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WESTERN TRIP

Decisive Victories Over Michigan and W. V. U. Rain Spoiled the Pitt Game. Skemp Shows Rare Form.

Two victories out of three games played is the record of our nine on the first far-western trip it ever took. West Virginia was downed 12 to 1 on Wednesday May nineteenth; we lost to Notre Dame 9 to 0 two days later; and then last Saturday came our glorious triumph over Michigan 9 to 7.

The opening game at Morgantown proved to be a one-sided slugging match, since Old State garnered sixteen hits while the Mountaineers secured but three from Skemp. Their college paper came out Saturday and said that "The Penn players worked like professionals, while our players seemed somewhat excited." McCleary was our star man at the bat having four hits and two of these for extra bases! Every man on captain Hirshman's team performed well and it was a foregone conclusion that Pitt would be downed the next day at Pittsburg. Already W. V. U. had taken two games from our "W. U. P." rivals but we were not given the same privilege since rain prevented the game. The elements have interfered with our games in Pittsburg so much that we have never been able to play any of our scheduled games on Smoky City diamonds. It is as one newspaper there said: "The Penn State baseball club would go into bankruptcy if it had to depend on Pittsburg receipts since rain has spoiled the chances

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Memorial Day Ceremonies.

On Saturday afternoon at 4 o'clock there will be held in front of Old Main some ceremonies in honor of our late President Atherton whose grave is on the north side of the Auditorium. A committee consisting of Forsythe, Craig and Hay of the sophomore class have arranged a program which is to be participated in by all the classes as well as others who may wish to attend. The second year men have taken the initiative in all Decoration Day doings and they have this year decided on an entirely appropriate ceremony which is bound to be more appreciated by the school at large than the less suitable "doings" which took place in former years at this time. Each class will show its appreciation of the work done by the late President Atherton at the close of the ceremonies when a wreath from each class will be placed on his grave. The program is short and all can afford to attend the ceremonies:

Overture, band; invocation, Dr. Gill; address, Rev. Hewitt; selection, band; march to Dr. Atherton's grave; volley and taps; selection, band; placing of wreaths on grave.

Dr. Hewitt, of St. John's Episcopal church, Bellefonte, is an excellent choice as speaker, not only because he knew Dr. Atherton very intimately for many years but also because he was in the Confederate Army in the Civil War and represents a complete reunion of the north and the south.

Sunday June 6 will be Hugh McAllister Beaver day and will be appropriately observed in Sunday chapel.

PUSHBALL.

A New Interclass Scrap Proposed to Take the Place of the Old Picture Scrap and Campus Rush.

The following set of rules for the proposed pushball contest between underclassmen was passed upon almost unanimously by the upper two classes recently and is now before the student council for final ratification. The abandonment, last fall, of the campus rush, and the unsatisfactory condition of affairs always accompanying the picture scrap, brought the student body to a realization that something ought to be done to restore and maintain good old class spirit among the lower classes, and at the same time eliminate any danger to life or property. The idea of a pushball game will prove excellent, without a doubt, for there is always intense excitement produced at one of these games. A large ball constructed in a similar way to a football is used, but it is spherical and six feet in diameter. The object of each side is to keep the ball in the air and try to get it over their enemies' heads and thereby into their territory. The money required for the ball, about \$200, is to be secured by a popular subscription which Dr. Sparks has already started.

By setting the date for this scrap as the second Saturday of the school year and recommending a later date for the wrestling match, the committee intend to have a series of scraps which will be very beneficial to each class. The pushball contest coming at the beginning of the year will bring all the mem-

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