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SECRETARY OF WAR TO ADDRESS STUDENT BODY

Hon. Newton D. Baker to Speak on "Physical Value of Military Training" at Opening Mass Meeting

CADET COMPANIES TO ACT AS PARTY ESCORT

When the Pennsylvania State College holds its opening exercises on Wednesday morning, September 14, the sixty-sixth time, students, faculty and visitors will have the rare pleasure of hearing an address from a nationally known figure.

Secretary Baker will be accompanied by Honorable Vance C. McCormick, of Harrisburg, a member of the Board of Trustees of this college. The party will arrive from Lewisburg and will be met at the city limits by the cadet military band, under the direction of Bandmaster W. O. Thompson, and by one or more volunteer companies of the cadet regiments.

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NEW BEAVER FIELD GREATLY IMPROVED

Renovated Field and New Stands Will Be Completed for First Home Game.

That Hugo Bezdek meant business when he proposed the increased athletic fee for students at the greatest of mass meetings held at Penn State last spring has been strongly indicated by the great changes brought about on New Beaver Field.

As was originally intended, the portion of woods between the baseball grandstand and the round was removed and the entire stand and diamond has been removed. The football field has been raised, graded and better drainage facilitated and is now one of the finest in this country.

Among the enthusiasts of the proposition in its infancy and during its construction has been "Bill" Heppenthal, ex '96 Chairman of the Alumni Athletic Advisory Committee, a man who has steadfastly held his Alma Mater at heart and who has been such a great factor in her rapid strides forward during the past few years.

EXAMINATIONS TO BE GIVEN FOL ADVANCED STANDING. All students who have had two years of German in high school should attempt an examination for advanced standing in that subject and obtain the credit derived therefrom.

NEW LIBERAL ARTS DEAN TAKES OFFICE

Dr. C. W. Stoddard, former Agricultural Chemistry, here chosen to fill Dean Blaisdell's Office.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees of the college held June fourteenth, Dr. Charles W. Stoddard was appointed Dean of the School of Liberal Arts, to fill the vacancy caused by the resignation and departure from Penn State of former Dean Thomas C. Blaisdell.

Doctor Stoddard was born in Wisconsin in 1877. He received his early schooling in the Columbus Ohio High School, after which he entered the course in Liberal Arts at Columbia.

Doctor Stoddard is well known as the author of various articles on inorganic chemistry and soil chemistry and as a writer of the widely used text book, "The Chemistry of Agriculture."

PENN STATE MEN ATTEND SILVER BAY CONFERENCE

Eight Hundred College Students Enjoy Memorable Stay at Lake George Resort.

Seventeen students, accompanied by Frank I. Omdstead, the college Y. M. C. secretary, returned from the State delegation to the Silver Bay Conference, held at Silver Bay, New York, from June twenty-third to July one.

The last two numbers on the course are by the best. The singers of national reputation, who in other places demand more than the entire course is costing here, will fill the Auditorium to the doors.

FRESHMEN. Don't forget the "Got Acquainted" meeting in the "Y" Hut tonight at 7:30. Yells, songs, speakers, and cuts. All out!

SUBSCRIBE NOW! In accordance with the decision reached last spring, the COLLEGIAN will be published semi-weekly, the first issue appearing Tuesday morning and the second issue Friday morning.

NO SUCCESSOR CHOSEN TO FILL DR. SPARKS' POST

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CITIZENS UNITE IN COMMERCE BODY

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NEW COMMANDANT OF CADETS ARRIVES

Lt. Col. G. B. Comly Appointed to Succeed Major Savage Who Has Been Transferred.

The Department of Military Science and Tactics at Penn State commences the new academic year with several important changes of personnel, including the transformation of Major Charles W. Savage, former Commandant of Cadets, to another line of duty.

Lieutenant Colonel Comly, the new Commandant of Cadets, is a cavalry officer in the United States Regular Army, and most of his military training was gained in the Philippines.

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1920 FOOTBALL SCHEDULE table with columns for Date, Location, and Varsity.

On New Beaver Field. These two games are to be considered a very early start in consideration of the fact that the following contest on October ninth, Homecoming Day for the Alma Mater, will be with a team which has always been a difficult one for Blue and White to play.

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TO ALL NEW STUDENTS. The Y. M. C. A. Campus Reception to new students will be held Friday evening at seven o'clock.