

### DR. METZGER GIVES AID TO STUDENTS

New Chaplain Gives Counsel on Problems Presented Him by Young Men and Women

### IS ALSO ACTIVE IN WORK OUTSIDE OF PENN STATE

Being enthused with his newly created office of chaplain at Penn State is a mild way of expressing Dr. Fraser Metzger's attitude toward the work which is occupying most of his time and attention. During the short period of the time that he has been connected with the college he has had opportunity to get a bird's eye view of the possibilities that are open for development in his particular line of work.

Dr. Metzger recently said that he fully appreciates the wholehearted spirit of cooperation which has been extended him everywhere on the Penn State campus and further intimated that it could only be through such a medium that he could hope to perform his work to the satisfaction of both the college and himself. Some idea of the degree of interest which the new chaplain shows in connection with his work is made manifest by the number of invitations that he has already received requesting his presence at various student and faculty functions. He has been called upon to speak at student gatherings not less than three times a week since he has been here.

Office Opened  
An office was opened for Dr. Metzger in room 282 Old Main last week, and to him many students have come for advice and counsel on questions pertaining to their college life. His real service to Penn State will be accomplished in this work. Advice which is helpful and beneficial is most kindly offered by Fraser Metzger, the man, when young men and women walk into his office with personal or general problems that require someone with a wide range of experience to solve.

Activities which are centered outside of State College also command the attention of the new chaplain. Penn State's part in the plan to establish a school of instruction at the Rockwell Penitentiary are being aided by the efforts of Dr. Metzger. The welfare work which he has already begun at that institution is appreciated by its officers.

To Aid Convict  
An example of what may develop from the Rev. Fraser Metzger's work in outside activities is apparent from the fact that one of the inmates of the Penitentiary has expressed a desire to become actively engaged in the ministry. Ready to give this man every opportunity to "make good," Dr. Metzger made a trip to the penitentiary this week to interview him.

Speaking favorably of the attitude shown by the students at the Sunday chapel services, Dr. Metzger said, "So far as one can judge from the platform the interest and attention of the students at Chapel is all that could be desired."

### DEGREES ARE CONFERRED BY PENN STATE GRANGE

Fifty Members Are Raised to Fifth Degree—Additional Work Will Be Staged at Pittsburgh

At a meeting of the Penn State Grange on Tuesday evening, October thirtieth, fifty students and residents of the near-by community had the Fifth Degree conferred on them by the Penn State Master, Mr. Grove of Spring Mills. The Sixth Degree will be conferred in the Motor Square Garden, Pittsburgh, on Thursday afternoon, November fifteenth, and on the same evening the Golden Jubilee program of the State Grange will be given. On Friday, November sixteenth, the National Grange will confer the Seventh Degree in the Motor Square Garden at two o'clock in the afternoon and at seven-thirty in the evening. On Wednesday evening the State Grange will give a banquet to the National Grange.

All students desiring excuses for absence to attend the National Grange meeting at Pittsburgh will leave their names at the office of W. E. Gordon in the Rural Life department as soon as possible. Identification convention tickets to secure special railroad rates of fare and half fare for a round trip should see Master of the Penn State Grange, E. A. M. Saphore '24 immediately.

The election of the officers of the Penn State Grange will take place at the regular meeting on November sixth.

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### LE CERCLE FRANCAIS ACTIVE IN PREPARING PLANS FOR THE YEAR

Le Cercle Francais under the direction of Mr. Robin and Mr. Mezzotero is making progressive strides in its organization. At a meeting of the officers last Tuesday a constitution was drawn up and discussed.

Plans are under way to give several French plays during the semester. A lecture on Paris by Mr. Robin accompanied by slides of views of Paris is scheduled for November fourteenth. The club has started this year with a promising number and all students taking French or who have had one year of French, are eligible to membership. Le Cercle Francais aims to give a French atmosphere to the class room and teach the students the beauty and pronunciation of the language.

Further notice of the activities of the club will appear on the various bulletin boards and in later issues of the COLLEGIAN.

### "Y" TO SEND DELEGATES TO INDIANA CONVENTION

Conference To Be Held by Student Volunteers at Indianapolis in December

Plans are being made by the Y. M. C. A. in conjunction with the student volunteers to send several delegates to the ninth international convention of the Student Volunteer Movement which will be held in Indianapolis from December twenty-eighth to January first.

The purpose of the convention is to present the needs of the world, social, political, industrial and religious, to the students of America and to present the foreign missionary enterprise in the light of its achievements and possibilities as an indispensable means of solving these problems.

The speakers of the convention will be men and women who are recognized as authorities in their respective fields. The convention will be opened with four great themes which are being discussed in the colleges throughout the country this fall, "Modern Industrialism," "Racial Relations and Christian Brotherhood," "International Problems and the Christian Way of Life," and "Present Day Social and Intellectual Unrest."

The remainder of the convention will be given over to discussion and a more detailed study of the conditions in various parts of the world. A study of the full meaning of Christianity will be made; its message and ministry to the world, and a survey of the field of Christian service both in connection with organized Christianity and in consular diplomatic and professional fields.

### GIRLS' HALLOWEEN PARTY IS STAGED IN MAC HALL

There were strange things seen in Mac Hall dining room last night when the annual Halloween celebration was held. It has long been the custom for each table to carry out some decorative and masking scheme, and this was excellently done. The old folklore, represented by the "Old Woman Who Lived in a Shoe," blended with the thoroughly modern and matter-of-fact group who broadcasted radio messages.

Mention must be made of the erring freshmen who paraded around the dining room between courses. There were wedding parties, ghosts, witches and other familiar figures. The prize, a box of chocolates, presented by Director Grant was awarded to the "Wooden Soldiers," who were cleverly and artistically dressed, and showed excellent military training.

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### STUDENT AVERAGE LIST IS PREPARED

New Plan Is To Publish Averages Maintained by Students of Various Organizations

### ORGANIZATIONS DIVIDED INTO THREE GROUPS

Starting a new custom of making public the averages maintained by students connected with the various organizations at Penn State, Hummel Fishburn, assistant Dean of Men, has prepared the following list for the second semester of 1932-23.

The various organizations are divided into three groups. Only those organizations standing in the upper half of their respective groups are listed.

Fraternities	
Tau Kappa Epsilon	77.426
Phi Epsilon Pi	77.28
Kappa Phi Delta	76.977
Alpha Gamma Rho	76.707
Omega Epsilon	75.173
Sigma Phi Sigma	74.97
Delta Sigma Phi	74.849
Theta Chi	74.78
Cuheco	74.78
Tau Sigma Phi	74.73
Phi Lambda Theta	74.407
Omega Psi Phi	74.333
Aeneas	73.894
Kappa Delta Rho	73.806
Alpha Sigma Phi	73.474
Beta Sigma Rho	73.224
Alpha Chi Sigma	73.163
Delta Kappa Sigma	72.383
Phi Kappa Sigma	72.775
Friends Union	72.725
Phi Kappa	72.701
Sigma Pi	72.663
Delta Tau Delta	72.5
Delta Sigma Chi	72.473

Men's Activities	
Varsity Quartet	83.5
Y. M. C. A. Cabinet	83.21
Debating Squad	78.885
Collegian Staff	78.785
Engineer Staff	78.95
Handbook Staff	78.2
Mandolin Club	78.116
Sophomore Hop Committee	77.5
Froth Board	77.222
Student Council	77.1
R. O. T. C.	76.878
La Vie Board	76.684
Varsity Rifle Team	76.1
Farmer Staff	76.052
Penn State Players	75.845
Varsity Boxing Team	74.625
College Orchestra	74.597

### UNIV. OF TEXAS CO-EDS HAVE HIGH SCHOLASTIC STANDING

The scholarship among the women students of the University of Texas is considerably higher than that of the men according to the standing of the sororities and fraternities of the University. Of the twenty-one fraternities listed, eight fell below the University average, while of the ten sororities not one failed to remain above the average.

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### STEPHEN HAYES TO GIVE ENGINEERING TALK TODAY

"Japanese Power Systems and Railway Electrification" is the subject of an illustrated talk to be given this afternoon by Stephen D. Hayes of the general engineering department of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company. This is the second of a series of engineering lectures which are to be given during the winter.

Mr. Hayes' talk will be illustrated by both lantern slides and motion pictures, and will be of special interest since some of his pictures have been received since the recent disaster which destroyed much of Japan's engineering development.

Although the lectures are given primarily for the senior engineers, other students and faculty members are invited. The lectures are held on Friday afternoons at 4:30 in Old Chapel.

### A. H. DEPARTMENT TO SEND JUDGING TEAM TO LIVE STOCK SHOW

The Department of Animal Husbandry is planning to send a judging team of five men to the International Live Stock Show at Chicago this fall. A number of cattle will be entered in the Cuheco show.

The department is sending eight head of cattle, thirty fat barrows for the individual class and sixty head of Berkshire for the carload lot division. The cattle will be shipped from here November twenty-third.

A judging team of five men selected from the senior class in Animal Husbandry to represent the department at the International Show in the Intercollegiate Judging Contest on Saturday, December first, will be chosen about November fifteenth. The team will spend a week or ten days visiting the stock yards in Indiana and Ohio on its way to Chicago. The team will be in charge of Professor Bentley.

Professor Tomhave has just received word that he has been selected as judge of the swine entries in the Junior Feeding Contest at the International show. This group will include all the champions of the various boys' clubs from the different states.

### DAIRY HUSBANDRY GRADUATES PRESENT DRINKING FOUNTAIN

Through the enterprise and generosity of the Dairy Husbandry Seniors who graduated in June 1933, a fine sanitary drinking fountain has just been installed in the front hallway of the Dairy Building.

### HISTORY SHOWS ADVANCE IN EXPERIMENT STATION

Is Second of Series of Articles Published in "Engineering Extension News"

"The History of the Engineering Experiment Station at Penn State" is the title of an article by A. J. Woods, Professor of Mechanical Engineering, which was published in the last issue of the "Engineering Extension News," and is the second of a series of articles now running in that publication.

This is an authoritative account of the research work at the college since its beginning, and follows a general article by Professor Heckler published earlier in the year.

The Extension News is perhaps better known off the campus than on college grounds since its circulation of over seven thousand copies goes mainly to industrial executives, employees under training, and the large list of correspondence students now enrolled in the Extension Department.

Professor Miller, head of the department, said, "In projecting the series now in preparation, we have in mind increasing the usefulness of our periodical, which originally was intended primarily for advertising extension courses. However, the interest in special features led us to amplify this type of work, and the paper has, as a result, been in growing demand not only within the state but elsewhere."

"Each month a number of surplus copies remain on hand, and students coming to learn them should apply at the Extension Office in Engineering F. The number is limited and it is quite likely that the first few days of each month will exhaust the supply."

### JOHN B. CRAGG ENROLLS AS FRESHMAN AT AGE OF SEVENTY

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### DR. FORBES TO ADDRESS SIRLOIN CLUB MEETING

At the regular semi-monthly meeting of the Sirloin Club next Tuesday evening, Dr. E. B. Forbes, head of the Animal Nutrition Department, will deliver an address which will be of interest to both practical and scientific agriculturists. This meeting will be held in Room 206 Agriculture Building at 7:15 o'clock.

Dr. Forbes will deliver his lecture immediately after the regular business meeting of the club. The subject chosen for this talk is "Mineral Nutrition in Livestock Feeding" and it is an appropriate subject, being of practical value to all students of scientific farming.

Dr. Forbes has carried on extensive experiments along this particular line for many years and this assurance of the audience of the speaker's talking from experience coming here last year to take the position as head of the Animal Nutrition Department, Dr. Forbes has carried on investigations along this particular line and is one of the best authorities in this special phase of agriculture.

### PENN STATE CO-EDS TO HOLD WEEK-END DANCES

Only two student dances are scheduled for this week-end. A dance will be held in McAllister Hall tonight especially for the freshman girls. Auchenbach's Serenaders have been secured for the occasion.

The other dance will be held in the Women's Building by the girls from all the cottages on the campus. Visiting will be allowed on both evening and it is expected that a large crowd will attend.

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