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Beginning with this issue, the Collegian will be published by the new editorial staff and it is the earnest intention of the new officers to use their utmost endeavors to maintain the high standard of excellence to which the paper has been brought by the diligence and untiring efforts of the preceding editors.

For years the Collegian has been steadily growing, until now the "Free Lance" days appear very dim in the past. Let us hope that the successful career of the paper will continue and that the news contained in its columns may always be of like interest to faculty, alumni and students.

To Messrs Fisher and Mattern, great praise and credit is due, for as Editor and Asst. Editor respectively, they made many sacrifices, to

give their undivided attention to the perfection of a college newspaper in which the entire institution was interested. That they were successful beyond all previous comparison is self evident from the surpassing condition of the State Collegian through the past year.

It is the wish of the new editorial staff that this paper be for the college by the college for without the support and general interest of everyone connected with Penn State it would be manifestly difficult to retain the high position that the Collegian occupies at the present time. We shall always be pleased for suggestions as to improving the paper and we entreat all to give us their best support, while in return we shall do everything in our power to keep the Penn State Collegian where it rightfully belongs—at the top!

In the near future the Collegian will insert in its columns a call for three men for the editorial staff, one to be taken from the present sophomore class and two from the freshman class. The business department will also want one man from 1912. Those who are interested in this work will find the announcement in one of the coming issues.

On Saturday afternoon and evening the Ben Greet Players will again appear here in Shakespearean drama and as the opportunity to see this company is rare, it is not surprising to understand the enormous demand for seats. To those who witnessed the two performances last year, these people need no introduction as their work at that time was judged

exclusively on merit and the verdict was, "A Tremendous Success."

To the underclassmen and new residents of the town, it is quite safe to predict that they will realize only the fullest admiration for the Ben Greets and as the sale of tickets is very large, all are urged to procure their seats as soon as possible, in order that they may have a good view of the action from a point of vantage in the Auditorium.

Everybody at State was disappointed last week that Mr. Carnegie could not arrange his trip from the Pacific coast to New York to include a visit to this college. It has been six years since he was last here and the visible growth and improvement of the college and surroundings would have been a real pleasure to him. He has always manifested a special interest in the students of Penn State and their work, as witnessed by our beautiful Library building and our valuable class scholarships. He is accustomed to spend his summers in Scotland and will probably not visit us before going abroad; but when he does come, old State will give him a welcome which will be worth while.

Y. M. C. A. Nominations.

The following men have been nominated for the offices of the Christian Association for this coming year: President, F. H. Johnson, W. R. Rhoads; Vice President, J. E. Watson, DeV. Meade; Secretary, J. W. McNeil, P. Forsythe; Treasurer, V. Egbert, J. H. Watson; Assistant Treasurer, J. E. Atkinson, W. V. Moyer, S. C. Kincaid.

The election will be held in connection with the regular Sunday evening meeting this week, April 10.