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NITTANY BATSMEN END SEASON WITH SYRACUSE CONTEST

Coach Carr to Bring Strong Team To New Beaver Field Next Saturday Afternoon

YEARLING NINE BRIGHTENS OUTLOOK FOR NEXT YEAR

Styborski Leads List of Regulars in Batting Averages--Harris Follows with .339

Clashing with Syracuse in the final contest of the year the Penn State nine will close the 1925 diamond season when it meets the Orange batsmen Saturday afternoon on New Beaver Field Practice games between the freshmen and Varsity have been held daily for the past week and will continue until Saturday.

Although Coach Carr's team did not run up an unusual number of victories, he brings to Penn State an aggregation that is noted for its stinging tactics. Captain Lee Dougherty, who will play his last game for the Orange in the coming battle, is one of Carr's best performers at the plate while Mahoney, Carr and Hunsen also have displayed their ability in swinging the willow.

Scherler will probably do the hurting for Syracuse while Harrelson will suit for the Blue and White. There is no indication at the present writing that changes will be effected in either the Nittany or the Orange lineups. Dougherty will cover first with Hansen Station on second and Greeve at the hot corner. Ringwood will complete the infield hit short with Carr, Plominigan and Noble in the meadows. Mahoney will do the receiving.

Four Noun Although the 1925 team is a considerable improvement over the aggregation that represented Penn State last year the past season has been a cruel one for the team. With Pennsylvania the Nittany sluggers have not exhibited the brand of baseball of which they are capable. Costly errors and inability to hit in pinches were largely responsible for the miserable showings. In almost every game the Penn State team out-batted its opponents but was not able to make the most of its advantages. The most consistent hitters of the year while Todd Kestetter is probably the only member of the team who has been able to make his blinges affect the run column.

It is likely that the schedule for next year will include a Southern trip and it is almost certain that larger numbers of games will be played. Prospects for next year's nine look bright, only three being seniors. They have lost through graduation while this season's freshman team will furnish plenty of material for the 1926 squad. The yearlings will offer strong competition to the Varsity in controlling for positions next year and it is likely that a number of first-year men will appear in the lineup next spring.

Average According to the batting averages compiled to date Styborski leads the list of regulars with a percentage of .339.

NEW FRATERNITY FORMED BY PRE-LEGAL STUDENTS

Thirty-one Club Members Start First Honorary Society in This Academic Field

In commemoration of its organization into Phi Lambda Sigma, first pre-legal fraternity known to have been organized at any college or university, the former Penn State Pre-Legal Club followed its last meeting of the year by a banquet at the State College hotel Friday night.

Two months ago the society was formed under the leadership of S. W. Towler '27 in order to promote actual workings of law and to debate legal questions. Weekly meetings were conducted at which men acquainted with the legal profession spoke to the members of the society.

After securing a charter, the organization became the Phi Lambda Sigma fraternity with an enrollment of thirty-one charter members. As honorary members, President J. M. Thomas, Chairman I. J. J. Jones, Dean A. R. Wainlock, Dean C. W. Stoddard, Prof. T. J. Gates and Jacob Tange, and Instructor H. J. Hartley attended the banquet. Each of the men spoke, giving his views as to the various phases of the lawyer's life. Particular emphasis was laid on the possibilities of the club to better the chances for individual success.

Towler was elected president of the organization, R. K. Post, '25, vice-president, L. L. Landers '27 secretary and J. J. McCarty '26 treasurer.

Dues Petition Gets Final Ratification

Final ratification of the petition to the Trustees to have the class dues collected as part of the semester fees was given at a meeting of the Junior class Monday night.

The measure originated in Student Council for which it was prepared by a committee composed of R. H. Sudds '25, chairman, N. M. Fleming, interschool treasurer, A. W. York '25 and W. H. Scalfoss '25. It was found that the present system was inadequate and class activities were being supported financially by a minority. The proposed change will effect a saving of approximately half.

It is not definitely known whether the petition will be presented at the coming meeting of the Board of Trustees Saturday. The fact that it will raise the net sum of the fees will be the chief objection to the reform.

"WOODEN SHOES" TO HAVE LAST STAGING

Promoters Predict Best Showing of Season--Roles Will Be Acted by Original Cast

NEW MUSICAL NUMBERS AND DANCES INTRODUCED

With the cast and chorus of "Wooden Shoes" donning the grease-paint for the first time of the year, the 1925 production of the Thespian Club will go on the boards for its finale on Saturday evening at seven-fifteen o'clock in the Auditorium.

Splendid successes have marked the Thespian production throughout the entire season and critics pronounced the show as the best college musical comedy of the year. "Wooden Shoes" is a comedy which will be incorporated in its own tour through the Eastern section of Pennsylvania during the Christmas holidays and was accorded much favorable press comment while on tour in Western Pennsylvania and West Virginia.

Original Cast The original cast is chosen by the Ned Wayburn studio representatives who will perform before the students, alumni and townspeople and the show will be enhanced by the addition of a few musical numbers and several new scenes which will be incorporated in the closing dance of "Silent Film" Gaining played by E. E. Kennedy '26.

Clay Lohm composed of "Dearly Watted" and "Lonesome" the latter already in use in the first act of the comedy, has written a novelty love ballad entitled "Always Look for Sunshine When You're Blue" which is (Continued on third page)

GERHARDT WILL ENGAGE HAGEN ON LINKS FRIDAY

Stevenson Is Mate of Penn State Captain While Walker Aids British Title Holder

Meeting the supreme test of his college golf career, Captain Pine Gerhardt will face Walter Hagen present holder of the British Open crown and title champion in the Central State Open golf tournament, in an exhibition match to be played on the Centric Hills county club course Friday morning at nine-thirty o'clock.

In the match, a low-ball foursome Stevenson will play with Hagen while Hagen will play with Walter Walker, Centric Hills professional. Hagen, probably the most perfect golfer in the game today, is one of the few American-born professionals to gain international honors. Both because of his brilliant golfing form and his genial, attractive personality he is extremely popular wherever he plays.

During the past season Gerhardt also has shown remarkable form. In a recent match played on the Stanton Golf course in Pittsburgh he smashed the record on the nine holes by shooting a thirty-one, four strokes below par. Pine also holds the record on the nine holes in this city. The exhibition will be open to the public at an admission fee of \$1.50, tickets being available at the local stores as a match such as this is seldom attended, a large gallery is expected.

TRACK ELECTIONS Manager H. R. Gilbert '26 Cross-country Manager J. B. Pearson '26 Freshman Manager R. G. Lowe '26 First Assistant Managers H. B. McCabe '27 J. B. McClements '27 J. B. Shatt, '27

COMBINED MUSIC CLUBS TO OFFER ANNUAL CONCERT

Program on Monday Evening Will Be Given by Orchestra, Glee and Mandolin Clubs

TICKET SALE OPENS AT SEVEN TOMORROW NIGHT

New Choral Society and Assisting Artists Appear in Concert on Sunday Evening

Prominent in the events of Commencement Week will be the appearance of the combined musical clubs at Penn State, including the Glee Club, Orchestra and Mandolin Club in the twenty-fifth annual June concert, which will be presented in the Auditorium on Monday evening, June fifteenth, at seven-thirty o'clock. All of the organizations have been holding intensive rehearsals during the past few weeks in order that the concert may eclipse those of former years.

The part of the program devoted to the Mandolin Club will have as its high lights an instrumental quartet composed of H. L. Parker '25, H. F. Forch '27, J. H. Giese '28 and J. C. Meeds '26, who will play "Barcarolle" from "Tales of Hoffman." Toward the close of the program, selections from "Il Trovatore" by Verdi.

Under the leadership of Bandmaster W. O. Thompson the Penn State Orchestra will present several numbers, prominent among which are "A" (Continued on third page)

548 Students To Receive Diplomas

Tentative statistics received from the registrar show that 548 members of the senior class will receive diplomas at Penn State's sixty-fifth commencement. Thirty-five candidates for advanced degrees will be presented, thirteen for the degree of Master of Arts, nineteen for the degree of Master of Science, two for the degree of Industrial Engineering and one for Engineering of Mines.

Dean C. W. Stoddard will present 122 candidates from the School of Liberal Arts. Ninety-three candidates from the School of Agriculture will be presented by Dean R. L. Witts for the degree of Bachelor of Science, Penn State School of Chemistry and Physics, there will be forty-three candidates for the degree of Bachelor of Science and they will be presented by Prof. W. R. Ham. There will be eighty-two candidates from the School of Education, twenty-eight for the degree of Bachelor of Arts and fifty-four for that of Bachelor of Science.

The School of Engineering will ink this year in the number of graduates, presenting 182 men for the degree of Bachelor of Science. Sixty-four of this number having been enrolled in the curriculum in electrical engineering. Twenty-six graduates from the School of Mines will be presented by Dean E. A. Holbrook for the degree of Bachelor of Science.

HONOR GIRLS SELECTED FOR ANNUAL CLASS DAY

Miss Esther Afflerbach Receives Distinction of "Bow Girl"--Six Others Chosen

Honor girls for the annual Class Day exercises to be held Monday morning have been announced by the senior class. Choice of the honor girls is based on popularity and service to the class and college during undergraduate days.

First honor has been accorded to Miss Esther Afflerbach, of Parkersburg and she will receive the distinction of "Bow Girl" at the Class Day celebration. She was president of the girls' class and of the girls' Campus Club council this year.

The honor of "Slipper Girl" was won by Miss Dorothy George, of Middletown. She is a member of the Girls' Glee Club and was president of the W. S. G. of this year. She was also a member of the girls' hockey team and of the girls' basketball team. Miss Pauline Plimchough, of Dallas, Texas is to receive the honor of "Fan Girl." She is a member of the Glee Club and quartet and won one of the Juilliard Musical Foundation scholarships. She is a member of the All-Star Club. Each of the three honor girls is a member of Omicron Nu honor society and of Kappa Delta Phi, educational fraternity. Miss Alice Kerchner, of Allentown, has been chosen Class Donor. She was in the Women's Senate, and was Y. W. C. A. treasurer. (Continued on last page.)

SENIOR PROGRAMS AT CO-OP TONIGHT

Senior programs will be distributed at Co-op tonight from six to nine o'clock and Saturday morning from ten to twelve o'clock

PLAYERS PRESENT JUNE PRODUCTION

"Seven Keys to Baldpate" Is Final Showing of Year--Will Be Given Friday Night

MYSTERY FARCE FROM PEN OF G. M. COHAN

With the final production of the Penn State Players "Seven Keys to Baldpate" slated for Friday evening members of the club are rehearsing daily in an effort to insure a perfect showing. Written by G. M. Cohan this famous mystery farce is scheduled to begin at eight-thirty o'clock in the Auditorium.

Playing the leading role R. W. Tyson '25, as William Magee a novelist, makes a wager with his friend the owner of Baldpate Inn that he can write a ten thousand word story about Baldpate within twenty-four hours. The wager being accepted Magee after reflecting what is supposed to be the only key to Baldpate's existence, arrives at the inn late at night and is met by the caretaker and his wife impersonated by W. Smith '27 and Miss H. S. Dorey '27. Once in his room Magee commences his signed task only to be interrupted during the night by a knock. G. H. Haze '26, Harry Norton a newspaper reporter, Miss M. Fox '27, Mr. Rhodes, a lawyer, Miss M. Teep '28, Peter a hunchman, R. J. Brughish '25, Mrs. Thornhill a blackmailer, Miss J. M. Kelley '25, Lou Max an ex-criminal, A. S. Ross '25, Carpin a corrupt mayor, G. G. McCandless '25, Fadden a railroad president, J. Mathes '25, and Kennedy a police chief, T. E. Kratz '27 newly arrived in town.

In rapid succession Kratz is introduced in a box office a police plot and a murder and is completely bewildered by these mysterious happenings until the owner played by P. O. Luce '25 appears with the seventh key to clear up the mystery.

According to D. D. Mason who is directing the production Tyson and Miss Haze have displayed much ability in the two leading roles while the continuous comedy displayed by Dorey is expected to relieve the suspense. The action of the play which is divided into a prologue, two acts and a epilogue, takes place in the lobby of the inn on top of Baldpate mountain. E. G. McElhenny '26, A. C. Hines '27 and J. E. Nolan '27 have prepared a setting depicting the interior of the inn. (Continued on last page)

INTERFRATERNITY SPORT PROGRAM CLOSSES TODAY

Winners of Tennis and Baseball Cups Decided--Golf Finals Scheduled Today

With Phi Kappa Sigma and Delta Sigma Phi having won respectively the tennis and baseball cups and with Sigma Alpha Epsilon and Phi Kappa Sigma vying this afternoon for the golf championship, the current year's interfraternity sports program will close today.

Delta Sigma Phi, with Kent holding all-right ball and allowing but three runs, defeated Delta Theta Phi 5 to 3 in the final interfraternity baseball contest. Last Thursday afternoon The victors showed Delta Theta Phi no mercy and, after a deluge of hits which included round-trippers by Berley and Roberts, Phi was replaced by Greene, who checked the free-batting session.

Kent made matters gloomier for the campus athletes, fanning twelve, although allowing one four-ply blow by Butler.

On one of the closest matches ever played in an interfraternity tournament Phi Kappa Sigma defeated Alpha Chi Sigma in the final match of the competition last Monday afternoon on the Army courts by a 2 to 1 score.

R. M. Rowland, Alpha Chi Sigma, succumbed to G. E. Bell, Phi Kappa Sigma, in straight sets, 7-5 and 6-4. Alpha Chi Sigma scored up in the second and third when R. F. Cooper turned back R. Reed in three sets, 6-2, 5-6 and 9-6.

The outcome was settled in the doubles match when Bell and Reed took over Cooper and Rowland in three sets, 6-2, 4-6 and 6-3.

LION TRACK TEAM CRUSHES PANTHER IN SEASON'S FINAL

Nittany Cindersmen Conclude Year With Victory Over Pitt by Decisive Margin

MOORE AND TORRENCE ARE DOUBLE WINNERS

Blue and Gold Entries Capture But Three Firsts--Two-mile Is Feature Event

Continuing their unbroken string of victories the Lion cindersmen concluded the 1925 track season by downing the Panther team by a 107 to 28 score on New Beaver Field last Saturday. Several college records were set and the excessive heat prevented the runners from setting new marks.

The Penn State entries excelled in both the indoor and field events, the cindersmen's first places being in the half-mile the two-mile and the shut-out. The two-mile and half-mile races were the feature events of the meet. Torrence capturing the former in 9 minutes 51.1-5 seconds and Watkins of Pitt negotiating the 2-mile in the good time of 1 minute 58.1-5 seconds.

Covering the distance in 10 1-5 seconds Torrence led the field to the top in the century dash by several feet. In the added three mile point to the Nittany scoring column by noting out Grindle of Pitt for second place in the 220-yard dash, Torrence repeated his former performance with Division of the Blue and White secured second with Grindle taking third honors. The winner of the 100 yard dash was 21 4-5 seconds, a tenth of a second slower than the college record.

Both hurdle events were won by Captain Chip Moore and Larch secured second place in each race. Huntington of Pitt taking third in the high hurdles, and Pabst, another Blue and Gold member, gaining a point in the low hurdles. Penn State succeeded eight more markers in the 100 yard dash. Kistler crossing the line in first place and Hanna leading the team of Pitt in the light for the second position.

With Colett the Panther star distance runner competing against Lounsbury and Lundy in the two-mile, the event proved to be a thriller. For seven laps the three runners were well-matched, and the lead alternated on almost every turn. Colett and Lounsbury then took the offensive and the former in a final burst of speed won the race by a good margin, with Lounsbury (Continued on last page)

YOUNG FARMERS WILL GATHER HERE TUESDAY

Four Hundred Boys and Girls Are Expected To Attend Sixth Annual Celebration

Four hundred boys and girls will come to Penn State Tuesday for forty days of instruction, recreation and inspiration at the occasion of the sixth annual Young Farmers' Week which extends from June sixteenth to nineteenth.

Practically every county will be represented by poultry, swine, dairy and general livestock judging teams. These teams will match judgment in the show ring and as rewards for their efforts, the winning dairy cattle team will receive the Pennsylvania Farmers' association trophy, the best general livestock team will get the Pennsylvania Breeders and Dairymen's association trophy, the highest scoring poultry team will be awarded the Pennsylvania's Farmer trophy and the best swine judging team will be given the Northumberland County Duro, Breeders' association award.

During the week, visits will be paid to the many interesting points about the College. Herds and flocks will receive marked attention from the youthful stockmen and farmers. In every detail program will be included group games and other wholesome forms of recreation. Outdoor vesper service under the direction of Chaplain Presser Metzger will be observed on the two most important days, Wednesday and Thursday. Cups and ribbons will be awarded Thursday evening.

TENNIS ELECTIONS Captain Donald Mappas '26 Manager J. H. Shantz '26 First Assistants J. G. Davis '27 L. C. Pyle '27 W. W. Rice '27

Penn State Prepares To Celebrate Annual Graduation Exercises

Judge Wendell Stafford Will Deliver Commencement Address--Alumni Meet Friday Afternoon

With a four-day Commencement Week scheduled for the sixteenth graduation exercises, Penn State seniors and alumni leaders have shaped final plans for the ceremonies which will begin Friday at noon and continue until Monday night, terminating with the formal dance in the Armory.

As part of the Commencement week which will begin at three-fifteen o'clock on Monday afternoon, Judge Wendell Stafford will deliver the address to the graduating class. The formal Commencement will take place in the open-air theater on the front campus following the observance of Class Day in the morning. The changing of the exercises to the front campus gives ample opportunity for the taking care of the expected record attendance.

Alumni Meeting And Dinner Following the annual meeting of the alumni association Friday afternoon in the Auditorium there will be a dinner for the alumni session seniors and guests at six-thirty o'clock in the Armory. This will be followed by a good fellowship meet on the front campus at seven. Penn State's masculine clubs will be present to entertain the visitors and students with varied programs.

The Friday evening festivities close with the Players' production of a drama Commencement show "Seven Keys to Baldpate" and a subscription dinner in the Armory for which the admission charge for juniors will be one dollar. Paid-up membership in the alumni association will permit alumni and seniors to enter the dance free of charge. Music for the nine till twelve affair will be furnished by Ray's orchestra.

Saturday's Events An event which has heretofore been absent from the Commencement Week (Continued on last page)

Shooting a double on the thirteenth hole Captain Gerhardt succeeded in defeating Tom Cannon, a player on the Pitt aggregation in the closest tilt of the match. None of the golfers on either team shot a 180 stroke, group of golf and six of the matches were close King who led Stevenson in their recent match on the Stanton Hills course defeated the Nittany representative three up and two to play.

Loss Foursome In the remaining two-somes Don Taylor defeated Wainwright of Pitt 5-3 and five with Hugh Cannon defeated Laney of the Line and Gold three up and two to play. Gerhardt and Stevenson playing in the first two-somes, lost to Tom Cannon and King three up and two holes to play. Stevenson played in the non-usual form and lost for the first time this season.

Taylor and Cannon representing Penn State in the next match won the low ball foursome and defeated Wainwright and Laney five and four. Gerhardt's exhibition on the eighteenth hole when he shot a hole-in-one to win the match was the only outstanding feature of the entire match.

Intercollegiate Closing the 1925 golf season the team will compete in the intercollegiate which will be held on the courses of the Mount Airy, New Jersey country club from June twenty-third to twenty-seventh. The team of four men plans to leave early in order to get some practice on the course before the match.

Delegates Will Elect Four Trustees Friday Over a Hundred Representatives of Pennsylvania Societies Have Power To Vote

Attracting more interest than ever before in the history of the institution the election of Trustees for the Pennsylvania State College by delegates from county, territorial, industrial and business associations will be held Friday when more than one hundred delegates will convene here.

In keeping with the College charter, those elected in this manner and whose terms expire at this time are A. W. Mitchell, Ed. I. C. Coe, John Johnston, R. L. Muncie, Washington and A. B. Johnson, Philadelphia. They are recognized farming, engineering or business organizations in the state, entitled to delegates and the usual institutions have been sent to most their four-hundred societies.

Twelve members of the Board are elected in this manner, four each year. Nine are chosen by alumni, six are appointed by the Governor and the others are the Governor president of the College, the state superintendent of Public Instruction and the state Secretary of Agriculture, making a representative board for the state controlled College.

Single Matches In the final match of the afternoon Captain Gerhardt and Webster were pitted against Linton and Stevenson of the Smoky City institution. The first set was won by the Penn State combination with the loss of but one game, 6-1. Linton and Stevenson, however, answered the second set after a hard battle on the baseline, 1-6. With the score tied at four matches each and two sets of the final match held by the Pitt team broke through the services of the two Nittany racketeers, and won the deciding set, 6-2.

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