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## JUNIATA COLLEGE HAS VETERAN FIVE

Huntingdon Collegians to Open Cage Schedule on Armory Floor Tomorrow Night

Penn State opens its basketball season tomorrow night at 7:30 o'clock with Juniata College in the Armory. The Blue and White five will be composed of Wolfe and Wilson as forwards, Kuplogie at center and Killinger and Haines in the guard positions. There has not been much doubt about four of the varsity but the last has been considerable doubt as to the man who would succeed to the position held by Mullan, the forward that graduated last year. Wilson will in all probability start the game. He has shown promise in the practice the last few weeks and is an excellent offensive player. If the game warrants it numerous substitutions will be made in the course of the contest and Wray, Knobler, Shair, Hunter, and Whitman will likely be the men to find their way into the cage battle before its close.

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The squad has been shifted somewhat by Coach Terman during the last few days. Hunter, who was expected to play guard and Shair has been put to work with the centers. The latter is tall and has ability for jumping the ball so he fits in well at the center position. Wray is a newcomer on the squad as this is the first year that he has shown up for varsity practice but he has a lot of cage talent and will be given a chance in the game if the conditions justify it. Several new rules will be in force in this contest that have been recently promulgated by the Intercollegiate Basketball Association. These changes are as follows:

1. A player may be taken out of the game and put in again at any time if he was not taken out on account of the personal foul rule.
2. The inner end line is abolished under the basket, the referee shall take the ball fifteen feet within the court and there toss it up. This rule was made to prevent the "backboard" rule.
3. The "backboard" rule is abolished in this case the ball is tossed up under the goal.

Juniata Has Veteran Team  
 The Huntingdon aggregation like the Blue and White has a team made up of seasoned cage players, four of the men having had positions on the varsity last year. Homelon and Engle, the forwards, are the center, and Captain Wolfgang and Oiler, the guards all saw service during the last season except Engle who is the new man to be promoted to the varsity of our western guests. This combination has a good record for the past season and will furnish strong opposition for the game tomorrow night. This contest opens the basketball year for Huntingdon and is well as for Penn State no little comparison can be made of the respective merits of the two fives but from past experience the Nittany combine can look forward to a tight game. Juniata has a good supply of material on hand this season and will bring several substitutes in case they are required, among them are Beckley, Hanawalt, and Kophart.

## VARSIY "S" AWARDED TO FOOTBALL PLAYERS

Elections were held last Saturday to pick the football manager for next year, and at the same time the awards of letters in football were made. L. M. Fornerock '22 was elected manager and C. M. Andrews '23, C. W. Parsons '23, and G. S. Ross '22 were picked for assistant managers. The straight "S" was awarded to sixteen members of the squad, the manager's "S" was given to manager Stark, and "S" 2nd year was given to four men. The awards were as follows:  
 "S"—Hess, Brown, Beck, Trauch, Haines, Griffiths, Bentz, Lightner, Schuster, Killinger, Mullan, McColm, Hufford, Boer, Williams, and Wray.  
 "S 2nd"—Rodinger, Ruos, Lovinson, and Spangler.  
 "S"—Stark.

## JUNIORS WARNED ABOUT PICTURES FOR LA VIE

The 1922 La Vie Staff announces that a number of Juniors have neglected to have their pictures taken for the publication. The time is growing short before this section of the book goes to press and those who should communicate immediately with some member of the Business Staff of the La Vie and signify whether they wish to appear in the 1922 La Vie or not. If they intend to be included in the Class of 1922 they should have their picture taken immediately according to the specifications and give it to the Business Manager W. E. Parry for insertion. Among those men are: R. H. Rosenheim, G. Steiger, F. D. Stupp, R. R. West, B. B. Wert, P. W. Amram, C. A. Barnett, J. E. Bush, R. M. Brimard, P. H. Coe, C. B. Davidson, F. H. Dierck, J. R. Gohrt, J. L. Gleason, F. P. Heckel, F. J. Holsler, W. Konogon, L. G. Kramy, A. D. McChilney, D. C. MacMillan, J. L. Marshall, B. M. Morris, H. C. Paquet, H. Raivo, and S. N. Rosenberg.

NO COLLEGIAN TO BE ISSUED FRIDAY  
 Because it will be almost impossible for the COLLEGIAN to reach all subscribers before they depart for their homes next Friday, it has been decided that the Friday issue for this week will not be published.

## PENN STATE BOXERS FACE DIFFICULT BOUTS

Contests with Springfield College, Penn and Navy Practically Certain—Other Bouts Pending

With two stars, Captain McEveden and "Hicks" Friedman lead from last year's best team. Coach "Diet" Newlin, is being confronted with no small amount of difficulty in rounding out a boxing team that can meet the stiff schedule which has been tentatively arranged. Meets with Springfield College which won the New England Championship last year, the University of Pennsylvania and the Navy are being definitely assured so far, while contests with the Canadian champions, the University of Toronto, Boston Tech and the Army are pending. It is also likely that both Lafayette and Case Tech will be on the Blue and White schedule although no definite information as to this fact can be announced at this time.

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## COEDS HOLD ANNUAL CHRISTMAS PARTY

McAllester Hall Dining Room was the scene on Monday evening of the Old English Christmas Party given in honor of the girls. Every girl came dressed in costume appropriate to a medieval Yule-tide celebration. Lords and ladies, friars and nuns, jesters and hunters, peasants and priests gathered around the rough pine tables and enjoyed a good Old English feast in hearty fashion while morris dancers, jesters and carolers entertained the assembly. The treatment of good cheer and a celebration was introduced at Penn State last year and the occasion met with such universal approval that it was decided to make the affair a yearly event.

The chief characters participating in the Christmas Party were as follows: Lord of the Manor, Julia Brill '21; Lady of the Manor, Ruth Eiton '21; Lord from the Senior Class, Irno Reichert; Lady from the Senior Class, Mary Fox; Lord from the Junior Class, Laura Phillips; Lady from the Junior Class, Sara Cooper; Lord from the Sophomore Class, Alton Foll; Lady from the Sophomore Class, Grace Boyle; Lord from the Freshman Class, Adeline Buehn; Lady from the Freshman Class, Cora Morrison; Cardinal, Katherine Hamilton '23; Poet, Helen Hartly '21; Herald, Agnes Newman '22; Jesters, Frances Gibbons '22 and Betty Needham '22; Trainbearers, Elsie Stuart '23 and Catherine Montzer '24; Page, Yocum '22, Elizabeth Gross '22, Opal Chapman '22, Helen Field '21, Dorothy Rogers '22 and Emily King '21; Carolers, Harriet Calvert '22, Gladys Fulton '22, Agnes Taylor '23, Esther Priest '21, Tova Dann '21, Virginia Rinehart '23, Mirale Tapp '21, Helen Field '21, Edna Smith '22, Julia Sleg '22, Ruth Drb '22, Marion Thompson '22.

## BOOK SUGGESTIONS

- By J. Stitt Wilson  
 Kropotkin: "Mutual Aid."  
 Henry Drummond: "Ascend of Man."  
 John Fiske: "The Nature of God."  
 Benjamin Kidd: "Science of Power."  
 MacFarlane: "Cause and Course of organic Evolution"—especially last few chapters.  
 Nasynch: "Darwinism and Social Progress."  
 Nash: "Genesis of the Social Conscience."  
 Froemantle: "The World as the Subject of Redemption."  
 Tauschenbach: "Christianizing the Social Order."  
 MacIver: "Labor and the Changing Order."  
 Glover: "The Jesus of History."  
 Patterson: "The Nemesis of History."  
 Stoddard: "The Rising Tide of Color."  
 Dewey: "Reconstruction in Philosophy."

Mr. Wilson adds that by all means students should read, and if possible place in their own libraries Kropotkin's "Mutual Aid," Drummond's "Ascend of Man," Kidd's "Science of Power," Nasynch's "Darwinism and Social Progress," and Stoddard's "Rising Tide of Color."

## Cut This Out

FACTS ABOUT PENN STATE

The Pennsylvania State College is the only institution of higher learning of such definite public character in the state and for which the Legislature of the Commonwealth has directly obligated itself for maintenance and support.

The operation of the Pennsylvania State College is, and always has been maintained by funds from the State and Federal governments. There is no private endowment support.

No charge for tuition is made to students in this college. This is eliminated so that the State may extend the opportunities of higher education to its youth without an expense which would be prohibitive to many. The student does, however, pay certain fees to cover the cost of materials he consumes in laboratory instruction and to apply on the cost of heating, lighting and maintaining buildings.

About \$1,000 is saved to the student and his family during a four year course by the absence of tuition charges.

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The work of the Pennsylvania State College is performed in one of the largest educational plants in the nation. Its twenty-five educational buildings are located on a site 2000 acres in extent. Its resident student population numbers 4300 which number is supplemented in extension and correspondence classes in all parts of the state by an additional number which brings the total student body to 10,000 persons. Through its extension divisions, the college enlarges its influence to the extent that each year no less than 200,000 Pennsylvanians receive direct educational benefits.

As a collegiate institution of Applied Sciences it stands, in point of size, as the largest in the State of Pennsylvania and among the first three in the United States.

By virtue of its public endowment and character, all male students are required to take two years of military training under United States War Department supervision.

Since its establishment, the Pennsylvania State College has provided residence instruction in the Applied Sciences to over 25,000 students and through its extension divisions has given systematic instruction to over 30,000 Pennsylvanians in their home districts.

In the number of graduates entering into industrial and agricultural life, the Pennsylvania State College ranks among the first six institutions in the United States.

The worth of the national Land Grant College system is shown in the fact that from a mere idea in 1802, it has grown until today over 50% of all students of collegiate grade in the colleges and universities of the United States are enrolled in the Land Grant Colleges.

In 1918, the State of Pennsylvania appropriated 9 cents per capita of population for the support of higher education and ranked 29th in the United States in that respect. Nevada spent \$1.29 per capita, Oregon \$1.19, Minnesota 85 cents, California 83 cents, Michigan 66 cents, Ohio 40 cents, Illinois 37 cents, West Virginia 34 cents, Maine 20 cents.

In the last three years Illinois has appropriated more money for maintenance alone than Pennsylvania has appropriated to The Pennsylvania State College for both maintenance and buildings in the 88 years since the acceptance of the Morrill Act. And the population of Illinois is only 75% that of Pennsylvania.

Fourteen states in the Union have provided assured incomes to their State institutions by the establishment of special taxes for that purpose. Prominent among these are Ohio, Illinois, Indiana, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Michigan, Nebraska and Oregon.

## Take It Home

# BULLETIN

- TUESDAY  
 6:15 p. m.—Johnstown Club, 315 Old Main.  
 6:15 p. m.—Mandolin Club Rehearsal, Auditorium.  
 6:30 p. m.—Schuykill County Club, 208 Old Main.  
 7:00 p. m.—"Mary Todd Lincoln"—Dr. Sparks, Old Chapel.  
 7:00 p. m.—Lackawanna County Club, 314 Old Main.  
 7:00 p. m.—Y. M. C. A., 19 L. A.  
 8:00 p. m.—Honor Committee, 14 L. A.

- WEDNESDAY  
 6:00 p. m.—Mercer County Club, 206 Old Main.  
 6:30 p. m.—Bradford County Club, 314 Old Main.  
 6:30 p. m.—Debating Class, 25 L. A.  
 7:00 p. m.—Political Economy Discussion, 19 L. A.  
 8:30 p. m.—Froth Board, Phi Kappa Sigma House.

- THURSDAY  
 7:00 p. m.—Mechanical Engineering Society, 200 Eng. D.  
 7:00 p. m.—Carbon County Club, 13 L. A.  
 7:30 p. m.—Faculty Meeting, Old Chapel.

NOTICE  
 The Empire State Club smoker for Tuesday night has been postponed

DANCE  
 The tickets for the Lehigh-Northampton County Club dance can be obtained at the Collegian Office Wednesday and Thursday evenings, from 7:00 to 8:00 o'clock.

HARRISBURG AND VICINITY  
 All students from Harrisburg and that vicinity are requested to be present at an important meeting in 19 Liberal Arts, this (Tuesday) evening at seven o'clock. Matters of importance to each student will be presented.

NO MASS MEETING WEDNESDAY MORNING

## WILSON CLOSED SERIES WITH STIRRING APPEAL

Noted Y. M. C. A. Lecturer Delivers Six Impressive Addresses Before Student Body

With a message that was stronger in the last two addresses than in either of the previous ones, J. Stitt Wilson finished the series of six meetings, which he has been conducting at Penn State, on Sunday. During the entire series Mr. Wilson exhibited remarkable pedagogical powers, proving himself to be one of the most remarkable teachers that has appeared on the platform at Penn State for some time. His message, though exceedingly new and vital, seemed to lack the appeal for Penn State men which he claims to have had at other institutions. To a minority of the students his visit has made a remarkable impression but unfortunately the larger part of the student body failed to measure up to the immensity of the message.

Friday evening's address took up the discussion where he left it on Thursday evening and after a considerable resumé of the points already taken up, Mr. Wilson showed rather briefly by a few quotations that there was something greater as an explanation for human life than Darwinism. He also showed the relation in a short explanation between the three great sciences of biology, psychology and sociology. Using these as a working basis he showed that all of the sciences had wide enough range to include all the scientific tendencies of the age. He pointed out that the truth in all positions and conditions of human life.

Going back to the fact that he was looking for a principle Mr. Wilson drew from the fact that he returned from time to time that there was one fact which all was proved by the line of discussion which he had brought forth—that the struggle with others for the common good would overcome the struggle for self. He very forcefully closed his discussion by a reference to the present condition of the world and the need for a solution in the teachings of Jesus Christ.

As his subject for Saturday evening Mr. Wilson used "The Pagan World and the Spirit of Jesus." He pictured the world as it was at the present time with its thought for self and its wonderful interest in the things material and proceeded to show that it was little more than a very long and narrow path proceeding to show that the spirit of Jesus Christ was so large, so generous and fully adequate to meet this problem of the present day world.

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Teachings of Jesus  
 Mr. Wilson took the standpoint that he supposed himself not to be a Christian and working from this premise as a purely scientific student, he took the teachings of Jesus and showed specifically that certain well known passages from the New Testament had a bearing on present day life. "The spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he hath anointed me to bring a message to the poor," and the few verses following were dwelt upon by Mr. Wilson and he said that the "poor, ignorant, enslaved and brutalized are those who demand present day attention and the Christian is the one who undertakes this task of helping them. The reason will be greatly spelled.

## EUROPEAN RELIEF FUND GETS LARGE SUPPORT

Four hundred and twenty members of the student body and faculty have subscribed twenty-five hundred dollars to the European Student Relief Fund, as learned from results received last evening. The drive which began Sunday morning during the chapel services, was increased considerably yesterday, and as can be readily seen from the figures quoted, a very small percentage of the student body has been heard from. It is expected that during the remainder of the week the lists will continue to come in and the amount will be greatly spelled.

This fund originated as a result of the investigations made by the World Student Christian Federation and the Relief of Central Europe and the latter headed by Mr. Herbert Hoover. In the hope of these organizations to relieve the pressing needs of the students of Europe who have lost their large quantities of food and clothing. Those who have not yet subscribed but who desire to have a part in this great work may do so by sending in their name and pledge to the Y. M. C. A. early as possible.

## GEORGIA TECH ON 1921 GRID CARD

Yellow Tornado to Meet Blue and White on Polo Grounds at New York October Twenty-ninth

The report of the financial standing of Tech for October 29th as part of the Blue and White football card for 1921. This big intercollegiate gridiron battle which will be played at the Polo Grounds in New York City will mark the first time that the Golden Tornado has ever been faced by the Nittany eleven and will be one of the big games of the year. The Polo Grounds has been selected as the scene of the contest on account of the fact that each of the institutions has in the metropolitan area and as the place that is best suited to hold the large crowd that will desire to witness the contest. There is no doubt that this will be one of the hardest games on the Blue and White schedule next year. Georgia Tech is recognized as the undisputed champion of the south, having defeated Columbia College, the University of Georgia, and the other southern contenders for football honors, and has held this position for a number of years. This year Penn State has dropped several of her former annual games and has taken on some of the best football teams in the east for the coming season. The schedule is not yet settled but it is rapidly nearing completion and will be published in the near future.

## TRACK STARS MAY ENTER MELROSE MEET

Within the next two months several members of Penn State's track team will enter into competition with some of America's finest athletes. Two indoor meets, to which "Blondy" Conroy and Harold Barron have been invited, will be staged in Brooklyn and New York City on January eighth and February fourth respectively.

In the first meet Blondy will enter the 3000 meter race, providing of course that he can get into condition by that time. At the present early date it is impossible to say with just what runners Blondy will have to compete, but it is known that a majority of the best two-milers in America have been invited. Some of the most probable competitors are "Larry" Shields, Captain of last year's track team, Conroy, of Harvard, Brown of Williams, Curtis of the Navy, and many others of Olympic fame. In case Shields enters the names for a number of years. This year Penn State has dropped several of her former annual games and has taken on some of the best football teams in the east for the coming season. The schedule is not yet settled but it is rapidly nearing completion and will be published in the near future.

On February fourth when the Melrose meet occurs in New York, Penn State will be well represented. Blondy Barron are certain entries and there is a possibility of "Larry" Shields returning for the second semester in which case he will run in the meet for Penn State. Barron will enter the high hurdles of which he won the National A. A. U. championship several years ago. Blondy will run a special three mile race against the Konominian runner at the 3000 meter race at the Olympic games last summer. Kohman hall from Finland had his sprint most of his life in the United States. He is one of the best runners in the United States and at present holds the world's middle distance record. A special race between two such men as Blondy and Kohman may be undoubtedly be one of the most spectacular athletic events of the winter.

## Railroads To Operate Specials

Two special trains, the one leaving Bellefonte for points west and the other leaving Lemont for those students residing in the eastern part of the state, will be run by the Pennsylvania Railroad next Friday in order to accommodate the large number of students leaving on that date for the Christmas vacation. The Bellefonte Central Railroad has also announced that a train will be run Friday afternoon to take care of those who desire to make connections with the Bellefonte special. This train will leave Bellefonte at 6:00 o'clock and arrive at Altoona at 6:30. From this point the train which leaves Altoona at 6:53 and arrives in Pittsburgh at 10:33 p. m. may be taken.

The Lemont special for points in the eastern part of the state is scheduled to leave that place at 6 p. m. on Friday arriving at Sunbury at 8:20 p. m. and at Harrisburg at 9:45. At Sunbury students may take the train for Williamsport which leaves there at 9:25 p. m. The Bellefonte Central Railroad will operate a special train from here to Bellefonte on Friday afternoon which will leave State College at 3:25 p. m. and will arrive in Bellefonte in time for those wishing to leave that place in the special for the west.

Tickets via Bellefonte may be purchased at the Pennsylvania Railroad Agency which is to be opened as formerly in the Bellefonte Central Station on College Avenue. These tickets are for passage only from the Bellefonte Railroad system. Because of the large number of students who are expected to avail themselves of the opportunity of buying their tickets here, it is urged that tickets be produced as early as possible.