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'BEZ' ANTICIPATES HARD GAME WITH PITT NEXT WEEK

Penn State Coaches Are Rounding Nittany Machine into Shape for Annual Tussle

BOTH ELEVENS REPORTED IN GOOD PHYSICAL TRIM

Pitt Has Gone Through Difficult Season—Team Is Hitting Best Stride at Present

With the last game of the 1922 football season, the big annual Turkey Day clash with Pitt on Forbes Field, looming up as the hardest contest of the year for Penn State's gridiron warriors, Coach Bezek and his assistants are busily grooming the Nittany Lion for a gruelling tussle with the Panther when these two teams of the Jungle take the field of battle next Thursday afternoon.

While the Thanksgiving Day game will bring the regular season to a close for both Penn State and Pitt, it will not make the end of hostilities for either team as the Panthers are slated to go to San Francisco to meet Lehigh Stanford in the latter's big stadium on December thirtieth, while the Nittany Lions will probably be in western territory at the same time, although an opponent for Penn State in the post-season game has not yet been decided upon.

A terrific battle is looked for on Forbes Field next week. The Warriors have gone through a hard season thus far, having nothing easy since their opening encounter with the University of Cincinnati. The chief task which the Pitt coaches face at present is to keep the men keyed up to the proper pitch—something it is not easy to do. The excellent showing made by the Panthers in the W. and J. tangle last Saturday indicates that they are primed to the utmost. No grid team has ever been known to go through a full season without a letdown at some stage, and Warner is working with light and main in order to keep his charges from slowing up on the eve of the Thanksgiving fracas.

In view of the fact that Pitt has never failed to put additional fight into the annual fray with Penn State, Coach Bezek is anticipating the hardest game of the entire season next Thursday. The next ten days rest period before facing Warner's progress gives the Nittany coaches an opportunity to round the Penn State machine into form. The grid mentor ordered a complete day of rest on Monday last Saturday. On Tuesday, however, the men returned to the daily grind and since then have been putting in some strenuous work.

Numerous plays of intricate and tricky character are being devised which will test the reported strength of the Panther. In addition to creating new plays, "Bez" has attempted to speed up the Nittany offense and bolster the defense with a view toward causing as much trouble as possible for the Pitt outfit.

The Nittany team, as a whole, is in good physical condition. "Dutch" Bezek is rapidly recovering from the injury he received in last Saturday's game and may be counted upon to display his usual fine brand of football in the Thanksgiving clash. Other members of the squad are suffering from minor injuries, but none of them are of serious enough nature to prevent the men from entering the Pitt game if they are needed. No material changes have occurred in the Penn State line-up this week, and it is doubtful if any will take place before next Thursday. Every man on the first team is playing a fine brand of football and is doing his best to improve the team as a whole, as the gridlers are just as eager to "put one over" on the Warriors as any of their admirers are to see them do it.

ENGINEERING STUDENTS DANCE TOMORROW NIGHT

The Industrial Engineering Society will hold its annual dance tomorrow night, from eight until twelve, at the Pal Delta Theta house. The members of the Industrial Engineering Department, and their wives, will be the patrons and patronesses. Talbot's orchestra has been secured for the dance.

On the Gridiron

- Navy vs. Harvard
- Navy vs. West Point
- Lafayette vs. Lehigh
- Bohannon vs. Rutgers
- Dartmouth vs. Brown
- Dickinson vs. Delaware
- Searchmore vs. Haverford
- P. M. C. vs. W. Maryland
- Muhlenburg vs. Fordham
- Gettysburg vs. Lebanon Valley
- W. and J. vs. Detroit

MASS MEETING TUESDAY NIGHT

A football mass meeting will be held on Tuesday night in the Auditorium. All the coaches and the team will be there. This is the last public appearance of the grid men in State College before they leave for Pittsburgh. Something new is scheduled for the occasion. Everybody out for a rousing send off!

AUTOMOBILE MEN WILL AID CAMPAIGN

Pennsylvania Automotive Association Pledge Support to Development Plan

NON-ALUMNI SUPPORTERS INCREASING IN NUMBERS

Thus far, this week has been a very good one in the emergency building fund campaign. The steady stream of subscriptions has been continuing, the receipts at campaign headquarters varying from four to seventeen thousand dollars a day. Monday was the second best since the days of the student campaign when pledges totaling \$17,642 passed over the desk of Professor A. H. Espenshade, now vice-director of the campaign. The previous record for one day's mail was over \$34,000. No official report on the fund total has been made since Monday when \$761,347.43 was recorded.

President Thomas received great support and encouragement on Tuesday, when he addressed the convention of the Pennsylvania Automotive Association, a group of automobile men. They passed resolutions supporting the Penn State development plan and started a subscription for the fund in the light of the great service which Penn State renders the industries of the state.

More non-alumni are supporting the Penn State drive every day. Faculty campaign field workers are turning in favorable reports every day, and it is noted that people who have never been attached to the college are among the most generous supporters of the drive. In many counties the alumni are beginning to get more active than ever before, and a steady increase in the fund is expected from this time on.

The campaign has been featured in the past few days by Sullivan county going over the top with its quota, the third county to complete its drive. Columbia and Adams are the only other counties that have raised their quotas to date. In all of these counties they are still gathering subscriptions. Columbia and Sullivan are now about twenty per cent over-subscribed, and the good work is continuing.

There were eighty-eight members of the "Penn State \$1000 Club" in a report given yesterday from campaign headquarters. This "club" is composed of men or organizations who have pledged \$1000 or more to the fund. Three of these have pledged \$15,000 each and two others \$10,000 each. There are two for \$5000 and six for \$3000. Membership in this "club" has been increasing rapidly during the past few weeks.

The latest member to join this "club" is F. A. Dalburg '06, whose \$1500 pledge arrived yesterday from Maracalbo, Venezuela, where he is connected with the Standard Oil Company.

A former faculty member of Penn State to whom Professor Espenshade last week sent some of the campaign publicity material, responded yesterday with a check for \$100, indicative of the favorable light in which Penn State is held by non-alumni. Part of the letter follows:

"Although not an alumnus of Penn State my several years' connection with the college and experiment station generated in me an attachment for the Old Centre County institution, which is only second to that for my own Alma Mater. I take pleasure, therefore, in enclosing a check for \$100 as my contribution to the Penn State College emergency building fund."

OFFICERS ARE ELECTED FOR FROSH 'Y' CABINET

The permanent officers for the freshman Y. M. C. A. Cabinet were elected on the evening of Wednesday, November sixteenth, at the University Club. Temporary officers have been in charge of the affairs of the cabinet for some time, and considerable success is being attained by the members of the new organization.

The officers elected were as follows: President, D. D. Henry '26; Vice-President, J. H. Dunlap '26; Secretary, C. D. Seaman '26; Treasurer, G. L. Guy '26. Plans were also made for the three parties that were held under the auspices of the cabinet last Friday night. These parties are the beginning of a series of parties to be given throughout the year. In this work the freshman cabinet is cooperating with the senior cabinet. These parties are chiefly for those interested in "Y" work and serve as a means of the men's getting better acquainted with each other.

NITTANY HARRIERS OUT FOR ANNUAL INTERCOLLEGIATES

Fourteenth Varsity and Third Annual Frosh Cross Country Takes Place Monday

PENN STATE RUNNERS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Eighteen Colleges and Universities Will Be Represented at Van Courtland Park

The Penn State varsity and freshman cross country squads are now prepared to enter the Intercollegiate to be held at New York next Monday, November twenty-seventh. This is the fourteenth annual varsity and the third annual freshman cross country run of the Intercollegiate Association of Amateur Athletes of America and will be held over the Van Courtland Park Course. Captain Enck '24, Horton '25, Decker '24, Fitzpatrick '24, Wendler '24, Yeager '25, and Kreiter '23 will represent the Lion as the varsity team, while the yearlings will be represented by Captain Shipley, Chandre, Guyer, Batchelor, O'Leary, Arm, and Barclay. It will be noted that seven men comprise a team while five will be counted at the finish.

Well Balanced Teams

Both of the teams that Penn State is sending to the intercollegiate are well balanced, with the possible exception of Shipley, captain of the yearlings. (Continued on last page)

WRESTLING SEASON OPEN FEBRUARY TENTH

Columbia, Lehigh, Penn, Syracuse, Navy, Cornell, Iowa State and Intercollegiates Scheduled

The Penn State wrestlers will face a hard schedule this year when they meet seven of the most formidable college and university teams of the country. The season is scheduled to begin with a meet at home on February tenth and to continue until March thirtieth when the team will journey to Iowa State.

Columbia heads the list as the first opponent against whom the Penn State wrestlers will combat this year on February tenth. This engagement is a tentative one, and may be scheduled a little later or earlier in the season. In any event, the other seven matches, including the Intercollegiate at Ithaca on March twenty-third and fourth, will appear as they are now scheduled.

Lehigh will journey to Penn State after the match with Columbia. The tables will be reversed at the next contest when the Penn State grapplers will meet the Navy matmen at Annapolis on February twenty-fourth.

March the third will find Penn's strong array within Nittany territory, Cornell, the host of the 1923 Intercollegiate, will be invaded on March the tenth; while one week later, on March the seventeenth, another group of New York State wrestlers will journey to Penn State in the personage of Syracuse University's contenders.

The Intercollegiate are next on the card, to be followed by a distant trip to Ames, Iowa, where the Penn State team will meet the Iowa State delegation.

Cornell took first place in the 1922 Intercollegiate with Penn State a close second. Out of the seven matches which are scheduled for the 1923 season, Lehigh, Cornell and Navy, were met last year and the Nittany team succeeded in defeating all but the Navy.

The varsity wrestling practice is to start immediately after Thanksgiving, and will be conducted upon a basis similar to last year, that is, candidates are to report in uniform at five-thirty every evening.

Soph-Frosh Scrap

With a host of freshmen material available from which to pick a team to represent that class in the annual sophomore-freshman class scrap on December ninth, Coach D. D. Detar is busily engaged trying to locate second year men to fill the vacancies in the sophomore division.

The greatest difficulty lies in the inability to find men to fill the one hundred and seventy-five pound and heavy-weight berths. It is essential that these men be obtained as soon as possible as the trials for the scrap will take place on December fourth to sixth inclusive.

Among the frosh who are now showing promise of being available for the scrap are F. W. Sands and C. H. Seeling in the 125 pound class. Hoffman, a 135 pounder is also making rapid strides toward securing a berth. Dowd, another freshman, in the 145 pound division, and McCool who tips the beam at 158 pounds are maintaining their positions in these respective weights. Over twenty frosh are constantly working out on the mats, and the indications are that some very promising (Continued on last page)

Composer of Note



CHARLES CADMAN

MUSICAL ARTISTS HERE TOMORROW

Charles Wakefield Cadman and Tsianina to Present All-American Concert

PROGRAM SCHEDULED TO BEGIN AT 8:00 O'CLOCK

Charles Wakefield Cadman, the well-known American composer of "From the Land of the Sky-Blue Water" and "At Dawning", will appear in the Auditorium tomorrow evening at eight o'clock under the joint auspices of the Y. M. C. A. and the Department of Music Entertainment Course. To the thousands all over America who admire the work of this popular song writer and Princess Tsianina, the Indian Singer who will appear with him, these two artists will need no introduction, as their names have been identified with a big movement for American opera and chamber music for a number of years.

Although Cadman is best known to the general public for his songs and ballads, he nevertheless stands high in general composition and has written in every form, from teaching pieces for children to operas and symphonies. His latest opera, "A Witch of Salem", based on the New England historical episode of 1692, will be produced in New York in the near future, and is expected to have as successful a run as "Shanewis" enjoyed for two consecutive seasons.

In addition to these operas, Cadman has been widely represented by his choral compositions, "The Sunset Trail", "The Morning of the Year", and "The Vision of Sir Launfal". At the present time, this composer has more than three hundred published works to his credit. Cadman is more fortunate than most composers in that it is possible for him to adequately present his own compositions in concert. He has a vigorous style and a technique suited to his own piano numbers and songs, and, according to the critics, a convincing and colorful tone-production.

His latest orchestral work "Thunderbird Suite" consisting of five numbers has just recently been issued by Boosey and Company, his London publishers, and is already scheduled for performance. (Continued on last page)

ENGINEERS WILL FORM ACTIVITIES COMMITTEE

Wish to Affiliate With the National Association of Collegiate Engineers

Well pleased with the success of the exhibit on Pennsylvania Day, the engineers are now instituting a movement for the formation of an organization of all engineers which will carry on from year to year and take charge of such activities as the recent exhibit.

At a meeting Wednesday evening of representatives of each of the engineering departments, the committee in charge of working up preliminary plans for the formation of this organization, reported that plans were progressing favorably and that they were in touch with the National Association of Collegiate Engineers with the view of affiliating with them.

This organization is similar in form to that in other Engineering Schools, a tentative program for which is soon to be submitted to a meeting of the heads of the engineering departments. The National Association of Collegiate Engineers has chapters in a large number of engineering schools, each local chapter having as its aim the fostering of a spirit to advance the school and its engineers by promoting such activities as tend to broaden the engineering student. The purpose is in accordance with the desires of the engineering students at this time, and will undoubtedly be of great benefit to the carrying out of such activities as are put on from time to time in the normal course of the college year. (Continued on last page)

'BEZ' HESITATES TO ACCEPT OFFER TO COACH PHILLIES

Nittany Mentor Still Undecided After Interview With Baker Last Friday Afternoon

GRANTED EXTENTION UNTIL DECEMBER 12

Professional Baseball World Makes Tempting Offers But Bezek Refuses to Answer

Despite the tempting offers which William F. Baker, president of the Philadelphia Nationals, has repeatedly made to Hugo Bezek for managing the Phillies for the next three years, the Nittany mentor was still undecided after a conference with the big league president last Friday afternoon.

Complying with an urgent invitation from President Baker, "Bez" consented to call upon him while he was in Philadelphia last week-end with the team and the baseball world fully expected to hear of some agreement being reached at that meeting. But, while "Bez" was admittedly pleased and satisfied with the offers which the Phillies made him at that time, he still refuses to commit himself one way or the other until after the close of the football season.

For that reason, President Baker has given "Bez" an extension of time until December twelfth, when the scheduled football season will have ended and the Penn State head coach will have (Continued on last page)

'ALICE-SIT-BY-THE-FIRE' TO BE STAGED TONIGHT

James M. Barrie's Popular Comedy Will Be Interpreted by Star Cast of Players

Tonight in the Auditorium at eight-fifteen the curtain will rise on the first super Player production of the season, "Alice-Sit-By-The-Fire". The very popular comedy by Sir James M. Barrie, the play was secured after much trouble in obtaining an amateur release and nothing has been spared in giving it a real touch of professionalism. The characters in the various roles are interpreted by:

- Colonel Gray.....C. J. O'Donnel '24
- Mrs. Grey.....Mary Butcher '26
- Amy Grey.....Ruthanna Sharpless '23
- Commo Grey.....B. B. Kahan '23
- Hughes Roll.....Austin Blakeslee '23
- Nurse.....Mary Ferguson '24
- Lenora Dunbar Henrietta Stickman '25
- Richardson.....Miriam Ray '26
- Annie.....Josephine Cronner '26

Mr. A. C. Cloetingh, the director, has been very fortunate in securing such a thoroughly able cast. Never before have the minors of a play been carried by such strong players. The leads of the play, O'Donnel and Miss Butcher, have fallen readily into the whimsical spirit of the lines, and their interpretation is eagerly executed.

The roles of the Colonel and Alice, which are so delightfully depicted, are presented after a fashion which is very true to life. The secondary roles of Holo and Amy furnish exceptionally strong backing for the leads. These characters are portrayed by Austin Blakeslee and Miss Ruthanna Sharpless in a manner that is commendable to all in admirably, resulting in one of the best performances that has ever been presented in the Auditorium.

Y. M. C. A. IS REPRESENTED AT ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Resolution Passed Endorsing Prohibition Without Reservations at Forty-First Gathering

At the forty-first Annual International General Conference of the Y. M. C. A., held in Atlantic City, New Jersey, last week, Penn State was represented by Frank I. Olmstead, E. R. Tomb '23, W. E. Davies '24 and H. E. Folkard '25. Nearly three thousand delegates, representing associations in every state in the Union, every province of Canada and many foreign countries, attended the conference.

Among the important results of the convention was the establishment of a new purpose basis for Y. M. C. A. chapters, legalizing a basis for active voting membership in the associations, a resolution similar to one adopted by the local association last year. A ruling was passed permitting controlling boards of associations to have ten per cent of the members men who are not members of evangelical churches. (Continued on last page)

OPEN FOOTBALL PRACTICE TUESDAY

Coach Bezek announces that there will be an open varsity football practice before the Pitt game. All students are asked to be on New Beaver after the last hour on that afternoon.

FROSH-SOPH SAND SCRAP TOMORROW

Bags Containing Sand and Placed at Midfield Will Be Contested by the Underclassmen

BATTLE ON OLD BEAVER AT ONE-THIRTY O'CLOCK

Old Beaver Field will be the scene of the first annual Sophomore-Freshman Sand Scrap tomorrow afternoon at one-thirty. This scrap has been substituted for the Push-Ball Scrap which was eliminated because of the inability to obtain a bladder for the ball. This new sand scrap will continue to be an annual event until the push-ball is again replaced in a serviceable condition.

Following a committee meeting last Tuesday evening the details of the scrap were made known, and are to be conducted as follows:

Twenty cement bags will be filled with dirt and sand and placed on the fifty yard line of Old Beaver Field. Sophomores and freshmen will be partitioned into two groups of fifty each and take their stations at either end of the gridiron. At a given signal these groups will rush to mid-field and endeavor to carry the bags to their respective goal lines.

At the end of a five minute period a shotgun will announce the close of the first heat and will summon the participants from the field. Records will then proceed to take tally of the yardage gained by both sides. For every five yards gained in advancing a bag toward their original goal line that side will be credited with one point. If a bag lies within the fifty and forty-five yard lines it is to constitute one (1) point in the final tally.

The boundary lines will be the same as now exist on the regular football gridiron, and all bags lying out-of-bounds will not be counted. There will be as many heats run off as there are sophomores present to constitute a team of fifty men. It is the desire of the committee, however, to run at least three heats.

No member will be permitted to enter the scrap if he is not properly equipped with tennis shoes, and all are urged to be on hand at one o'clock sharp.

L. A. LECTURE COURSE PROGRAM COMPLETED

Eleven Interesting Numbers Will Be Presented in Old Chapel on Tuesday Evenings

The program for the thirteenth annual Liberal Arts Lecture Course has been completed by the committee which is composed of Dr. B. V. Moore, Chairman, Mr. C. C. Wagner, and Professor T. J. Gates. The Liberal Arts Free Lecture Course is a well known series of semi-popular lectures given each winter by members of the faculty. It is sponsored primarily by the School of Liberal Arts, but members of the faculty in other schools are also asked to lecture. An effort is being made to have a variety of subjects such that everyone will be interested in at least some of them.

The lectures are given in Old Chapel on Tuesday evenings at seven o'clock. They close promptly at eight so that they do not interfere with other plans for the evening. The entire program for this academic year follows:

- Jan. 9—Daniel Webster
- Dr. E. E. Sparks
- Jan. 16—George Sand
- Dean Margaret A. Knight
- Feb. 6—The Use We Have Made of Our Forests (Illustrated)
- Professor J. A. Ferguson
- Feb. 13—American Humor
- Professor F. L. Pattee
- Feb. 20—Snapshots in Spain (Illustrated)
- Professor W. K. Jones
- Feb. 27—A Budget System for Pennsylvania
- Dr. Jacob Tanager
- Mar. 6—Present Day Tendencies in the Theater
- Professor A. C. Cloetingh
- Mar. 13—Experimental Evidence for and against the Variation of Mass in a Moving Body
- Dr. W. R. Ham
- Mar. 20—The Response of Philosophy to Einstein
- Dr. R. H. Dotterer
- Mar. 27—What Do You Want to Know about Radio? (Demonstration)
- Dr. E. C. Woodruff
- Apr. 10—Research
- Dean E. A. Holbrook

THIRTY-THREE HUNDRED STUDENTS WANT 'BEZ' TO STAY WITH THEM

HARD BASKETBALL CARD COMPLETED FOR 1922 SEASON

Syracuse and Cornell New Opposition on Penn State Schedule—Fourteen Games Arranged

DAILY PRACTICE WITH LARGE SQUAD STARTED

"Hinkey" Haines to Coach Freshman Candidates—Call Will Be Made After Christmas recess

With the completion of one of the most difficult basket ball schedules in the Blue and White annals, Coach Hermann with a squad of nearly thirty men is preparing for the coming season under conditions which at present seem very bright for the successful outcome of the winter sport. The schedule for the 1922-23 season comprises fourteen contests, nine of which are to be played in the Armory.

Several new opponents are arranged for on the card who were not met by the Nittany five last year, including such teams as Syracuse, Carnegie Tech., Dickinson, Cornell, and Swarthmore. These teams in addition to those who have always proved to be the strongest opposition in the past seasons, make the present schedule one which will test the utmost skill and endurance of the Blue and White quintet and to come through with the loss of one or two contests could be considered a successful season.

The completed schedule is as follows: Dec. 14—Juniata, at home; Jan. 6—Syracuse, at home; Jan. 13—Carnegie Tech., at home; Jan. 20—Bethany, at home; Jan. 27—Lebanon Valley, at home; Feb. 3—Carnegie Tech., at Pittsburgh; Feb. 7—Penn., at Philadelphia; Feb. 9—Dickinson, at home; Feb. 17—Pitt, at home; Feb. 21—Pitt, at Pittsburgh; Feb. 22—Cornell, at Ithaca; Feb. 23—Swarthmore, at Syracuse; Mar. 3—Swarthmore, at home; Mar. 10—Alumni, at home

Outlook Bright

Beginning yesterday afternoon, Coach Hermann has started daily practice with his large squad of candidates in preparation for the initial clash which is now less than three weeks away. The number of candidates offers "Dutch" a good opportunity to pick valuable material from the several teams which are constantly scrimmaging. With such a dependable nucleus of four veterans as is now on hand, Hermann should have little difficulty in building a smooth working combination by the time of the first game next month. While last season's stars, Captain Koehler, Reid, Shair, and Loeffler are a sure foundation for the team during the coming season their positions will be closely contested by several members of last year's freshman squad who came through their schedule without a defeat in a commendable manner.

Haines to Coach Frosh

"Hinkey" Haines, who during the football season has been aiding Coach Bezek with the gridiron warriors, is now working with Coach Hermann until the freshman basket ball season is opened. Sometime after the Christmas holidays, the frosh tossers will be called out and will be coached by Haines.

FRED B. SMITH IS COMING TUESDAY

Leader in American Industry and Religion Speaks Here on the World Situation

IS ONE OF AMERICA'S FOREMOST SPEAKERS

"The man who hits an audience as hard as Harry Wilson hits the line" is a description which has been given to Fred B. Smith who speaks at Penn State next Tuesday evening in the Auditorium following the mass meeting.

This leader in industry and religion has probably spoken to more people than any other lecturer, not excluding W. J. Bryan and "Billy" Sunday. Smith, with the limbs, neck and shoulders of a prize fighter and a chest big enough to house a turbine engine, has never failed to attract capacity audiences. He is greeted enthusiastically in all parts of the globe and he has never been known to fail in winning over his hearers instantly.

Two positions of highest responsibility are held by Fred B. Smith. In business he is Assistant to the President of the H. W. Johns-Manville Co., and in religion he is chairman of the commission on churches of the Federal Council of Churches of America. Firmly believing that business and religion go hand in hand and being so valuable in both fields he devotes three days of the week to business and four to religion. (Continued on fourth page)

DON'T FAIL TO HEAR FRED B. SMITH TUESDAY NIGHT