

SENIOR BALL COMMITTEE CONSIDERS DECORATIONS

Contracts Will Be Made Known in January—Affair To Be Given Prominence

Taking the first step in giving the seniors' final social function on February twelfth more prestige by the booking of Ted Weems and his orchestra, the Senior Ball committee is negotiating with prominent decorating firms in order to secure the most elaborate and complete decorations a senior dance has ever known.

The committee consisting of G. H. Cook, chairman, B. M. Hackett, Hugh Jones, A. Y. Smith, E. G. Hawkins, Ruth N. Schaeffer, Miss Mary B. Chambers and D. D. Henry is expected to have started making arrangements early this year and the name of the decorating firm will be announced after the holidays.

At present two Philadelphia firms are being considered. The decorating company of Morganstein, the Silverstein company of Wilkes-Barre and the National Attraction company of Harrisburg also have sent in bids.

It is the opinion of the students in charge of this year's affair that the last dance given by the graduating class deserves more prominence than it has heretofore received. Accordingly the committee has spent unusual care in the selection of Ted Weems and his ten musicians to provide the music was a master stroke.

This group of players is nationally known and unusually versatile. Subscriptions for the dance are three dollars and an advance ticket sale will be held the latter part of January. Fraternity floor space will be drawn at that time also. The event as always will be open only to upperclassmen.

CHEMISTS CELEBRATE

The Laeig Chemical Society, composed of students of the department of agricultural and biological chemistry, held its annual Christmas party at the Alpha Zeta house Wednesday evening. One of the novelties of the program was the mimicking of several prominent members and faculty of the organization by a Penn State student born in Moscow, Russia, S. H. Happonen '27.

Prof. M. W. Lasso, assistant professor of biophysical chemistry, distributed gifts to those present. Music and a general good time concluded the evening's enjoyment.

Stickmen Drill for Opener With Alfred

Because Coach Leonard has been giving most of his time to developing a winning team that will approach the standard set by last year's group of intercollegiate champions little attention was given to lacrosse. Notwithstanding this apparent handicap the squad has been working hard daily, practicing throwing and receiving along with light scrimmage.

With January twenty-third set, however, as the date for the opening tilt with Alfred university, the warriors of the old Indian game will return from their Christmas vacation on Monday, January fourth, and begin the season in earnest. Little is known as to the strength of the stickmen but it is expected several of last year's men will bolster the squad considerably.

PROFESSOR GAUM TALKS AT VOCATIONAL MEETING

Prof. C. G. Gaum of the Engineering Extension department addressed more than twenty-five hundred delegates at the National Association of Vocational Training in Cleveland last week. His speech "Co-operation" closed the symposium on training in industry.

A feature of the convention was the talk on "Industry's Part in Training" by F. M. Seale of the Ford Motor company. As welfare manager of Ford industries Mr. Seale has charge of 300,000 men. The party of Penn State representatives at the convention included Prof. A. S. Hurrell, P. R. Hall, Miss E. P. Chace and Miss C. E. Ray.

GIVEN FELLOWSHIP

Prof. H. B. Pierce, assistant professor of food and dairy chemistry in the department of agricultural and biological chemistry, has been awarded a Fleischmann Research Fellowship at the University of Rochester, Rochester, N. Y. Under the leadership of Dr. J. H. Muth, head of the department of vital economies, he will study the physiological action of yeast.

His experimental work will be along the line of the benefits of this stimulant to human beings. Prof. Pierce has secured a year's leave of absence for his work and will leave Penn State early this coming February.

A. A. CONTRIBUTES SURPLUS OF RECENT YEAR TO BUILDING FUND

The annual financial statement of the Athletic Association for the fiscal year ended August 31, 1925, is herewith submitted. The statement shows that there was an excess of income over expenditures for the year of \$12,171.94. A contribution of \$15,000.00 to the Pennsylvania State College Emergency Building Fund was made, thus leaving a deficit of \$1,741.81 at the end of the fiscal year. Forty thousand dollars have been contributed to the Building Fund by the Association during the past two years.

The gross income during the past year was \$187,719.48. This was derived from the following sources: receipts from games, \$145,473.37; from student fees, \$50,010.21; from miscellaneous sources, \$1,865.91. The expenditures of the various sports were \$129,087.07, while maintenance of Athletic Fields, Varsity Hall, Training House and General Association amounted to \$46,091.17, making a total expenditure of \$175,178.24.

Football, as usual, showed a profit of \$48,995.25. All other sports showed a total deficit of \$42,693.03. Track was the heaviest loser with \$11,993.62. Other sports show deficits as follows: Baseball, \$7,555.16; Basketball, \$5,133.51; Wrestling, \$3,972.05; Boxing, \$1,770.97; Lacrosse, \$9,535.77; Soccer, \$2,802.70; Tennis, \$1,517.27; Golf, \$1,324.28.

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LOSS OF PRACTICE IS SETBACK TO 1929 FIVE

Use of Armory for Christmas Activities Handicaps Plebe Cagers During Week

Handicapped by the loss of several practices brought about through the use of the Armory for other activities, the freshmen cagers have shown little progress during the past week.

Coach Killinger has been training the plebes in the art of working together. Coming from different schools, the men are coached chiefly in team-work. Progress along this line has been marked, the individual players co-operating more in each practice.

First Squad Intact. No change has been made in the first team, which lines up with Hamms and Jacobson on Nonthan at the forward positions, Brownstein at center, and Delp and Horn at guards.

Efforts are being made to schedule a game with a high school team for the sixteenth of January, but as yet no contest has been booked. The visiting cagers will continue practice immediately after the vacation and resume daily workouts.

Much spirit is evidenced by the members of the squad. Competition for places on the team has been keen, especially in the center and forward berths.

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PENN STATE PASSERS DEFEAT JUNIATA FIVE

(Continued from first page) of personal fouls was reached. Roughly substituting. The latter proved himself fast and adept at the passing game.

Train of Doubledeckers. In the second chapter of the fracas, Mike Hannas kept the stands in an uproar with his unusual shooting. For the first time this year, the former Pennac star got his eye on the net and kept up a barrage of goals from almost every part of the floor.

Coach Heimann, in commenting on the game, stated that although much improvement must be shown, the team performed in a fair manner and shows possibilities of developing into a strong combination. He was greatly pleased with the improvement in shooting and team work but felt that the defense is weak and plans to strengthen this branch.

Bethany has been scheduled to play here on January twelfth to take the place of the cancelled game with George Washington.

Table with columns: Name, Position, Points. Lists players like Hood, Hannas, MacDonold, Saylor, Von Neida.

1925 THESPIAN SHOW IS READY FOR DEBUT

(continued from first page) W. Graham '26 and "Kid" Burns, portrayed by J. L. Nelson '27. The two are withheld from their love by Miss Spinks, spinster aunt and guardian of Sally, acted by W. C. Ament '27; but are aided by "Marge" Wagon, intimate friend of Sally, and Jimmie Atkins, which roles are played by S. C. Runkle '27 and D. D. Nuthrup '28. The three negro comedians, "Jackson," "Lindy" and the bell boy,

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SCABARD AND BLADE ELECTIONS

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TO PUBLISH OLD MAIN BELL AFTER VACATION

(Continued from first page) Faculty Members Contribute. Among the members of the faculty who had "by lines" in the issue published last spring are Dr. F. L. Pattee, Prof. M. M. Harris, Mason Long, M. A. Robin, A. C. Cloetingh, F. C. Lisque, H. G. Baker, Dr. O. F. Boucke and Dean W. F. Chambers.

INDOOR RUNNERS SHOW PROMISE FOR SEASON

(Continued from first page) is found in the javelin, discus and weight-throwing branches although one or two individuals are advancing in these departments. Roberts appears to be the most promising of the javelin throwers.

Hurdlers Doing Well. With Reed and Michalske throwing the discus and Ide performing in the hammer-throwing division, it is thought that these events will be well fortified. At present, however,

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