

# ROUSING WELCOME EXTENDED NEVADA FOOTBALL PLAYERS

College yells, waving pennants, the Hawaiian band and a big crowd of football fans greeted the University of Nevada football team, which arrived shortly before 11 o'clock this morning on the steamer Maui for the Christmas Day game with the University of Hawaii and the New Year's Day game with the Outrigger Canoe club. Several "Nevada" blue and white pennants waved in the crowd that jammed Pier 15 as the boat docked.

There are 17 men in the University of Nevada party, headed by Coach R. O. Courtwright. They lined up at the rail when the ship stopped in the outer harbor and gave the Nevada yell. The delegation from the University of Hawaii, which went out to greet them on a launch returned the yell with an island cheer. Coming on board the Maui after the yellow flag dropped, the reception committee gave the visitors a number of leis each with the green and white lei of the local college predominating.

Following disembarkation, the visitors were taken to the Pali in automobiles and then to the Outrigger club where they were assigned to the homes of various local university students. Luncheon was served at the Outrigger club. The afternoon is being spent at the beach.

Coach Courtwright announced that the initial practise would be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at Alexander field when the Nevadans would do little more than stand out and get used to the sun. Every member of the team showed the effect of the warm weather. The trip down was rather rough but only five of the team went down with seasickness, among them being the coach.

In the squad are the following players:

W. Church, N. Waite, V. Dunne, H. Foster, E. Reed (captain), H. Johnson, T. Fairchild, W. Martin, E. Fisher, T. Grant, M. Fairchild, M. Colwell, T. Buckman, J. Heward and K. Rees. Only one, W. Church, had been in the island before. Church served nine months in the army at Schofield in 1917.

The reception committee that met the Nevadans consisted of Ezra Crane, Robert Spencer, A. L. Andrews, N. King, D. Ormiston, A. L. Castle and G. Stanley McKenzie.

Coach Courtwright did not make any predictions as to the outcome of the games, remarking in answer that "it's mighty good to see land again."