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PENN STATE READY TO ENTERTAIN HER RETURNING ALUMNI

Surprise Feature Scheduled for Football Mass Meeting on Friday Night

OVER THREE THOUSAND VISITORS ARE EXPECTED

Annual Smoker Will Be Held in Armory Saturday—Seniors Invited To Attend

With preparations complete for the entertainment of thirty-five hundred graduates and other visitors, Penn State is ready for an Alumni Homecoming Day on Saturday that should surpass any of those of previous years according to H. N. Sullivan, secretary of the Alumni Association.

The football mass meeting to be held in the Auditorium on the eve of Penn State's clash with Syracuse on the gridiron, will mark the opening of the week-end's activities. The program, in addition to the customary speeches, contains an item that cannot fail to be of vital interest to every undergraduate and alumnus, according to the committee, which further stated that the nature of the event would be kept a complete mystery until the time of its occurrence.

On the conclusion of the mass meeting, football will hold open house for the returning graduates. It is urged that every possible effort be made by the student body to give its guests a whole-hearted reception. In this endeavor the Alumni Association has secured rooms in private homes to care for the overflow, that is expected from fraternity houses.

Luncheon at Armory

After the grid battle between the Nittany freshmen and Kiskadee, scheduled for Saturday morning, the State College Alumni-Teachers' Association is made present at a luncheon to be served at noon in the Armory. The Association invites not only alumni, but all students and guests of the college to take advantage of this feature.

Marking the heights of the sports activities of the day, the game on Saturday afternoon between the Blue and White and Syracuse gridblers will be the feature event of the entertainment offered the alumni. According to the number of tickets already secured by the visitors, the stands will be filled to capacity.

To Hold Smoker

The final official event on the program will be the smoker to be held in the Armory at eight-thirty o'clock. Color pencils and smokes will form the chief items of entertainment, as there will be no speeches. It is the intention of the committee to provide a get-together for the alumni to talk over old times and to rekindle contacts with the friends of undergraduate days. Seniors from the student body are cordially invited to attend the function. The committee expects that the fraternities will so arrange their individual gatherings either before or after the smoker, that all the alumni and upperclassmen can attend.

NOVEMBER THIRD SET FOR SCHOLARSHIP DAY

C. E. Bowman, Pittsburgh University Chancellor, is Leading Speaker at Exercises

C. E. Bowman, chancellor of the University of Pittsburgh, has been selected to make the principal address at the annual fall observance of Scholarship Day which will be held in the Auditorium on Monday morning, November third, at ten-thirty. President John M. Thomas will preside at the meeting.

The exercises will begin promptly at the time scheduled, classes being dismissed for the morning. Further details of the program have not yet been arranged but the committee in charge expects to have everything in readiness by the first of next week. As is customary in addition to the Scholarship Day address, there will be an announcement of the winners of the President Sparks medal, the presentation of the fraternity scholarship cups, the winners of the John W. White Scholarships, the winners of the Honorary Society Council medals, also those candidates for Tau Beta Phi, Sigma Gamma Epsilon, Eta Kappa Nu, Phi Lambda Upsilon, Xi Sigma Pi, Phi Kappa Phi, and Phi Kappa Xi. This year there will be no recipients of Malesmanship Medals.

A big effort is being made by those in charge of the program to make this one of the most attractive that has ever been arranged, in order to stimulate interest in the event and to make it a vital part of the college program.

COLLEGE GOLF TOURNEY ENTERS THIRD BRACKET

Eight contestants have advanced to the third bracket of the all-college golf tournament held on the college course last week. Several of the prospects, among whom were Gehardt and Stevenson, were unexpectedly eliminated early in the tournament.

If the weather is favorable and the course remains in good shape, the semifinals will be played this week, followed closely by the finals early next week. The following men will compete in these matches: L. Blair '25, H. Canon '27, S. T. Marshall '26, J. A. Morris '27, H. Taylor '26, W. W. Johnson '27, Finley '26, and W. F. Mathis '25.

SYRACUSE DOWNS NITTANY HARRIERS

R. R. Fouracre '27 Captures First Place, Setting New Record for Orange Course

LIONS MAKE GOOD STAND AGAINST VETERAN TEAM

Although Penn State's colors were crossed Sunday morning in the dual cross-country meet at Syracuse, the Lion distinguished itself when it placed R. R. Fouracre '27 in first place, smashing the 5.11 City course record and breaking the tape three seconds before his nearest rival, Captain Cole of the Orange team. Syracuse scored twenty points as against the Blue and White's forty while Fouracre's record breaking time was 22 minutes and 41 seconds.

Twice intercollegiate champions and with four victories running at top form the Orange team was an overwhelming favorite before the time of the meet and Penn State's excellent showing proved a big surprise to followers of the Keene-coached sport. Never in the years that he has coached Syracuse cross-country teams has Keene ever lost a dual meet.

Barrel Race Seventh

Five Orange runners, Capt. J. C. Gault, Titus, Loucks and Middleton followed Fouracre in finishing order while Taylor, one of Penn State's better hill-runners, came in seventh. Stevens, Captain Decker, Carlisle, Oldfield and Johnson, remaining members of the Blue and White aggregation placed ninth, tenth, eleventh, twelfth and thirteenth respectively.

Penn State's captain Decker failed to run true to form Saturday with the result that he was forced to be content with tenth place. However, with no practice it is expected that the Lion's side will reach top form by November eighth when Carnegie field is encountered here. Charles Oldfield Johnson and Stewart, who will be expected for the first meet of the season.

Start at Archbold Stadium

The entire pick of summer started from Archbold Stadium at eleven-thirty and less than twenty-four minutes later, Penn State broke the tape after a scuffling foot and one-half mile run with the time that set a new record for the Syracuse course. Fouracre was hand pressed by Cole and Gault but the Blue and White started to lose his stride and crossed the line three seconds to the good.

Members of the Lion squad are not heading over the defeat and with the dis-assembly concerning the membership of the organization in Syracuse, they expect to make some real showing before the intercollegiate at New York City on November twenty-fourth. Syracuse participated in two dual meets before the Penn State encounter and the experience gained in these races, coupled with the familiarity of the course, enabled them to out-guess their opponents. Throughout the entire run, the Orange hatteries kept together, the first five Syracuse men crossing the line almost simultaneously.

BLUE KEY MEMBERSHIP DISCUSSED BY SOCIETY

All of the recent meetings of the Blue Key Society have been life with discussion concerning the advisability of limiting the membership of the organization. Efforts are being made to hold the active members as near twenty in the future as possible, so that the society can be distinguished as active not only in class scraps and society activities but also as an honorary organization on the campus.

Another moot question is the permanent appearance of Blue Key hats upon the campus. This subject was laid "on the table" at the last meeting of Student Council until a suitable discussion concerning the problem can be submitted. The new black hat, which replaces the white one, is more adaptable to campus wear, but the objection of too many of the society hats appearing around the College gives the problem one of extreme importance.

YEARLINGS DOWN SEMINARY ELEVEN IN CLOSE CONTEST

Coach Quay's Proteges Suffered First Defeat of Season by 6-0 Score

HERMANN IS PLEASED WITH WORK OF TEAM

Dangerfield and Lungren Star in Backfield—Lesko Plunges Line For Lone Touchdown

Displaying a powerful driving attack the Nittany freshmen handed the strong Womansing Seminary eleven its first defeat of the season when the subs downed Coach Quay's proteges by a 6-0 score last Saturday afternoon at Kingston. The first year men outplayed and outplayed the Seminary bats throughout the contest.

The team showed a decided improvement in its attack, although "Dutch" seemed pleased at the showing made there, as it will be a week before the Nittany bats will be taken out of the Kiskadee this Saturday.

The freshmen started off with a rush and McGraw ran back Williams' kick-off to his own forty-yard line. On the next play he went around the Seminary's left end for twenty yards. There a penalty was inflicted for off-side play but this seemed to urge the Seminary on and in two plays with Dangerfield and Lesko carrying the ball, they made a first down. Both (Continued on last page)

PENN STATE GLEE CLUB TO HOLD FINAL TRIALS

Organization Strong in Baritone Voices—First Concert on Pennsylvania Day

The Penn State Glee Club, under the direction of R. W. Grant, director of the department of Music, has already begun to give evidence of becoming an organization that will equal those of former years. At present, the six men who have been admitted to the Club because of the recent trials are receiving instructions to prepare them for the final trials which will be held in the near future when the permanent members will be selected.

Of the new men Director Grant has been especially pleased with the baritone voices. This department of the Club has long been a kind of a "fill" with capable soloists, but the new members will be expected to give a new impetus to the club. The organization will this year be assisted by Miss M. S. Snyder, dramatic soprano. Miss Snyder is a brilliant young artist and the possession of an excellent voice which will be heard to advantage in the program of songs to be held at this concert. The group will also be assisted by A. R. Pink '26, a competent violinist.

Pennsylvania Day Program

The Glee Club is already making plans for the annual Pennsylvania Day concert to be given Saturday evening, November eighth. The organization will this year be assisted by Miss M. S. Snyder, dramatic soprano. Miss Snyder is a brilliant young artist and the possession of an excellent voice which will be heard to advantage in the program of songs to be held at this concert. The group will also be assisted by A. R. Pink '26, a competent violinist.

Following up the customs of previous years, the songsters will take several trips this winter. Plans are complete for the first of these which will come during the week of December first. At that time three concerts will be given one at Emporium, the next at Carlisle, and the final one at Bradford. Individual men will be taken on this trip.

The Club is already preparing numbers for the annual Interstate Glee Club Contest which takes place in New York early next March. Although Penn State has never yet won first place in this competition, it has received honorable mention several times and the members of the Club are determined to put forth every effort to win the 1925 contest.

CHEERLEADERS TO SELL MEGAPHONES SATURDAY

Before the football game with Syracuse on Saturday October twenty-ninth, the Penn State cheerleaders plan to sell cheering megaphones for twenty-five cents apiece. The megaphones will be blue and white in length with a blue and white design on one side and "Welcome Alumni" printed on the opposite side.

FINAL LA VIE PHOTOGRAPHS

Today will be the last day for the "La Vie" photographs. An album that has not had photographs taken had to go to the fourth floor of the Administration Building before an effort could be made without appointment.

KDKA SCHEDULES PENN STATE NIGHT

Pittsburgh Station To Broadcast Special Program on Eve of Game With Panther

"PREXY" AND "BEZ" ARE SLATED AS SPEAKERS

A "Penn State Night" has been scheduled by the KDKA radio broadcasting station of the Westinghouse Electric and Manufacturing Company from the Pittsburgh Post-Dispatch for the evening of Wednesday, November twenty-sixth, according to an announcement from the office of the station. This selected event is the one before the annual football game between Penn State and Pittsburgh scheduled for Saturday, November twenty-sixth. The broadcast will be broadcast by the station at 8:30 p. m. and will feature a special program of music and entertainment. The program will be broadcast by the station at 8:30 p. m. and will feature a special program of music and entertainment. The program will be broadcast by the station at 8:30 p. m. and will feature a special program of music and entertainment.

SENIOR WEEK TO BE INAUGURATED HERE NEXT MAY

First Week-end of Month Chosen as Date by Representative Student Committee

JUNIOR PROM WILL BE HELD THURSDAY NIGHT

Friday and Saturday Evenings Set Aside for Fraternity and Club Functions

Senior week will be inaugurated as an annual affair at Penn State the first week-end of May this year. This was the decision reached last Sunday evening at the Sigma Phi house by a committee representative of five of the authoritative bodies in student organization.

The Junior Prom will be held on Thursday night of that week-end, necessitating that the Sophomore Hop be held at some other time than during Senior Week. The committee recommended that there be no fraternity dances on the night of the Junior Prom, thereby insuring cooperation in making this affair a successful event. It was also suggested that the Penn State Club hold its dance the same week-end, giving the occasion an all-officer and all-student character. Fraternity dances will be in order Friday and Saturday nights of that week-end.

Final Decision

This decision was finally reached after thoughtful consideration of all the plans proposed. The week-end will be in harmony with the spirit of the season. Accordingly, the Junior Prom this year will be held on Thursday evening, April thirtieth, with fraternity dances on Friday and Saturday evenings, May first and second. The authoritative bodies interested will decide the detailed program of events within the next month.

The members of the board who constituted the committee were W. G. Wier, '25, President of the Student Council; J. T. Taylor, '25, President of the Junior-Senior Council; A. C. Simmons, '27, Secretary of the Inter-Fraternity Conference; R. P. Myers, '25, President of the Penn State Club; J. J. Brennan, '27, Chairman of the Junior Class; D. B. Jenkins, '27, Chairman of the Junior Prom Committee; J. J. Tidman, '27, Chairman of the Sophomore Hop Committee; and W. W. Allen, '26, Junior member of Student Board.

SUCCESS OF ANNUAL "Y" DRIVE IS STILL UNKNOWN

Many Canvassers Fail To Turn in Detailed Reports—Campaign Closed Last Night

Completion officials of the Penn State Y. M. C. A. were unable to determine the success of the annual "Y" drive for funds held last night. The drive was closed last night and the success of the campaign is still unknown. Many canvassers fail to turn in detailed reports. The campaign was closed last night.

Prizes Offered

Three prizes have been offered by State College business men for the drive of canvassers who turn in the highest amount of subscriptions. L. K. Meyer will give a fifteen dollar prize for the highest amount of subscriptions. L. K. Meyer will give a fifteen dollar prize for the highest amount of subscriptions.

COLONEL MCLAUGHLIN USES NEW SYSTEM IN ORGANIZING R. O. T. C.

Making a change from the year method Colonel M. Laughrin is organizing the R. O. T. C. into an organization of three battalions consisting of a headquarters company and two tactical companies. The first tactical company will consist of sophomores and the second and third tactical companies will consist of freshmen and sophomores. The organization will be completed by the end of the year.

LATE RALLY FAILS TO BRING VICTORY TO LION GRIDDRERS

Georgia Tech Holds Blue and White for Three Quarters, Winning by 15 to 13 Score

Starred for Tech



DOUG WYCOFF

Wycoff, punning Tech fullback, carried the ball well and broke up many of the Nittany plays. His fine punting kept the Nittany Lion at bay during every stage of the game.

Y. M. C. A. TO OFFER VOCATIONAL LECTURES

Program of Lectures To Present Requirements for Success in Popular Vocations

As arrangements have already been completed by the Penn State Y. M. C. A. for a series of weekly vocational guidance addresses, the first of which will be delivered tonight at eight o'clock in Room 121 Old Main by N. D. Hubbard, Assistant Professor of Industrial Education.

Assistant Professor Hubbard will speak on "The Progress of Modern Vocational Guidance" in which he will outline the importance of carefully choosing one's life work, and outline means by which students can find their way into the vocation for which they are best fitted.

The Y. M. C. A. has planned a program of lectures by speakers who will discuss the qualifications and requirements necessary for success in a large number of popular vocations. There is a large demand among students of the college for such a program of life work guidance. In a great number of colleges there is a department of the college faculty which has as its responsibility the work of helping students to find their fitted vocation. This is the need that the Y. M. C. A. is attempting to fulfill in its present program.

Group Not Limited

The programs are not for any limited group but are broad enough to interest all students. On October twenty-seventh, Mr. Archibald Campbell, a Kettering missionary who is traveling among the colleges as secretary of the Student Volunteer Movement, will address those who are interested in missionary work. On the following Thursday, Mr. Allen K. Foster, known throughout the nation for his addresses on "Science and Religion" and "Human Relationship on Industry" will speak on "Industry as a Life Vocation."

Other vocations which will be discussed are rural education, engineering, journalism, banking, Christian ministry and teaching. These vocations will be discussed by competent and experienced men. The center of the whole series will be the application of Christian principles in these departments of vocational life.

Arrangements are also being formulated for conducting tours on Sunday afternoon under the direction of visiting chapel speakers. These will be in the form of Sunday afternoon teas, at which times informal questions will be answered by the guests.

(By Staff Correspondent)

The Nittany Lion went down to a 15 to 13 defeat on Saturday. Georgia Tech held the Blue and White for three quarters, winning by 15 to 13 score. The Nittany Lions looked like a flock of sheep in the last three quarters of the game. Two intercollegiate football players from Tech by a position to score a touchdown and a field goal. A touchdown by Bill Pate gave the Georgia Tech team its second victory over Penn State. The Nittany Lions looked like a flock of sheep in the last three quarters of the game. Two intercollegiate football players from Tech by a position to score a touchdown and a field goal. A touchdown by Bill Pate gave the Georgia Tech team its second victory over Penn State.

Lions Outrushed Tech

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The trouble started on the first play of the game when it was apparent that the Nittany men were off their feet. Definitely they formed the proverbial stone wall but when Penn State had the ball the Lions looked a little better.

Goals in the opening defense to end the third quarter. The Nittany Lions looked like a flock of sheep in the last three quarters of the game. Two intercollegiate football players from Tech by a position to score a touchdown and a field goal. A touchdown by Bill Pate gave the Georgia Tech team its second victory over Penn State.

State Rallies

In the closing minutes of the game Penn State swung into action and opened up with an offense that threw a lot of side into the twenty-four and Tech players had had time to get into a groove. Three touchdowns were scored by the Nittany Lions. The Nittany Lions looked like a flock of sheep in the last three quarters of the game. Two intercollegiate football players from Tech by a position to score a touchdown and a field goal. A touchdown by Bill Pate gave the Georgia Tech team its second victory over Penn State.

Tom Hays looked better in Saturday than he has in any of the previous encounters. He will come back as a second-year player on the Y. M. C. A. team. The Nittany Lions looked like a flock of sheep in the last three quarters of the game. Two intercollegiate football players from Tech by a position to score a touchdown and a field goal. A touchdown by Bill Pate gave the Georgia Tech team its second victory over Penn State.

CLEVELAND ORCHESTRA IS NEXT ON "Y" COURSE

Ohio Musicians Will Appear Here on November Seventeenth as Second Feature

Penn State students will have an opportunity of hearing one of the most talented orchestras on November seventeenth when the Cleveland Symphony Orchestra will come here as a second feature on the Y. M. C. A. course. The story of the rise of the Cleveland orchestra to its present high position is the same as that of the other orchestras of the country which have become famous. It is a struggle to create a love for symphonic music in a community whose artistic sensibilities had not yet been touched on that chord, then the beginning out to appeal to a wider public as it did throughout the country and finally, the reward it has received in the form of a national reputation.

Much of the credit for the success of the orchestra reverts to its leader, Nikolai Sokoloff, an artist still in his prime who has succeeded in making the orchestra a household name. He has received in the form of a national reputation.

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