

CHANGES AT HARVARD.

The New Year—The Williams Game—McMasters to Train.

[Correspondence of YALE ALUMNI WEEKLY.]

Cambridge, October 5.—Harvard opened her doors to students in all departments on Thursday. Indications point to a considerable increase in the undergraduate department, although figures are not yet obtainable.

Few changes are announced in the Faculty or curriculum. The retirement of Dr. F. C. Babbitt from the Greek Department to accept the Professorship at Trinity, formerly held by Professor Beckwith, left a vacancy which has been filled by the appointment of Mr. W. F. Harris, who has been pursuing studies in Europe during the past three years. A series of new courses for the professional training of teachers, principals and superintendents of schools is announced which, in its scope and aims, is similar to the Teachers' Courses which were established at Yale a year ago.

The Law School begins the year with more new blood in the corps of instructors than for several years. One important addition to the Faculty is the appointment of Professor E. B. Strobel to the Bemis Professorship. He will also conduct the courses in International Law in the College, formerly given by Professor Beale. The lectures on Bills and Notes and on Partnership, which have been conducted by Dean J. B. Ames, will be under Professor Joseph Doddridge Brannan, who enters upon his work from the Cincinnati Law School. Mr. N. W. Swift has been appointed Lecturer on Sales, a course previously given by Professor James B. Thayer. Mr. J. J. Storrow of Boston will offer twelve lectures on Patent Law, and Mr. Dodge will assume the courses of Professor Williams, owing to the latter's illness, except those in Roman Law and Partnership.

SPANISH WAR MEMORIAL.

Information in regard to all Harvard men who served in the Spanish war is being collected for purposes of record and it has been decided to erect a memorial gateway to commemorate the services of those who died in the conflict. The gateway will be on the South side of the College yard facing Harvard Square. Harvard men have marched and fought side by side with Yale men throughout the war, and some mention of those who died in the service will be made in a subsequent letter.

The only bequest of moment received by the University during the Summer was \$10,000, by the will of the late James Stevenson of Brookline, Mass., to found two scholarships in the Medical School. Announcement has just been made of a \$5,000 scholarship in the College, to be known as the Worey Willard Buckminster Scholarship, given by W. B. Buckminster in memory of his son, who was to have entered Harvard this year.

Warm weather proved a serious handicap to the work of the football candidates during the past week. But the new men are taking hold well. There has been little practice in team play, as many candidates are being tried in the various positions. The players who have the right of way at present are: Richardson, r.e.; J. Lawrence, r.t.; Burden, r.g.; C. Sargent and Kasson, c.; Boal, l.g.; Burnett, l.t.; Cochran, l.e.; Daly, q.b.; Warren, r.h.b.; Dibblee, l.h.b.; Reed, f.b. During the temporary absence of Richardson and Reed, owing to slight injuries, Lewis and T. Kendall are the choice as substitutes.

Daly gives promise of becoming the best quarter Harvard has had since Wrenn's day. He tackles hard, passes and punts well. He is being coached to play back to receive punts and his skillful interference makes him a valuable man in blocking off when one of the other backs receives the ball. Lawrence is rapidly learning the tackle position and may hold his own against

the more experienced players, Swain, Donald and Lee when they begin work. Ex-Captain Waters not only knows the requirements of the tackle position thoroughly, but his energetic coaching is very effective in teaching other men. Kendall is playing well at full-back and will press Reed hard for the place. Haughton, full-back last season, will probably try for a place in the line this year. Cochran at the end of the line has been following the ball well. He plays back to receive kicks, as he is a good punter. C. Sargent and Kasson are working hard for the snap-back position. Sargent has a shade the better of the contest, but must reduce his weight. Captain Dibblee is playing a fast game and his handling of the team is excellent. Boal at left-guard is strong in his position.

The weakness of the team which seems likely to prove most difficult to remedy is on the ends of the line, where the material is of mediocre quality.

HARVARD DEFEATS WILLIAMS.

The opening game of the season with Williams last Saturday resulted in a score of 11 to 0 in favor of Harvard, in two fifteen minutes halves. All the scoring was done in the first half. The first touchdown was made by Cochran, who secured the ball on a fumble by one of the opposing backs and ran fifteen yards to the goal. The second score was made by Kendall through the line after a long run by Dibblee. The Williams team proved a strong one, the chief weakness being at full-back.

The management has selected McMasters, the old Princeton trainer, to look after the players, and he will have the care of their physical condition for the present at least. It seems not a little strange to see him rushing to and fro on the field in a sweater marked with the stripes of the Princeton tiger.

J. WESTON ALLEN.

Yale, 5—Wesleyan, 0.

Yale's second game was played at the Field on Saturday against the Wesleyan Eleven and resulted in a victory by the small score of 5 to 0. With the exception of the first few minutes, the play throughout was slow and spiritless, owing to the intense heat which prevailed. Yale lost the ball repeatedly on fumbling and off-side play and to this may be attributed in large measure the smallness of the score. Wesleyan made repeated gains through the Yale guards and tackles, but at no time had the ball within thirty yards of Yale's goal.

Yale's touchdown was made two minutes before the close of the first half. Taking the ball at the thirty-yard line on the kick off, Yale carried it down the field on successive rushes to within twenty-five yards of the Wesleyan goal, where it was lost on a fumble. An exchange of punts followed which gave the ball to Yale on Wesleyan's twenty-yard line, and after a number of interruptions due to fumbling and off-side play, McBride took the ball across the line. Brown failed to kick the goal.

In the second half nine new men were substituted on the Yale team and the Wesleyan goal was at no time in danger. The line-up:

YALE.	POSITION.	WESLEYAN.
Thomas { Sharp {	left-end-right	Hartzell
Magee { Cook {	left-tackle-right	Hyde
Brown {	left-guard-right	Lufkin
Walton { Cutten {	Center	Brown
Marshall { Andrews {	right-guard-left	Townsend
Chamberlin { Richards {	right-tackle-left	Yale
Coy { Eddy {	right-end-left	Bragden
deSaulles {	quarter-back	Dodds
Marvin { Townsend {	left-half-right	Rymer
Corwin { Dudley {	right-half-left	Raymond
McBride { Dashiell {	full-back	Inglis

Umpire—Mr. Hartzell of Wesleyan. Referee—G. F. Sanford of Yale. Linesmen—Dr. Hull and Mr. McNaughton. Touchdown—McBride. Score—Yale, 5; Wesleyan, 0. Time—Fifteen minute halves.

FOOTBALL RULES.

Mr. Camp Says U. A. Committee made no Radical Changes.

After a series of meetings extending over several weeks, the Rules Committee of the University Athletic Club, consisting of Messrs. Dashiell, Bell, Moffat, Dennis, Wrenn and Camp, completed their work upon the football rules of 1898.

Previous to the calling together of this committee, two other bodies, the Southern Intercollegiate Association and the Western, had formulated codes differing in some material points from the old set, chiefly in legislation unfavorable to mass plays.

The Committee of the University Athletic Club proceeded upon the supposition that the rules which had gone so successfully through two seasons could not be far wrong and determined to make no changes save those that appeared absolutely essential. With Messrs. Wrenn and Dashiell on the Committee this task was rendered much easier, as these two officials were able to show just what agreements between captains and officials had been rendered necessary by ambiguity.

There are two discrepancies in the published code. Rules 13 and 23 conflicting also 15 and 28. These will probably be corrected shortly by the Committee.

The final results show almost no radical changes save in the scoring rule, which now allows but one point for converting a touchdown into a goal, the values being touchdowns five points, and one point for converting it into a goal; goal from field five points safety by opponents two points.

Any feint by the snap-back, even though he does not let the ball go, puts it in play.

Charging is carefully defined and unlawful charging penalized.

Provision is made against a team intentionally committing fouls when close to their goal line, the design being to delay the fair progress of the play.

It is also rendered lawful to play less than seventy minutes if both captains agree to it.

In case of a game beginning late the referee is empowered to shorten the halves, announcing the length previous to any playing, however, so as to insure two equal halves being played.

Captains are also allowed to take out men and replace them by substitutes whether the men are injured or not.

Touch-in-goal is eliminated from the rules altogether.

The quarter-back can advance the ball to the line of scrimmage.

The balance of the alterations are chiefly explanatory in character and involve no changes in the play. There are marginal headings and also an index for the convenience of players and officials.

WALTER CAMP.

Fall Regatta.

The annual Fall Regatta will take place on Saturday afternoon, October 15, at Lake Whitney. No scrub crews have entered, but the Junior, Sophomore and two Freshman classes will be represented. The 1900 crew will be in charge of J. P. Brock, who will coach and captain the crew, but will not row. The 1901 crew will be captained by J.

Full-grown Men

— LIKE —

THE SUN.

WHAT IS

YOUR GAME

THIS FALL?

Probably **GOLF**. We can, in that case, do a good deal for you. Our Golf Waist-coats are rich things, and of the very best of English manufacture. And there are Golf Jackets of which as much can be said; and Golf Gloves and Golf Caps. Have you tried the **CHASE HAT**? Why not? Want something English? There's nothing better than the **HENRY HEATH**.

CHASE & CO.,

NEW HAVEN HOUSE BLOCK.

FRANK A. CORBIN,

TAILOR

TO THE

STUDENTS OF YALE

AND TO THE

GRADUATES

in all parts of the country

Address:

1000 Chapel Street,
New Haven, Conn.

A. Keppelman. The 1902 and the 1901 S. crews will be coached by F. W. Allen, 1900, and J. C. Greenleaf, '99 S., respectively.

The following men have presented themselves as candidates for the Freshman crews: 1902—Low, Rogers, Lincoln, Wright, Dewey, Nevins, Reed, Laws, Holt, Schwab, Brainard, Griffing, Frisbie, Stone, Tenney Higgins, Moore, Potter, Burrall.

1901 S.—Spitzer, Welch, Burlingham Goodwin, Campbell, Davis, Sidenberg.

Athletic Calendar.

Saturday, October 8.—Yale-Williams game at New Haven.

Saturday, October 15.—Yale-Newton Athletic Club game at Newton. Fall Regatta at Lake Whitney.

Wednesday, October 19.—Yale-Brown game at New Haven.

Saturday, October 22.—Yale-Carlisle Indian School game at New Haven.

Saturday, October 29.—Yale-West Point game at New Haven. Fall track games.

Saturday, November 5.—Yale-Chicago Athletic Club game at New Haven.

Saturday, November 12.—Yale-Princeton game at Princeton.

Saturday, November 19.—Yale-Harvard game at New Haven.

Intercollegiate golf match at Ardsley, third week in October.

The Athletic Council of the University of Wisconsin has expelled James H. Maybury, the Western sprinter, and Henry F. Cochems of this season's football team, and relinquishes all claims to records made by the former since Sept. 12, 1895. Both men violated the athletic rules of the University at an athletic meeting held at Spring Green, Wisconsin in 1895.

You have seen the Fall KNOX?