

WHAT GETTYSBURG THINKS OF MAUTHE

Success and Ability of Well Liked Old State Star Assured by Work at Gettysburg and State This Year.

"Pete" Mauthe is proving himself to be just as proficient in coaching as he was in playing football. A wonderful place kicker, punter, line smasher, and leader of interference on the offense, the greatest defensive back of years, he has turned his attention to the coaching game. In the past week he has worked with Dippe, and in Saturday's game the result was most pleasing. State men believe even more strongly than Gettysburg does in his ability and extend him their sincere thanks. The following article appeared recently in the "Gettysburgian."

He's back with us once again. This time it's only for about a week, but if Gettysburg and her loyal followers had anything to do with it he'd stay here at least until the final whistle of the F. and M.-Gettysburg game blew either victory or defeat for Gettysburg. And if he were here it would seem that victory must be the only thing known to us for the remaining games.

"Pete" arrived on Sunday evening and was greeted at the P. and R. station by the entire football squad and by a large representation of the student body. His old friends, for he has many of them here, welcomed him back to the town and to the college with much of hope and with only one regret—that he cannot remain until the end of the season.

After the disgraceful playing of last Saturday "Pete" arrived at an opportune time. His spirit as well as he himself now pervades the college and the athletic field. Monday evening he was on the field and what he did for the team in that one day was indeed wonderful. A new spirit invaded the team with his arrival, and now

what is hoped is that it will not leave with him. In the practice this week the spectator would not recognize the team that played or rather attempted to play on Nixon Field last Saturday. A new enthusiasm is present, for the team and "Pete" work in harmony with each other. It is the old



spirit of last year renewed and put into a team which is composed of excellent material and a team which under the right supervision will respond to confidence and decent treatment.

"Pete" gets into the practice with the men. He shows them how to do the work as he himself did it in his college days. His is practice and not theory, and when a man makes a mistake he is not told how to rectify it, he is shown what is the right way. And what is still better than this all the men consider him as one of them, as a member of the squad—strict and harsh when necessary—but friendly and reasonable at all times.

The team, the student-body, the alumni, and in fact all the followers of the Gettysburg college grid-iron welcome "Pete" once again. His presence here changes football prospects for Gettysburg, and gives to her supporters higher hopes for the games yet to be played.

Professor G. K. Pattee, of the Department of English, is the author of a paper in the October number of The English Journal entitled "Some Neglected Models."

NEWS FROM FRANCE.

Every person who heard Miss de Lagarde speak in the Auditorium before she left for France will be interested in her first letter to State College. Miss de Lagarde is a sister-in-law of Mr. Boal, of Boalsburg, and has turned over their large French estate for hospital use.

LaTour de Chignens, Oct. 21, 1914.

"We are here at last, after a very slow voyage, and now hard at work getting the houses in order for our convalescent wounded. Nothing has been done before our arrival because for some political reasons our hospital has been transferred from Thouron to Chambéry, and my friends, as well as all the other nurses, had to follow.

We are ourselves going there now for two weeks to get in practice for the work and to nurse the poor wounded. There are so many and we are terribly short of nurses.

You have no idea how welcome my supplies have been, especially the bandages and cotton, etc. I am so sorry we did not take your suggestion of asking tobacco from the Dukes' people. It seems it is the one thing the poor men crave.

We have seen so many wounded on the trains going back to their families for a few days before returning to the battle-field. How brave they are and so simple about it. I wish you could hear them. I am so proud of our little French soldiers.

And everyone is working so hard here, knitting warm garments for the soldiers and the refugees. There are 1,300 refugees in Thouron. Poor things, half dazed by the horrors they have suffered and witnessed.

I wish you would thank the boys again for their very generous help. It was with tears in her eyes that Countess de Maugry heard of our little meeting in the Auditorium.

I am now sending some postal cards to Mr. Boal, and ask him to see you about a little plan I have. We have taken and will take a

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number of interesting pictures and will send the films to him. He is to have them printed on postal cards and to sell them for the benefit of our hospital. If the young ladies who were kind enough to take in the contributions the other day would stand with these postal cards outside of the Auditorium at the coming out of the Sunday service, I think they could sell a great many. It seems to me that the students would be interested and would be pleased to have a little remembrance of their kind action.

I do not expect to have much time to write from Chambéry, but we will come back here, bringing 30 or 40 convalescents about November 1st, and Pierre will send you an outline of some incidents of the war in case they would interest the people at State College. (CECILE DENNIS de LAGARDE.)

The members of the Penn Crew have been inoculated against typhoid fever. The precaution was taken because of the experience of previous years, when the crew was seriously hampered by this disease.

D. H. MEN ORGANIZE.

The D. H. men of the senior, junior and second year two year classes held a meeting November 6, 1914, and reorganized the Dairy Club.

The following men were elected as officers: W. F. Huestor, president; L. W. Morley, vice president; C. W. McManamy, secretary; G. F. Sutherland, treasurer.

The meetings are to be held the first and third Mondays of each month, at 259 Dairy Building, at 7:30 p. m. The purpose of this club is to create more interest among the D. H. men and to discuss different matters along dairy lines.

All D. H. men get in line and help the club along. Engineering Experiment Station.

The universities of foreign countries are seriously affected by the present war. Owing to the fact that so many students are enlisted in military service, Oxford has a student body of only one thousand students. Oxford, however, will count the time spent in war as time in residence at the university.



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