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MATINEE AND NIGHT

—You Know the Admission—

many colleges and universities are recognizing marksmanship as a part of their athletic curriculum. many of them are giving the college letter to those students who make the rifle teams.

A feature of this work worthy of mention is the fact that there have been no serious accidents of

any kind on rifle ranges since the work was introduced, a claim that could hardly hold good in connection with other prominent school sports such as foot ball and base ball. Furthermore, only a small percentage of students can take part in baseball and football matches,

while the number of students who

can enter the shooting competitions is only limited to the capacity of the range.

In addition to competition against each other in rifle matches, college clubs are given annually a medal for a members' competition by the National Rifle Association. Decorations are also presented to

club members by the War Department for qualifying as expert, sharpshooter and marksman. The college which made the best showing in the number of students qualified for the fiscal year ending June 30th, 1914, was Cornell University. The rifle club which made the best showing in the number of qualifications was the Minnesota University Rifle Club which qualified 96 marksmen, 11 sharpshooters and 19 experts.

At the camps of instruction for college students held during the summer, rifle shooting was one of the courses of military training laid down. At these camps 31 students qualified as experts, 114 as sharpshooters and 219 as marksmen. The National Rifle Association of America presented a cup for an intercollegiate team competition and also a medal for the student making the highest score at each camp. The cup was won by Cornell University whose four men scored 854. The University of California was second with 809 and the University of Minnesota third with 782.

Penn State is a member of this association but has up to the present time taken no part in these championships due to the fact that we are without proper facilities namely, an indoor gun range. However, plans are now under consideration for such a range to be built under the armory and extending from the gun room to the annex, with the base under the gun room.

THE WOMEN STUDENT GOVERNMENT DELEGATES.

Two delegates, Margherite Wilson, president of the student council, and Sarah Sweeton '16 will attend the annual convention of the Women Student Government Association at Radcliffe College, November 3, 4 and 5. The faculty furnished two thirds of the expenses and the girls collected the other third.

These delegates have no vote but are entitled to attend the convention as visiting delegates. Membership in the National Association requires each college to have fifty girls in the engineering class under student government. This year's class brought us nearer than any other, and it is hoped that the '19 class will bring about the desired vote.

A LECTURE-MUSICALE.

Under the auspices of the Department of Music, there will be a lecture-musicale, entitled "Music is a Human Need," given by Mme. Alma Webster-Powell, Prima Donna Soprano, in the Auditorium, Friday evening, November 6, at 8.15 P. M., to which admission is free. The evening will prove of great interest to all. The first part will be given over to a short address by Mme. Powell in which she will outline the important part that music plays in the scheme of life, music and the war spirit, the place for music in universities, and statistics and data on musical characteristics of various nations, illustrated by songs from various composers of those nations. The remainder will be a short program of classics and modern songs and arias.

Mme. Powell has been Prima Donna Soprano at the Royal Opera, Berlin; Covent Garden, London; Leipzig, St. Petersburg, and various music centers of Austria, Germany, England, France and America. Her wide experience enables her to carry on the present work in an authoritative way. She is making a visit to various institutions of learning over the country, coming to State at no expense to the College, and with no other motive than that of enlightenment, and her coming will prove epoch-making in the cultural side of music at this institution. Don't miss this genuine opportunity for an enjoyable evening. It will prove of interest to those with even the remotest taste for music, and remember—admission free.

Her program will contain numbers from Rossini, Verdi, Mozart, Wagner, Schumann, Schubert, Gounod, Debussy, Grieg, Tchaikowsky, MacDowell, and she has included two songs composed by

Prof. Robinson among her group exemplifying the American composers.

DEPARTMENTAL NOTES.

The Senior Horticulturists requested a new course in their department; a course that would take up practical mechanics that arise in the rural work. A class has been started in this work and a similar course will be catalogued next year. Prof. Blasingame is the instructor. He has also started a new department in the line of advising farmers concerning the erection of buildings. A set of the latest plans for all farm buildings are to be kept on hand and any farmer can buy these plans at a nominal price.

Dean Watts spoke last Saturday on "Life Problems," at Beechwoods, Jefferson county.

A carload of 24 horses arrived at the college last Saturday. These horses will be used in a fattening experiment through the winter and will then be sold in the spring.

Determinations of the value of the penetrating radiation from the Radioactive matter in the earth and its atmosphere are being carried on by Prof. Lassalle, of the Physics Dept. The Dept. has a sensitive Wulfe Etring electrometer, which can detect such small radiations to a high degree of accuracy.

Prof. Larson of the Dairy Husbandry Dept. was in Chicago all last week attending meetings of national committees of the men foremost in the Dairy Husbandry interests.

The dedication of the new Dairy Pavilion will be very attractive. The dedication will be held on Saturday, Nov. 14th. The college band will lead a parade which will start from the Fair grounds at 2 P. M. President Sparks will make the opening address which will be followed by the principal address of the day. They will be delivered by Dean Curtis, of Iowa Agriculture School, and Prof. A. Bortland, of the U. of Vermont.

Professors Tomhave and Larson will talk on the importance of the Live stock and Dairy Industries in Pennsylvania. E. S. Bayard, of the Board of Trustees, will present the keys and Dean Watts will accept them.

The Pacific Commercial Advertiser of Honolulu Hawaii Territory, for September 25th, contained a full page description of the formal opening of the largest Marconi wireless station in the world at Kauhuku. This will be of interest to State College, inasmuch as the Engineer-in-Chief at Kauhuku is Mr. N. B. Slaughter, formerly of the Department of Electrical Engineering. Mr. Slaughter was stationed by the Marconi Company first in London, then in Honolulu, where he has been in charge of the construction of this plant for he past two years.

CLASS MEETINGS.

1916: Wednesday, October 28. Announcement made that class banquet would be held at the Fort Pitt Hotel, Thanksgiving evening, at eleven o'clock.

1917: Thursday, October 29. Three editors and three business managers elected for 1917 LaVie. The editors: Lininger, Dunkle and Knoll; the business managers: Coombs, Greenland and Morris.

DEUTSCHER VEREIN.

Deutscher Verein will hold a meeting Friday night, November 5, at seven o'clock, in the lecture room of McAllister Hall. Miss V. T. Simmons will give an illustrated talk, "Through Germany with Goethe." Refreshments and music will complete the program.

TAU BETA PI ELECTIONS

The following men were elected to the honorary engineering fraternity, the Tau Beta Pi, and were given insignia at the Wednesday morning mass meeting of October 28: seniors, R. S. Hummel, R. W. Phillips, A. C. Strickler, J. E. Hannum, R. W. Herzog, W. D. Garman, J. E. Graham, C. E. Kennedy, W. H. Finkeldey; junior, L. E. Eick.