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Police Open Campaign Against Hitch-Hikers On Bangor-Orono Road

Complaints from Motorists Cause City and State Police To Take Drastic Action on Matter

As a result of numerous complaints which have been received by the Bangor police a campaign to rid the Bangor-Orono road of hitch hikers is being waged by the Bangor police and the State Police, according to an announcement issued by Police Chief Crowley of Bangor Sunday night. Lieutenant Wardwell of the State Police Department has ordered a heavy patrol of the state road between Bangor and Old Town placing special emphasis on hitch hikers and one-eyed cars.

Persons found thumbing rides will, according to Chief Crowley's statement, be arrested the first time they are apprehended and tried in regular court. Motorists along the road in question have complained that the hitch hikers, most of whom are claimed to be college men, are causing them great annoyance, and some have reported that young men have actually jumped onto their running board to demand a ride.

It will be remembered that the matter of hitch hiking was taken up with the college authorities by the State Police last year, and that a general warning against the practice was issued by the administration at that time.

State Trooper Walter Dubay said Sunday night when the announcement was made by Police Chief Crowley that most of the persons who had caused the complaints to be made were college students at the University.

It seems that one occurrence which aided in precipitating the police action is that a resident of Old Town, while on the way to Bangor gave a ride to a well dressed and attractive young woman, whom he probably thought to be a co-ed. Shortly after she entered the car he felt a slight prick in his right arm, but thought nothing of it at the time. It grew more irritating, however, and upon feeling his coat sleeve he found a needle-like instrument sticking through his sleeve. Almost immediately he began to feel dizzy and lost control of his arms and legs. Shortly before he dropped into unconsciousness he remembers seeing the woman take the

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Songs, Cheers, Pep Talks Feature First Assembly

Professor Weston Again Pleases Audience and Freshmen Learn New Songs

Starting the year off right with a cheer-up attitude, the opening chapel of the season was a collection of songs, cheers, and pep talks, conducted in Alumni Hall Monday morning. The "Football Song" and the "Band Song" with the band doing its best under the direction of Pat Loane opened the program. Jack Dickson then made a short speech of welcome to the Class of 1935, and introduced Coach Chester Jenkins, who went over Maine's athletic achievements of the past few years. He also stated that success this year depends upon cooperation of the entire student body. He urged bigger and better cheering at the games, and predicted that the State Football Championship will be tucked under the belts of the Pale Blue team at the end of next month.

Ted Curtis, faculty manager of athletics, was the next speaker on the program, and told of improvements which have been made in the athletic facilities of the school during the summer mentioning particularly the flood lights which have been installed behind the bleachers for night practice. He blamed the apparent lack of cheering at last Saturday's game to the fact that the student body was split up between the two stands.

Stubby Burrill, representing the All Maine Women, then told the freshman girls just what the organization is for, and gave them some advice as to the best way to plan their extra-curricular activities.

"Do right and fear no man; don't write and fear no woman," was the final bit of advice given to the student body by Professor Charles P. Weston, the final speaker of the morning, who in his own way gave valuable advice well sprinkled with a sweet flavoring of humorous remarks made as only Professor Weston can make them. The singing of "The Stein Song" closed the program.



JOHN DICKSON

John Dickson Elected Head Of 1932 Senior Skull Society

Walter Riley Named as Treasurer. Election Held at Close of School

At the Senior Skull election held at the end of school last year John Dickson, Kappa Sigma, was elected president of the organization for this year, and Walter E. Riley was elected treasurer. Dickson played on the freshman basketball team, and was a member of the freshman banquet committee. He was a member of the sophomore hop committee and is a member of the Student Senate. Last year he was chaplain of the Junior class, and he is a member of Alpha Chi Sigma.

Riley held the position of class president during the sophomore and junior years of the present seniors. He is a star member of the football team, and played an outstanding game with the freshman team during his first year here. He was a member of the freshman track and relay teams and was a Sophomore Owl. A member of the track club, he was vice-president of the Intramural Athletic Association, and a member of the A. A. Board.

The other members of the Senior Skull Society are: Everett A. Gunning, Lovell C. Chase, Maynard A. Hincks, Raymond A. Smith, Raymond T. Wendell, Lester C. Fickett, and James M. Sims.

The following changes of matrons have been made this summer at fraternity houses and dormitories: Mrs. Mattie Munson from Orono, who was formerly matron at Balentine, is now matron of the Tri Delta house, and Miss Celestia Stiles from Chatham, New Jersey, is matron at Maples, which has been repaired and now houses 38 freshman girls.

Clothing Suffers as Sophs And Frosh Settle Disputes In Annual Bag Scrap Fracas

A huge canvas bag crammed with straw was rolled out on the football field immediately after the Maine-Rhode Island game and then all was ready for the Big Bag Scrap, the annual Sophomore-Freshman tussle. Both sides of the field were closely packed with spectators and at one end, near the goalpost, were a hundred impatient Sophs and at the opposite end, a hundred thirty-fivers "raring" to go.

At the crack of a gun, two hundred men rushed forward for the bag, and then the fun began! Many from both sides grasped onto the bag and began to tug with might and main. Others looking for trouble, went around the edges of the

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PETITIONS FOR EXEMPTION FROM RULES DUE SATURDAY

Any member of the freshman class who has legitimate reason for having Sophomore privileges should make application in writing to the Senior Skulls. The applicant's name, address, and proof of exemption from freshman rules should be in the hands of Walter Riley, Kappa Sigma, not later than Saturday, October 3. Those freshmen whose petitions are granted will be notified.

Senior Skulls

Additions to Faculty Announced at School Opening by President

Twenty-eight New Instructors at University Include Fourteen Graduates of Maine

As a crowd of more than 1200 ever-smiling students swarmed the Maine campus last week, so too, very much in evidence were about thirty new members of the faculty, many of whom are graduates of Maine.

The official list of the new members for the year 1931-1932, as announced by President Boardman, is as follows:

Philip Judd Brockway, B.A., Maine, 1931. Graduate fellow in English. During his college career, Mr. Brockway was a member of the Sigma Alpha Epsilon fraternity, the Sophomore Owls, Senior Skulls, and was editor of the *Maine Spring*.

Frances Cole Downes, B.A., Maine, 1931. Graduate Fellow in Zoology. She was a member of the Phi Mu Sorority.

Doris Lane Gross, B.A., Maine, 1931. Assistant instructor in Music.

Leslie Rensselaer Holdridge, B.S., Maine, 1931. Graduate Fellow in Botany.

Mabel Clide Lancaster, B.S., Maine, 1931. Instructor in Home Economics.

Alfred Warren Perkins, B.A., Maine, 1931. Graduate Fellow in Mathematics.

William Eaton Smith, B.S., Maine, 1931. Graduate Fellow in Chemistry.

Horace Alexander Croxford, B.A., Maine, 1930. Critic teacher, School of Education.

Merton Stanley Parsons, B.S., Maine, 1929, M.S., 1931. Instructor in Agricultural Economics and Farm Management.

He was a member of the Alpha Zeta and Alpha Gamma Rho fraternities.

Sadie Jane Thompson, B.A., Maine, 1929. Critic teacher, School of Education. She was a member of Delta Delta Delta and Phi Sigma.

Harold Everett Bowie, B.A., Maine, 1928. Graduate Fellow in Mathematics.

Delbert Leonard Moody, B.S., Maine, 1928; M.S., Iowa State College, 1929. Instructor in Entomology.

Leola Bowie Chaplin, B.A., Maine, 1917. Critic teacher, School of Education and part-time assistant, department of English.

John Henry Magee, B.A., Maine, 1917; M.A., 1931. Instructor in Economics and Sociology. For the past several years, Mr. Magee has been prominent in the

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PROTEST AGAINST PARKING REGULATIONS VOICED AT SPECIAL MEETING OF STUDENT SENATE; PROPOSED CHANGES DRAWN UP

M.C.A. To Award Prize To Fraternity House with Best Showing in Annual Campaign

Full Y.M.C.A. Privileges To Be Offered Members This Year

Monday morning of next week will mark the opening of the Maine Christian Association drive for funds with \$1,000.00 as a goal. The campus will be thoroughly canvassed, and the drive will close Wednesday night. A new feature has been inaugurated by the M.C.A. this year in the form of a prize to be awarded to the fraternity house which has the best showing in the drive, which showing will be based on: the percentage of members contributing, the size of the average subscription, and the promptness with which the report of the house is turned in.

The prize this year is a picture of St. Gauden's statue of Abraham Lincoln. The picture will be on exhibition at the Book Store from today until the end of the drive next week. A brass plate suitably inscribed with the name of the winning fraternity will be placed on the picture before its presentation. The figures which will decide the winning fraternity will be checked by three members of the M.C.A. Advisory Board, namely, Dr. A. M. Turner, Assistant Professor Irving H. Pragerman, and Professor J. H. Waring.

In addition to its usual services to the college, the M. C. A. has this year secured full membership privileges in the Y.M.C.A., meaning that persons who hold a membership in the M.C.A. will be entitled to full membership privileges in any Y.M.C.A. in the country. This means that members of the organization here will have the use of the swimming pool, gym, handball courts, indoor track, pool tables, reading room, and dormitory at the Bangor Y.

The committee in charge of the drive this year is headed by Francis G. Ricker, treasurer of the M.C.A., assisted by members of the M.C.A. Cabinet and a large group of interested students.

FROSH COMES TO U. OF M. FOR REST AFTER 8,100 MILE JAUNT

Twice across the continent is the distance walked by Roy Lawrence to get his education. He hails from Arrowsic, graduated from Morse High School in 1929, and entered the University as a freshman this year. During his high school career he has walked approximately 8,100 miles. He took a post-graduate course at Morse for two years, and it is estimated that he averaged 1620 miles a year for six years in high school. He probably won't mind the new parking regulation.

European Debate Teams To Meet Maine in December

Candidates for Maine Team Which Meets English and Dutch Delegates to Try Out Friday

Debating teams representing England and Holland will visit Maine during the early part of December to meet the University debating team. Both teams are making a tour of New England under the auspices of the National Student Federation of New York City. Try-outs for the Maine team will take place tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 P.M. in 275 Arts & Sciences. The public speaking department is anxious to have a large number of candidates on hand. A five minute argumentative speech on any topic is to be given in the try-out.

The team representing England is composed of Stuart Craig and John Needham. Craig is a graduate of the University College of Nottingham where he received a B.A. degree with honors in philosophy. He made his colors in hockey, and represented the school in riflery and hockey. Needham received his degree in history from John's College at Dunham University. He played rugby, cricket, hockey, and was captain of one of the crews.

Holland will be represented by a team consisting of W. Lindner and H. M. C. Poortmann, both graduates of the University of Leiden.

Freshmen Led to Balentine As Sophs Wield Paddles In Annual Pajama Parade

The sharp crack of a gun shattered the air and the annual Sophomore-Freshman Nightshirt Parade was underway. What fun and excitement lay ahead!

A shout went up from the Frosh who, clad in an assortment of colored pajamas, were lined up before their dormitories surrounded by glowering sophs wielding sturdy paddles. Then they broke into a run for Balentine. When they turned the corner, two abreast, a rude surprise greeted them, and cold water was soon pouring over them from the nozzle of the fire hose. But aided by the thump of paddles they continued on and before long a small group of the Frosh were packed before Balentine where the Frosh President rendered the Stein Song joined in the chorus by the rest of the Frosh. They were then headed back to Oak Hall where they finally rebelled and raced off, thru mud and water, to the powerhouse. But to their dismay they found that the whistle had been removed. Undaunted still, they rushed across the field to Wingate Hall and several of the more enterprising Frosh succeeded in entering, and barring the way to the sophs.

The frosh breaking away did not occur, however, until after the gun had been fired to signify the end of the scrap, and it was with considerable difficulty that Jack Dickson, president of the Senior Skulls, aided by a group of sophs, finally quelled the raging mob and got them out of the powerhouse, before much damage had been done. Despite the fact that the frosh were marched to Balentine and made to perform for the co-eds Dickson declared the event a tie.

Platform Will Be Sent To Next Meeting Of Trustees

SENATE VOTE UNANIMOUS

Unrestricted Parking in Rear Of Fraternity Houses Asked

The unsatisfactory parking system, as it now exists under the regulations handed down to University of Maine students by the board of trustees, resulted in a special session of the Student Senate being called by President John R. Moore Thursday evening. Frederick S. Youngs, treasurer of the University, was present to explain the new regulations as they were given to him by the trustees, and a heated discussion by the members of the senate resulted in a unanimous opinion that the law in its present form was unsatisfactory to the students. A platform of proposed modifications which it is hoped will make the plan more workable were drawn up, and will be forwarded to Dean Corbett with the request that he present these recommendations to the President for the consideration of the board of trustees at their next meeting, October 9.

The suggested changes recommended by the senate were:

1. Unrestricted parking in the rear of fraternity houses, day and night.
2. Parking on any of the available spaces at night.
3. An agreement that the parking area north of the athletic field shall be kept clear of snow if students are obliged to use this area during the winter.

In case the first of these recommendations were not adopted, it was further requested that adequate protection be provided by the University for cars left in the Armory parking area during the night.

Among the arguments brought out against the new rules were the fact that students should be entitled to more consideration.

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Summer Building Program Successfully Carried Out

Heating Plant Remodelled to Give Better Service, Barn Moved, and Dorms Reconditioned

During the past summer many new features have been added to the buildings on the Maine campus. The Maples, formerly used in part as a dormitory for women and part for the department for the Home Economics has been remodeled under the supervision of Victor Hodgins, architect of Bangor, into a dormitory for women. The building will house forty-eight and has been completely renovated and refurbished.

An addition has been made to the President's house, a room approximately 20 feet by 30 feet.

The equipping of Merrill Hall has been continued thru the summer and it is now practically equipped thruout. Also this summer a seventy-five yard five lane running track has been constructed on the women's athletic field, together with jumping pits for the broad jump and high jump.

The new field north of the Armory has been enlarged as well as the parking area. A system of drainage has been worked out but none of this has as yet been installed.

The work of remodeling the Heating Plant has continued and about the middle of October, there will be in operation two 1200 H.P. H Type Stirling Boilers, furnished by the Babcock & Wilcox Co., together with Westinghouse stokers, coal handling equipment, overhead bunker and scales. These two boilers replace two 150 H.P. H.R.T. Boilers.

The horse barn located north of the Horticulture Building was moved to a new site just north of the Dairy Barns. This building will be remodeled and used as a farm machinery building, making possible the removal of the wagon sheds and small barn east of Winslow Hall. The small blacksmith shop located south of the horse barn was moved east and located north of the hog houses.

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THE NEW PARKING REGULATIONS

Why the new parking regulations which have been so arbitrarily handed down to Maine students by the board of trustees? Has the necessity for a few more acres of lawn become so great that students must now leave their cars nearly half a mile from some of the lecture halls on the campus? Or are cars so generally unattractive about the campus that only the cars of the faculty and visitors to the campus must be tolerated? Whatever may be the reason, students are obviously placed at a disadvantage by the new regulations, and the evident unpopularity of the rules appears to be justified.

That the trustees possess the legal right to make such regulations as they see fit, there can be no question. But students are also entitled to some reasonable privileges. A portion of the expenses of the University are borne by the State, but the students are also asked to pay a substantial share of the cost of their education—and this portion has been increased within the past two years. It does not seem unreasonable that these same students should be allowed to park their cars at some point nearer the center of the campus than the area north of the Athletic Field.

Probably the students who have been hit the hardest by this new rule are members of the fraternities with houses located on the campus, particularly those of "fraternity row" on College Avenue. From them has been taken the privilege of even parking their cars in their own back yard. When they have occasion to use their cars they must walk to the parking area, perhaps half a mile from the house, to get the car. When they return, regulations say that their car shall be taken back to that same parking area and left. And this parking ground which has been provided for cars is not adequately protected. If a student leaves his car in that area over night, he must run the risk of having his tires removed and the gas drained out.

To cite an example. One student at Maine bought a new car during the summer to use at college. This was before the new regulations were made known. As neither the student himself, nor his parents who are paying his way through school, wished to risk having the car stolen or damaged, that student was forced to go to the additional expense of hiring garage space for his car.

Comparatively few, of course, have new cars, but no one wishes to risk losing a car, no matter how old it may be. Likewise, tires and gas can be as readily stolen from a 1914 Ford as from the latest model Packard.

Then there is the matter of parking during the evening. As the rules now stand a student who comes up to the campus in the evening for an hour's studying at the library or a rehearsal for a one-act play must drive to the Armory parking grounds to leave his car—notwithstanding the fact that the faculty and other reserved parking spaces are usually vacant at night. Again the students are considerably inconvenienced, and for no apparent purpose.

There is also the point, and by no means an unimportant one, that students and faculty alike now have only one designated area on the campus at which they may park their cars. There can be no traveling from point to point on the campus except on foot. On some campuses this might be unimportant, but there are some four miles of road and five miles of walks on this campus. It is possible for a person having to visit numerous different points about the campus to travel a considerable distance without leaving the campus. It might be suggested at this point that the five miles of walk mentioned does not yet include the distance from the Armory to the Arts and Sciences building, and students have the daily pleasure of tramping back from the parking ground through the mud and slush.

Is there adequate room on the campus to park the 500 or 600 cars owned by University students and faculty members? Apparently the trustees do not think so. But these cars have been satisfactorily parked other years, and we know of no complaints on the matter of overcrowding. The new regulations are part of a plan which provides for converting the greater part of the former central parking area near Alumni Hall into lawn. Desirable though this would be, and much as an attractive campus is to be sought after, we still believe that a college is not primarily a show place. If parking space is needed on the campus, suitable areas should be set aside for this purpose rather than converting the space into lawns.

Parking facilities have been provided for the faculty near the Arts and Sciences building, and room will be left for salesmen and visitors to the campus in the old parking ground near Alumni Hall. Somewhere about the central part of the campus there should be found room enough for student cars. It may be that the situation as it existed last year was not perfect, but at least there appear no causes for the drastic changes which have been made.

It is not the purpose nor aim of an editorial to suggest what changes or modifications should be adopted in order to make the plan of the Trustees more workable. Such a platform has already been prepared by the Student Senate. Any other suggestions will be gladly published in the correspondence columns of the *Campus*. The intent of this editorial is solely to point out the shortcomings and injustices of the new regulations as we see them, and to advocate strongly that steps be taken to develop a more satisfactory parking situation at Maine. We believe that this could be done, and without too great difficulty.

Sophomore Eagles Lay Down Rules for Frosh

The Sophomore Eagles held a compulsory meeting for all freshman women in 30 Coburn Hall Friday noon, September 25, the purpose being to introduce the Eagles to the women of the Class of '35. Alice Dyer, president of Eagles, emphasized the freshman rules.

Do's and Don'ts for freshmen this year are:

1. Wear berets decidedly on head with "F" directly in front. They must be worn from the Maples to Balentine, and from dorms to all physical training classes. Berets should not be worn in dormitory dining halls.

When leaving campus to go outside Orono, ask permission of any Eagle to wear a dress hat within campus limits. Caps do not have to be worn Sundays, and holidays, after 6:30 P.M. or Friday and Saturday nights and nights before holidays.

Campus extends from Sigma Phi Sigma House to Orono bridge.

2. The Maine "hello" is an established custom at Maine. Let's practice it.

3. Open doors for upperclassmen and allow them to pass first.

4. Pour water at tables in dormitory dining halls, and seat the head of your table. Permission to leave dining room must be obtained from the head of your table, also from the dormitory matron. On entering the dining room, allow upperclassmen to pass first.

5. Sweaters with any preparatory school insignia should not be worn on campus.

6. Roll up rugs in living room before dancing and replace them afterward.

Per order
Sophomore Eagles

Freshmen Entertained At College Receptions

Following the regular Freshman Week custom, the three colleges of the University held receptions for their new members on the evening of September 18. In Alumni Hall the College of Technology's program was conducted under the direction of Dean Paul Cloke assisted by members of his faculty. Card games and refreshments were followed by motion pictures depicting some episodes in the life of Thomas Edison, and Professor Creamer read a humorous poem of his own composition entitled, "The College of Technology."

On the top floor of Coburn Hall the reception of the College of Arts and Sciences took place under the direction of Dean James S. Stevens, who introduced the members of the faculty. The program consisted of a number of musical numbers and a short skit, and was arranged by the departments of English and Public Speaking combined.

Winslow Hall was the scene of the reception of the College of Agriculture, which was conducted by Professor Dorsey. After the members of the faculty had been introduced to the agriculturally inclined members of the Class of 1935, refreshments were served.

CORRESPONDENCE

Editor, The Maine Campus,
Dear Sir:

Tuesday, September 22, 1931, was the day of registration. If we all remember rightly it was a rainy one suitable for the christening of the new parking place for student cars. We have discovered that Stillwater and Old Town are being given a break (brake) as good parking places. We now realize that a bus line from the College of Agriculture to the Armory would be advisable for two reasons, first, the distance, second, that there are no sidewalks to the Armory and mud is plentiful in the Armory road necessitating high shoes for the girls. Perhaps a better plan than the bus line for people coming from Orono is a boat line to be instituted at Orono bridge and to run to the University heating plant (this being a more central landing than the Armory). Of course this would not be suitable in cold weather, an ice-boat would then be serviceable and add spice to life.

There may be those among us who have never realized the beauties and great extent of the North end of our campus. I think they will now be thoroughly impressed with it.

Seriously, however, though we respect the feelings of "the powers that be", and realize as they do that our Cadillacs, Packards and Rolls-Royces do not add to, or harmonize with the scenery of the University we ask this question: "Why must we all park at one end of the campus? Isn't there some place behind the Arts College and the Agricultural College which may be made into parking spaces?"

Yours for "bigger and better" parking spaces, and more convenient!
"Lizzie"

Summer Session Has Very Successful Year

490 Students Attend Courses Under Supervision of Dr. Peterson; New Courses Added

BY ROSE SNIDER

Under the general direction of Dr. Roy M. Peterson, the University of Maine has spent a very wise, happy, interesting, and all-around successful summer. One of the most successful, in fact, in its whole history.

The students, 490 in all as compared with 350 the previous year, and 290 in 1929, were, as a majority persons engaged as teachers and administrators in educational work. 176 of these students already held at least the Bachelor of Arts degree.

The classes of work represented were many and varied. Some of those included were: superintendents, supervisors, principals, and head-masters, teachers of high schools, academics, grammar and primary schools; also, supervisors and teachers of special subjects such as manual arts, music, home economics, and commercial work, teachers of the deaf, mental defectives, and special classes, school psychologists and vocational counselors. And there were more.

The majority, however, were high school teachers. Practically every college in the United States was represented by at least one person, and some by more. From the University of Maine itself there were 71 Bachelors of Arts.

Normal school graduates made up a large percentage of the student body, and there were also many undergraduate students from this University and other colleges throughout the United States.

The number of candidates for the Master's degree was greater than ever before, being 112. Of these 6 did their undergraduate work in Maine institutions, 19 in other New England colleges and universities, 20 in Middle Atlantic States, 6 in the Middle West, and one in China.

Several special courses were added to the curricula this summer. Among these was the course in Manual Arts Education given by Mr. W. E. Brunton, Superintendent of Industrial Education, State of Pennsylvania, and Mr. R. W. Hambrook, Agent, Industrial Educational Service, Federal Board for Vocational Education, Washington, D. C.

Dr. Young of the biology department, gave a new and very interesting course in Marine Biology which was well-attended. The courses in German under Dr. W. B. French, which were offered this summer for the first time in the history of the summer session, showed a good record of attendance.

Aside from the regular curriculum the University also offered many opportunities for the lighter variety of entertainment. Under the supervision of a Social Director, amusement plans took definite form. Dances were given at Alumni Hall every week-end. There were several trips to the Lakewood and Surry Playhouses and a two-day trip to Lake Umbagog. A great deal of interest was taken in athletics, such as tennis, baseball, swimming, etc. There were regular Chapel exercises throughout the summer session.

Dr. Roy M. Peterson, Director of the summer session, is looking forward to an even more favorable season for 1932. In view of the past success, plans are being made for better and more varied courses. In the department of Physical Education, for example, there are to be a great many improvements.

M.C.A. SECRETARIES RESIGN POSITIONS HERE

The Maine Christian Association, under the direction of Mr. Cecil Fielder as general secretary, announces a change in its staff for the year. Miss Louise Campbell, who has for two years successfully carried on the work of women's secretary, has gone to Portland where she is to be the associate secretary of the Y.W.C.A. Her successor is Miss Edith G. Wilson of Los Angeles, California. Miss Wilson received her B.A. and M.A. degrees at the University of Southern California, and has had additional graduate study at the Teachers College of Columbia University and at Union Seminary. She has had one and a half years' experience as a teacher.

For two years she was secretary for the Girl Reserve department of the San Francisco Y.W.C.A., and for three years was Girl Reserve Secretary on the National Staff of the Y.W.C.A. For the last three summers she has been the head of Camp Maqua, West Poland, Me., a Y.W.C.A. camp for business women.

Mr. Chester Ramsey, who had charge of freshman work last year is studying at the Yale Divinity School, New Haven, Conn. The position which he held here will be temporarily discontinued.

CHURCH NOTICES

Fellowship Church
Dr. Charles M. Sharpe, Minister. Service at 10:30 A.M. The subject of this Sunday's sermon is "The Trees of God." Mr. Charles Crossland will be the soloist.

The Maine Snoopus

Hi-ho—and ho-hum—it seems that we're all back again for some reason or another—and I have set me forth to see what's what on this fair campus. One must keep "informed"...Matrimony's the thing! They're all doing it! Take for example our mighty editor-in-chief and his little blonde—they snuk out on us and got married last April!...And Bill Randall, the little debbil—who'd have suspected that one?...Then there's the Gross chile and her gra' big man that she brang from Colbee. Hands off this transfer, co-eds—but there are others—lots of others...Bates is back. It seems that 1 and 1 equal 3 now!...Oh—and glad tidings from Norm and Vi—you could never guess! But we'll drop a hint—the dear old alma mater may look forward to a boo'ful big football hero around 1950 or thereabouts. Now there's a ray of hope for Foxy Fred...About this bizness of pins now—there seems to be the same old collection plus a few new ones. Fittie's gone and done it we see. Oh well, we rather expected that. And—shh—what's this we hear about Gleason?...Speaking of heart throbs, how about the Gatti lip-growth? Pretty cagey, hey?...Everyone is giving the frosh the heavy once-over, as usual. They are rather interesting in their naive way...Have you seen the three cow-girls from the wide open spaces where men are men—? They ought to show the Maine eds a thing or two, maybe...And a real genuyne aviator to thrill the co-eds!...And one little freshette—oh, a very, very little one who thinks it's simply TERRIBLE the way she has to walk WAY DOWN TOWN for a cigarette!...There's a husky lad from Hebron about, too, who figured rather prominently in the Pajama Parade, if we could believe our eyes...What are all these Spots and Stars running about? Can these be the Frosh of yester-year? How time flies!...The Bag Scrap wasn't so good but we've gotta hand it to that Sophomore who fig-leaved it nonchalantly over to his rain-coat. A college education certainly gives one poise!

Many Sons and Daughters of Maine Alumni Enter U. of M.

The fact that many members of the Freshman class are sons and daughters of Maine Alumni shows that our old grads do not forget their Alma Mater.

Those who are with us this year are:

Phyllis W. Johnson, La Tuque, Quebec (C. A. Johnson, '08); Helen Williams, Guilford (J. S. Williams, '87); Christine Elliott, Portland (Hallett C. Elliott, '06); Margaret D. Strout, Bogota, N. Y. (H. C. Strout, 1900); Ruth E. Barrows, Orono (Wm. E. Barrows, '02); Harold O. Larrabee, Waltham (C. C. Larrabee, '12); Pearl Parsons, Millinocket (C. W. Parsons, '10); M. Johnson, La Tuque, Quebec (C. A. Johnson, '08); Inez L. Colcord, Searsport (Lincoln Colcord, '05); George D. Carlisle, Bangor (George T. Carlisle, Jr., '09); Cecil R. McGinley, Lynn, Mass. (Mrs. Chas. McGinley (Powell) '05).

Paul W. Bean, Auburn (P. L. Bean, '04); William O. Gould, Bangor (W. S. Gould, Jr., '11); John H. Stevens, Canton Pt. (A. H. Stevens, '12); Walter L. Emerson, Lewiston (W. L. Emerson, '09); Charles D. Pressey, Bangor (F. E. Pressey, '02); Roderick E. Mulaney, Jr., Bangor (R. E. Mulaney, '03); Winifred M. Cheney, Washburn (G. R. Cheney, '15); Frederick W. King, Augusta (F. W. King, '05); Richard W. Mansur, Augusta (H. R. Mansur, '05); Kendrick A. Sparrow, So. Orleans, Mass. (A. L. Sparrow, '06); Robert D. Ames, West Hartford, Conn. (B. E. Ames, '05).

Additions to Faculty Announced at School Opening by President

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Real Estate business in Bangor and throughout Eastern Maine.

Edith May Bolan, Student Assistant in Zoology.

Alfred Carleton Andrews, B.A., Bowdoin, 1920; M.A., University of Pennsylvania, 1930; Ph.D., 1931. Assistant Professor of Latin.

Warren Herbert Bliss, B.S., Michigan State College, 1928; M.S., 1931. Instructor in Electrical Engineering.

George Baer Fundenburg, B.A., Princeton, 1916; M.A., 1917; Ph.D., Columbia, 1919. Associate Professor of French.

William Henry Gauger, B.Chem., Cornell University, 1920; Ph.D., 1930. Instructor in Chemistry.

Lillian Maynard Hatfield, B.A., Lake Forest, 1923; M.A., University of Illinois, 1924; Ph.D., Cornell University, 1928. Assistant Professor of Psychology.

Robert Bechtold Heilman, B.A., Lafayette, 1927; M.A., Ohio State University, 1930. Instructor in English.

Helene Heye, B.S., Hastings, 1925; M.S., Iowa State College, 1927. Assistant Professor of Home Economics.

George William Legg, B.S., Hobart, 1931. Graduate Fellow in Physics.

Frosh Orchestra Plays at Reception in Alumni Hall

Nearly 400 freshmen attended the annual freshman reception given by the M.C.A. in Alumni last Friday evening.

The group was divided into six smaller groups, which were given the names of various colleges, Harvard, Georgia, Yale, Purdue, Michigan and Dartmouth. These groups then participated in various games, one of which was the usual autograph contest.

One of the novel features of the program was an orchestra made up entirely of freshmen. This orchestra played for the dance which came later in the evening. The chairman of the committees were Betty Barrows and Howard Stevens, Vivian Moors, Doris Hutchinson and Ethine Worcester helped.

Women hostesses were: Evelyn Gleason, Merritt Dunn, Marion Dixon, Dorothy Davis, Winifred Cushing, and Alice Dyer. The hosts for the men were: John Dickson, Walter Harris, John Moore, Francis Ricker, Willard Caswell, and Walter Rife.

Ruth Callahan and Rita Stone were the committee for refreshments.

Ushers were: Carl Ingraham, Peter Kuntz, Gordon Hayes, Paul Langois, and Anthony Gatti.

Prizes in the autograph contest were won by Ella Rowe with a total of 54 names and Douglas Raeside with 50.

ENROLLMENT FIGURES SHOW INCREASE OF 59 STUDENTS

The 1931-32 session of the University of Maine opened Tuesday, September 22, with a total enrollment of 1580 students, marking an increase of 59 students over last year's number, 1521.

This increase is largely in the junior class enrollment, which totaled 386 as compared with 311 last year.

There will probably be a slightly larger increase in this year's total when those who are registering late have reported.

The following is a tabulation of the first day's registration:

Graduate students, 27; Seniors, 293; Juniors, 386; Sophomores, 380; Freshmen, 468; Special students, 20; Two-Year Agriculture, 6.

James Elbridge Sawyer, B.S., in Agriculture, University of Florida, 1929. Graduate Fellow in Dairy Husbandry.

Charles Lester Smith, B.A., Harvard, 1907. Instructor and Critic Teacher, School of Education.

Henry Graber Stetler, B.S., in Economics, Franklin and Marshall, 1928; M.A., Columbia, 1930. Instructor in Sociology.

Ruth Rebecca Stone, B.A., Ohio Wesleyan, 1930; M.A., Smith, 1931. Instructor in English.

Edwin Sherman Worcester, B.A., Lafayette, 1931. Graduate Fellow in French.

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Several Intercollegiate Took Place

Several wedding ceremonies took place at the University campus.

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Several Interesting Weddings Took Place During Summer

Several weddings of interest to the University occurred during the past summer.

Miss Rena Campbell, Assistant Professor of Home Economics, and Mr. Merrill Bowles of Bangor were married June 13 at North Hall.

On the same day at Livermore Falls Madeline Riley, '31, and Joseph Thompson, '29, of Buffalo, N. Y. were married. Mrs. Thompson was a member of Pi Beta Phi sorority.

Miss Erna Gross, a member of Delta Zeta sorority, and Mr. John Fletcher, now seniors at the University, were also married. Previous to this year Mr. Fletcher attended Colby College.

Bernice Hopkins, Phi Mu, and Clifton Robbins who at one time attended the University were united in marriage in September.

George Elmendorf, a member of the Junior class, was married during the summer to Miss Martha Duncan at Swan Lake. The bride is a graduate of Oak Grove Seminary. They have taken an apartment in Orono. Mr. Elmendorf is a member of the Alpha Tau Omega fraternity.

Miss Irene Sanders and W. Whidden Johnson surprised their friends by announcing their wedding this summer after it had taken place on April twenty-fifth of this year. Mrs. Johnson is a prominent member of the Sophomore Class. Mr. Johnson is Editor of the *Campus* and a member of Sigma Nu fraternity.

Among the prospective students to enter the University at a later date are:

Mary Ann Booker, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Booker (Catherine Buck).

Norman Christian Webber, son of Mr. and Mrs. Norman Webber (Violet Petersen), and Diane Edes, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Milton Edes (Charlene Ellis).

The second stag dance of the year was given Friday night by Kappa Psi in the Alumni gym with the regular "first of the season" crowd in attendance.

A novelty dance during which varicolored balloons were dropped from the balcony, was one of the features of the evening.

Music for the dance was furnished by Larry's Bears.

The chaperons were Mr. and Mrs. Lyle Jenness, and Professor and Mrs. F. H. Steinmetz.

At the convention of Pi Beta Phi at Asbury Park, N. J. in June, Maine Alpha chapter was awarded the cup for the best chapter exhibit. Margaret Denton, Margaret Davis, and Mrs. Rena Campbell Bowles attended the convention as representatives of the local chapter.

A carnival of unique design will take place at the Delta Delta Delta sorority house in College Avenue tomorrow afternoon from three to seven o'clock.

Dr. and Mrs. Lutes entertained the students of the College of Education at their home on College Avenue from four until six Sunday. Supper was preceded by a very congenial social hour, making new acquaintances and renewing old ones.

A Bughouse College Party is to be given to welcome the freshmen on Saturday at 7.30 P.M., in the vestry of the Methodist Church. All students, both freshmen and upperclassmen, are cordially invited to come and have a good time.

MAINE WELL REPRESENTED ON FACULTY OF NEW HAVEN HIGH SCHOOL

The University of Maine is well represented this year on the faculty of New Haven High School, New Haven, Conn., as nine members of the faculty there are graduates of Maine. Among these members are Lucile W. Buckley, B.A., 1930, Instructor in Zoology, and Dorothea Buzzell, who graduated from Maine a few years ago. Miss Buckley, while at Maine was a Student Assistant in Zoology; last year she was one of the faculty at Bath, Maine. Her early education was secured in the public schools of Bangor, she having graduated from Bangor High School in 1925.

Miss Buzzell is a graduate of Old Town High School and of the U. of M.

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Protest Against Parking Regulations at Student Senate Meeting

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eration in view of the fact that they pay for the privilege of attending the University, cars are subject to theft and vandalism if left unprotected in the remote parking area, and that many provisions of the new system are unnecessary and cause great inconvenience.

"Gas-siphoning and tire stealing," it was pointed out, "have occurred frequently in that same area during basketball and football games. This happened when police officers were supposed to be there on duty. If cars are left there night after night, the spot will soon become a mecca for thieves."

In speaking of what was termed by one member as unfair action on the part of the trustees, it was stated that although partial expenses are still paid by the State, a large share is borne by the students, and as a consequence the trustees should not formulate regulations which are so universally undesirable to the students. "We pay for attending this University, and should be given certain rights and privileges to which we are entitled," it was stated.

"If the purpose of this rule is to beautify the campus, why should the portions in regard to night parking be in effect?" was the question raised by one member. The matter was finally narrowed down

to the four issues which are to be incorporated in the recommendations to be sent to the trustees, and these were adopted by a unanimous vote of the senate. It was also recommended that the rules as they now stand should be supported pending the next meeting of the trustees.

Police Open Campaign Against Hitch-Hikers

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wheel. He also remembers that a car in which two men were riding was following him and that the men jumped from the other car as soon as the woman had con-

WALTER HABENICHT WILL BE HEARD AT ASSEMBLY

The program for Assembly on Monday, October 5th, will consist of a violin recital by Mr. Walter Habenicht of Bangor. It will include the Chaconne, Bach's most famous composition for the violin, and several shorter classical and modern selections.

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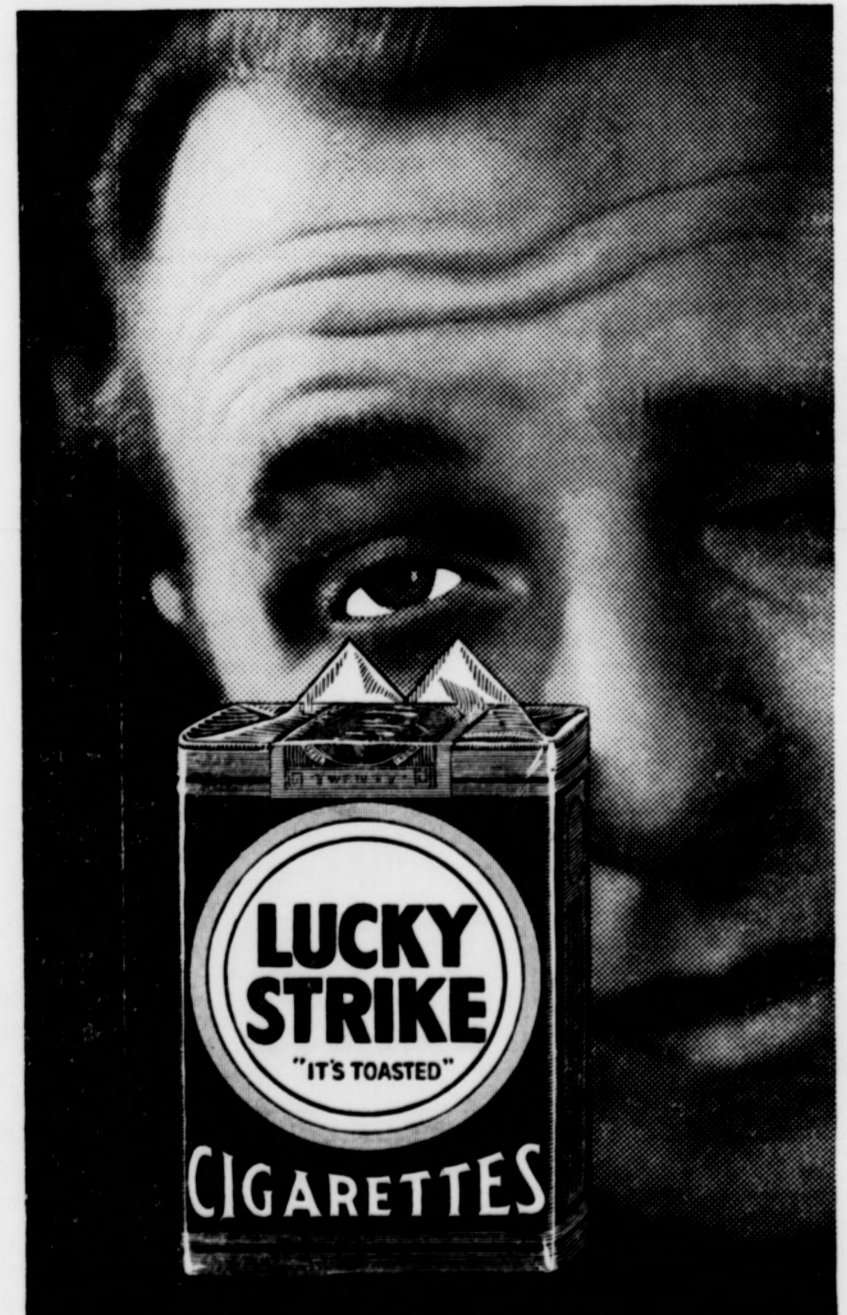
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Safety Spells Defeat For Maine in Opening Grid Game with R.I.

Means Injured in Hard Game on Muddy Field

The Rhode Island State football team butted through the heavy Pale Blue line to block one of Bagley's punts for a safety which spelled defeat for Maine by 8-7 on Alumni Field Saturday afternoon.



MEL MEANS

This safety early in the first quarter provided the margin which enabled the visitors to crash through to victory.

It was Rhody's first win over the Bricemen since 1916.

The fatal score came after an exchange of punts that gave Maine the ball on their own ten yard line. Bagley attempted to kick out of danger but was blocked, and the ball rolled across the goal line for a safety.

From then on, Maine started to do some ground gaining except when it meant touchdowns. Romansky reeled off a 17-yard sprint on the spinner play and after an exchange of punts unbuckled two more, one of 10 and another for 8 to put Maine in Rhode Island territory.

After Mel Means retired to the side lines with a bad hip injury Cragan intercepted a forward pass on the next play. The Rhode Island player gathered in the loose ball and returned it upfield 16 yards before he was nailed by Cal Fickett.

"Mun" Romansky introduced the second chapter with a six-yard sprint thru the line. Another pass was uncorked by Maine. But this time, Potter intercepted the pass and carried it back to the Rhode Island 45 yard line.

Overflowing with success, Goff dropped back to heave a pass. Pike, fighting mad, smashed through and before Goff knew what it was all about he was nailed to the ground for a 12-yard loss.

Goff in the third quarter began to ram the Maine line until it cracked under the strain giving R. I. a touchdown. R. I. failed to boot the point after two attempts leaving the score at 8-0.

Here Lewis replaced Adrich, Robertshaw swapped places with Romansky and Sims retired in favor of Riley.

Several moments later Smith caught a long pass from Bagley behind the R. I. goal for a touchdown.

Wilson place kicked the point, bringing Maine up to seven points, one behind

Varsity Harriers To Open Season Against Conn. Aggies

The Varsity Cross Country team is slowly rounding into shape for its opening meet against Conn. Aggies on Oct. 10 at Storrs, Conn.

Coach Jenkins lost two veteran hilltoppers by graduation in Bud Brooks and Steve Mank, the former being co-captain. This year the outfit will be built around "Ev" Gunning, Harry Booth, Ronald Austin, and Bob Pendleton, all members of the 1930 team.

The most promising men from last year's championship freshman team who are pressing the veterans hard are Ted Earle and "Red" Osgood.

There are quite a few new men expected to don their uniforms this week and by next week Coach Jenkins will be able to get a good idea as to his prospects for the present season.

W.A.A. INITIATION PICNIC

On Thursday, Sept. 24, the W.A.A. started the series of fall picnics which are so popular with the co-eds. This one was called an initiation picnic and was for the purpose of acquainting the freshmen with the new group system of athletics.

After the co-eds had succeeded in grabbing enough of the hot dogs, coffee, cheese and doughnuts, the general plan of the year was outlined by Helen Stearns, president of W.A.A. Miss Lengyel then gave a short talk and introduced the group leaders. In the remaining time the groups put on stunts and sang songs around the fire.

The committee in charge of the picnic was Marje Moulton, Peg Davis, and Merita Dunn.

WELLS IS NEW DIETITIAN

Bill Wells, captain of last year's baseball team, Cadet Colonel of the R.O.T.C. corps last year, treasurer of the Class of 1931, member of the Senior Skulls, and last year's room clerk in the freshman dormitories, has been appointed dietitian for the University, and has begun his duties with the opening of school this fall.

FENCING PRACTICE BEGUN

Fencing practice is being held in the Map Room of the Armory starting this week, and will be held continuously on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday afternoons at 4:15. A Fencing Club was organized at the University last year, and it is hoped that a good team will be turned out this year.

Rhode Island.

Maine made twelve first downs against five for the visitors. The Bricemen tried ten passes, completed six and had three intercepted. Rhode Island tried three and all of them were incompletes.

Summary:

RHODE ISLAND	MAINE
Derita, le.....re, Smith, Lewis	
Capalbo, lt.....rt, Pike	
Lewis, lg.....rg, Calderwood	
Collison, c.....c, Fickett	
Gill, rg.....lg, Lewis, Davis	
Stickney, rt.....lt, Kane	
Carr, re.....le, Hincks	
Potter, Gill, qb.....qb, Means, Wilson	
Horsman, Wright, lh.....rh, Sims, Riley	
Cragan, rh.....lh, Bagley, Favor	
Goff, fb.....fb, Romansky, Robertshaw	

Score by periods:
Rhode Island.....2 0 6 0-8
Maine.....0 0 0 7-7

Touchdowns made by Goff, Smith. Points after touchdowns, Wilson. Umpire, W. E. O'Connell. Head linesman, G. H. Vinall. Safety, Rhode Island. Referee, W. S. Cannell. Time, four 10-minute periods.

Equipment Issued to 26 Frosh Gridsters

Answering a call issued by Coach Phil Jones and Assistant Coach Art Lufkin, fifty-nine freshmen turned out for football practice on Friday, Sept. 18. After a week of preliminary practice equipment was issued to twenty-six candidates. The team has been hindered by the late opening of the University this year, and by the heavy rainfall of the past few days, which has left the field in a poor condition. Practice for the newcomers was held, however, on the indoor field.

Getting some much needed experience the team had a short scrimmage with the varsity team on Monday of this week. Candidates who look promising are: C. Honer at fullback, S. Reese at left half, D. Anderson at quarterback, R. Corrigan at right half, H. Files at right tackle, H. Lord at center, R. Foster at left end, C. Totman at left tackle, L. Stearns at left tackle, S. Chipman at right end, W. Besson at left guard, and J. Kuebler at full back.

Having defeated the Bowdoin frosh last week at Brunswick the M.C.I. grid outfit is looking forward confidently to this week end when they clash with the Maine frosh on Alumni Field while the varsity team is ripping holes in the Yale line, down in New Haven.

MAINE BAND STARTS YEAR OFF WELL

The University of Maine Band, which the student body has heard only twice this year, namely, at the Rhode Island vs. Maine football game last Saturday, and at Assembly in Alumni Hall Monday morning, is starting out on this year's campaign of music with a good send off by the students and faculty.

There are about 110 pieces in the band, of which the Freshmen make up one-third. The band has its rehearsals every Wednesday evening and Saturday morning, and although at present they are a little off key now and then, in a month or so the finished product will certainly be something of which to be proud.

Sergeant Strothers, who is now in charge, hopes to schedule the band for a trip through Aroostook County about the second week in December, playing in the several towns, and showing the potato growers a good strong band equal to any.

INTRAMURAL A. A. MEETS

The first meeting of the Intramural Athletic Association was opened last night by O. L. Rumazza, newly elected president. Among the business taken up was the Intramural Tag Football league, the schedule of which will be announced soon.

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Several Shifts Made In Maine Lineup In Preparation for Yale

With Mel Means definitely out of the running until the opening of the State Series, because of a hip injury received in the early moments of Saturday's game against Rhode Island, Coach Brice has dropped a slight earthquake into the Pale Blue eleven and made numerous shifts of position. The new backfield which went into action Monday afternoon, and which will probably start the work on the Yale gridmen Saturday consists of Fern Bagley at quarter, Milt Sims at right half, Don Favor at left half, and Mun Romansky in the full back position.

With Craig and Buzzell battling it out for a guard position it looks as though there would be a new face in the lineup at the Yale bowl, as Don Lester gives way to the successful one of these two candidates. Sam Calderwood, who has been playing at left guard will be shifted to right, and the new man will take his old place.

Workouts for the past week were concentrated into three days of drill, as the Bricemen left for New Haven today, and the new era lights on Alumni Field were used for the first time Monday. Practice sessions extend until 6:30 nightly now, and the artificial illumination is a big help to the blue.

CADET OFFICERS ATTEND CAMP DEVENS

Ten cadet officers in the local R.O.T.C. unit attended the training camp at Camp Devens this summer from June 15th to July 26th, during which period they were put through an extensive course in military work. This camping period is a required part of the work of those students taking advanced military. Those who were in the group from Maine were: Robert L. Bittner, Linwood S. Elliott, Maynard A. Hincks, Amel F. Kisonak, Francis J. McCabe, Edgar E. McCobb, Wheeler G. Merriam, James M. Sims, Robert B. Steward, and Ronald E. Young.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT MEETING HELD

The first women's student government association meeting was held in Alumni Hall on the afternoon of Tuesday, the 22nd. Margaret Churchill, President of the Association, spoke first, followed by Alice Dyer, President of the Sophomore Eagles, and Miss Elizabeth Foster, Dean of Women. The speakers welcomed the Freshman women, and explained the purpose and responsibilities of the Association.

45 MEN REPORT FOR FRESH- MAN CROSS-COUNTRY

In response to Coach Jenkins' call for candidates for the freshman cross country team forty-five men turned out last week for initial practice. Of the forty-five men out only about twenty have had experience, meaning that Coach Jenkins has a big job on his hands to put out a winning team by Columbus Day when the first meet of the season will take place between Team B and Brewer on the local course. The coach still has hopes that more men with cross country experience will be found in the class who will turn out.

ORCHESTRA REHEARSAL TONIGHT

The first rehearsal of the University Orchestra will be held tonight at 7:30 P.M. in 30 Coburn Hall. Old members of the orchestra are urged to attend and freshmen are especially welcome.

Dr. Roy M. Peterson attended the meeting of the National Council of Phi Beta Kappa which was held at Providence, R. I. on Sept. 8, 1931.

Clothing Suffers as Sophs and Frosh Settle Disputes in Bag Scrap

melee and began to pull and rip clothes from the unwary. Soon entangled couples were rolling on the ground and torn clothes were beginning to litter up the field. One husky Freshman was seen to tear all vestige of clothing from several bewildered sophomores and cries for blankets and coats were to be heard while the spectators roared with mirth. During all this time the Frosh had steadily hauled the remnants of the canvas bag down the field and at last over their own goal line.

Though the official decision went to the Frosh there is some feeling that because the Sophomores succeeded in dragging half of the bag across their goal line several minutes before the Frosh half was taken across, the decision may not be entirely just.

Letter Reveals Interesting Epi- sodes in Trip to Coast

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with the poles sticking out of the front. "Sante Fe was the quaintest town we passed thru. It was made entirely of these adobe houses and its streets ran anywhere but nowhere in particular. It was just like a piece out of the old southern America before the white men came here.

"After San Diego we went up thru the Mohave again into Death Valley and saw the Borax Works and the Funeral Mountains. It's a hot hole and deserves its name. That same night we camped fairly well up in the Sierras under the brow of Mt. Whitney, highest peak in the United States. Death Valley is the lowest point.

"The next day found climbing up into the real Sierras up above the snow line by means of a very precipitous one car road with drops of many thousands of feet almost under the running board. We camped that night near a mountain stream and slept wonderfully.

"The next day saw us gazing at the wonders of Yosemite with its big trees 14 thousand foot water falls, Mirror Lake and El Capitan. We loafed on down the line to Modesto about a hundred miles south of Sacramento. This day we passed great fruit orchards of apricots, plums, peaches, figs, and so forth. The orange groves seemed to have been mostly down near San Diego and Los Angeles.

"The last day we passed thru more fruit orchards thru Sacramento and up into Quincy. We consider the trip so far very successful. We have had ten flats, but still have usable tires with two to spare. I think the desert and three nails are to blame for most of the flats. If we get enough money to proceed in time, we plan to get to Reno, Yellowstone, maybe the Grand Canyon, and up into Oregon, Washington and British Columbia, taking in Banff, Lake Louise and anything else possible. We have about \$130.00 as a base on which to build and if we can get any work at all we should raise this to \$300.00 between the three of us. It took only \$35.00 apiece to go to San Diego.

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