

FRESHMEN CARRY CANES

1917 Wins Scrap by Defeating 1916 Eleven.

On Saturday afternoon, the freshman football team took sweet revenge for the loss of the first three interclass scraps by defeating the sophomore team by the score of 14 to 0. The freshmen were far better than the score indicates, for they easily outclassed the 1916 team, keeping the ball away from their own goal line all through the game, and several times losing a good chance to score when within a few yards of their opponent's goal either on a fumble or because of failure to make first down.

The freshmen started the game like a whirlwind when Burns ran Dippe's kick-off back 10 yards, Kratt skirted left end for 25, and Trainer reeled off 25 more on a forward pass, but the sophomores stiffened suddenly and scrimmage raged about 1916's 40-yard line during the remainder of the period.

An exchange of kicks, on which the freshmen gained, opened the second quarter, then, after Painter had made 10 yards on a forward pass, line plunges took the ball to the 5-yard line, from where Kratt went over for the first touchdown. After Thomas kicked the goal, the ball zigzagged up and down the field for the rest of the quarter.

The third period waxed hot and furious, but neither team secured much advantage and the whistle blew when the freshmen held the ball on their own 37-yard line, where it was put in play a minute later. After failing to gain through the line, Burns recovered a fumble of Kratt's high punt in the middle of the field. In an exchange of kicks, Kratt booted to Kolbus on the sophomore's 5-yard line, where the quarter was downed. Haven kicked, but Thomas broke through and blocked the attempt, falling on the pigskin for another touchdown and kicking the goal himself. After a few short runs by the opposing backs, the game ended and the freshmen had earned the right to carry canes to chapel on Sunday.

Captain Thomas and Kratt were easily the stars for the freshmen, though the whole backfield ran brilliantly with the ball, Burns being especially strong in returning kicks. The ends were in every scrimmage, and Painter put up a great game at center.

For the sophomores, Dippe was the shining light, while Haven and Kolbus played a hard and steady game, though the forwards could give them little aid in running with the ball. The freshmen had their interference in fine working order, and the forward pass was used quite successfully as a ground gainer. In a year or so, some of the men who played Saturday will be sure Varsity material.

And this is why the freshmen carried canes last Sunday:

1916		1917
Marlin	l e	Trainer
Fleck	l t	Oberle
Teas	l g	Fair
Watson	c	Painter
Maier	r g	McQueren
Clark	r t	Diehl
Scott	r e	Thomas, Capt.
Kolbus	q b	Burns
Raynor	l h b	Edgerton
Haven, Capt.	r h b	Richards
Dippe	f b	Kratt

Touchdowns—Kratt, Thomas. Goals from touchdown—Thomas 2. Time of quarters, 10 minutes. Substitutions: 1916—Farley for Scott, Scott for Farley, Berner for Clark, Jeffrey for Scott, Johns for Raynor, Kester for Berner, Frear for Haven, Taylor for Johns; 1917—Fleming for Richards, Sarhoff for Edgerton, Wilson for Fair, Hollenbaugh for McQueren, Hum-



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Faculty Hobbies

The "Red and Blue" of the University of Pennsylvania points out in a recent edition the hobbies and avocations of some of the most prominent of the University faculty.

Dr. Smith, the Provost, who is known as one of the foremost electro-chemists of this country, makes a specialty of the study of the history of the University of Pennsylvania, and besides that he is said to be a great student of human nature, for Dr. Smith may be seen in the public parks and squares in the summer time observing the passers by.

The Vice-Provost Pinniman, takes a special interest in collecting eighteenth century books of criticism. Dr. Pinniman has a reputation of employing all his spare time for the purpose of reading.

The Deans Quinn, Frazer and McCrea are supposed to devote all their leisure hours to the advancement of their respective schools, namely: Arts, Scientific and Economic.

Some of the members are tennis experts, others stamp collectors, equestrian, manual labor experts, hunters, speechmakers, musicians, farmers, chicken growers, and enthusiastic automobilists.

Conference at Wilson College.

Penn State had a delegation of seven men, attending the Conference of the Eastern Union of Student Volunteers at Wilson College, Chambersburg, on Friday to Sunday last inclusive. About 20 different seminaries, colleges, and preparatory schools were represented in a total delegation of about 100.

A strong and enthusiastic spirit characterized the conference. Dr. Isaac T. Headland's address on "the By-products of Missions" was very well received. Many at our college heard Dr. Headland in his address on this subject last year and all who have heard it can testify that he has a wonderful message for all. Among the other conference leaders were Geo Huber Jones, formerly missionary to Korea; Dr. Capen of the Mission School at Hartford; Rev. Crothers, a traveling secretary for the Presbyterian Church; Wilbert Smith, Candidate Secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement. Many helpful suggestions were given for strengthening the missionary work in the various institutions.

Wilson College provided splendid entertainment for all the delegates present and all who attended the conference agree that the conference was a splendid success.

Soccer Trip

The soccer team with a squad of 15 men will leave Friday on its annual fall trip. Girard College will be played on Saturday; West-

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town Academy on Monday, and Haverford College on Tuesday. The lineup for the initial game will be as follows: L. O., Bishop; L. I., Kuno or Dorwart; C., Gregg; R. I., Vollmer; R. O., Wilkinson, C. H., Buchanan or Tobin; R. H., Holmberg; L. H., Dutemple; R. T., Smedley; L. T., Kelly or Warr; Goal, Nicholson.

The team has been extremely fortunate in having for some time the services of Mr. Bishop, Haverford's experienced coach. Contrary to usual custom, the team will have a spring schedule composed chiefly of home games. The money realized from these games will be used to defray the expenses of the fall trip. The spring schedule will include games with Harvard, Columbia, Haverford and Penn.

At the completion of the spring season, the team will make a strong effort to get intercollegiate recognition. At present Penn State and Princeton are the next applicants to be considered by the association.

BY THE WAY.

The pushball scrap has been abolished at Penn and a new contest, the "flour rush" has been substituted. 100 freshmen will each carry a small sack of flour, and will be guarded by the remaining freshmen. If at the end of a 30 minute attack by the sophomores, the freshmen can show 10 uninjured sacks, they win the scrap. Lack of interest in the pushball contest is the reason given for the change.

Billy Sunday "converted" 2000 people in Johnstown on November 23 by an address on the following high sounding subject: "The Devil's Boomerangs, or, Hell's Hot Cakes Right Off the Griddle". Sunday is quoted as saying, among

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other things, "If there ever was a jubilee in hell, it was when lager beer was invented".

Lafayette College will soon have a new \$90,000 memorial chapel to replace the present "star barn". The money has been contributed anonymously by a well known church man.

Columbia University, with over 10,000 students, again has the distinction of being the largest university in the world.

Civic Club

The Penn State Civic Club held its regular meeting last Thursday evening in the Engineering building. A very interesting discussion of the Blankenburg Administration in Philadelphia was given by Messers Mulvihill and Wolff. The subject of current events was well handled by Messers Harnish and Hodges.

The next meeting of the club will be held in Room 202 Engineering building, December 4, at 6:45 p. m. Mr. Pavlides will give an address on civic conditions in Asia Minor. The meeting will be open to the public; visitors are welcome.

Mining Lecture.

Dr. H. M. Payne, formerly head of the Mining School at the University of West Virginia and at present one of the prominent efficiency engineers in this country



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addressed the Mining Engineering Society on Monday evening, November 17th, on the subject "Efficiency in the Mines and Industrial Plants." The lecture was well attended and Dr. Payne brought out a great many interesting and instructive points regarding management, bonus system and general efficiency.

The work of Prof. J. P. Jackson, former Dean of Engineering, in his new position as State Commissioner of Labor, is being highly commended by Secretary of Labor William B. Wilson. The new state department is a decided success.