

GOOD PROSPECTS FOR GLEE CLUB

Annual Intercollegiate Contest Will Probably Not be Held This Year.

Ten members of the Penn State Glee Club met in the Auditorium last Wednesday evening to discuss possibilities for the coming year. An only one of the officers was present, J. B. Munro '20, the librarian, a provisional executive committee was appointed, consisting of J. K. Robinson '18, chairman, A. D. Catnach '19, and G. J. Carl '19.

Tentative dates have been scheduled for the Glee Club during the Christmas vacation at Johnstown, during the convention of the State Teachers Association. Latrobe, Altoona and Greensburg. A bid has also been sent in for the Santa Fe trip, but as yet no definite information is obtainable. It is the opinion of the president of the Intercollegiate Glee Club Association that there will be no contest this year.

Efforts will be made to start a quartette composed of members of the Sophomore class, as all the members of the old quartette are engaged in various branches of military service.

The Mandolin Club is badly affected by the wartime conditions with ten members back and prospects are bright for a successful year. The trials for the Mandolin Club were held on Tuesday evening with a good showing of candidates from the Freshmen classes.

MANY STATE MEN IN TRAINING CAMPS

R. M. ("Dutch") Hermann, '12, freshman football and varsity basketball coach, and W. E. ("Doc") Lewis, coach of the wrestling team, have entered officers' training camps and are trying for commissions in the new army of the United States. Hermann is at Camp Warden McLean, Chattanooga, Tennessee, while Lewis is at Fort Niagara. "Duke" Harlow, resident football coach, also attempted to get into a training camp but his application was received too late.

Among the Penn State students who are now in training at Camp McLean are the following: E. E. Fusa '18, James A. Neilson '18, R. R. Rinkenbach '18, E. W. Norton '18, F. Boas Siles '18, H. L. Roese '19, W. H. Cramer '19, P. J. McCullough '17, etc.

Recent graduates who are also there are: A. G. Montgomery '11, J. R. Guyer '11, C. C. Knight '12, J. M. Reed '12, L. B. Horne '13, H. H. Kirkpatrick '13, B. A. Derrough '13, J. A. Stuart '13, C. F. Williams '13, R. P. Deane '13, W. H. Coon '13, C. F. Cornman '13, Paul E. Reinhardt '14, D. R. Fiske '14, E. H. Lang '14, H. A. Kjellman '15, W. S. Yahn '15, N. S. Logan '15, A. J. Wilson '15, N. E. Hartmann '15, Brian Matter '15, F. E. Fredette '15, C. Faddis '15, S. L. Bear '15, G. L. Reinert '15, A. F. Stahl '15, H. S. Bean '15, H. H. Colbus '15, R. E. Geary '15, D. H. Steiner '15, J. D. Zink '15, R. E. Sheffer '15, C. S. Meyers '15, S. A. Walter '17, W. R. Albus '17, A. A. Simpler '17, W. H. Swagner '17, M. Paul Lewis '17, J. A. Garber '17.

Penn State's quota also includes the following former students: C. B. Forney, L. E. Kirke, R. L. Devereaux, J. A. Rodgers, G. E. Hadesty, Jr., S. T. Atkinson, Donald Foster, J. D. Schofield, John J. A. Devine, J. J. McGarrugh, H. E. Billington, Bruce Bell, R. H. Chalfant, C. L. Hackerman, Steele Wauk, W. K. McKnight, C. M. Roberts, W. E. Dolner, W. H. Boyer, R. R. London, H. D. Barnhart.

REASONS WHY DROPS SHOULD NOT BE USED IN THE EXAMINATION OF THE EYES

The Optical Journal and Review gives the following reasons why drops should not be used in the eyes when making an examination:

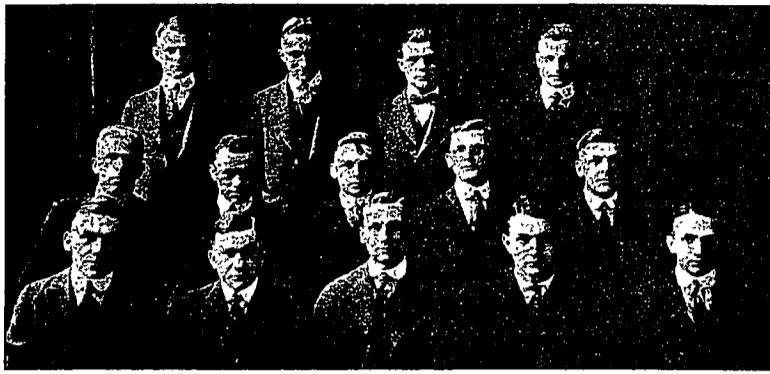
1. Because the advanced methods of Optometry make the use of drops absolutely unnecessary.

2. Because of the guess work and inaccuracy which the use of drops always entails.

3. Because of the danger of drops, which are always poisonous.

DR. EVA B. ROAN, OPTOMETRIST

Men Who Published the Penn State Collegian Last Year



The above is an etching of the Penn State Collegian Publishing Board which issued the paper during the 1916-17 term. Reading left to right, front row, they are M. W. Dalrymple, present Senior associate editor; T. N. Keelan, circulation manager; C. R. Mason, former circulation manager; F. F. Lining, former assistant editor; R. T. Bright, former advertising manager.

Second row, R. B. Henschen, cartoonist; J. A. Garber, former advertising manager; E. A. Kenney, former editor-in-chief; C. B. Patterson, former business manager; W. E. Kroll, former Senior associate editor.

Third row, J. M. Washburn, present business manager; S. M. Lowry, present advertising manager; G. L. Wright, present assistant editor; D. M. Ciesewell, present editor-in-chief.

FORMER COMMANDANT ASKS PENN STATE MEN TO CALL

Colonel Arthur Grabowski, 1224 John's Road, Augusta, Georgia, who was Professor of Military Science in The Pennsylvania State College from 1875 to 1878, extends an invitation to all Penn State men in Camp Hancock to enjoy the hospitality of his home. He requests all men in the camp to send their names and companies to him and he will call upon them.

The Colonel had a distinguished military career abroad before coming to America. He was also a lieutenant-colonel in the Confederate cavalry. After leaving Penn State he settled on "The Hill" as the famous residence part of Augusta is called and still resides there. The military camp is located within a mile of "the Hill."

THE KIND WE LIKE TO GET.

The following letter was received from a 1913 Penn State man last Saturday, and is only a sample of many such letters that come from alumni all over the country.

Editor, Penn State Collegian, State College, Pa., Dear Sir:

Enclosed you will find my check for \$1.25, for which enter my name as a subscriber for 1917-1918. Each year finds the Collegian better and I look with pleasure for each issue.

With best wishes to the Collegian Staff, I am Very truly yours, '13.

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PENN STATE REPRESENTED AT NORTHFIELD GATHERING

A good-sized Penn State delegation attended the ten-day Y. M. C. A. Conference for the college men of the northern and middle Atlantic states, held at Northfield, Mass., in June. In past years, under ordinary national conditions this annual conference has been held for the middle states at Englemer; but it became necessary this year to combine with the New England colleges and hold a joint conference at Northfield.

Nearly every college in the states mentioned was represented, and there were about 100 men present. The mornings were given over to Bible studies, discussions of social problems, and general platform meetings. Especially interesting and inspiring were the addresses by men who came recently from the war zones. These accounts caused many delegates at the conference to decide to give their time and labor for the next few years, or for the duration of the war, to Y. M. C. A. work among the men.

Penn State was represented by sixteen men, of whom six were graduates: "Pete" Weigel, Hermann Lamm, Gilbert Beaver and Bill Wood were there.

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AG. SCHOOL HOLD ITS ANNUAL "GET-TOGETHER"

The annual "get-together" of the Agricultural School faculty was held Tuesday, September 11, in the Stock Judging Pavilion, at 6 P. M. The idea of this affair is to make the people connected with the Agricultural Department better acquainted, and to give them an opportunity for social intercourse at the opening of college each year.

A table was spread and here the guests partook of an excellent meal, which was interspersed with short addresses by Dr. and Mrs. Sparks, Dean and Mrs. Holmes, Dr. Stoddard, Miss M. J. Newcome, of the Home Economics Extension Department, Dean Wood, of the two-year agricultural school and Mrs. Watts. Dean Watts acted as toastmaster.

ECONOMICS DEPT. ACTIVE IN FOOD PRESERVATION

The Home Economics Extension Department is working in conjunction with the Pennsylvania Railroad in setting forth an interesting exhibit in canning and drying. It is at present traveling through the southeastern part of the State. Members of this department are in charge and give daily demonstrations.

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PENN STATE EXHIBIT AT THE COUNTY FAIRS

The Pennsylvania State College is staging an exhibit at a number of county fairs in the State during September and October. The purpose of this exhibit is to attempt to show in a practical and attractive way the experimental, investigational and educational work of the college in so far as it pertains to agriculture and home economics. Present day conditions and emergencies are recognized and suggestions are made with these conditions in mind.

The schedule is as follows. Kutztown, West Chester, Hanover, Center Hall, Dallas, Lancaster, Honesdale and Scranton in Eastern Pennsylvania, and Altoona, Butler, Brookville, Indiana, Smedleyport, Mercer, Somerset and Bedford in Western Pennsylvania.

Dean Watts addressed the Grange Picnic at Center Hall last Thursday, the Penn State exhibit being there at that time. J. M. Fry, of the Agricultural Extension Department, is in charge of the western exhibit.

MASS MEETING NEXT WEEK

There will probably be a mass meeting of the entire student body in the Auditorium towards the end of next week. The main object of this meeting will be to stir up the college spirit for the coming football season, the rehearsal of college songs, and yells for the benefit of the Freshmen.

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