



## PITT WAS OUTCLASSED

The Matmen Win Every the First Home Meet of the Season. Lamb Gets the Quickest Fall.

The Blue and White matmen outclassed the team representing the University of Pittsburgh on Saturday evening in the opening meet of the local season by winning every bout. The visitors seemed fairly strong in the light weights but were completely overwhelmed in the three upper weights. The crowd was one of the largest that ever attended a Penn State meet, and was augmented as well as variegated by the presence of over one hundred fair house party guests.

The first bout of the evening was the most evenly matched and spectacular one of the meet. The visiting bantam had the better of the argument for the first half of the bout and only the wonderful defense of Long saved him from being thrown. He never showed an aptitude worthy one of more experience for working as an underman and finally took advantage of an opening to secure a back chancery and body lock which resulted in a fall in 7 minutes and 59 seconds.

The bouts in the 125, 135 and 145 pound classes respectively, were somewhat similar. All were hard fought. In each case the blue and white man went to the mat on top of his man and although he failed to win a fall, the decision could not be questioned. Hill had a near fall, the call of time saving his opponent from defeat in that way.

Following these bouts the meet was soon ended. Sayre, after losing a good half nelson used a crotch and wrist lock and pinned his man in one of the prettiest falls of the meet in short order.

Yerger followed with even a quicker fall from a standing position over Nicholls in the 158 pound class. He used a head lock that showed a great exhibition of strength. In the heavyweight class Giffen who previously had lost to Sayre met Lamb. The meeting was extremely short, for Lamb took a front chancery that resulted in a fall in 29 seconds.

### Summary

115 pound class—Long, Penn State won over Forbes, U. of Pitt with a back, chancery and body lock in 7 min. 59 sec.

125 pound class—Crockett, Penn State won on decision from Reilly, U. of Pitt in 9 min.

135 pound class—Kirk, Penn State, won on decision from Riehl, U. of Pitt in 9 min.

145 pound class—Hill, Penn State won on decision from Collins, U. of Pitt in 9 min.

158 pound class—Yerger, Penn State won on fall with head lock from stand over Nicholls, U. of Pitt in 2 min. 25 sec.

175 pound class—Sayre, Penn State, won on fall from Giffen, U. of Pitt, with crotch and wrist lock in 1 min. 58 sec.

Heavyweight—Lamb, Penn State threw Giffen, U. of Pitt with chancery in 27 seconds.

Referee—MacMillan U. of Penn. Judges—Lewis, Penn State. Collins, U. of Pitt. Timers—Harvey, Pitt, Dr. Stecker, Penn State.

## Mr. Clifford G. Roe.

Mr. Clifford G. Roe will be the Y. M. C. A. speaker here next Sunday, giving addresses at both chapel services and the 6:30 meeting, and speaking especially to the townspeople at 3:00 in the afternoon. Mr. Roe is known all over the country for the splendid fight he is making against the white slave traffic, and this much agitated topic will be the theme of his talk here. He is a graduate of Michigan having received two degrees from that university, was for a time a junior member of a firm of corporation lawyers in Chicago, and later became assistant state's attorney in the same city; and upon the knowledge and statistics of the traffic gained while fulfilling the duties of this latter office, he bases his great campaign against vice. He was largely responsible for the passage of stringent laws against white slavery in Illinois and is in favor of having similar measures taken in all the states of the Union. His energy, his enthusiasm, his eloquence, and his earnestness have brought him great crowds wherever he has spoken, and it is to be hoped that no one will miss the opportunity of hearing him next Sunday.



Clifford G. Roe.

At a meeting of the senior class held recently the question of a class memorial was definitely settled. The class will present a pipe organ to the college, which will be placed in the Auditorium. The idea of starting a swimming pool fund, to be contributed to by other classes, has been abandoned as impracticable. A noteworthy action of the class was the ratification of a custom passed some time ago by the student council forbidding freshmen to enter or leave Main Building by the front entrance. A similar ratification by the Junior class will put this custom in effect.

### Senior Meeting.

Excuses From Classes

According to Rule 5, College Regulations affecting students, all absences from class are to be dealt with by instructors. Many students do not seem to understand this and apply to some general officer for a blanket excuse to cover a period of absence. Instead, whenever possible, the student should go to each instructor before he absents himself from class and explain matters; or he should send a card to each instructor affected; or failing in both, he should see each instructor after his absence. The instructor has full power to make any adjustment he sees fit.

## A SUCCESSFUL TRIP

Varsity Five Wins Two Out of Three in the East—Nosed Out by Lehigh.

The trip taken last week by the basketball team is considered to be quite a success since of the three games played, two resulted in victories for Penn State. In a fast rough game on Thursday night, F and M was rather easily defeated by a score of 41 to 28. As usual Captain Binder was the individual star giving a very pretty exhibition both on the offense and defense but particularly in the latter. Line-up as follows

Penn State 41		F and M 28
Binder	f	Brenner
Park	f	Rambo
Jester	c	Houser
Hay	g	Jones
Savery	g	Lobach

Substitutions—Metzgar for Hay, Wilson for Metzgar. Goals from field—Binder 4, Park 3, Jester 3, Hay, Savery 2, Brenner, Rambo 4, Jones, Lobach 6. Fouls Binder, 7 out of 10; Lobach, 5 out of 20. Referee—Rank, of York.

The big game of the trip was the Swarthmore game and Captain Binder's bunch went after the game so hard that Swarthmore was played off its feet. Swarthmore defeated U of P without giving them a goal and when it is considered that Swarthmore was allowed to cage but three of our team things look pretty bright for our five. Lineup:

Penn State 38		Swarthmore 26
Binder	f	Twining
Park	f	McKissick
Jester	c	Lucas
Hay	g	McGovern J.
Savery	g	McGovern, F.

Substitutions—Metzgar for Hay, Wilson for Metzgar. Goals—Binder 5, Park 6, Jester, Metzgar, Savery 2, Twining 2, Spioul. Fouls—Binder 8, Twining 20. Referee—Brokaw, U of P.

The Lehigh game was a heart-breaker for the score was even for thirty-five minutes of the game when Lehigh scored four goals in quick succession giving them too big a lead to overcome. The fact that our team had a hard game on Friday night and then had to play the Lehigh game the next afternoon made it necessary for the team to play without a sufficient amount of rest. The game was staged on a downtown dance floor since the new Lehigh gym is not yet open and the very slippery floor was a decided hindrance to team work of any sort. Lineup

Penn State 33		Lehigh 37
Binder	f	White
Park	f	Loucks
Jester	c	Price
Hay	g	Green
Savery	g	Berg

Substitutions—Wilson for Jester, Metzgar for Savery, Kirkpatrick for Price, Price for Loucks. Goals—Binder 2, Park 3, Jester, Hay, Savery, Metzgar, White 3, Loucks 3, Price, Kirkpatrick 2, Green 3. Fouls—Binder, 15 out of 18; Price, 13 out of 19. Referee—Mitchell, Allentown.

Considering individual work on the trip, little can be said for every man played a hard, consistent game. Binder's long shots and foul throwing both were very pretty while some of Park's shots from difficult positions were sensational. Jester was very successful in get-

ting the ball on the toss-up which was an important factor in the unusually good team work shown. The defensive work of the guards was very good, indeed, since such a man as McKissick, Swarthmore's star forward, was unable to score in the entire game.

### CALENDAR

WEDNESDAY, FEB 25  
12:00 m. Toggery Shop. Sale of Basketball Tickets Begins.

THURSDAY, FEB 26  
6:30 p. m. Toggery Shop. Sale of Wrestling Tickets.

FRIDAY, FEB. 27  
6 30 p. m. Toggery Shop. Sale of Wrestling Tickets.

7:00 p. m. Armory. Basketball. Pitt vs. State.

8:15 p. m. Auditorium. The Honeymoon.

SATURDAY, FEB. 28  
2:00 p. m. Toggery Shop. Wrestling Tickets.

7:15 p. m. Armory. Wrestling. Lehigh vs. State.

SUNDAY, MARCH 1  
10:00 a. m. Old Chapel. Freshman Service.

11:00 a. m. Auditorium Chapel Service. Clifford G. Roe, Speaker

6:30 p. m. Auditorium. Y. M. C. A.

### Engineering Extension

The Public Ledger for February 15 contained an illustrated article which deals at length with the extension work which is being done in Philadelphia by the Y. M. C. A. in cooperation with the Division of Engineering Extension of the Pennsylvania State College. The class in shop mathematics at the factory of the Tabor Manufacturing Company is taken as an illustration of the way in which the extension work is carried on. This class meets twice a week from 4:30 to 5:30, half of this time coming out of the working day, the other half, out of the men's own time. Some idea of the need of this work may be gained from the fact that about 570,000 of the 600,000 workers in the city have never received a grammar school education. The work is meeting with great enthusiasm from the men in the shops and from their employers as well.

### Fire Protection.

Do you realize the importance of adequate fire protection? Do you realize that due to the recent rapid growth of State College the equipment of the local volunteer fire department is far from being adequate? Attend The Honeymoon, see a good show and at the same time give the fire department a financial boost.

### Mass Meeting.

An important mass meeting is to be held in the near future. Every man in college should attend. Watch for the announcement of time and place.

### New Baseball Captain.

"Shorty" Miller '14 has been elected captain of the baseball team to fill the vacancy left by the withdrawal of former, Captain Wardwell.

E. B. Stavelly, 1912 E. E., who for one year after graduation taught in the Electrical Department of Columbia University, is now in the employ of the Crocker, Wheeler Company of Ampete, N. J.

## NEW DEBATING ACTIVITY

Members of Teams Chosen - Contests Assured With Swarthmore, Dickinson, Pittsburgh, Probably Westminster.

Although Penn State is essentially a scientific school there are certain of the academic or classical courses—such as History, Political Science, Foreign Languages and English—which men in every course must take. These courses are necessities for every college man who wishes to see things in their broadest light. And in the same way Penn State in her relations with other colleges, must meet them in as many lines of contest as possible, so that the fame and good name of our school may be spread among these other colleges in other ways besides athletics.

One of the ways by which Penn State can and is making her name better known and respected is by our Debating Teams. Penn State is one of four colleges who comprise what is known as The Pennsylvania Intercollegiate Debating League, the other three colleges being Dickinson, Swarthmore and Franklin and Marshall. These colleges have proved themselves to be formidable foes of Penn State in baseball and basketball. But in Dickinson and Swarthmore especially the courses are more classical than scientific and the students in these schools consider the victory of a debating team of equal importance with victories in sports. So it is essential that Penn State turn out teams here which shall be worthy of her name.

This year more interest has been shown in debating than ever before. At the trials held in January thirty-one men turned out as candidates for the team. This is as large a number as turn out in our larger universities, and from these thirty-one, eight of the strongest debaters in college have been chosen.

The reasons for this change is that the increase in the student body makes our interests more diversified. Another is due to the fact that a Debating Fraternity has been organized to which only Intercollegiate debaters are eligible. Another is that it was promised that a trip would probably be taken by both teams. These trips have become a certainty. The affirmative team, composed of Cranston, Jones, Skillman, and McCord, will debate at Swarthmore on Friday, March 6. The negative team composed of Carpenter, Geary, Lining and McKay will debate in the Auditorium Friday, March 6 with Dickinson, and either the same team or a team to be chosen later will take a trip to W. & J., Pittsburgh and possibly Westminster during the latter part of April. The arrangements with W. & J., Pitt have been completed and it is expected that the Westminster date will be ratified soon.

Due to the large number of men out at the trials this year the teams are more representative than ever before, and more is expected of them than has been the case in the past. But every team needs support and an appeal is here made for every loyal Penn State man to come out on Friday, March 6, and give the team that true support which we are so proud to give to every other Varsity sport.