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STUDENTS RESPOND TO OLD MAIN BELL SUBSCRIPTION CALL

gian Shows Way to Cam Publications in Number of Magazines Sold

PRESENT DRIVE DOUBLES PAST SALES CAMPAIGNS

Next Issue Will Be Publishe In January-To Contain Scientific Treatise

The tolling of the Old Main bell at nine-thrity o'clock Tuesday evening inaugurated the annual subscription campaign of Penn State's only literary publication, Old Main Bell One hundred and sixty solicitors, representing the staffs of five campus publications, and several girls interested in literary work are canvassing for subscriptions, and according to campaign manager B. C. Wharton '27 first reports have indicated a fine response from the students Although all campaign reports have not as yet been received last year's subscriptions have been already doubled. The number of sales approximately five hundred Members of Pi Delta Epsilon, honorary ournalistic fraternity under whose suspices Old Main Bell is issued, will conduct a drive among the alumn within the next few days
According to Intest reports, the COLLEGIAN is leading all other campus publications in the number of subscriptions sold, Froth, La Vic, co-ed representatives, Farmer and Engineer, following in the order named.

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Most of the material has been reserved for the next issue which will appear about the middle of January. The various manuscripts are being readed A scientific treatise by Dean Wendt and several poems and short stories will be listed in the table of contents of the next issue. According to Editor-in-chief Dundore, Boyce Morgan '25, former editor-in-chief, nas submitted a story of unusual increest Several charcoal sketches will illustrate the issue.

FRESHMAN COURT SOUAD **CUT BY COACH CONOVER**

Basketball Mentor Will Keep Twenty-five Men-Early Scrimmage Rough

Scrimmage Rough

More than one hundred and fifty freshmen, each eager to gain one of the coveted positions on the yearling basketball team, were sent through preliminary paces while Coach Larry Conover endeavored to weed out likely-looking material. Larry optimistelly promised to slice this huge turnout down to twenty-five players before another week rolls around Basketball as it should not be played was in order on each one of the first three nights that the freshman, according to the letter which their surname started, reported. All-scholastics of yesteryear performed with lowly subs of the same era.

Second assistant managers were about to dash out after step-ladders. Lee Houek, surveying the workouts from a distance, though the assome future ring champs and the wresting candidates, large in number, dreaded the thought that their tanks would be augmented in the meantime, ten yearlings and a referee were occupying the limelight performing all sorts of gymnastics in mad pursuit of a harmless basketball.

The outlook is not as gloomy as the group is reduced to a workshie size skill on the basketball floor will doubtless be displayed. Each day brings a reduction. The remaining freshmen will soon begin serious work preparatory to a strenuous season.

WHITE LEGHORN BREAKS

White Leghern E-216 has just shat-tered all existing egg-laying records for a period of one year. The hen with the submarine name laid two hundred and ninety-six eggs weighing nine and one-half times her own weight.

weight.

Barred Rock E-640, former record-holder, is out for revenge and promises to put up a close fight for future egg-laying honors. Another hen on the varisty squad, E-524, laid eggs weighing twenty-six ounces a dozen For the past year her eggs totalled gix times her yeight.

Special Train To Leave HERMANN SEEKS Lemont at Six O'clock Friday Before Vacation

In preparation for the general exodus of students at the beginning of Christmas vacation; the Pennsylvania railroad has made provision for a special train to leave Lemont at six o'clock Friday afternoon, December seventeenth. One section of the train will be continued to Wilkes Barre, another to Harrisburg. Regularly scheduled trains will have additional accommodations to take care of extra transportation.

transportation.
According to Dean A. R. Warnock
extensions of the Christmas vacation
will be granted only for most urgent
reasons In making up the College
calendar, the Saturday and Sunday
following the opening of vacation
were allowed for traveling.

'Y" GROUPS HOLD **CHRISTMAS PARTY**

wo-hundred-fifty Children To Attend Affair-Pritchard Plays Santa Claus

BY DONATING PRESENTS

Two hundred and fifty children will be the guests of the Y M. C A. and Y. W. C. A. tomorrow afternoon in the Armory at the annual "Y" Christmas party. Kiddies between the ages of five and twelve will be transported by busses from neighboring towns to celebrate the occavion.

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Santa Claus, in the person of W. E. Pritchind '27, will give each child a Christmas stocking of toys and candies. There will be a large Christmas tree hung with colored lights and decorated in true yuletide fashion to delight the eyes of the youngsters. Miss Frances P. Gibbons has consented to tell a Christmas story. The children will take part in a short pregram, and play group games. To complete the afternoon, refreshments of ice cream, cakes and candy stocks will be served

The Christmas party is given evry year by the Y M. C. A and the Y. W. C. A in connection with their Sunday School extension work, to school children of Shingletown, Lytie's Addition, the Evergreens, the Barrens and Krumrine Merchants of State College co-operate with the "Y" by donating the decorations with which the Armory is decked This year's party is under the direction of a joint committee of the Y. M. C. A and the Y. W. C. A, with N. W. Hockenberry '28 as chairman K. R Weichen' 27 and J C. McKerachan '30 are in charge of the organization of boy' games, while Miss Frances P Gibbons

December Engineer To Appear on Sale Today

The Penn State Engineer appears today with its December issue Single copies may be secured at the old radio station for thirty-five cents.

Among the feature articles are. "The Importance of Personal Tianing" by Frances C Pratt, vice-president of the General Electric company, and "Rating Scales foi Students and Employees" by O W. Eshbach of the American Telephone and Telegraph company. The issue contains campus and alumnae notes in addition to a number of technical article.

R. C. Diffenbaugh '27, editor-inclif, and L. S. Hertzle '28 represented the Penn State Engineer at the annual convention of Engineering College Magazines Associated at Milwaukee.

Coach Bezdek Speaks To Shamokin Gridders

Speaking at the annual football banquet of the Shamokin High school, Shamokin, Conch Berdek discussed the recent football season and the value of football to the youths of the country Tuesday night In the first part of his talls, "Bez" spoke on the technique displayed by leading guidron teams and discussed possible changes in the present rules.

Saturday "Bez" will speak at the annual football banquet of Lafayette college, whose team was considered the leading eleven in the East.

SOCCER ELECTIONS Manager
W. J. McLaughlin '28
First Assistants
L. W. Barton '29
R. C. Holmes '29
J. R. Kinkaid '29
Captain
J. L. Cherry '28

SMOOTHNESS AS COURTMEN DRILL

Teamwork Is Stressed in Daily Scrimmages-Tries Many Combinations

TRIO WILL BATTLE FOR VACANT CENTER BERTH

ad Most Promising I Hav Ever Had," Declares Veteran Coach

The main problem confronting Coach Dutch Hermann in his efforts to produce a basketball team that will measure up to standard set by winning Penn State quintets of the past, is to find five men from an experienced squad who will display the highest possible degree of smoothness. In this pursuit Dutch has been jockeying his squad of twenty-two players about, taking out one man, injecting another while two rival fives were vieing for supremacy. On eccasions an entire team would be removed while another trial combination would iesume the battle.

Outlook Promising
While no five men have been chosen definitely as the Varisty, a combination of Hamas and Roepke, forwards, Reilly, center and Lungren (Continued on last page)

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HORT WEEK WILL **CLOSE TOMORROW**

Refrigerator Car Loaded with Preserve Receptacles Features Show

DISPLAYS PRAISED BY STATE AGRICULTURISTS

ciude what they believe has been one of the most successful sessions to-morrow.

Alumn, faculty and student representatives combined their efforts to assure the continuence of the annual project, supervised by G. E. Garvin '20 this year

Valious mechanical displays, several commercial talks and several social functions occupied a prominent place on the program of the week. The feature of the convention was the demonstration refrigerator car, lonned through the courtesy of the Pennsylvania railiond, and explained by Mi Galvin The up-to-date utility, equipped with various preserving receptacles, was placed on the Bellefonte Central siding and inspected by scores of interested students after the demonstration

Alumni representatives, active in horticultural circles, who will return to their various posts after the termination of the activities tomorrow are R. B. Starkey '20; J. L. Hendricksen '21, J. I. Weinschenck '22, G. W. Balthaser '22; R. W. Tyssen '25; and G. E. Maivin '20

HOLBROOK ADDRESSES **OPEN FORUM MEETING**

Outlines Methods of Athletic Control Used in Leading American Colleges

Holding that athletics are just as much a part of student life as any study and should be recognized by college authorities with the proper emphasis, Dean E A Holbrook, of the School of Mines and Metallurgy, in an addiess delivered at the second Penn State forum in Old Chapel Monday evening, outlined the methods of athletic control followed in several of the leading colleges of the country Emphasizing the growing need of aystem of athletic entrol, Dean Holbrook, sketched the growth of colleguate athletics during the last quarter century. He then outlined the systems of control used at Princeton, Columbia, Harvard, University of Pennsylvania, Daitmouth, Yale, Michigan, Illinois, Chicago, Purdue, Oberlin and Penn State.

Although varying in several details the methods all embody co-operation of faculty, alumn and student bodies with the balance of power usually in the hands of the alumni.

Arrange Musicale For Sunday Chapel

Following an established precedent, Director R. W. Grant, of the department of music, has arranged a musical program to replace the usual religious address delivered weekly at the Sabbath services in the Auditorium. For years, the last Sunday before Christmas recess has been devoted to the singing of religious songs, appropriate hymns and carols

Dr. F. L Pattee has been engaged to deliver an address purposed to supplement the religious musicale The eminent literary critic will offer a brief discussion of world famous hymns and carols, explaining their origin, their historical significance and their importance in the world of music.

music.

In the course of his address, Dr Pattee will criticise the newly purchased hymnal used at chapel exercises here, estimating the value of what he considers a wealth of old and modern sacred and religious eongs contained in the new hymn

DEBATERS TO OPEN SEASON TOMORROW

Affirmative Team To Encounte W. and J. While Negative Meets. With Pitt

DEAN STODDART NAMED TO LEAD OPEN FORUM

ville '20.

The negative team will speak in the Tollowing order, first speaker, Homei Dodge '29, second speaker, Edward Willard '27, third speaker, J W. Brandt '29, alternate, Philip Foster '29

CERCLE FRANCAIS GIVES COMIC SKETCH, "ROSALIE"

act Play and Recitation Feature First Meeting Of French Club

With the presentation of three individual recitations and a short pluylet, Le Cercle Francais made its first repearance of the vent at Old Chapel on Wednesday night
A quartet of the varsuty girls' Glee Club opened the program Antonia Brenner '30, Evelyn Haiges '27 and Pearl Oldstein '28 presented short French recitations "Rosalie," a comedy in one act by Max Maurey, was the playlet given by three members of the club. Jean Hugonet '30 took the male lead, supported by Ellen Bullock '27 and Beatrice Oxman '28

The performance was under the

Who's Dancing

Friday

PI DELTA EPSILON BACKS MOVE TO AID JOURNALISM

State Interschol Contest Open to Any Publication

SILVER TROPHY WILL BE GIVEN WINNING SCHOOL

aculty Members To Aid Board Of Judges-Form Letters Sent Candidates

Pi Delta Epsilon, honoiary journalistic fraternity, will apponsor a five-month scholastic newspaper and magazine contest in an effort to stimulate interest in journalism and to advertise Penn State, according to S L Reeder '27, president of the local chapter.

The competition, which will be limited to papers or magazines published at least four times a year in Pennsylvania, will be under the supervision of a committee of judges selected from the best-informed journalistic authorities on the Penn State campus.

Dr F. L Pattee Is Judge Dr. Fred Lewis Pattee, professor of American literature, whose reputation as a critic and novelist is national, will serve as one of the five judges of the contesting publicationa. Prof W F Gibbons and Prof F. C

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LOCKWOOD HEADS SOPH HOP GROUP

Eight Committeemen and Thirty Scholarship Candidates Named at Meeting

FACULTY WILL SELECT STUDENTS FOR AWARDS

Members of the Soph Hop committee appointed at the sophomoic class meeting last Tuesday night are E. J Lockwood, chairman, J H Nessenthalei, J B Gallaghei, W. A Graver, Joseph H Reiff, A. S Payne Mires Helen J Boyle and Miss Mabel Leitzell B H. Wilford was appointed to the inter-class sports committed

scholaship and live Louise Carnege-awards

The committee will begin at once to negotiate for an orchestra. Bids will be asked from a representative list of leading American jazz bands. During the Christmas neation membersmay interview prominent directors in person. A date for the function may be set before the holidays.

LACROSSE ASSOCIATION RANKS LIONS ELEVENTH

Gerding Attends Convention of Officials-Will Announce Season's Schedule

Penn State was represented by It. V Gerding '27, lacrosse manager, at the annual meeting of the United States Intercollegnite Lacrosse association held in New York city last week-end for the purpose of arranging schedules for the coming sensor. The ranking committee gave the Penn State lacrosse team eleventh place omong the colleges of the country.

Johns Hopkins, Systause and Navy temained undefented throughout the scason and went therefore given the first three places. Eleventh place is the highest rating Penn State has lad for some time.

Seventeen Members Of 1926 Grid Squad Awarded Varsity "S'

Seventeen members of the varsity

Seventeen members of the varsity football team and Manager J. II. Smart '27, have been awarded the major "S" by the awards committee of the athlete association.

Three special second-team awards were made for the first time in several years. All were to seniors who have been enrolled on the squad for three secasons yet who have not as yet carned major recognition. The major award was given the following. Gaptain Weston, Filak, Hathings, Greenshields, Delip, Krall, Mahonory, Lungren, Roepke, Hamas, Hastings, Manager Smart, Greene, Darraugh, Pincura, Dangerfield, Pritchard, Bergman and Munz Turish, Francis and Roseberry were the gridders to receive the "S 2nd" award.

SOPHOMORES SPEAK FOR TITLE TONIGHT

Six Win Right To Compete After Surviving Preliminary Trials Wednesday

PRIZE OF FIFTY DOLLARS AWAITS WINNING ORATOR

is members of the sophomore is won the preliminary competi-held Wednesday evening, and appear at the Auditorium to-to compete in the fourth sopho-e extemporaneous speaking con-Thirty second-year men were unated in the contests held Wed-lay.

eliminated in the contests held Wednesday.

The sextet who were selected and the subjects on which they spoke were I I Epstein, "Coolidge—The Cool," R K. Norton, "A Student's Misgivings;" J. W Brandt, "The League of Nations," IE Mulvaney, "Cancellation of War Debts," R. W. Haley "A Student's Misgivings;" and Miss Marie Snyder "A Student's Misgivings."

The winner of the competition to-

Misgrungs."

The winner of the competition tonight will receive fifty dollars and the
runner-up will be awarded half that
rmount. Professor F. L. Pattee will
reve as chairman of the contest. R.
G. Bressler, acting Dean of the School
of Agriculture, Prof. G. C. Chandlee
of the School of Chemistry and Physcs and Prof. D. F. McFarland of the
School of Mines and Metallurgy will
net as judges.

Glenn Clarke, Noted Journalist, Speaks To Student Groups

Glenn Clarke, noted

Epsilon, honorary journalistic fra-territy
Mt Clarke is track coach at Mc-Allister college, Suint Paul, Minne-sota and is the author of several books on religious subjects. He is presi-dent of the Quill Club, journalistic frateinty of the middle west.

Parkinson Represents **Vocational Association**

Representing the American Vocational Association, Prof. II. G. Parkinson, professor of rural education, attended the convention of the federal board for vocational education, at Louisville, Kentucky, from December first to fourth.

The chief subject of discussion at the convention was the necessity for letter co-operation of the rural discretion with the educational system of the city districts. An attempt will be made to stimulate a greater interest in rural instruction.

Rifle Team Meets Williams in Opener

MAT SOUAD. STILL **COACHLESS, WORKS** WITH 1927 CAPTAIN

reddy Kaiser Will Temporarily Direct Promising Array Of Grapplers

CONTENDERS SCARCE IN HEAVYWEIGHT POSITIONS

oc Edmunds '21, or Speidell, Olympic Wrestler, May Be Named Mentor

Although the varsity wrestlers are not as yet under the supervision of a regularly-appointed coach, a squad of sixty men has been making progress under the tutelege of Freddy Kalser, who will captain the grapplers throughout the coming season. Neither Dave Dotar, former varsity coach, nor Cann, well-known refere and former Olympic mentor, were able to take a proffered berth at Penn Sinte and a choice now Lee between Doc Edmunds '21, former '135-pound champion, and Speidell, 145-pound runner-up in the 1924 Olympics.

Material Promising

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ed on this flank before a succossful season is assured.

Kaiser will handle the 115-pound section, while Steele, former plebe grapplers will be held in reserve. In the borth above Liggett and Schmuckere will seek, honors, with a broaded experience and a letter award to the ciedit of the former. Chemoweth, 135-pounder who stood behind Captain Liggett last year, must reckon with Long, another varsity man of no little experience, who threw off ten pounds to qualify in his present class. Ace and Cameron lead among aspirants for the middleweight division, while either Packard or Ike Long will probably weigh in at 160

On the twenty-eccond of January,

On the twenty-recond of January, the team will meet its first opponent, Lafayette, on the Armory mats and after the initial encounter, will tra-(Continued on third page)

PENN STATE ARCHITECTS **GET HONORABLE MENTION**

partment To Show Drawings Here-Many Colleges Submit Designs

Thirteen students of the department of architecture vero awarded honorable mentions for designs of problems submitted in an exhibit at the BeauxArt Institute of New York.

According to Prof J B Helme, Penn State's representative at the contest, several hundred designs were entered from various colleges throughout the country, three hundred and fifty-four having been submitted on the upper-class subject alone. The sophomores had as their subject, "An Entrance Doorway to a School of Architecture," and the juniors and seniors submitted dravings of "An Architect's Office."

The men receiving honorable men-

chitect's Office."

The men receiving honorable mentions are E. T. Eggers '29, B. C. Hibler '29, D. R. Hill '29, J. F. Morrison '28, N. J. Ressetin '28, J. Y. Roy '28, B. I. Stark '28, J. W. Williams '28, C. M. Bauchspies '27, A. S. Bomberger '27, C. G. Leitzel '27, A. H. Rosenfeld '27 and F. G. Wetzel '27

The department of architecture is planning an interesting exhibit of student work to be shown in Old Main when the drawings are returned from New York

LIBRARY REMAINS OPEN OVER HOLIDAY RECESS

the highest rating Penn State has Lad for some time.

Conches and managers from eighteen colleges were present. Mr. N. A. Ilamilton, of Canada, spoke to the delegates on the progress of lacrossa in his country, where a movement was started to encourage the playing of lacrossa in his country, where a movement was started to encourage the playing of lacrossa in high schools. The schedule is now being arranged, but will lact is now being arranged, but will lact be made public until complete.

YMIHAMS IN UPENET

Shooting their first match of the carregie Library will remain open during the Christimas vacation, pend by Miss Spar W Vought, librarian. All persons having books due during the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to turn them in on time or the regular tenant Miller is exacting the vacation period are requested to the vacation period are requested to the vacation period are managed. Students desirated to the vacation period to an announcement man the promise the vacation period are requested to the vacation period are requested to the vacati