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## 1914 WINS THE SCRAP

Sophomores Defeat Freshmen 7 to 2 in Pushball Contest Last Saturday.

The sophomores and freshmen clashed forces on Old Beaver Field last Saturday in the third annual pushball scrap. The fight was warmly contested, but the strategy and experience of the sophomores enabled them to score seven points while the first year men were only able to score two points.

The freshmen were first to appear on the field, but were soon followed by the sophomores, and it was evident that the 1915 class outnumbered 1914. After a few instructions by Harlow, president of the senior class, the opponents lined up on opposite sides of the ball anxiously awaiting the starting signal. The battlefield was very muddy, a fact which kept the men from doing fast running.

The freshmen gained the advantage at the start-off and pushed the ball into the sophomores' territory in an eastern direction. The success of the freshmen, however, was short-lived, as 1914 soon rallied and carried the ball into their opponents' territory. The sophomores, by working hard, were able to keep the ball out of their own territory and at the end of the first period scored a point by having the ball within the lines of the freshmen.

The intermission of five minutes was taken and then the classes lined up again with a change in goals. In this period 1914 carried the immense sphere down the field for two touchdowns. These scores were accomplished largely by the reserve wing men who were held back and as soon as the ball shifted to one side, would rush in against the weak end of the freshmen, thus gaining considerable ground. The freshmen then attempted these tactics, but from lack of experience, proved unsuccessful. The new men were not discouraged, however, but rather rallied their forces and carried the ball many times into their opponents' territory. After many attempts for a touchdown, the second period closed with the ball in the sophomores' territory. The score now stood 5 to 1 with the second year men holding the big end of it.

The third period began with the classes arranged as in the first period. This time the freshmen appeared more aggressive, and as the scrap continued showed that they were working in unison and with better spirit. The sophomores too, wishing to attain a large score, kept fighting, and just before the close of the period shoved the ball across the goal for another touchdown. The ball was returned to the center of the field and after a minute's struggle the gun sounded which ended the fight, the ball being a few yards from the center of the field and in the sophomores' territory, scoring a point for the freshmen. This made the final score 7 to 2 with the sophomores holding the seven.

The large number of spectators enjoyed the scrap as it was hard fought, clean, and resulted in few injuries to the contestants.

Everybody in the Old Chapel for the returns of the Cornell game.

### New Men in Engineering.

Mr. A. L. Johnston, instructor in Electrical Engineering, a graduate of the University of Colorado, in Electrical Engineering. Among other positions he has been superintendent of the Coatesville Electric Light and Traction companies, Chester Valley Light and Power company and superintendent of construction for the famous Telluride High Tension company of Colorado.

Mr. R. L. Bowman, instructor in Wood Working, studied at Bradley Institute and other industrial institutions. Among other positions he has been superintendent of Manual Training of Clarion county.

Mr. L. C. Turnock, assistant in Electrochemical Engineering. He is a graduate of the University of Wisconsin, receiving the degree M. S. While at the University of Wisconsin he also was a teacher of science.

Mr. Chester Allen, instructor in Civil Engineering. He is a graduate of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, with the degree of B. S. He later received the degree C. E. Among other positions he has been resident engineer of the Cairo Division of C. C. & St. L. R. R., chief engineer of the Monongahela Railroad, resident engineer of landscape work of J. H. Sullivan, Brighton, Mass., and superintendent of construction for Zenas and W. Murray Crane, Dalton, Mass.

Mr. John R. Shank, assistant in Civil Engineering, a graduate from Penn State, in the course in Civil Engineering, and since then with the Pennsylvania Steel company, at Steelton, Penna.

Mr. John R. Lapham, assistant in Civil Engineering. Since graduation he has been connected with the construction department of the N. Y. N. H. & H. R. R.

Mr. Joseph Frazier Lewis, instructor in Mechanics and Materials of Construction, a graduate of the University of Pennsylvania in 1903, with the degree of B. S., and later with the degree of E. E. Mr. Lewis has spent the time since graduation with the General Electric and other manufacturing companies.

Mr. W. D. Canon, instructor in Experimental Engineering, a graduate in Electrical Engineering at Penn State. Since graduation he has been with the General Electric company, at Pittsfield, Mass., where he made an enviable reputation for thorough work ability.

Mr. W. H. MacMillan, instructor in Engineering Drawing, graduate from Penn State in Electrical Engineering. Mr. MacMillan has also had some valuable experience with the D. L. & W. Coal company, in Scranton.

Mr. P. R. Hall, assistant in Shop Construction, studied at Susquehanna University, served as apprentice in foundry work at Berwick, Penna., and was connected for three years with the Pennsylvania Railroad service at Altoona, Pa.

Mr. W. S. Hoffman, assistant in Engineering Drawing, graduate from Penn State, in Mechanical Engineering.

The Engineering instructors who resigned at the end of the last college year are: Mr. W. T. Browncomb, who has entered industrial work with the American Tin Plate

company at Pittsburg, Pa.; Mr. L. S. Bruner, who was called to the Canadian Cement company; Mr. C. A. Hogentogler, now in the United States Geological Survey, at Washington, D. C.; Mr. H. C. Bartholomew, who was called to the University of Iowa; Mr. H. W. Small, who now holds a position in manual training in Rochester, N. Y.; Mr. D. A. Isenberg, who was called to the Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. R. B. Fehr, teaching fellow in Engineering, graduate of Penn State, in Mechanical Engineering. Since graduation Mr. Fehr has been employed by the Westinghouse Machine company, in Pittsburg, Pa.

Messrs. H. H. Armsby, and Leon E. Swartz, of '11, are also employed as assistants to help with the surveying during the field work of the fall.

### Itinerary of President Sparks.

Dr. Sparks will deliver a number of addresses throughout the west, this month. Beginning on Tuesday, October 17, he will speak at the inauguration of Dr. Vincent, President of the University of Minnesota, at Minneapolis.

At Eau Claire, Wisconsin, on Friday, October 20, he will address The Northwestern Teachers' Association.

On Monday, October 24 he will assist at the installation of a new chapter of the Phi Kappa Phi Honorary Fraternity at the Iowa State College, Ames, Iowa. Dr. Sparks is President General of the Phi Kappa Phi Honorary Fraternity.

An address to the Daughters of the American Revolution will follow on Wednesday, October 25, at Sandusky, Ohio.

The South Eastern Ohio Teachers' Association will be addressed, Friday, October 27 at Gallipolis, Ohio.

Next month, President Sparks will be one of the speakers at the inauguration of President Hodges of the University of West Virginia. He has been asked, also, to speak at the inauguration of President Benton of the University of Vermont.

### The "Deutsche Verein".

Very shortly the Deutsche Verein of this college will again begin its activities for the coming year. In every prominent university and college in this country, there is such an association, which in a great many instances takes an active part in social and intellectual affairs.

The "Verein" will very probably produce in this year, as it has done in former years, a German play, taken from the works of some popular German playwright. To do this, it will need the co-operation of all former members, and also of all eligible new students. An eligible student is one that has had at least one half year of German or the equivalent.

We earnestly solicit the support of all who take an interest in the ways and in the history of the German people. We shall endeavor to make this a successful year for the "Verein", in which a better play will be given than has heretofore been produced, in this college, in a foreign language.

The Sunday chapel speaker for October 15 is Dr. Robert N. Willson of Philadelphia.

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