

PLAYERS PREPARE FOR COMPETITION

Will Present "The Valiant" As Entry for Second State Dramatic Contest

EIGHT CLUBS TO STAGE SHOWS IN TOURNAMENT

Entering the second annual tournament of the Pennsylvania Dramatic Association, the Penn State Players will present "The Valiant" at Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, on March fourth or fifth.

"The Valiant" is a tragedy by Hawthorne Hall and Robert Middlemass. The cast of the play is composed of J. Wheatley '29, N. D. Zimmerman '27, B. F. Ricker '28, C. H. Minister '28, G. W. Knight '30, and Miss Mabel Reed '28.

There are several colleges entered in the competition. Bucknell, Villanova, Franklin and Marshall, Drexel, Haverford, Bryn Mawr, Juniata. Last year's contest which was held here was won by Gettysburg college. Grove City, Waynesburg and Gettysburg have dropped out this year and are replaced by Villanova, Juniata and Bryn Mawr.

Committee Reports On Commencement Plans

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Saturday, the second day of the exercises, will conclude the undergraduate commencement activities. The last three days of the program are reserved for the seniors and their guests, the alumni and the guests of the College. On Saturday the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees and the election of members to that body will be held. Other events listed for the day are athletic events, a meeting of the Alumni Council, class banquets and reunions and a performance by the Theopians.

Baccalaureate Sunday Baccalaureate Sunday will come on June twelfth. The Baccalaureate sermon, a band concert, vesper services and music will be planned for the day.

The most important day of the entire program, from a standpoint of activities will be Monday, the thirteenth. It will be devoted to alumni activities. During the morning the senior class day exercises and the annual meeting of the Alumni Association will be conducted. In the afternoon the members of the alumni will hold sway with a luncheon, parade, dinner and receptions. A Varsity-Alumni baseball game probably also will be arranged.

The commencement exercises at ten o'clock in the morning and the senate luncheon at noon on Tuesday, June fourteenth will be the last events of the five day program.

Nittany Gleemen Win In State Eliminations

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Bucknell, 195.2 and Washington and Jefferson, 181.2. R. W. Grant, director of the triumphant club and president of the Intercollegiate Musical Council of Pennsylvania, appeared before the audience and explained the history and development of glee club competitions in this country.

"The fourteen clubs to sing in the national contest in New York next month represent the results of elimination contests held among one hundred glee clubs throughout the country," explained Mr. Grant. He also mentioned that the University of Southern California glee club will tour the continent to represent the "Golden Gate State."

Newspapers Laudatory Pittsburgh newspaper critics were emphatic in their praise of the presentations of the Penn State singers. The work of the winners in their presentation of "Good Night" was particularly well received by the critics.

The judges of the contest were as follows: Dr. Will Earhart, chairman who is supervisor of music in the Pittsburgh schools; Ernest Lunt, conductor of the Mendelssohn choir; and Burt McMurtre, music critic of the Pittsburgh Press.

In making the decision, Mr. Earhart stated that it was the unanimous opinion of the adjudicators, and the verdict was endorsed enthusiastically by the audience.

Recommend Adoption Of Endowment Plan

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buildings now standing on the campus. The proposed plans will be placed before the class at a meeting to be held in the near future and will be passed on immediately. This will aid the Committee on Endowments in getting the policies out and the collection of premiums started.

Mr. Metzner, representative of the New York Life Insurance company in Johnstown, Pennsylvania, will attend this meeting to explain the system and policy in detail, and also answer any questions relative to the subject that may be asked.

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Lion Runners Loom In Indoor Distance Events

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improving in the dashes. Bates, Cartmell's crack broad jumper, has shown considerable speed in the last few days and may possibly enter the seventy yard dash next month with Mathias. He is already scheduled for the broad and high jumps.

Sands, Mollinger and Karbach and Filkias or Davis will make up Nate's mile relay team. The first two men are in fine condition and have shown considerable form in their workout. The two mile relay team depends a good deal upon whether Offenhausser can round into shape in time for the championships. Davis, Stewart, Smith, Kittle or Helfrich may set the call for this event.

Ide and Reed are expected to account for several points in the thirty-five pound weight event. Penn State has never scored more than fifteen points in the Intercollegiate and Cartmell is determined to surpass this record.

Revival of Traditions Planned By Tribunal

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paying more strict attention to violations of rules on the part of freshmen and of reporting such infractions to the Tribunal.

Check-up Week will not be a week of hazing the yearlings. Instead the Tribunal, believing that Penn State traditions and customs should be cherished, asks that the student body, strictly enforce the freshman "hello" habit, bearing bible and matches, and correct details of dress.

Botany Experts Test "Fire Blast" Effects

For the purpose of comparing the effects of the bacterial disease, "Fire Blast" in its effects on different plants, experts in the Penn State botanical laboratory are conducting a research to obtain further knowledge about the devastating disease.

The staff holding the experiments is composed of Prof. E. O. Nixon, H. C. Wall, Dr. Julia Haber and Miss F. P. Gibbons.

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FRESHMAN RALLY WINS OVER BUCKNELL PLEBES

Take Fifth Victory in Downing Bisons—Will Meet Pitt Yearlings Friday

By a sensational rally in the last ten minutes of play, the freshman basketball team nipped out the Bucknell plebes by a 26-24 count Saturday night in the Armory. It was their fifth successive victory. The next yearling game is with the Pitt freshmen Friday at Pittsburgh.

The visitors started with a rush but, after they had scored four points Coach Conover's charges launched a scoring spree and took the lead. It was short-lived, however, and the Orange and Blue went into the van again. Another spurt on the part of the Lions gave them a thirteen to ten lead which they held at half time.

In the next canto rapid dribbling and passing as well as accurate shooting enabled the Bucknell quint to amass ten more points while Captain Staley and his mates were scoring a lone foul goal.

Flashy Finish Then came the whirlwind finish of the Blue and White aggregation. Led by Dinwiddie and Staley the home dribblers completely outclassed their opponents and knotted the count at twenty points. Then a field goal by Anselmo gave the Lion cubs a lead which was the margin of their victory. In the last few minutes the ball saw-sawed from one end of the court to the other, both teams garnering but two goals apiece, matching goal for goal.

Only a close man to man defense enabled the home team to keep the invaders at a distance. Every Buck-

nell played seemed to be covered when the ball entered Penn State territory, so well did the plebe defense work out. The game ended as Lee missed a close shot after each side had rung up a pair of counters from the floor.

Kammire of the Bison herd was the leading scorer of the affair totaling ten points with four field goals and two fouls. Four floor shots apiece made Captain Staley and Leyda of the Blue and White quint tie for second honors.

It was the clever defense put up by Anselmo and Lee, however, that was the deciding factor in the Lion cubs triumph, whereas long shots by Thomas and Wadsworth kept the Bucknellians in the running during the closing minutes of play. Although the game was closely contested but fifteen personal fouls were called, seven on Conover's charges and one more on the visitors.

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Crimson Matmen Fall Before Varsity Team

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in a decision over Clementson, opposing lightweight.

The bout of Ace, stellar Lion 45-pounder, and Litrak, strong Harvard welter, proved the center of interest in the entire meet. At the end of the regulation ten-minute period, neither man had an advantage, and the ordered extra periods likewise proved fruitless. Under the intercollegiate ruling, the referee is powerless to decide a match and the two were given three points to divide.

Corson and Howe, Crimson middle and light-heavyweight grapplers, in

the two ensuing bouts reversed the tide of affairs. Before these warriors, the Long, wrestling in his newly-claimed 58-pound post, and Hollibaugh, now holding the light-heavyweight berth, suffered a decision and fall respectively. Garrison, however, wrestling in the decisive bout, stemmed the threatened tide by a decision over Wilson.

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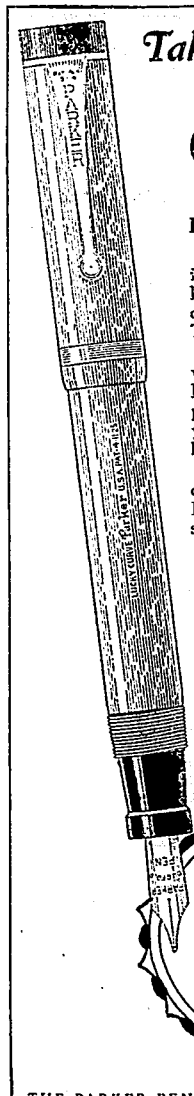
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