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A Change in Commencing with this issue the "Collegian" will be published on Wednesday morning instead of Thursday morning. The change of one day has been made in order that the Saturday's news of the college may reach our alumni subscribers one day earlier than before.

Mass Ever since their institution by President Sparks, the Wednesday morning mass meetings have served a very important purpose. No other gathering has been so successful in bringing together the faculty, the classes and student organizations in a place where discussions may be held. To upperclassmen and sophomores no plea is needed for attendance at mass meeting; but to the new men, it will be well worth the time to attend all such meetings. It is the best opportunity that you have to become thoroughly acquainted with all the student activities and with the undertakings of college organizations.

Again, we must not forget mass meetings held in the evening. The initial one of the year was held last Friday. In some ways this was a remarkable meeting. Surely no more inspiring talks were ever given by our athletes and coaches than on that night. It is after such a meeting as this that a Penn State man begins to appreciate how great are his opportunities.

The We Our "We Wonder" Wonders. Column has a purpose. Read it, the college or your fellow-students may be benefitted by your so doing.

The Owing to the increased interest which has been shown in our calendar, the popular column will be continued this year. To insure the success of the work, we ask the co-operation of all organizations in college. Class officers, various sectional officers, musical clubs and all other organizations should notify us not later than Monday noon of all meetings that are to appear in the Wednesday issue.

Also This "Collegian" fees may be paid on Thursday and Friday evenings of this week at C. W. Smith's store, Allen

street from six until eight o'clock. Remember the price is \$1.25 until October 15.

The Call for Two new business managers are to be added to the staff of the paper from the present junior class. All applications should be sent to the business managers.

### Y. M. C. A. NOTES.

Last year over 30,000 college men in this country were in voluntary bible classes throughout the country. An increasing number of students are realizing the value of this work and are giving it a prominent place on their schedule. The work here at Penn State is now being organized for the year and a variety of courses will be offered.

Some of the arranged courses are as follows:—  
 Seniors "Crisis of the Christ" given by Professor Willard.  
 Sophomores "New Studies in Acts".

For upper classmen (special) "Systematic Study of the Old Testament", given by Professor Foster.

Freshmen Freshman Bible class, conducted by Mr. Buchman.

Two year men A bible class meeting in the Agricultural Building.

There will also be classes in the various churches through-out the town. Call at the Y. M. C. A. room for particulars.

Arrangements can be made with Dr. Runkle to have denominational papers and magazines secured at the library and placed out on the tables on Sundays. Any men interested are requested to take up the matter with him as soon as possible.

A "Lost and Found" bureau is being conducted at the Y. M. C. A. room. Anyone losing or finding anything will assist by reporting it there.

### BY THE WAY.

The University of Cornell will during this year complete the construction of six new buildings, costing approximately \$1,000,000. An infirmary was constructed at the cost of \$120,000, which should be of especial significance and interest to Penn State.

Columbia this year will have an enrollment of students which will surpass any previous one in the annals of the institution. It is believed that the number of men in the university will come close to 10,000.

The average standing of the fraternity and club men in the University of California has shown a marked improvement during the last spring term.

The baseball championship won by Princeton last year, will be celebrated by a huge bon-fire on the campus.

J. B. Watson, 1909, and his wife departed for Brazil during the first part of the month. "Daddy" Giff and his wife left for China, where he will again take up work at the Canton Christian college. Both of these men expect to be actively engaged in mission work.

### A Sophomore Victory.

The first class scrap of the year was easy for the sophomores. The push-ball contest, held on Old Beaver Field last Saturday, resulted in a twelve-one victory for the class of 1915. Dick Harlow '12 acted as referee, and the judges were Vey '13, Craig '14, and "Bill" Hollenback.

The first ten minute period began at 1.30 p. m., and the two classes, when lined up for the signal, seemed to be almost equal in numbers,

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although the freshman class as a whole is by far the larger. From the very beginning the advantage was with the men of 1915. The freshmen were decidedly lacking in aggressiveness, and though they had been instructed before the scrap and had definite tactics to follow, they seemed bewildered, for the most part, and failed to check the determined rushes of the "Sophs.". The latter made their greatest gains by swift end runs, but made shower progress when encountering the massed center of their opponents. After ten minutes of scrapping, the score stood 7-0.

During the remaining two periods the freshmen profited somewhat from their experience, holding their opponents to five scores, and at times afforded a stubborn resistance. At the end of the second period they hold the sophs almost on their goal line, and just before the final signal at the end of the third period, they ran the ball into sophomore territory, just in time to make their only score. Though beaten by the overwhelming score of 12-1, the class of 1916 has scrapping material and will doubtless make good in the future.

Two Friends of Penn State Coming.  
 George M. Graham, Sporting Editor and Walter Hoban, Sporting Cartoonist of "Philadelphia North American" will make their annual visit to the college some time during the week beginning October 28. During their visit Mr. Graham will give us another talk on athletics and will be accompanied on the black board by Hoban. The meeting this year will be held in the Schwab Auditorium. Full details will appear later.

### Dr. Seerley Coming.

Dr. F. N. Seerley, of the Springfield Training School, Springfield, Mass., who was one of the most popular speakers at Eaglesmere last June, will be at State College Oct. 12th and 13th.

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