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Dear Mother:-

I am very sorry not to have written sooner, but the room has been in such a mess and there have been so many things to do getting started that I just haven't been able to get a line off. Everything has been coming along very nicely. After I finished writing my letter to you last Monday Francis and I drove over to Dover and met Dick and his parents promptly at noon. After that we drove over to Durham where the University of New Hamp. is located and looked around the campus, which is nothing compared to the Dartmouth campus, as you might expect. Francis let me drive his car as he doesn't like to drive - it tires him so. We drove over all sorts of back roads getting back to Laconia, but we had a very nice time. Monday evening we went to see George Arliss, the same show we saw at home, but Francis was so anxious to see it that I didn't have the heart to tell him that I had already seen it. I didn't mind seeing it again though, as it was really good. After the show we went home and played a few hands of bridge with Mrs. Dame. She is a good player, but not the snooty kind, so I got along all right.

Tuesday morning we drove out to New Hampton to see the prep school located there. It is a pretty place, but quite small. The school itself has about a hundred students. In the afternoon we made the circuit of Lake Winnepesaukee and visited the camp where
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Francis used to go. Of course, the camp was not in session, but they have a lovely campsite right on the Lake. The next day, the Muzzy's arrived about noon for lunch, and after lunch we packed up the car and started for Hanover. We arrived in plenty of time as we started on Daylight Saving time and ended up on Standard. I registered and found that I had gained two more pounds since I left home, which left me at 145, only six pounds underweight. The Physical Fitness department almost refused to take me, and the best I could get from them was one hour's credit, the other two to come from some regular rec. I was in a quandry as to what to take, but George Donehue of the tri-Kaps solved it for me. One of their boys is in charge of the rec track, and almost all the tri-Kaps just go down there, sign in, and leave without a lick of work. You see the advantages of fraternity. George is going to introduce us up at the house some time and speak to the fellow about it.

My schedule for this semester is:

MWF	TTS
8:00 Chem. 1	French 7
9:00 Chem. 1 lab. Wed.	History 11
10:15 Latin 13	Pol. Sci. 3

In chemistry I got Prof. Scarlett. The sections are large, about a hundred or so in each. He is good and fair, they say. As I told you, Prof. Burton is to be my Latin prof. In French I have Montsie who seems to be neither good nor bad. In history who should I draw

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but my old pal Prof. Meneely. I am sorry not to have had some one else because Meneely is dry, but I couldn't help it, and I know he is good hearted and fairly easy. In Poly Sci I have a Dr. Smith who is fairly good. As a whole, I am satisfied but not pleased with my profs.

I have been expecting things to arrive from home almost any day, but nothing has come yet. Right now it is raining hard so I can't go out as I haven't got my raincoat. Do hope these things are on the way. Bob had just come in from the annual class football rush and tells me that our class managed to get two of the balls over the line. The frosh got two, and the fifth was in play on the field when Paleop called the game on account of rain. The discision was given to the freshmen as the ball was on their side of the field. That is all right because they care a lot more about winning than our class does.

While I was looking at a paper at Francis's one day I saw a headline which startled me considerably. It said that a Dartmouth freshman had been found dead in his room by the janitor. Imagine my surprise to find that it was George Bennett, one of my advisees. He died instantaneously Sunday night while cleaning a trombone. His death was due to enlargement of the thymal gland which caused his heart to stop. I am going to write a letter to his mother as soon as possible. She was the only survivor. My other advisee, Vance Miller, was all right. He is a fine fellow, I think. Love to all,

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Dartmouth Student Found Dead in Room On Eve of 1st Class

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Special to The Union.

HANOVER, Sept. 19.—George Stilwell Bennett, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was found dead in his room in North Massachusetts hall, Dartmouth college dormitory, by the dormitory janitor late today. He was to have matriculated at the college as a freshman today. Dr. F. A. Bogardus of Canaan, Grafton county medical referee, was called immediately and pronounced death due to natural causes.

Bennett arrived in Hanover to begin his college career yesterday and was last seen by some friends

at dinner last night, after which he returned to his room. The janitor entered the room this morning found the boy apparently sleeping and so did not disturb him. However, when he discovered him in the same position several hours later he notified the authorities. Bennett had a trombone and some polishing oil near him, and apparently had died while cleaning the instrument.

Bennett, who was graduated from Brooklyn Polytechnic Preparatory school last June, is survived by his mother, Annie Sommer Bennett.

The body will be removed to the home in Brooklyn for burial.