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MASS MEETING CALLED FOR ACTION ON ARMS QUESTION

Students' Part In World-Wide Movement Ends Sunday Evening—Pres. Thomas And Dr. Newman Will Speak

Let There Be Peace! Such will be the dominating note of the student mass meeting to be held on Sunday night in the Auditorium for the purpose of considering resolutions defining Penn State's stand on the questions pertaining to the Limitation of Armament. As has been planned, the meeting will be a combined chapel dinner service beginning at the regular time of the Sunday night chapel.

AG STUDENTS MEET IN AUDITORIUM MONDAY

An important meeting of all students enrolled in any of the numerous agricultural courses of the college will be held in the Auditorium on Monday evening. Prominent speakers will address the assemblage. The hour of the meeting will be announced on bulletin boards on the campus.

UNDERCLASS MAT SCRAP TOMORROW

Sophomores Favored Over Rivals In Annual Match—Teams Are Chosen Following Trials

Gladiators from the Freshman and Sophomore teams will furnish the first wrestling attraction of the year when they meet in the annual Fresh-Soph wrestling scrap tomorrow afternoon on the Army mats at two o'clock. Wrestling fans throughout the college are taking a great deal of interest in the meet in that they are anxious to see the season get started and are doubly anxious to see Coach Detar's products at work in actual combat.

INTERCLASS MEET HELD OFF

The Sophomore team, because of the previous experience of its members, appears to have a slight advantage over the Fresh. The yearlings, however, are not to be underrated. Some of the men who have shown remarkable ability, although in general it might be said that the first year men have not as yet the ability to do their best work from the standing position.

The Sophomore trials were held before the Christmas vacation and at the time the following men earned the right to represent their class in the Fresh-Soph scrap:

- 115 lb. class—Bogar
- 125 lb. class—Hunter
- 135 lb. class—Lesh
- 145 lb. class—Munderville
- 155 lb. class—Davidson
- 175 lb. class—Burden

The Freshman trials were held during the past week. Many of the bouts resulted in draws which had not been wrestled at the time the COLLEGIAN went to press. The Fresh team will be made up as follows:

- 115 lb. class—Lehman or Robinson
- 125 lb. class—Laurie or Allen
- 135 lb. class—Naitz
- 145 lb. class—Black
- 155 lb. class—Parthemer or Pollock
- 175 lb. class—Thomas

Student Council Against Staging Of Underclass Dances On Night of Prom

Feels That Outside Attractions Would Mar Success Of Annual Ball—Shortening Of College Year Proposed By Committee

Disapproval of underclass dances at fraternity houses on the same night as the Junior Prom was expressed in Student Council at its regular meeting last Tuesday evening. The Council felt that any other social functions should not be allowed to distract from the brilliance of the annual Junior Prom and accordingly unanimously voted to discourage all underclass dances on that evening.

LEBANON VALLEY PASSERS OPPOSE VARSITY QUINTET

Veteran Annyville Aggregation May Give Underdeveloped Nittany Five Stiff Battle

Coach Herman Switches Players Frequently In Practice—Is Dissatisfied With Team

Although two opponents on the 1922 basketball card have already been disposed of and the showing of the varsity quintet in these contests was somewhat better than expected, chances of victory over the Lebanon Valley team tomorrow evening are far from brilliant. The Annyville institution is sending up a veteran aggregation, four of its members having played on the team last season, and in addition, the Nittany five suffered a relapse of form this week which caused it to barely hold its own in practice with the second five. Its passing is inaccurate, its teamwork ragged, its guarding weak, and its all-round playing so inadequate that Coach Herman was entirely dissatisfied with the progress made.

From the very beginning of the week, the basketball team began to play the large squad through strenuous work each night, after putting the first and second teams against each other, scrimmaged either of the varsity fives with Killinger's first yearling tossers. On Tuesday night, the first quintet, was given a terrific battle by the Freshmen, winning by only three or four points. (Continued on last page)

PENN STATE MAY HAVE OUTDOOR SKATING RINK

Athletic Association Planning Rink For Old Beaver—Will Fill Long Felt Need

If all plans now contemplated by the Athletic Association materialize this year, Penn State will secure one of the many things that her students have wished for for many years, namely, a place to skate. Located in the mountains, at least four miles from a body of water of any size, the Nittany Institution has been compelled to devote the long winter to indoor sports alone. Latest developments, though, will change all of this in all probability and in one or two years, the Blue and White colors may appear on the ice as well as on the gridiron, track, or mat.

As soon as weather permits, the Athletic Association will select the Old Beaver Field and will attempt to turn the field into a first-class rink. The rink will be built on the edge of the field in order that ice may be retained as long as possible, has already been partitioned to the field and laid down in position and everything has been prepared for the winter. Many things will allow freezing. It is planned to sprinkle the water on by a hose, the ice being laid down layer by layer. In this manner, the water will freeze much more easily and a temporary warm spell will not have such an effect on the rink as it would have otherwise. Two or three big areas will be strung across the field in the air, thus giving brilliant illumination at night.

Interclass hockey will be arranged undoubtedly if the proposed plan is successful and a series of games will be run off this winter. It is easy to make predictions as to the possibility of Penn State being represented by a varsity hockey team but such a step may be taken next year. There is an abundance of good hockey material in school at present and a well balanced aggregation could be selected. An Intercollegiate Hockey League already exists in the east.

PENN STATE CLUB WILL HOLD BIG GET-TOGETHER

The first meeting of The Penn State Club for the new year will be an important one, and will take the form of a general get-together and smoker to be held in the Army at seven-thirty o'clock Saturday evening, January twenty-first.

At this gathering, plans for the further progress of the big non-fraternity organization will be discussed, as well as the enlargement of the non-fraternity sports program, and more particularly the wrestling scheduled for the coming season. Besides the two items above-mentioned, final arrangements for the first of the winter series of dances will be discussed. This first hop is scheduled for the first week-end of February, and it is hoped that it will prove as successful as its predecessors.

PENN STATE WILL TAKE PART IN PRODUCTS SHOW

The State Fair Products Show will be held in Harrisburg on January 24 to 27th and the Agriculture School of Penn State will play an important part in this show as each department will be represented by an exhibit.

FRESHMEN MAY NOW WEAR TOQUES

Frost-bitten ears will be a thing of the past for the Fresh as they may discard the scanty drink and don the more enveloping green toque, according to the ruling passed by Student Council Tuesday evening. Hereafter, the Freshmen may wear the toques from December 1 to March 15. The toques must be devoid of a button and must be worn pulled down over the ears.

DRAMATIC CLUB WILL GIVE POPULAR COMEDY IN AUDITORIUM TONIGHT

Penn State Players Presenting "Nothing But The Truth" for Second Time This Year

In the Auditorium this evening at 8:15 o'clock the Penn State Players will present a rehashing of "Nothing But The Truth" the farce by James Montgomery, which met with a splendid reception when first presented before a Penn State audience last November. The plot of the play is decidedly clever and holds the audience in suspense to the end, while throughout the entire production sparkling humor is constantly vouchsafed to the audience. The story is a comedy about a little bit, but is not possible to tell the truth for twenty-four hours and still keep any friends. It is very cleverly written and is played in real professional fashion by the Penn State Players under the direction of Mr. Arthur C. Cloetingh.

The leads of the play are taken by Mr. Austin Blakeslee and Miss Esther Holmes and they play splendid roles. On their romance centers the plot of the tangle and they carry the sublime and the ridiculous along at the same time with clever ingenuity. The role was just made for Mr. Blakeslee, brilliant, sparkling, witty to the extreme, and under it all, the peaciness which is a quality of the world. Mr. Blakeslee is a pretty good player after the style of Holmes is equally fitted to her part depicting realistically the daughter of a business man who has fallen in love with a man who is not what he is to be attractive.

The parents of "the girl" are played by Mr. Donald Bauder and Miss Lillian McCord, while the two splendid did roles and they are played very well. Mr. Bauder portrays a business man, while Miss Fleming takes the social climber's character. Each member of the cast might be individually singled out for comment so splendid is the entire production. The junior partner of E. M. Roletson (Mr. McCord) is played by Mr. Davidson. He is a friend of the old firm, which is a necessary evil for every firm, is well done by Mr. Winston Romig. The two chorus girls— for this is a real show—are sparklingly realistic when they are played by Miss Gager and Miss Stickman. Miss Kitchener is the role of the potted plant of the summer colony. The old shop, who blissfully are thoroughly adds complications to the plot, is played by Mr. Dan Cretio in a splendid fashion. The maid is played by Miss Hazel Dymond.

The rehashing of the play was brought about by the numerous requests of those who were unable to attend the summer production, and by the requests of the enthusiasts who have seen it first showing and are anxious to see it again. The opportunity is open at all tonight when the curtain rises at eight fifteen.

WIDELY-KNOWN POET SCHEDULED BY Y. M. C. A.

Edgar A. Guest, the poet whose work is read and loved by all Americans, will visit Penn State on January twenty-first as the fifth number of the popular "Y" Entertainment Course. Mr. Guest is the poet of the home of fellowship, of the children, of the common joys and common sorrows of daily life. He speaks to everyday people in everyday language. His is the gospel of humanity and high ideals, his verses swinging off into a chuckle and a smile, and now and then into the right sort of a sigh.

Mr. Guest has spent a good portion of the year 1921 in getting acquainted with the millions of his fellow-citizens who read his daily verse, which is printed every morning in newspapers, magazines, and in thousands of homes and talked and read to one hundred thousand people. This fall and winter, he is making a tour of the east, visiting New England, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Virginia.

Mr. Guest knows how to laugh and how to make others laugh. His verses reflect the joys and sorrows, the pathos and humor of the home, and are sure to strike a responsive chord among the Penn State students who will soon have the opportunity of hearing and getting acquainted with "the poet of the plain people."

TENTATIVE PLANS MADE FOR PLACING "S" ON MT. NITTANY

Colonel Boal Grants Students Permission to Erect Large Emblem on Mountain

REHABS AIDING IN PLAN

The long-talked-of "S" to be placed on Mount Nittany is about to become a reality. Through the generosity of Colonel Boal, the Senior Class and the Rehabilitation Club have found it possible to cooperate in the placing of a giant letter "S" composed of two kinds of trees, on the side of Nittany mountain, and these two organizations have named committees who will work in conjunction with the School of Engineering and the Department of Forestry of the college. The expenses incurred will be defrayed by the Rehabs, while the Senior Class will have charge of the designing and placing of the "S." Professor G. R. Green of the Forestry Department will be in charge of the planting of the trees and will be assisted in his work by the members of the School of Engineering.

Concrete "S" Undesirable
The long and apparently causeless delay in establishing the "S" has been due to the difficulty of obtaining the necessary permission from Colonel Boal who owns the land. His reason for refusal however has been well-founded. Colonel Boal's chief aim in purchasing the tract was to preserve untouched.

NOVICE BOXING MEET OPENS SEASON HERE

Tournament for New Boxers Set For January 28—Various Candidates Improving

Penn State's fight team will see blue and white boxers in action for the first time this season when those out of this sport, who have never appeared will compete in a novice meet in the Army ring on the evening of January twenty-eighth. Conducted under the same regulations as any other boxing contest, this affair should prove some good boxing material, since some of the novice candidates competing in the various weights are showing possibilities and they should be eager to put forth their best efforts, since their showing at this time will greatly foretell their future welfare in the fighting game.

Elimination contests, to determine who shall appear in this meet, will soon be started and Coach Harlow advises that those who contemplate entering shall be on the lookout for notices to be published, announcing the exact dates for the contest. All of these men are well versed in the game, and are capable of putting up strong opposition against any foe.

BIG SPEAKERS LISTED BY HONORARY SOCIETY

Famous Author, Noted Newspaper Representative, and William Jennings Bryan Coming

Penn State students are indeed fortunate in having the opportunity of hearing some of the most prominent men of the world who will deliver lectures from the platform of the Schaub Auditorium during the next two months. Count Ilya Tolstoy, one of the most prominent Russians of the day, heads the list of these men who, four in number, are coming here under the auspices of the Phi Kappa Phi honorary fraternity. The lecture by Count Tolstoy which promises to be especially interesting and instructive, will be delivered in the Auditorium tomorrow night at eight o'clock.

GLEE CLUB TRAVELS TO LOCK HAVEN FOR CONCERT

About forty members of the Glee Club will make a sojourn to Lock Haven tomorrow evening where they will give a concert in the Normal School Auditorium. The concert will be given under the auspices of the Men's Bible Class of the institution. The members of the Glee Club had not been contemplating any trip at this time but the people of Lock Haven, having heard the songsters in previous years, are insistent that they be given the rare treat of hearing them again.

COUNT TOLSTOY WILL TELL PLIGHT OF RUSSIAN NATION

Son of Literary Genius Speaks Here Tomorrow Evening On Subject Of "Russia From The Inside"

If anyone is interested in learning of the strength of Russian Bolshevism, of the intimate conditions of affairs in Europe's great East land, or of the workings of the deposed Imperial Government of the Bear, he should hear the lecture to be given by Count Ilya Tolstoy in Schaub Auditorium, on Saturday night. This Russian nobleman, reformer, lecturer, and famed artist of the pen, is being brought to Penn State by Phi Kappa Phi as one member of the imposing series that will be given throughout the winter months.

FRESH FIVE READY FOR ALTOONA GAME

Yearling Tossers Play Initial Game Tomorrow—Strength Of Opponent Unknown

The Fresh basketball quintet will have its first set of the season tomorrow afternoon when it meets the five from Altoona High on the latter's home floor. In this, their initiation into college basketball, the Fresh will engage in a battle with one of the leading high school teams of the State, and will be forced to give a good account of themselves in order to win the contest. Coach Killinger expects to take seven men with him on this trip, and these men will be picked from the first two teams on the yearling squad.

FRESHMEN IN GOOD SHAPE

The Freshmen basketball team is in excellent shape for the coming season. The team is composed of seven men who have shown remarkable ability in the past. The team is expected to give a good account of itself in its first game against Altoona High on Saturday afternoon.

Count Ilya Succeeds Father

Like the father, each of the thirteen children was given the best education procurable for both French and English. The Count's father was a member of the Russian nobility, and was a member of the Russian nobility. He was a member of the Russian nobility, and was a member of the Russian nobility.

PHILADELPHIA COUNTY CLUB DANCE ON FEBRUARY THIRD

The annual Philadelphia County Club dance which was postponed from December to a later date will be held in the Army on Friday, February third. The committee in charge of the occasion is planning to run a novelty dance and every one attending will be assured a good time.

DEAN OF MINING SCHOOL ATTENDS TORONTO CONFERENCE

Dean E. S. Moore, of the School of Mines, attended the meeting of the American Association for the Advancement of Science held at Toronto, Canada, during the Christmas vacation. As secretary of Section E he had charge of the program on Geology and Geography.