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STUDENT ADVISORS: Last week we spoke briefly on the matter of a student advisor system and we suggested that the Student Council undertake the organization of such a system as one of its progressive legislative steps.

In the first place the freshman would at all times have a competent upper classman to go to for advice and the close contact between the freshman and senior or junior would tend to a better understanding and a better feeling in the entire student body.

As for the system of student advisors it can be said that the group of men in charge of the freshmen in the engineering school last year did a good work but the freshmen in the other schools were almost entirely neglected.

This is obviously a work for the Student Council. As a feasible plan we would suggest that the council appoint two seniors and one junior from the engineering and agriculture schools and one senior from each of the other schools—for the sake of fair representation.

The committee should begin its work at once and should appoint enough men in each school so that each man would have about five or seven freshmen to whom he would act as advisor.

The success or failure of the proposed system lies with the men selected for the work and only conscientious, able and willing men who have the interests of the freshmen and of the college at heart should be appointed.

COLLEGE ACTIVITIES.

Go out for some college activity. This advice we would give to any underclassman or even upperclassman who is not already in some work outside of his studies.

We believe that there are at least three big features of college and they are study, college activities, and good fellowship which would include the opportunity to make life-long friendship.

Then if one puts all of his time to any one or any two of these phases of college he narrows himself and he does not get all that his four years of college has in store for him.

In athletic, literary, musical and dramatic lines there lie big opportunities for all and we are glad to say that practically every position is gained by competition which is in all cases keen and thorough.

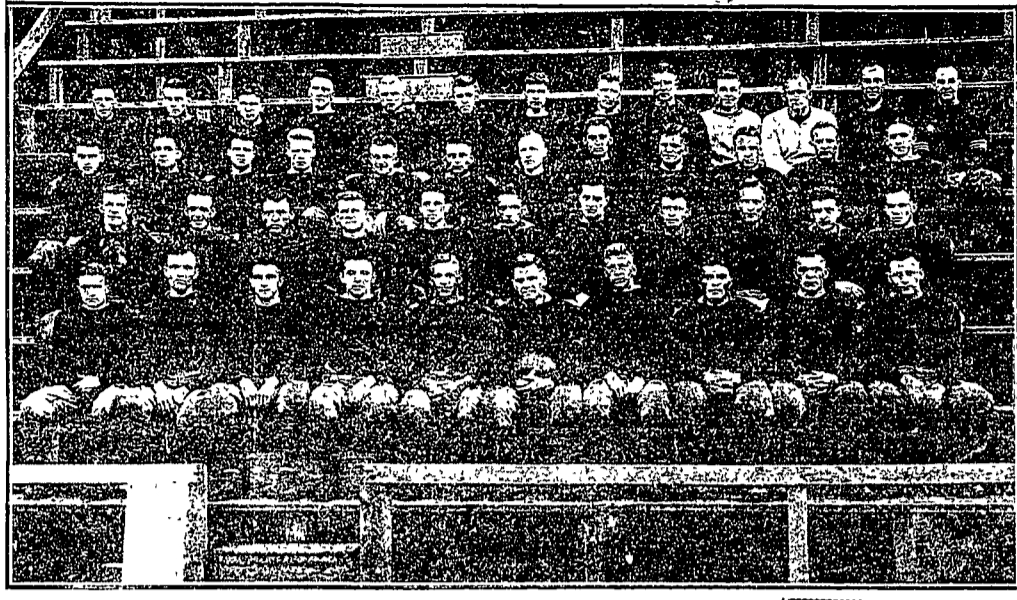
During this time of year in particular, candidates are being called out for many competitions and those who are not already allied with some college activity would do well to get in the running now.

In the athletic and managerial activities it is only necessary to read the news columns of the publication to see that men are being called out from every class for athletics and from the sophomore class especially for managers positions.

AN EFFICIENT STUDENT COUNCIL.

Thirty men, chosen by and representative of the three upper classes, comprise the Student Council. The idea was the outcome some years back of a much felt need for some medium between the faculty and the student body.

But it should be relatively more efficient. Too often, in recent years, its members have not charge themselves with a proper responsibility and duty to their college; and, as a result, "the small minority" has done the real work.



Varsity Football Squad

Top Row: Kraft, Hawk, Richardson, Robb, Lindquist, Ege, Oberlo, Coaches Wood, Hermann, Martin, Harlow, Whitney, Mauthe.

MANY SHIFTS IN FRESHMAN TEAM

Line Is Already in Good Shape—Backfield Doubtful—Schedule Hardest of Any Freshman Team

The freshman team is beginning to point out definite shape and now the coaches are able to make some sort of a prediction in regard to it.

The work so far has been mostly defensive, in the scrimmages against the varsity, but from now on an offense will be perfected.

FIRST TRACK TRIALS HELD

Small List Of Entries Proves A Handicap—Dashes Bring Out Several Good Men

Last Saturday before the football game, the first track trials of the year were held to determine which sophomores and freshmen were to be excused from military drill.

In the dashes, the men showed up particularly well, although no official time was announced.

There were only two entries in the high hurdles, namely, of Bethlehem Prep, one of "Dutch" Barron's proteges was the winner.

NEW TRIBUNAL IS SELECTED

Student Council Elects New Tribunal and Discusses the Enforcement of College Customs.

Many matters of importance were discussed at the first meeting of the Student Council held on Tuesday, September 26th.

The subject of selecting the president was also brought up. It was reported that the students in general are lax in the carrying out of this custom.

FACTORY MEMBERS ADDRESS MANY EDUCATIONAL MEETINGS

President Sparks will speak at Wilkes-Barre Oct. 25 at the organization of extensive engineering extension classes, including subjects in surveying and engineering mathematics.

Dr. Rapier of the liberal arts school attended teachers' institutes at Johnstown and Wayne last week.

Professor V. D. Cannon of mechanical engineering has a year's leave of absence for advanced study at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

During the last week, a Lion's Paw Club member please return to Collegian office.

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THE PENN STATE BARBER SHOP In the first two weeks of school we have been pleased to greet so many old patrons as well as our new ones.