bid for the little white handkerchief that spells freedom for the new men if they get it. The last time that the freshmen got the flag was in 1938 when Bill Avery climbed the tree and rescued the cloth.

The game started at five in the afternoon and was composed of one period, five minutes long. The sophomores gathered around the tree and the freshmen lined up fifteen feet away and prepared to rush them. As Hillis Hollingsworth blew the whistle the grand rush started and pandemonium reigned for the ensuing minutes. The freshmen had some idea of each getting a sophomore and dragging him away from the scene of action and holding him on the ground. Big Billy Houston was supposed to get two of them and that would leave Chubby Wood in the clear to climb the tree unmolested. Due to inefficiency and a great display of order on the upperclassmen's side the plan did not work and Chubby was thrown to the ground where he hit his head and did not wake up until the game was all over.

There were few casualties listed on either side, which was probably due to the orders issued barring slugging and kicking. Solomon Dowis fought well and suffered from complete exhaustion as a result of his brave deeds. Mike Warr got big "Mop" Jelks on the ground and pounded his head on the good earth until, as "Mop" said, "It felt as though someone had pinched the top off!"

The best men on the field were, without a doubt, Solomon Dowis, Bob DeWitt, and Walter Israel for the freshmen, and Mike Warr, Julian Roddenbury, Turner Paschal, and Hinton Merritt for the sophomores.

The lineup for the flag rush was as follows:

For the sophomores: Lance Cord, Mike Warr, Hinton Merritt, Jack DeWitt, Julian Roddenbury, Grover Tynner, Ken Kendrick, and Turner Paschal.

For the frosh: Bob DeWitt, Solomon Dowis, Walter Israel, Billy Houston, Albert Jelks, Bill Lowe, and Chubby Wood.

President Roosevelt's youngest son, John, was among 376 naval reserve ensigns recently graduated from a three months training course conducted by the navy's supply corps at the Harvard business school.

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Muscles
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Dean Makes Social Plans

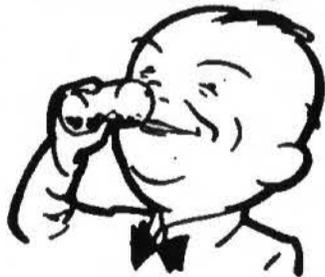
Plans were made for an extended social program for Mercer at a luncheon given by the Dean of Women in M. E. Porter Hall last Wednesday. The luncheon was attended by presidents of all social fraternities, pan-hellenic president, and Blue Key and Cardinal Key heads.

The purpose of this social program is to better the contacts between the boys and co-eds on the campus. Plans were laid for a program for next year which will attract students.

It is planned to have open house at the girl's dormitory every night, and to have Sunday afternoon teas, sponsored by the organizations. In addition there will be parties for the various organizations at the dormitory, and every boy on the campus will be entertained.

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Seniors Must Know English

AMES, IA.—(ACP)—Dr. Chas. E. Friley, president of Iowa State college has announced a plan under which seniors must show acceptable ability in English before they can be graduated.

The plan requires that the student must do more than merely submit grades obtained in English courses as evidence that his written and spoken use of the language measures up to a fair standard of clearness and accuracy. He must take an examination in English during the first quarter of his senior year.

Students who fail the examination will be given opportunity for remedial work in a writing clinic or in courses in English, and may take a later examination.

Dr. Guy S. Green, head of English and speech here, asserts that employers more and more are emphasizing the importance of good English.

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