

**ENGINEERING SOCIETIES
ELECT NEW OFFICERS**

New officers were elected for the combined engineering societies of the college, at a meeting held last Friday night at seven-thirty o'clock in room 260 Engineering D. At the same time Prof. Ira N. Hollis of Worcester Tech. and Major Fred Miller, past-president of the A. S. M. E., addressed the engineers.

Prof. Hollis laid especial emphasis upon the fact that graduates of the technical colleges are unwilling to go into the profession at the bottom of the ladder. "A man who has graduated as an engineer is far from being an engineer—yet he must first serve his apprenticeship as an engineer," he said. "He must enter upon his novitiate. It is then for him to become an engineer. A man who gives up study after his graduation, develops either into a routine man, or gives up his profession for something more remunerative." Prof. Hollis also brought out the position of the engineer in the economic, social, and political life of the country, showing how all civilization rests upon the work of engineers.

The other speaker, Major Miller, spoke of the requirements of employers in prospective employees. "Out of a great number of inquiries sent out to large employers of engineers, a large percentage of them placed character and reliability highest of all of the requirements. However, one must also be well versed in the knowledge of the science of engineering."

The new officers elected for the combined engineers of the college are: President, A. R. Jordan '22, Vice-president, S. C. McCullum '22; and Secretary, W. C. Clough '22.

**FRATERNITY BASEBALL
REACHES SEMI-FINALS**

The first round of the fraternity baseball competition came to a close last week and the semi-finals began yesterday. Interest in the league is increasing immensely with the narrowing down of the field and greater interest will undoubtedly develop with the announcement that the winner of the fraternity league will play the winner of the inter-unit baseball providing there is sufficient time to do so before the end of the school year. Fraternity managers, who had not paid the dollar that was assessed some time ago, will kindly make the payment at once to Banks at the Delta Upsilon House. A request was made to this effect once or twice before but little attention was paid and it is necessary that the assessment be made immediately.

Games scheduled for tomorrow are as follows:
Wednesday, May 25
Phi Kappa Sigma vs Alpha Delta Sigma—Diamond No. 1
Delta Sigma Phi vs the winner of the 3rd division—Diamond No. 4
Games played last Friday resulted:
Alpha Zeta—1
Kappa Sigma—2
Alpha Gamma Phi—3
Delta Sigma Phi—5
Delta Pi—3
Theta Chi—5

**GIRLS CELEBRATE MAY
DAY IN NOVEL MANNER**

The girls of the college celebrated in a most fitting way the time honored customs of May Day last Thursday evening in the dining room of McAllister Hall. All thronged about the reception room while the May Queen, Miss Katherine Thompson '21, attended by Miss Cora Morrison '24 and several maids of honor, marched into the dining room.

The tables were grouped about the edge of the room facing the throne of the Queen and leaving the center open for the Maypole dances. After the Queen had ascended her throne the ceremony of crowning her took place. Miss Florence Allen '22, president of Women's Student Government Association, presented her with a crown of rose buds as a symbol of love. Dean Knight gave her a clover as a token of industry, while Miss Agnes Newmann '22, president of Women's Athletic Association, offered the Queen a flower emblem of grace, and Miss Grace Youcum '22, president of Y. W. C. A., a token of purity.

The singing of class songs followed the presentation of gifts, one member of each class having composed a song in honor of the Queen of the May. Sixteen Maypole dancers next advanced and, taking hold of the gray colored streamers of the Maypole, danced about it in charming fashion.

Not only did each class have its own song, but distinctive class colors were used in dress and table decorations. The Senior tables were decorated with blue and gold. The Juniors wore green and green crepe paper aprons over their white dresses, while the red dunes of the Sophomores were distinctive. The Freshman purple was effective as sashes, and the spirit of May was further carried out by the presentation of flowers to the upperclassmen. Each Senior received a bouquet of sweet peas in an old fashioned doll's box from her sister classmen the Sophomores, while the Freshmen gathered wild flowers and arranged them into attractive old-fashioned bouquets for the Juniors.

The Junior girls' class dance was held Friday evening in the parlors of the Women's Building, which were decorated in an original way with balloons and multi-colored crepe paper hangings over the doorways. The Sophomore dance was held in the same place the following evening and both were enjoyable events with which to close the season.

After that long pre-midnight study hour stroll down to the

COLLEGE LUNCH ROOM
and get on good terms with your appetite.
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**RED-CROSS ACTIVE IN
SOCIAL SERVICE WORK**

The National Red Cross, in cooperation with the Pennsylvania State College, is to offer training courses for social service work under the direction of Miss Helen K. Shippy, executive secretary of the local chapter. The training will be especially valuable for those who expect to work in small communities, the rural sociology department of the college will act in connection with the Red Cross chapter in offering courses which will be open to summer session students.

The courses which will be offered are:
Rural Social Problems—Three credit hours—Professor Bressler
Rural Sociology—Three credit hours
Field work required—Prof. Bressler
Social Case Work—Lecture, one hour
Miss Shippy has been here since February canvassing the field, which includes several surrounding towns as well as State College itself, and has found that there is a great opportunity here for anyone interested in work of this nature. About twenty cases of infantile paralysis have been discovered, and in the interest of these children, a surgical clinic will be held on Saturday afternoon, June 18, in the sanitarium or Dr. Glenn on West College Avenue, which he has kindly offered for use.

Dr. George B. Stull of Harrisburg, who has had much successful experience with cases of this kind, will come to State College to conduct the clinic in connection with Dr. Grover Glenn and Dr. William Glenn.

It is expected that the Red Cross Headquarters in New York City will send students here to enroll in the summer training courses. College girls who are graduating this year and who have not as yet any definite work in view might well consider this opportunity offered for service in State College.

Anyone desiring to communicate with Miss Shippy may find her in her office in the basement of the Bank Building from nine to twelve every morning.

**A. A. S. HOLD ANNUAL
GATHERING AT U. CLUB**

About thirty-five of the forty local members of the American Association for the Advancement of Science, attended the annual meeting and dinner at the University Club, Friday evening, May twentieth. Professor A. J. Wood acted as temporary chairman. The program was as follows:

"The Advantages of Scientific Research in Universities and Colleges to the Community and to the Institution" by Dr. Ira N. Hollis, president, Worcester Polytechnic Institute.

"The Present Status of Scientific Research at the Pennsylvania State College"—reports by Dean Sackett, Dr. Frear, Dean Stoddard, Dean Moore and Director Arnsby.

"The Outlook for Scientific Research at the Pennsylvania State College," President John Martin Thomas.

It was decided to appoint a committee to formulate plans for meetings during the next academic year. It is hoped that the American Association members may form a nucleus around which may be built a more extensive organization whose purpose will be to crystallize sentiment in favor of and stimulate interest in scientific research at the Pennsylvania State College.

**MOTION PICTURES TO BE
SHOWN AT STEEL LECTURE**

Tonight at eight o'clock, Professor O. A. Knight of the Department of Metallurgy will show in the Old Chapel, three reels of moving pictures pertaining to the metallurgy of iron and steel. He will explain the open-cut method of mining iron ore by steam shovel, and show how the ore is transported to a port on Lake Superior and loaded into

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the large ore boats which carry some 15,000 tons each. In these boats the ore is conveyed to a lower lake port, as Cleveland or Buffalo, where it is unloaded in about three hours. The methods of loading and unloading are shown. The ore is then taken to the blast furnaces, steel furnaces, and mills where the various operations of its transformation from ore to finished steel pipe is shown.

These scenes should be very interesting and instructive to everybody and all persons are invited. There is no charge of admission.

**LECTURE ON CEMENT
WILL BE GIVEN HERE**

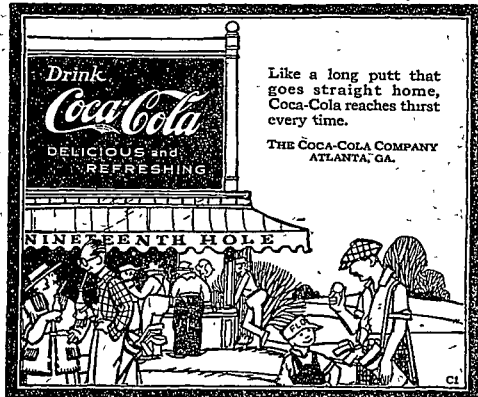
Mr. J. A. Dunn, a representative of the Portland Cement Association, will visit this institution Thursday and will instruct a class in cement construction in 100 Hort at two o'clock on the same

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AN EXTENSIVE LINE OF Ladies' Wearing Apparel
to their door. We have secured part of the Variety Store, 116 E. College Ave., where we will hold an
EXHIBIT SALE FOR 2 DAYS
Wednesday, May 25, Thursday, May 26
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