

### SECOND-YEAR MEN WIN TIE-UP SCRAP

#### Underclassmen Show Keen Rivalry in First Class Scrap of Fall Season

### FRESHMEN DEFEATED BY DECISIVE 23-17 SCORE

The traditions of class battles again prevailed when the sophomore and freshman classes met in the annual tie-up scrap. No less than sixty-nine points were finally secured by the sophomore side of the second-year men as compared to the meagre total of forty-five counters accumulated by the verdant freshmen. Despite the difference in score the scrap proved to be a hard and evenly contested battle and many a sophomoric was firmly trussed up before the final heat gave the victory to the older class.

A large turnout of underclassmen for the event gave good proof that class spirit has not suffered at Penn State. Shortly after one o'clock, L. L. Jolley, '23, fired the starting gun and the two lines of battle approached each other from opposite ends of the football field. Warily the two classes closed in. Then in a flash the men hurled themselves together and the battle was on. For five minutes the bitter struggle continued until at the end of the heat, the sophomores had gained an edge on the freshmen with a total of twenty-three points at the seventeen counters garnered by the scorers.

Two more heats were run off, with the second year men steadily increasing their early lead. The freshmen put up a game struggle in the final heat, but sophomore tactics prevailed and victory was denied to the infant class. Undaunted, the freshmen clamored for another heat but the supply of the second-year men had been exhausted and, accordingly, the sophomores were officially proclaimed the victors.

### TEN A. H. SENIORS VISIT BIG LIVESTOCK FARMS

#### Highland and Bonny Leas Farms at Greensburg and Johnstown Included in Trip

Ten seniors from the Department of Animal Husbandry of Penn State, accompanied by Professors E. L. Bentley and M. F. Grimes, recently visited several of the leading livestock farms in the western part of Pennsylvania, where they judged classes of livestock, in preparation for the contests in which Penn State will be represented this winter. From the senior group that made the trip, a team will be selected to take part in the contests at the Toronto Fair, November twenty-first, and the "International" at Chicago, December second.

#### Greensburg First Stop

The first stop was made at the Highland Farms, near Greensburg, the home of Jerome, the Percheron stallion that was grand champion at the Ohio State Fair this year, as well as junior and reserve grand champion at the International in 1921. David K. Fisher, manager of the Highland Farms, gave his entire time to the visiting students, helped to arrange classes of Percherons, Hereford beef cattle and Jersey dairy cattle for judging purposes, and imparted interesting and valuable information regarding the several prize-winning individuals exhibited.

#### Bonny Leas Farm

Bonny Leas Farm at Johnstown, owned by A. R. Hamilton, and far-famed for its Hampshire sheep and Shorthorn beef cattle, afforded the students a second opportunity to view some high class stock. Mr. Hamilton who has given very liberal support to Penn State's two million dollar emergency building fund, royally entertained the boys in his home during the length of their visit, and gave them the run of the grounds. Here, as on the Highland farms the type of animals exhibited supplied an instructive study in pure breeds for the student judges. Hamilton's flock of Hampshires, generally conceded to be the best show herd of this breed in the United States, was especially interesting to the members of the party.

Following are the seniors who made the trip: S. B. Buckley, R. L. Burrus, B. L. Coleman, L. D. Fero, W. F. Heckert, W. E. Hunt, J. L. Kirby, Albert Lent, Jr., C. A. McKinney and W. S. Miller.

#### UNIVERSITY OF OREGON CO-EDS WIN LETTERS

University of Oregon co-eds now receive varsity letters for hiking. The idea is to stimulate them to do more walking and to increase their physical development. Letters are awarded to those having the highest average, and with this as a stimulus the sport is gradually coming into its own.

### ENGINEERING FACULTY HAS HALLOWE'EN PARTY

The members of the faculty of the School of Engineering enjoyed an unusually interesting evening last week when they attended a real old-fashioned Halloween party at the University Club.

The evening was replete with laughter and unrestrained joy, while the brilliant costumes of those present added a great deal of color to the affair. Prizes were awarded for the most original costumes made of commonplace materials.

The evening was spent in contests among which were included the following: apple eating contest, bean race, apple eating contest, kiddie-car race, obstacle race, still race, and golf tournament. Prizes were awarded to the winners of the above contests and the evening ended with refreshments, which were present in great variety.

### STUDENT VOLUNTEERS PLAN DRAMATIC TOUR

#### "Mrs. Mainwaring's Management" Will Be Played in Several Nearby Cities

A number of week-end trips are being planned for the comedy, "Mrs. Mainwaring's Management", that is being staged by the Student Volunteers. John Alkins '24, manager of the show, has been in communication with high schools and churches in Phillipsburg, Clearfield, Tyrone, Dubois, Milton, Sunbury, Williamsport, Lock Haven, and Bellefonte, in an effort to book the play for week-end productions from December first to February first.

This play is not a Y. M. C. A. activity, as was originally announced, but is being staged by the Student Volunteers, in an effort to secure funds for local and foreign relief work. With talent drawn from the Penn State Players and with the coaching of J. Gordon Amend, the play is sure to live up to its possibilities as a laughable farce.

The Student Volunteers is an organization of men and women students who intend to take up missionary work in foreign fields. There is a general understanding on the campus that the Volunteers are held by a binding pledge to go into foreign missionary service. This is not the case, however, for a declaration of ones desire to do so is the only requisite for membership in the organization.

### UNDERCLASSES PREPARE FOR LA CROSSE SCRAP

#### Frosh-Soph Stickwielders Being Coached by Members of Last Year's Varsity

Sophomore and freshman la crosse candidates are being groomed by last year's varsity men for the annual class scrap to be held in the latter part of November. A similar scrap last fall resulted in a decisive victory for the heavier and more experienced second year men.

Eight letter men from last year's squad are coaching the new men. Over forty freshmen have been practicing under the direction of M. H. Gatechell, '24, assisted by C. R. Eisler '23, I. R. Yost '24 and L. C. Hegarty '24. The sophomore squad of about the same number, is being coached by F. A. Coulter '23, J. R. Howe '23, and P. J. Morgan '21. These men are giving the underclassmen valuable training and at the same time are holding regular varsity practice.

Last year's coach, R. H. Jardine, will again return to Penn State at the beginning of the la crosse season. Jardine has played professional la crosse in Canada and with the men from last year's varsity squad and several football players should develop a strong team.

La crosse is a spring sport and for that reason the varsity schedule has not yet been completed. Manager B. E. Watkins '23, is working on a tentative card for the Nittany stick wielders and hopes to announce an interesting list of games within the next few weeks.

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### HORT CLUB ADDRESSED BY PENN STATE GRAD

#### John A. Runk Gives Interesting Discussion on Problems of Peach Growing

At a meeting of the Crab-Apple Club last week, John A. Runk, a graduate of Penn State and now owner of the Warrior Ridge Fruit Farm discussed the commercial fruit growing game with the members of the club. Mr. Runk is growing peaches, apples, and cherries on a commercial basis and his talk, as well as several baskets of Jonathan apples from his farm, were thoroughly enjoyed.

An interesting problem of the fruit grower in Central Pennsylvania, brought out by Mr. Runk, was the destruction of young trees by wild animals. His farm is on the edge of country similar to the farrens and the deer are so numerous that much damage has been done to the young trees. The deer seem to have a peculiar fondness for peach and cherry trees for, in Mr. Runk's experience, the peach orchards have never been harmed.

The next meeting of the club will be held on November sixteenth. Mr. S. L. Smedley, a former Penn State student, will discuss the problems he has encountered on his orchards in Chester County.

### PENN STATE MEN WILL ATTEND "Y" CONVENTION

Penn State will be represented by five delegates from the local association at the Forty-first International Convention of the Young Men's Christian Association, of North America, to be held at Atlantic City from the fourteenth to the nineteenth of this month.

This convention has become an event of growing importance in the past years, and this year will number five thousand delegates or more. The purpose is to aid the work of the nations "Y" association by means of co-operation, and all the benefits of a "get-together", and exchange of ideas and plans are realized by the many associations sending delegates.

The local association will send the following delegates to represent Penn State: Prof. L. L. Foster, chairman of the advisory board; L. S. Adams '23, president of the local association; Wesley Davis '24; Frank L. Olmstead, general secretary.

### REVIEW OF REGIMENT PLANNED FOR PENN DAY

The Military Department has issued the statement that, weather conditions permitting, there will be a regimental review on Holmes Field on Pennsylvania Day at ten o'clock in the morning. The Rehabilitation Club has been asked to witness the review and will form a line with the military staff in back of the reviewing officers.

After the review the regiment will march over in front of Old Main where short and appropriate exercises will be held, which will be in charge of Professor E. D. Walker, who is the Commanding Officer of the local American Legion Organization. The "Rehabs" will form on one side of the college regiments and the State College American Legion men on the other side. If the weather is inclement it is planned to hold the exercises in the Auditorium.

#### TEACHERS' TRAINING COURSE SHORTENED AT COLUMBIA UNIV.

Students at the Teachers' College at the University of Columbia are limited to a two years' course, beginning next year. That is they must take the first two years of this course in some other institution. This step was necessitated by the inability to accommodate the constantly increasing numbers of students applying for admission to this department.

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### AGS HOLD AN IMPROMTU HORSE JUDGING CONTEST

An impromptu horse show took place in a small way on Tuesday morning when the college teams were taken out to be judged for the purpose of eliminating the defective individuals. All the morning classes in Animal Husbandry were present, and the assemblage on the green below the stock pavilion numbered about thirty horses and one hundred and fifty men.

J. M. Vial, extension horse specialist and specialist in Judging Percherons, was present to do the judging and placing of the animals. Considering the number of horses those who selected them did well, and the horses are especially good from the standpoint of size and type and the six best draft horses are animals that the college can be proud of.

### ENTERTAINER GIVES INTERESTING PROGRAM

#### Slate Writing Predicts Grid Victory for Penn State Over Penn—Quartet Makes Record

A small but appreciative audience greeted Byron G. Harlan and his company at their entertainment in the Auditorium last Saturday evening. A very novel and interesting program was presented consisting of music, dialect, jokes, and magic.

The company consists of Mr. Harlan, a well known entertainer, who has made a reputation for himself through his many phonograph records, made by the company of Collins and Harlan; Miss Beth Hamilton, a talented and well-trained violinist; Miss Mable H. Loomis, a really wonderful pianist; and Armstrong, who is truly the "Man of Mystery".

Miss Hamilton played several violin solos in a faultless manner, and was followed by Miss Loomis who rendered several soprano selections which were commendable in every way. Armstrong, the "Man of Mystery" followed with a novel and very mystifying program of magic, sleight-of-hand, mind reading, and "spirit" slate writing, aided by the services of two small boys and numerous loans of articles from the audience.

Among the interesting occurrences of his entertainment was the slate writing. In answer to the written question, "Will Penn State beat Penn in football?" the "spirit" wrote, "Penn State will beat Penn in Football". In addition to quoting Bible verses.

Byron G. Harlan followed with a number of songs and jokes, including his famous "Cousin Curious" songs. He carries a phonograph reproducer with him, and for the benefit of the audience made a record and then played it for them.

A novel feature of the program was the appearance of the Varsity Quartette, who also made a record and played it for the audience besides singing several other songs.

The entertainment was under the joint auspices of a joint committee on Student Fellowship for Christian Life Services of the Penn State Y. M. C. A. The proceeds of the entertainment have been given over to the Girls' Endowment Fund for Penn State.

#### N. Y. C. FRESHMEN MAY LIVE IN FRAT HOUSES

The faculty of the New York University has given permission to fraternities to allow freshmen to reside in their respective fraternity houses. Previously, there was a rule barring freshmen from fraternity houses until a term's work had been completed. This new ruling will alleviate, to some extent, the crowded condition of the dormitories.

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### GRADS ASSIST COLLEGE TO SECURE APPARATUS

#### Harley L. Swift '14 and H. C. Woodward '08 Instrumental in Obtaining Gifts

The Ross Manufacturing Company, of Pittsburgh, through Mr. Arthur Ross, President, has presented to the college for the Mechanical Engineering Laboratory, a Fisher Trap and a Fisher Pump Governor. The governor is of the high pressure type and regulates the delivery line to which it is connected by a small pipe through which the pressure is transmitted to the governor. As this pressure reaches the pre-determined point the governor acts to cut off the supply of steam and as soon as the pressure drops the governor again supplies the necessary steam for the starting and running of the pump thus keeping a proper supply of water at the pressure needed.

The college is indebted to Mr. Harley L. Swift '14 Field Engineer, American Window Glass Company, who is a graduate of the Mechanical Engineering Department for securing this valuable equipment, which will be on exhibition Pennsylvania Day.

Muljet Condenser Schutte and Koerting Company of Philadelphia recently presented a complete Muljet Condenser for the Mechanical Laboratory. This apparatus has been received and will be installed to connect with the exhaust from three engines. It will be used for regular laboratory tests and for special investigations.

The same company also presented a section model of one of their latest type injectors. Both of the above gifts were suggested by H. C. Woodward '08, who also graduated from the Mechanical Engineering Department, and who is now Assistant Engineer for Schutte and Koerting Company. He followed his special construction through the shops of the company and arranged for its shipment to State College.

#### ALICE-SIT-BY-THE-FIRE MAKES HIT AT OREGON

James M. Barrie's three act comedy, "Alice-Sit-By-The-Fire", which will be presented by the Penn State Players this month, was produced recently at the University of Oregon with remarkable success.

#### LEHIGH EXPECTS TO HAVE WINNING LA CROSSE TEAM

With six letter men from last year's team as a nucleus and sixty new candidates, Lehigh expects to have a championship lacrosse team on the field this season. Considerable interest is being manifested in the sport, and the student body intends to give it whole hearted support.

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### FARM MANAGEMENT TRIP IS HIGHLY SUCCESSFUL

The farm management trip taken on two consecutive days of last week, by students of Agricultural Education was highly successful in its results. Each farmer, a specialist in his own line, talked to the class in a very effective way telling his personal experience. All the farmers interviewed were practical "dirt" farmers who depend upon the income from their farms as a means of support. It is the intention of the department to keep way from the ideal and impractical farms and show the common average of successful farms.

The success of these men can be correlated with the type of stock they keep. The classes had the opportunity of seeing hens whose production is over three hundred eggs per year, registered Shropshire sheep, Guernsey cows, Berkshire, Duroc and Hampshire hogs. The biggest commercial fruit farm in central Pennsylvania was visited. This, the Warrior Ridge Fruit Farm, now has one hundred and twenty-five acres, and the goal of the owner is two hundred and twenty-five. The capitalization is now about one hundred thousand dollars.

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### RACKETMEN COMPLETE TENNIS TOURNAMENT

#### Calibre of Candidates Indicates Better Varsity Squad; Frosh Show Promise

With the play off of the remaining matches in the third round of the Varsity tennis tournament scheduled for the near future the regular squad to represent the college next year will be definitely decided. The inclement weather generally encountered in the spring made it necessary to play off the elimination matches this fall, in order that the squad may get down to real work as soon as the last frost leaves the courts. In spite of the heavy toll taken by graduation on the veteran material of last year's squad the calibre of the players indicates that a better combination will be on hand to represent Penn State on the courts with the opening of the season. Next spring's prospects are up to expectations in brilliant play and will be well drilled in the fundamentals of team work, since the early reduction of the field will render a more widely squad for Coach Myers to work with.

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Nissley and Reed of last year's frosh squad were also present at the finish. Gillen who was defeated in last year's trials, and Fatzinger complete the list of candidates to make the squad to date. Beard, who captained last year's Freshman combination was unexpectedly eliminated in the first round by Flke, who lost out to Fatzinger in the succeeding round.

Coach Myers is planning light workouts on the basketball floor and the indoor track to keep the members of the squad in good physical trim over the winter. Upon the approach of spring the indoor court will be laid out on the Armory floor to enable the netmen to get up to form on stroke and service so that the utmost advantage can be taken of the early days of outdoor practice.

The increased interest in tennis effected by the completion of the new courts has brought the enrollment in the tennis classes of the student athletic program to almost three hundred and fifty, an increase of two hundred per cent. Corresponding to the general rise in popularity is the interest shown by the freshmen in the net game. The tournament arranged to being to light the new material among the first year men will be near enough to completion to permit the selection of a squad before Thanksgiving, and already some likely prospects have been unearthed. Cotton and Malpas have shown the most promise form and play to date. Both are racy fellows covering the court well without the appearance of exertion and show considerable aptitude at singles play. Cotton is ranked as possessing the best serve in college and in all around play requiring skill and technique in handling the racquet gives evidence of a high degree of ability.

The schedule being arranged for the 1922 season will include more home matches than previously presented. Although no definite order of contests has been decided upon, Penn State's part in the intercollegiate match play will be in keeping with the strides of progress made in the other departments of the court game at this institution in the past year.

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