

- 2.00 p. m. Senior Class exercises on the front campus
 3.00 p. m. Field and track meet with the Western University of Pennsylvania
 7.30 p. m. Annual meeting of the Board of Trustees
 8.00 p. m. Junior Oratorical contest
 9.30 p. m. The Philochorean reception
 9.30 p. m. Fraternity house receptions

TUESDAY, JUNE 16

- 8.30-10.30 a. m. Class reunions
 10.00 a. m. Alumni business meeting
 9.45 a. m. Annual business meeting of the Phi Kappa Phi Honor Fraternity
 11.00 a. m. Annual public address before the Phi Kappa Phi, "Dr. Evan Pugh" by Professor A. A. Breneman, of New York
 2.00 p. m. Annual concert by Cadet Band on front campus
 2.00 p. m. Meeting of delegates and of Alumni to elect Trustees
 3.00 p. m. Alumni parade
 3.30 p. m. Alumni field events and baseball game
 8.00 p. m. Presentation of "The Toastmaster," by the Thespians

- 8.00 p. m. Alumni reception

WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17

Commencement Day

- 9.45 a. m. The inauguration of Dr. Edwin Erle Sparks, as President of The Pennsylvania State College and the graduating exercises of the class of 1908.
 2.00 p. m. Inauguration day addresses in the Auditorium by President Alexander Crombie Humphreys, of Stevens Institute of Technology, Hoboken, N. J., and Dr Paul Shorey, head of the Department of Greek, the University of Chicago
 3.30 p. m. Baseball game, Western University of Pennsylvania vs. State

- 5.00 6.00 p. m. Informal reception to the Commencement guests, President's house and lawn

- 8.00 p. m. Farewell reception to the Senior Class by the Junior Class.

Senior Thesis Subjects.

Design and Construction of a 2000 lb. Ice Plant—M. W. Fox, W. G. C. Thompson and H. C. Woodward.

Preparation and Study of Certain Perfume Material—E. F. Bainbridge.

Effects of Different Times of Ignition in Otto Gas Engines—J. H. Dougherty, M. B. Gerhard and J. B. Wharton.

A Critical Study of the Methods for the Determination of Salicylic Acid—D. C. Cochrane.

A Synthesis of Certain Tertiary Alcohols in the Aromatic Series by the Means of Grignard's Reaction—F. A. Hull.

Road Tests to Determine Efficiency and Economy of Locomotive 01001 P. S. C.—J. M. Coleman, G. B. Hastings, J. H. McCoy, W. H. Salmon and S. B. Valentine.

Studies in the Terpene Series—J. S. Knapper.

Determination and Concentration of Acetone in Crude Wood Spirits—D. B. Landis.

Commercial and Efficiency Tests on Power Plant of Capitol Building, Harrisburg, Pa.—E. G. DuBarry, J. M. Harding, J. B. Shatzer and R. W. Steigerwalt (Combined Mechanical and Electrical Engineering Thesis.)

A Study of the Properties of Acetylene—R. C. Severance and J. D. Woodward.

The Determination of Phenols—F. C. Woodside.

An Investigation of a Method for the Determination of Available Phosphate in Thomas Slag—H. A. Zink.

President Sparks Addresses Students

On Wednesday morning the regular chapel exercises were suspended and President Sparks gave a short talk to the student body. This was the inauguration of a policy which our new President intends to develop and continue throughout his administration. When matters of interest to the students come up in the meetings of the Student Council, they are to be referred to the student body, assembled in a mass meeting. These meetings will take the place of the chapel exercises on Wednesday whenever necessary.

After outlining this plan for bringing the administration and students into closer touch, President Sparks spoke of the reluctance with which he gave himself up to the demonstrations that had been planned for his reception. He felt that it would be much better to wait until he had done something worthy of a demonstration.

He spoke in the the highest terms of General Beaver, repeating part of a conversation he had with him shortly after the election by the Board of Trustees of himself as President in which General Beaver told him that the students believed in a square deal. Dr. Sparks took this idea of the square deal as the key note of his further remarks. He explained what he intends to do fulfill his part, and what he expects from the students in living up to their part.

While the President is here, two hours a day will be given exclusively as office hours for the students. Much of his time will necessarily be spent in different parts of the state looking after the outside interests of the College; but the most careful attention will be given to all matters relating to the students.

President Sparks has great expectations from the Student Council and the student committees. He hopes to make them factors of great