Kennedy, Brock, Hough and Miller, some very good men. Those who are attending the Freshman team of 1912 had opportunity to see the graduates are causing some of the Freshman team at its meets. Even though numbers are there only two push-halves in the contest, and a concerted effort on the parts of both Freshmen and Sophomores has failed to locate either of these sculls. It was the Freshman B Ball Fight Committee that was beginning to fear that they will have to hold their fight without a push-ball. The University will be on the draw and it was decided last evening to hold a fight of some sort with half a shell. It would be a good idea to have a shell, but no, and to set that date permanently as that of this annual meeting of the gymnastics.

It was suggested some definite action on the part of the University and for me to see that a signal be taken, and it was decided to confer with the Freshman committee of the Board of Athletics. Any action taken should be sanctioned by that committee. It was thought by the Board of Athletics and Freshman Committee that some of the men and in particular the freshman, who are not appropriate, and that some decided unauthorized action is still taken.

The following sections were elected to wait on the Board of Athletics and Freshman committee of the University:

President选 Allston Smith, Edward Wood, A. Newberry and James P. Ferguson. J. M. Keinath was elected to lead the singing. The following committee of members attended the meeting:


CLASS BOAT RACE TO DAY.

Preliminary Races for the University Championship Start This Afternoon.

Fall racing on the Schuylkill started this afternoon, when the first preliminary race for the championship of the University will take place over the course, starting from above the Trolley Bridge to the City Hall.
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Chapel Attendance.

Wednesday............... 59
Thursday................ 102
Friday................... 92
Monday................... 92
Tuesday............... 142

The total attendance for the college week, closing yesterday, was 541, which gives a daily average of 108.2. This is the first week in which voluntary Chapel has been taken seriously and with a certain degree of pride.

The second week begins this morning.

What, after all, is the use of a college course unless it imparts to a man that atmosphere of general culture that singles out the leaders of men? After four years at a place like Pennsylvania a student should be able to show a live interest in letters and the arts, and at least an intelligent ignorance about the other humanities. To make such an end possible, the Pennsylvania is doing more than mere criticism. The paper is working up an interest in things musical that ought to be reflected permanently in the education of the next new passing through the University. If every student realizes its value, and contributes to its growth by his active support, the institution of auxiliary musical cultures will become permanent here, and an appreciation of the finest of the arts will be a characteristic of Pennsylvanian men.

Presidents of all classes in all departments of the University met yesterday. What they accomplished is small in comparison with the significance of their meeting is of large importance. Student government at Pennsylvania may be far in a dim and distant future. But, someday, it will undoubtedly be realized. Any step towards its realization is to be hailed with delight and encouraged by undergraduates and faculty as well.

Yesterday's meeting, at which all classes and all departments were represented, seems the first step. Many problems exist which concern the entire undergraduate body. These can best be discussed and handled at such meetings as that of yesterday. A permanent University Undergraduate Committee would be desirable. It, perhaps, might encourage a greater unity and solidarity. These are needed. Such a committee may well serve as a stepping-stone to student government.

EVENING SCHOOL ENLARGED.

Five Year Old Department Increases

Despite Rises in Tuition.

The University Evening School of Accounts and Finance opened on September 21, and has already an enrollment of 144 students. This year's freshman class shows a gain of 46 over that of last year, notwithstanding a rise in tuition to $100. An additional large increase in attendance is due to the Wharton course "Government Control of Business," which has proved extremely popular.

Last May, at the suggestion of the Provost, a committee was appointed to raise money to provide for a free bed for the Calyer Hospital. The subscription already amounts to about $100.

EXCHANGES.

The Football Situation at Some of Our Contemporary Institutions.

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Despite the success of Lafayette last year, the Indians are holding secret practice regularly, in anticipation of Saturday's game. The time being up principally with signal drills. Lafayette is celebrating its victory over Princeton in the big game by beginning a three-weeks' hard practice, in preparation for their game with Pennsylvania on Saturday week.

Brown is not at all discouraged by the result of the Harvard game Saturday, as may be seen by the following extract from an editorial in the Brown Herald: "The next two weeks will see another improvement and development which will make Yale fight her hardest, and will end the season by defeating Carlisle." At Michigan, Coach Yost has not as yet definitely decided upon the lineup of the 'Varsity team, the centre and guard positions being shifted frequently.

CITIZENSHIP.


Soccer Team to Begin Training.

"Soccer" practice will begin about the middle of November, and will probably be held in the University Settlement building until the football season is over, then on Franklin Field. Dr. George W. Ooton, who has been assisting in coaching the cross-country team, may be secured as coach.

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CHRISTIANITY DISCUSSED

Chinese Students Compare Christianity and Confucianism in Religious Assemblies.

Realizing that they are born not only to drive the numerous volumes of books in the library and class rooms, but also to obtain, whenever possible, an insight into other important phases of American life, the Chinese students at Pennsylvania have taken a great interest in investigating the real essence of Christianity as compared with that of Confucianism.

The Chinese students assemble in the Christian Association room, at Houston Club, every Sunday afternoon, to discuss the Christian religion, under Dr. Joel H. Hildebrand’s leadership.

Although meetings of somewhat similar nature were held by the Chinese students last year, never before have they manifested such great enthusiasm and wide-awake interest in the discussions as are now doing. Every meeting this year has been marked by peak attendance and every discussion has been characterized by difficult, well-thought-out questions fired at Dr. Hildebrand, and lively debates among the students. Every one deliberates with an open mind, eager to learn the truth.

The Christian and the Confucian teachings are essentially the same in their fundamentals, but there are two great differences which have been impressed upon the minds of the members. Christianity is full of inspiration which furnishes the driving power behind man’s will to do good, while Confucianism is filled with reverence for an aged authority.

This has been in a large measure responsible for the conservatism of the Chinese, as well as for the consolidation and binding together of that ancient race for over four centuries.

Whatever other results may be produced by these discussions of Christianity by the Chinese students, one thing is certain, that there will be a clearer and better mutual understanding between the Christian and the Confucian, or between the Occident and the Orient.

Novice Chess Tournament. A novice chess tournament, open to all players in the University, will be held in Harrison Hall, under the auspices of the Chess Club. All wishing to enter the tournament can give their names to Mr. Jeffries, in the Houston Club. A card for entries is placed in the class table. There have been three members selected for the University team, namely: Whittaker, Weimar and Bander. There will be a match by wireless with Princeton, and games are also being arranged with Johns Hopkins, New York University and Swarthmore. A match with the Rice Chess Club will be played December 30. Arrangements are being made for the Triangular League, with Cornell, Brown and Pennsylvania. It will be recalled that Pennsylvania had a wonderful team last year, and won 7 to 1, giving the team a permanent hold on the Rice Chess trophy. A new trophy has been presented by Mr. Isaac L. Rice, which Pennsylvania hopes to win again this year.

Band Rehearsal Tonight. There will be a rehearsal of the University Band in the Law School at 7 o’clock tonight, to prepare for Friday’s big mass-meeting. All members must be present, as uniforms will be given out and selection practiced.

Senior Class Meet To-day. There will be a meeting of the Senior Class, in Room 121, College Hall, at 1 o’clock to-day. Signed, H. P. Braddock.

Freshman Class to Meet. There will be a meeting of the Freshman Class in the Harrison Laboratory, on Thursday, at 1 o’clock. Charles Caryll.

Men Needed for Gun Team. Only two candidates reported yesterday in response to Captain Dixon’s call for men. As the Intercollegiate shoot takes place in about three weeks, more men are needed at once. The best shoots take place on October 30.
IMPROVED CHAPEL ATTENDANCE

Dr. Weygandt, in His Talk Yesterday, Urged Students to Keep to the Faith of Their Fathers.

Fulfilling anticipations, Chapel attendance took a decided leap forward yesterday morning. One hundred and forty-two, a gain of forty-two over Sunday morning, and within twelve of the maximum attendance reached last Friday, were on hand to give support to this long-established institution and to profit by Dr. Weygandt’s message. The accommodated houses of the Fraternity suite was somewhat allotted by the presence of three members of the teaching staff, a record unequalled this year.

Dr. Weygandt’s message was a plea for the old faith, for the faith of our fathers in connection with which he read Alfred Noyes’ poem, “The Old Sleigh.” We quote the first and last stanzas as disclosing the thought Professor Weygandt wished to emphasize:

“...I am weary of disbelief; why should I wound my soul?
To please a sophist’s pride in a new graven image of truth?
I will go back to my home, with the schools and the stars above.
And the heaven I know, and the God of my youth...

...I will go back and believe in the deep old familiar things.
And pay the sweet old prayers that I learned from my mother’s knee.
Where the Hubs smiles tells its peace time
The breathing valley, and
And the summer’s evening hymn hal low the listening sea.”

Golf Tournament Progresses.

In the only golf match which was played yesterday afternoon of the College tournament, which is now in progress, Evans won from H. C. Hastings, 3 up and 2 to play. This was a new line of Bojha Correspondence

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