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CONDUCT IN CHAPEL

At last Sunday's chapel services a most flagrant violation of per sonal conduct was noted Several students had purchased newspaper before going to the service and during the hour were engaged in gleaning the contents therefrom. They gave little attention to the peaker, his topic nor the fact that their actions were being noted They were interested only in the paper.

It seems rather hard to understand why men should do thes things. Chapel is not a form. It is not a place where men may do as best suits them. It is first, last and always a place of worship and if one cannot enter into that portion of it then he can and should re-main in respectful attention of the speaker, and those about him who do enter into the spirit of the service. Many students have an idea that chapel is nothing else than an institution used for compulsion of student activity, whether it be daily or Sunday. We do not at the point desire to discuss the rights or wrongs of daily or Sunday chapel That there are both desirable and undesirable features about the for former is true, but the latter is without question a good to be desired at every educational institution. However, chapel is a feature of student life at Penn State and as such should be regarded as one of the

Men go to church because they desire to do so. They go whether at home or at State College. There is no reason whatever why Sun day chapel is not the same and and does not produce the same for each man and woman in college as the services in a church. It is the college church service, where the college and its students enter into the spirit of worship in the Lord's house Any act on the part of any student which detracts a single iota from the sincerity of this worship belittles himself and the spiritual light to be obtained in worship. Such acts as were noted last Sunday were very uncomplimentary to the speaker, to his topic and to all the students in the service. Let us have no repetition of such an act but rather let us have a more concer rated desire on the part of each student to make Sunday chapel a vital part of each week's life and to drive the great good that may be gotten from the teachings of His work.

THE DAMAGE FUND PAYS

Student activities during the past week were again responsible for a removal of money from the Damage Fund of each class. A goodly amount of apples were stolen from the Horticultural Building and the loss was considerable because the fruit had been grown in the college experimental orchard, thereby necessitating a further loss in compiling the records for this orchard. This case is just an example of the many things which arise during the college year and for which the student body in general must pay. The damage fund, which is made possible through the class dues, is used to pay for these escandes.

when a clas finally reaches its senior year, whatever mnoey remains in the class damage fund at the end of that year is used toward paying a portion of the Senior Memorial to the college. Thus it is easily seen that the amount of money a class will have in its damage fund for use toward the memorial will be directly proportionate to the amount of money drawn from the fund for defiaying expenses caused by the destructive tetrivities conducted by that class of by the nucber of students whose identity is unknown but for whose escapedes the entire college must pay.

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Therefore, let us have less of these destructive activities. If our college really means as much to us as we are prone to say, then we shall certainly desire to leave her some fitting memorial of that feeling. If not, then we may expect a dashing, gluttonous charge upon the damage fund. However, the COLLEGIAN believes that the former case is the true one at Penn State and that the students will attempt to lessen and to discourage any such activities as are against the best interests of the college. Such things as have happened here this year are certainly to be discouraged. They have dug deeply in the damage fund and have not been for the best interests to the college. Let us have no more of them.

The practice of cutting corners has become a bad one this fall. The campus was very beautiful when college opened and nearly all the walks were funged with a pretty, clean cut border of green. Now the walks all over the campus and particularly those leading directly to the various buildings are in a disorderly condition and give the appearance of sprawling toward the buildings rather than the neat way they looked when college opened. In this matter the students alone have been at fault. For the best appearance of the campus and for the sake of keeping a live border of green about the walks, let us be more observant of our conduct and keep to the regular paths, especially in regard to the corners. The practice of cutting corners has become a bad one this fall.

News From Other Colleges

dred Preshmen are emolled in the in-stitution this year, DULAWARI:—An official tag day has been arranged for the benefit of the "Delaware College Review," the stud-ent weekly publication at this institu-tion

DARTMOUTH-Killinger, Penn State's sterling quarter-back is being men-

UNIVERSITY OF MARYLAND-bibs party was recently held for Freshman glids, who were dressed le children with curbs, short dresses a pretty hair ilbbons

LOOKING BACKWARD

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Six years Ago.

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ALUMNI NOTES

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n. M. Sars '12, is with the United irginia. Martin Gillet '11, is with the Scot

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ida, Benetch '09, is located with the
State Department of Agriculture at
Trenton, New Jersey.
R. B. Gago '00, is in charge of the
testing laboratories of the Department
of Connervation and Dovelopment at
Trenton, Now Jersey.

LACROSSE MEN IN LIGHT FALL WORKOUT

Although the heroses candidates have been out practicing for the pasts wo or three weeks, they have done very little work so far and, in fact will angage only in light serimmages during the fall period since the variety facrosses season does not open until the week (feet Easter vacation and it is thought without the work the more graudling work to

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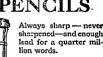
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