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RE-EXAMINATIONS TO BE ABOLISHED NEXT SEMESTER

General Faculty Decides That All Students Receiving "D" Grades Must Repeat Subject

TAKES EFFECT NEXT FALL

Action Does Not Refer to Averages Obtained at End of This Semester

In addition to suspending the Honor System, the General Faculty at their meeting last Tuesday night voted to abolish all re-examinations at this institution with the opening of the next collegiate year This action is of great consequence to every student and every member of the instruction staff, since it means that once college opens next fall no re-examinations whatever will be given and those students receiving D grades will have to repeat the subject in which that grade was received The motion which was passed by the faculty reads as follows, "The General Faculty hereby abolishes re-examinations, this action to become effective after the opening of the first semester of the college year 1921-22."

As is seen by the context of this motion, this action does not effect examinations which are to be held this spring and all persons who receive D grades this June will be permitted to take re-examinations a week or two before the college opens in the fall

The Faculty also discussed the possibility of raising the standard of the Penn State students by passing some ruling which would require every member of the student body to have a certain percentage of grades above C No action was taken upon this question except that a committee was appointed to look into the matter and present a feasable plan next October. Since the appropriation received from the State was so low, it may be necessary to reduce the number of students at Penn State and such a system would help to cut down the student enrollment.

HONOR COMMITTEE AND TRIBUNAL ARE CHOSEN

Student Council Appoints Committees for Next Year—New Willow Dedication Discussed

The men who will help to man the student government organization of Penn State were chosen last Tuesday night at the last meeting of Student Council for this school year. The election of the Student Board, the Honor Committee, and the Tribunal were held and resulted in the Council picking T. H Ritner '22, C L Mellinger '22, and W H Payne '23 to make up the Board along with the ex-officio members the presidents of the three upper classes The Honor Committee for next year will be composed of R B Baer '22, chairman, R. R Burtner '22, C. T Douds '22, E D Schive '23, G .B. Lane '23 and H G Hoehler '24 It is upon these men that the burden of the Honor System will fall and they will be responsible for its administration. The Student Tribunal which will have charge of meting out justice and punishment to all violators of the Freshman customs was selected at the same time The committee which will administer haircuts and similar penalties to the erring Frosh is headed by F. B Huston '22, its entire membership being as follows C J Cooper '22, W. W. Ullery '22, G L Ely '23, W. D Miller '23, C W Parsons '23, W. H Payne '23, H. R. Johnson '24, R. J. Carson '24, E H Cornwell '24, D V Fenster '24, J. C Frank '24.

The dedication of the new willow was discussed and a committee composed of E M Aiken '21, F H Leuschner '21, E Hansmann '22, W. L Lowe '22, A G Pratt '22, and W. S Wetzel '22 was appointed to arrange for the ceremony which will be held on Alumni Day during the Commencement exercises, at nine-thirty o'clock, Saturday morning on the Front Campus by the Old Willow The plans call for speeches by President Thomas and Dr E E. Sparks who will speak respectively for the new and the old willows The affair is designed to carry on the traditions of the old willow tree which has become such a historic landmark upon our campus

The war memorial committee report-

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CONCERT TICKET SALE WILL BEGIN MONDAY

A very extensive program has been arranged for the annual Commencement Concert of the Combined Musical Clubs which is to take place in the Auditorium on Saturday evening, June eleventh.

Because of many requests for Victor Herbert's "Sweet Mystery of Life" from "Naughty Marietta," a selection which was rendered by the Glee Club in their concert last year, that number will appear on the program of the coming concert with E H. Rolston '23 as soloist, Mrs C. C. Robinson, at the piano, and Mr. Robinson at the organ.

The sale of tickets will begin next week and continue as follows

Monday, June 6, 6·30-8:30—Seniors and Faculty.

Tuesday, June 7, 6·30-8.00—Co-op, Juniors and Sophomores

Wednesday, June 8, 6:30-8.00 Co-op—Freshmen and General Sale

The price of the tickets has been reduced somewhat from that of last year, and will sell at $1.00 and at $1.25.

OPEN SEASON FOR DOGS

The great number of dogs of every variety and style from seal gray to mongrel tan and from dachunds to eskimo dogs attracted the attention of Student Council last Tuesday night and were nearly legislated out of existance A motion to deprive the animals of their roving grounds and once more restore State College to a happy, dog-fightless community was considered but no definite action was taken. The dogs are becoming a nuisance and the hope was expressed in the meeting that the owners, if there be such, will fail to bring the canines back for the fall term

FRESHMEN PLAN ANNUAL COMMENCEMENT STUNTS

Official Burial Of Dinks Takes Place Next Friday—Promises To Eclipse Former Years

At a special meeting of the freshman class, held in the Bull Pen last Tuesday night, short speeches were given by the new president, J. L Martin and vice-president-elect, M H. Palm and R. E. Longacre, chairman of the Stunt Committee, gave a report of the actions of the committee

As it was impossible for President Hoehler to officiate, R W. Armbruster vice-president, conducted the meeting and first introduced J L Martin, president-elect of the class The latter made a short speech in which he expressed his appreciation of the honor bestowed upon him by his class mates and made an appeal to the Class to cooperate next year in enforcing class customs in an efficient and just manner. He emphasized the fact that all members of the class should work to uphold Penn State spirit and also the good name of the Class.

The meeting was then put in charge of the stunt committee of which Mr R. E Longacre '24, is chairman. Mr. Longacre gave a report of the activities of the committee in regard to the freshman stunts to be held next Friday From present indications this event will be on a par with the best ever staged, and all freshmen remaining until Friday are urged to participate in the activities and help to insure a first-class entertainment

It is planned to have those who will participate meet at the Stock Pavilion at six-thirty Friday evening, June tenth so that the parade will be ready to leave that place at six-fifty From the pavilion the procession will move to Maple Lodge; to Mac Hall; to College Avenue, up Pugh Street to Beaver Ave, to Allen street; to Co-op; to the west end of the drill field. Here F. L Cropp '24 will deliver an eulogy, and the choir lead by C. E Finley '24 will render music appropriate to the occasion A. E Heimbach '24, in the role of parson, will deliver the sermon Following these rites, taps will be sounded and the burial will take place.

The following men constitute the stunt committee R. E. Longacre, chairman, W Jamieson Jr. '24; A. E Heimbach and F L. Cropp. The committee has assisted by Messrs. D. D Mason and J G Amend of the faculty. The committee have spent a great deal of time, energy and thought on the coming stunts; and have done their best to make then an unqualified success. If present indications count for anything at all the stunts should prove to be all that is hoped for them. Mr Longacre states that the committee will gladly consider any suggestions that any member of the class will present.

ALUMNI TO PICNIC AT HERSHEY PARK

All Penn State students and alumni who happen to be within traveling distance of Hershey Park on Saturday, July 31, are invited to attend the annual Penn State Outing and Picnic to be held there on that day under the auspices of the Harrisburg Alumni Club. This will be the fourth affair of the kind to be staged by the Harrisburg alumni, and the third successive year for the stunt which is the biggest summer gathering of alumni to be held in the country.

President Thomas and Judge H Walton Mitchell, president of the college trustees, may be present to address the big Penn State mass meeting to be held in the open air theatre at the park In addition, there will be games and stunts of all kinds that go to make an outing of that kind a success, and the events will close with a big Penn State dance in the evening.

A special invitation is extneded to the undergraduat estudents of Penn State to attend the outing, and take their friends and any prospective students along with them It is not a strictly alumni affair by any means, and many students have attended each of the summer outings at Hershey

THESPIANS HOLD FINAL REHEARSALS FOR PLAY

The Commencement production of the Thespians "King Pomposmpus I" which will be given Monday evening, June thirteenth, contains a number of novel features such as a Penn State audience is seldom treated to. The scenery in particular is undoubtedly the best that has ever been seen here and is the work of Penn State students

Th sale of tickets this year will be general and will be held Thursday and Friday evening from seven to nine o'clock and on Saturday afternoon at the Alumni tent and the Athletic Store

Final rehearsels are being held daily and from all indications the show will be a merry melange of mirth and melody.

FIREWORKS AND IMMENSE PARADE FOR INAUGURATION

Floats of Different Departments of College in Procession—Fireworks on Beaver

MASS MEETING IN EVENING

Student Committees Will Meet in Old Chapel Next Tuesday Evening at Seven P. M.

A monster celebration and parade on the morning of October the fourteenth and a huge mass meeting and elaborate fireworks display together with a college sing, band concert and alumni stunts on New Beaver Field in the evening are the events being planned in which the students of Penn State will take active part in the inauguration of President J. M. Thomas The affair will be the biggest celebration in the history of the Nittany institution when a great number of government officers and educational heads come here together with thousands of visitors and alumni for the three day program next fall

On the morning of the inaugural the students will start in celebrating early before the installation exercises proper. The parade of the undergraduates at this time will be on the biggest scale ever attempted at State College Every member of the student body will take part in some form or other Besides the regular military features of the procession, every department of each of the five different schools will have a one hundred per cent representation in the affair According to present plans different floats representing the work of the different courses offered at Penn State will be one of the features of the parade

The parade as planned now will consist of three big divisions In the first section will be located the military organizations With this will be included the rehabilitation students and other martial features Following this division will come the student floats, and probably the alumni features which will be included in the procession. The first section of the floats will be academic in nature, representing all schools and departments of the college. The second section of this same group of floats will be the various college activities, such as the different publications, organizations, such as the Y. M. C A. and Y W C A.; and musical clubs, as the glee and mandolin clubs The third division will be made up of the women students They will also be divided into two sections of floats The first

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MILITARY FIELD DAY ENDS STUDENT DRILL

The final review of the Military Department was held yesterday morning on Holmes Field The cadet regiment was reviewed by President Thomas and the commissions were awarded to the cadet officers The regiment formed on the drill field and marched to Holmes Field where the review was held.

Immediately after the review the regiment marched to Old Beaver Field where the gymkana was held under the direction of Major Johnson. There were nine events and the first battalion led in the number of points secured in the gymkana.

The first event was the shoe race Baier took first in this event while Jamieson took second, and Doubler came in third The first battalion won the rifle relay. The following men were on the winning team: Bush, Coleman, Hasser, Forbes, Haggler, Hazen, Noble and Moore Watkins, Weber and Wise of the third battalion won the content for carrying the wounded

The centipede race was won by the second battalion, shover, Henderson, McGee, McDonald, Thompson, Chapin, Shaeffer and Blair being on the winning team. The three legged race was run off in two heats MsKechen and Blair were the members of the winning team

The baloney detachment and two squads from the machine gun corps gave demonstrations during the progress of the gymkana Much credit is due Captain Merrell for the manner in which the bayonet detachment demonstrated the use of the bayonet The machine gunners under Captain Kahley held a competition in setting up the machine guns and dismantling them The first squad in charge of Corporal Giesecke won the event.

The final score of the gymkana was as follows: First battalion 27 points, Second battalion 23 points, Third battalion 12 points.

VARSITY NINE TO OPEN SERIES WITH BUCKNELL TODAY

Diamond Men Prepared For Hard Tussle With Bucknellians This Week-end

MEARKLE ELECTED CAPTAIN

Visitors Have Defeated Carnegie Tech But Lost To Gettysburg By 6 to 1

Smarting from the defeat which they received last Saturday at the hands of the Penn nine, the varsity baseball men will get into action once more and today and tomorrow will attempt to regain their laurels by trying to take two games from Bucknell on New Beaver field The record of twenty victories and only one defeat still leaves the Nittany nine head and shoulders above the other eastern teams but memories of the surprise by the Red and Blue batsmen remain in the minds of the Penn State players and they are now determined to finish the season with four more victories Their possible air of over-confidence is gone and in its place rests a winning spirit of determination Although a defeat, if it had to come, might have been more opportune earlier in the season, it is quite probable that the setback was the best thing that could have happened to the nine Only four contests now remain for the Blue and White, two being played this week-end while the other two will occur during the commencement festivities in a series with Pitt

Bucknell Is Quite Strong

The Bucknell batsmen have managed to hang up a fairly good record to date and should provide some stiff opposition for Penn State Three weeks ago they traveled to Pittsburgh and meeting Carnegie Tech on the latter's field, defeated the Skibo outfit in a ten inning contest by the score of 11 to 9 "Bez's" men walloped Carnegie Tech up here on Fathers' Day by 18 to 0 Again, Gettysburg, which lost to the Nittany sluggers by the count of 7 to 0, trimmed the Bucknellians at Lewisburg by 16 to 1 A comparison of scores would seem to indicate that the Nittanyites should have little trouble with Bucknell but, as was seen in the case of the Penn game, scores do not always foretell the outcome of a contest At least, the Blue and White players themselves are not looking forward to an easy time "Bez" has worked them at a fast pace this week, and has made it plain that he intends to take no chances today and tomorrow

Nittany Nine Ready

A better brand of baseball than that displayed at Philadelphia last week should be exhibited by the Nittany nine today as the result of the defeat and of the comparative rest which they have had the last few days All of the men have had na opportunity to recover from any small injuries that they may have received and the line-up is complete, with the exception of Haines Rintz, though, has been putting up a great game at center field and the efficiency of the nine has suffered very little by the loss of "Hinkie" The men are still slugging the ball at a good clip and while they made more errors than usual in the Quaker game it is probably that the high tension under which they had been moving was responsible for the loose play and that a turn for the better will come today Coach Bezdek has not decided upon his pitchers for the Bucknell games but may use Hunter and Miller Thomas and Mellinger have earned a rest while Hunter and Miller have not hurled since the eastern trip and are in shape for a turn on the mound

Mearkle Elected Captain

"Hinkey" Haines' resignation as captain of the nine some time ago necessitated the election of a new leader and as a result of an election held last week Mearkle was chosen captain for the remainder of the season Mearkle has held down the second sack position on the team for the past three years and should prove a capable leader

CARNEGIE TECH TENNIS TEAM HERE TOMORROW

Carnegie Tech's racquet men will oppose the Blue and White tennis team tomorrow afternoon at 1 30 on the Armory courts The Tartan's racquet wielders have a fast aggregation and have made an enviable record for the season

The next team to oppose the Blue and White will be Leland Stanford They are on a tour of the Eastern colleges and are scheduled to play here Monday June 13. The season will be brought to a close when the semi-finals and the finals of the inter fraternity tennis league are decided

FRESHMEN TO BE TAGGED

All Freshmen will be required to wear a name tag for one week at the opening of school, according to a ruling made by Student Council at the meeting Tuesday night. This new custom will go into effect at the opening of school in the fall It is designed to more rapidly acquaint the members of the Freshmen class with each other

PENN STATE TRACKMEN PREPARE FOR PANTHER

University of Pittsburgh Athletes to Figure in Dual Meet Here on June Eleventh

Every member of the Blue and White track squad is daily going through strenuous practice in order to get in the best possible condition for the final meet of the season which will be held Saturday afternoon, June eleventh, with the cinder stars of the University of Pittsburgh Should everything run smoothly from now until the end of the meet, the Penn State team should have no trouble in coming out the victor Past records indicate that the Nittany squad is much stronger of the two

So far this year Pitt and Penn State have met but once in a track meet, the occasion being that of the Fifth Annual Intercollegiate Track and Field meet which was held at Pittsburgh on May twenty-first. Seven different colleges and universities were entered in the meet, which the Blue and White runners won by a score that was almost twice as large as that of the Pitt team which took second place Despite the fact that the victory in the "Smoky City" was an overwhelming one, the coming meet should not lack interest for the Pitt team contains several individual stars worthy of note and all the Penn State runners will be on hand to [illegible] the present Penn State records

Among the more prominent men on the Pitt team, Frank Shea, the Olympic runner, stands out very prominently He has been the highest Pitt scorer in every meet in which the Panthers have entered this year He made a very good showing in the Harvard Intercollegiates and in the Pittsburgh meet on the twenty-first of May he won the quarter mile, lowering the Pitt record to 48 seconds Shea also won the 220 yard dash in that meet and in the meet with the Navy he proved to be the star of the occasion by winning first place in the 100, 220 and 440 yard dashes Pitt is undoubtedly anxious to give Penn State a surprise and will in all probability run Shea in all of these events Hayes is another good all around Pitt man He specializes in the half mile and also in the two mile run In the Pitt Intercollegiate meet he took fourth place in the half and in the two mile run he beat out Cooper at the tape by a spectacular finish Thornton, the Pitt captain, should figure conspicuously in the weight events Other Pitt trackmen are doing very good work and they are counting on giving Coach Martin's runners a big surprise

LACROSSE TEAM LOSES FINAL GAME OF SEASON

The last game of the varsity 1921 lacrosse season proved to be a defeat when the team from the University of Toronto were able to annex eight tallies while the Blue and White twelve were scoring a one pointer The game started at four fifteen and was hotly contested throughout with the Nittany stick wielders keeping the ball at the Toronto goal for the greater part of the period but they seemed unable to place their shots and put the speed behind them necessary to get them past the Canadian goal keeper

The game started with a different Nittany line-up than that which represented the institution on its southern jaunt The Canadian twelve was the same as appeared in the other games composing its trip and no substitutions were made in the Maple Leaf line-up The first tally was secured by the travellers when their second attack rushed in and shot a pretty goal before five minutes had passed Another soon followed and then "Doc" Lewis's pupils stiffened and did not allow another tally until the end of the twenty-five minute period when one more goal was secured The second period started in the same way as the first when the Canadians shot two more goals in rapid succession The Blue and White tried to come back just as strong but succeeded in securing only one of the two attempts as Croup rushed in from center field and tossed the white sphere past the goal tender The remainder of the score was made consistently throughout the period when the Toronto twelve would mass their team near the goal, make a neat pass to a man waiting at the net and toss one into the bag The game ended with the score standing 8-1 in favor of the University of Toronto

The line-ups for the two teams are as follows

Toronto	Position	Penn State
Fluth	goal	Coulter
Fleming	Home	Trout
Wolfson	out home	Rowe
Stevenson	First Attack	Croup
MacIntosh	Second Attack	Miller
Keith	Third Attack	Gatchel
McGee	Center	Isler
Wilson	Third Defense	Jones
Wilcox	Second Defense	Brown
Williamson	First Defense	Glading
Henderson	Point	Leuschner
Cranston	Cover Point	Griffiths

Substitutions: Farley for Gatchel; Rothrock for Croup, Yocum for Isler, Glading for Coulter, Rothrock for Trout, Delly for Rowe Fouls called—Toronto, 1.

DEDICATION OF NEW WILLOW WILL BE IMPRESSIVE AFFAIR

President Thomas and Dr. Sparks To Speak At Exercises Held Next Saturday

COMMITTEE APPOINTED

Old Willow Tree Has Been Landmark at Penn State For Over Sixty Years

A very fitting and impressive ceremony will be held at the Old Willow on the campus Saturday morning, June eleventh at nine-thirty to dedicate the branch of the old landmark which was planted this spring to perpetuate a Penn State tradition which is as old as the college itself At this ceremony speeches will be made by President J M Thomas and possibly Dr E E Sparks If Dr Sparks is unable to be present, Mr Howard Waring, who planted the New Willow, may take his place

The Old Willow tree is one of Penn State's oldest and most cherished traditions It was planted in 1858 by Professor W G Waring who was the grandfather of Mr Howard Waring, who planted the New Willow At that time, the place where the Willow stands was about four feet lower than it is now and a pretty little mountain brook flowed by at its foot But as the college grew, it was found necessary to fill up the ravine to bring it up to a level with the rest of the campus and so what now appears to be two trees growing together is in reality only the clutch of the original trunk In 1911 the Old Willow was strengthened by the landscape gardeners and remained as they had left it until last summer when one of its branches was broken off by lightening And so, in order that the Willow might not be lost to Penn State when the present shell of a trunk shall be no more, one of its branches was planted beside the old tree that its memory might go down to future Penn State students

The arrangements for the ceremony are in the hands of a committee composed of E M Aiken '21, F H. Leuschner '21, A. G Pratt '22, W L Lowe '22, E Hansmann '22, and W S Wetzel '22

FAIR RECORD MADE BY YEARLING DIAMOND MEN

Freshman Nine Loses Four Out of Five Games To Outside Teams —Wins Class Baseball Series

The Freshman baseball team brought its season to a close last Saturday afternoon when it trimmed the Sophomore diamond men by 8 to 5 and thereby made a clean sweep of the inter-class baseball series having previously defeated the Senior and Junior nines by close scores The manner in which the yearlings wound up their schedule was quite different from that in which they played the majority of the time and enabled them to break even in the number of contests which they participated in A one-sided record of four defeats and one win with outside teams was chalked up to the Freshmen before the class games but the three wins in a row put them on equal terms with their opponents and they completed the year with a much better record than they had expected Setbacks by Baltimore Polytechnic Institute, Bellefonte Academy, the Pitt Freshmen, and Kiski comprise the blackmarks on the yearlings' card while victories were scored over Bellefonte Academy, the Senior the Junior, and the Sophomore nines.

The Nittany first year twirlers opened the season on April sixteenth with Baltimore Polytech and lost by 9 to 1 in a loosely played contest The visitors hammered two Frosh pitchers heavily, securing ten solid cracks, but despite this and three bad errors that the Blue and White players made, did not really have the game clinched until after the seventh inning when they pushed over five runs Counters for the yearlings came in the third and ninth frames and were made by Weithaus, Hileman, and Seitz.

A thirteen inning battle with the Panther Cubs on May seventh resulted in a 2 to 1 defeat for the Nittany Freshmen and was the most heart rending setback that they had to accept during the season At the opening of the ninth inning, the Pitt yearlings were leading by one run but Palm connected for a two-bagger and coming home on an error and a wild pitch, tied the score The Smoky City aggregation almost won the game in the tenth frame after Cresswell had knocked a two-bagger but Cresswell was caught at the plate on a hit by one of his teammates and the contest continued at a deadlock until the thirteenth In this frame the Blue and White pitcher wavered temporarily and the visitors pushed over the winning tally. Ragged defense on the part of the Nittany yearlings was the main cause of their defeat.

Freshmen Lose Their Third Game

On the following Monday, May ninth, Kiski handed the Penn State Freshmen their third successive defeat, winning by the score of 5 to 3 The game was featured by long hits and numerous errors and indicated that the Frosh till needed to show some improvement Kiski got away to a fine start by driving in a run in the very first inning and then piling up two more in the next frame when Amos swatted a homer with a man on base Another cir-

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4 00 p m—Baseball, Penn State vs. Bucknell, New Beaver.

SATURDAY

2.30 p. m.—Baseball, Penn State vs Bucknell, New Beaver.

MONDAY

6:30 p. m.—Glee Club, Auditorium.

6.30 to 8·00 p m.—Tickets for Combined Musical Club Concert,

INAUGURATION COMMITTEE

A meeting of all members of the committees on student activities for the inauguration ceremonies will be held in the Old Chapel on Tuesday evening at seven o'clock.

TEACHERS' CERTIFICATES

Seniors wishing to secure teachers' certificates may secure the necessary application blanks from Professor Anderson, Room 21, L. A. It will be to the advantage and convenience of all concerned if this matter is attended to at once.