Soph Swimmers Trounce Frosh At Field Day Meet

The swim meet, which was expected to be one of the more evenly-matched events on the Field Day program, turned into a complete rout as the sophomores claimed a surprising easy 165-90 victory over the class of '57. It was the old story of quality versus quantity, with only five sophomores and ten frosh participating, in comparison with the 80 freshmen who lined up for the '57 team. Despite the disparity in numbers, the sophomores returned victory to the home side by the largest margin in recent memory.

McIntosh had accumulated a 5 yard lead for the Sophs in the first 220 yd. lap, when the baton eluded Bratton at the exchange. Giving the finish a bit of a splash was Hoffman's win in the 200 yard test. In the second lap, Hoffman gained the lead, lending his team 20 more points. As Coach Oscar made note of Hoffman's time, the Frosh was well behind him, enabling the Sophs to capture 3 hard-fought points. All in all it was a great victory for the sophs and one which exceeded the hopes of the most ardent '56 booster. It was a team victory all the way, and the Sophs showed that the whole team was capable of competing with the Frosh.

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The runners in order of appearance:

Sophs

(1) McGuire
(2) White
(3) Faust
(4) Lewis
(5) Smith
(6) Zwickel
(7) Mc Neil
(8) Miscraft
(9) Christian
(10) Hendren

Frosh

(1) McGugle
(2) Zickler
(3) McArthur
(4) McNeil
(5) Donald
(6) Purdy
(7) Walker
(8) Mc Arthur
(9) Nolte
(10) Henderson

The Tech
SOPHS Run Away With GlowFight
Blank '57, 82-0
When the dust, guts, and so forth had cleared away after the seventh annual Glow Fight last fall, the officials were able to peer into the final score, it was discovered that the Frosh of '58 had won by the humiliating score of 82-0.

New Soph Strategy
This score was accomplished by the most ingenious stratagem ever concocted in a long line of ingenious stratagems. It seems that a certain Soph, identity unknown, repaired to Brigham Field under cover of darkness the night before Field Day. When he left, there were two boats in the field, the other three, with cast-iron piping removed down them, neatly covered with snow.

The freshmen, on the other hand, decided to give their glow sticks a few more hours before the time allotted for that event. Meanwhile, the class of '58 deposited its insects in the convivial receptacle provided on occasion.

A charge by '56 met with considerable success, and the freshman squad managed to hold on to most of their glow sticks. However, several feet of Sophomores escaped with the booty.

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