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DR. BATTENHOUSE WRITES NEW BOOK ON BIBLE HISTORY

English Professor Expects to Use Biblical Survey as Literature Text

WORK GIVES TEACHINGS OF OLD, NEW TESTAMENT

Recently Finished Manuscript Is Result of Past Three Years' Literary Toil

After three years of literary work, Dr. H. M. Battenhouse, associate professor of English literature, has just completed a religious book entitled "Opening the Book A Short Biblical History."

Primarily, the book is a college text and is designed to serve as a companion-book to Professor Battenhouse's "Century Readings in the Old Testament" and "Century Readings in the New Testament."

The book is essentially a history of Bible times, and provides a comprehensive background for Bible reading. It offers an introduction to the literature (the books) of the Old and New Testaments.

Professor Battenhouse wrote the book from his knowledge of the background of the Bible gained from fourteen years spent in religious work, six of which were occupied in regular pastoral duties and the remaining eight of which have been spent in Bible teaching.

FORTY LACROSSEMEN HOLD FIRST BANQUET

Dr. Goldsmith, Stick Expert, Speaks at Dinner—Kuich Is Toastmaster

To stimulate interest in lacrosse, Penn State's youngest sport, the first banquet, planned by Coach Eric Paul, newly appointed mentor, was held at the Centre Hills country club Saturday night.

A group of nearly forty men, including coaches, players, speakers and lacrosse officials, attended the newly instituted occasion.

Captain Wendel was the second speaker, while James Edinger, Richard Reinhold and John McInnes were the respective speakers representing the freshman, sophomore and junior classes.

Denn Holbrook, representing the faculty, offered a short address, after which Dr. J. B. Martin addressed the gathering on college spirit.

Dr. Goldsmith, one of the foremost lacrosse experts in the country, and former Penn coach, spoke of his amusing experiences and closed with a discussion of lacrosse as meriting the rank of a major sport.

Berryhill Heads Group of Ushers At Commencement

According to a new Student Council ruling this year, commencement ushers will be selected from representative members of the junior class.

Ten men have been chosen for this committee, and, as provided in the recent rule, the new senior class president, C. C. Berryhill, will act as chairman.

"It Is the Professor Who Pays" Says Town Burgess, "Seven Dollars Please"

The tentacles of the law clicked Tuesday. In its clutches was caught a member of the Penn State faculty for he had violated a borough ordinance and the authorities were administering justice.

Burgess Rothrock, Chief of Police Yougel and the accused were awaiting the arrival of the witness at six-thirty o'clock he came and the worthy town squire opened the venerable docket to make the required entries.

"Now Mr. . . . will you please recite what you know about this matter?"

KAPPA GAMMA PSI PRESENTS CONCERT

Louise Homer Club Assists in Program Held in Foyer of Auditorium

Modern French music featured the concert given by Kappa Gamma Psi, national professional music fraternity, in the Foyer of the Auditorium last night.

The fraternity orchestra, composed of four violins, a viola, two flutes, piano and harmonium, appeared three times, opening with an overture, playing a group of two short dramatic numbers near the middle of the program and closing with a fantasia.

After the orchestral group, one number of which was built entirely out of themes native to the Basque country in France, Miss Charlotte Hoy '27 played two organ solos, the second being an organ transcription of the famous "Pilgrims' Chorus" from Wagner's Tannhauser.

Nittany Tennis Team Will Meet Pitt Here Tomorrow Afternoon

The Nittany tennis team will play its final dual match of the season tomorrow afternoon when it encounters the University of Pittsburgh on the varsity courts here.

Since their win over Carnegie last week, the netmen have been practicing regularly and the same men that journeyed to the Smoky City last week are expected to play against Pitt.

Cooper is likely to take first court and Rosenberger the second. McCaw, McCabe, Hinkel and Metzner are also expected to face Pitt netmen.

In the doubles matches the regular combinations will probably play. They are Cooper and Rosenberger, McCaw and McCabe, and Hinkel and Metzner.

SCHOOL OF EDUCATION FACULTY WILL PICNIC

Faculty members of the School of Education will picnic on the site of the summer camp of the nature study department tomorrow afternoon.

During the picnic Prof. G. R. Greene will conduct several hikes, on which special phenomena of nature will be pointed out.

Kappa Delta Pi Holds Election of Officers

The Kappa Delta Pi, honorary educational fraternity, held their spring initiation and banquet at the Centre Hills Country Club Thursday night.

The speaker of the evening was Dr. James N. Rule, first deputy superintendent of public instruction. Following initiation, installation of officers took place.

Graduates May Secure Commencement Tickets

Commencement tickets for the guests of seniors will be distributed through the office of the Dean of Men, it was announced through that department yesterday.

If the program, which is to be conducted Tuesday morning, is held outdoors, each senior will be allotted two tickets. Only one will be given, however, if exercises are held in the Auditorium because of inclement weather.

The President's office will supervise the issuing of tickets to college guests, while those for alumni members will be handled by the Alumni secretary. Departmental offices have charge of admission cards for faculty members.

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Y. M. C. A. PREPARES FOR ENTERTAINMENT COURSE

The Revellers, Victor Recording Artists, Will Appear Here On Pennsylvania Day

Tentatively preparing next year's entertainment course, Mr. C. L. Fritz, business secretary of the "Y," has arranged for a number of celebrities to display their talents here.

Pennsylvania Day, the Revellers, Victor recording and radio broadcasting songsters, will entertain. This group of artists is expected to provide one of the outstanding programs of the musical year.

The Flonaley quartet, known to students who heard them here two years ago, will entertain on March third. This quartet is considered the best in the world at the present time.

Thirty Young Men Will Attend Second Annual School of Leadership

Thirty young men from various counties in the State will attend the second annual Leadership Training school, to be held in connection with Young Farmers' Week, under the direction of A. L. Baker, of the department of Agricultural Extension, June thirteenth.

The course is designed to fit the students for leadership in rural community affairs, particularly local agricultural extension work. The history of the service dates back to 1914, and a broad view of the activities of the Penn State department during this period will be given.

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After having presented the play several times, the members of the cast have learned just which lines have the best effect. Some new gags have been introduced, while others have been eliminated.

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Council Names Scrap, China Mission Groups

Student Council announces the appointment of members to two committees for the next college year.

The following will serve on the Scrap committee: H. F. Blankenbiller '28, chairman; J. C. Belfield '28, W. S. Lizzett '28, A. J. Gares '29, and R. R. McClelland '29.

SENIORS WILL HOLD ANNUAL CLASS DAY

Include Class History and Poem Reading in Program for June Thirtieth

REEDER, SPITLER, FRAIN TO DELIVER ADDRESSES

Differing from the exercises of other years, Senior Class Day will be conducted in the Auditorium instead of the open air theater.

S. L. Reeder, president of the graduating group, will give the opening address, which will be followed by the class history, compiled by L. R. Plotts.

Following the mirror oration honors will be awarded by donors G. M. Harris and Miss Lydia Robertson to G. P. Lippincott, Spoon man, W. E. Pritchard, Barrel man, F. W. Kaiser, Game man; Miss E. R. Frank, Bow girl, Miss Lillian Baker, Slipper girl, and Miss Frances Forbes, Fan girl.

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Dairy Department Releases Figures On Milk Products

"Let's get a dish of ice cream at the College creamery," must be a frequent invitation on the campus, since last year the College creamery manufactured over 20,000 gallons of the commodity, most of which was consumed by students at the salesroom on A4 hill.

The production of butter totaled over 270,000 pounds; cheese, over 52,000 pounds; cottage cheese, 21,000 pounds; condensed buttermilk, 2,200 pounds; chocolate milks, 2218 gallons; buttermilk, more than 15,000 gallons; bottled milk, 250,000 quarts, and bottled cream, 10,000 quarts.

The farmers living in the vicinity of State College were paid more than \$179,000 for milk and cream, from three hundred to three hundred and fifty patrons bringing their products to the College creamery.

Alumni To Return At Commencement

Alumni members from all sections of the country are expected to attend the annual commencement exercises and to celebrate their gala day here on June thirteenth, according to E. N. Sullivan '14, secretary of the Alumni.

Old graduates will take an active part in the activities, participating in eight events during the five-day period. Graduating students of the 1927 class, newest members of the Alumni, are urged to take part in the parade that will march to New Beaver Field on Monday, June thirteenth.

After then luncheon in MacAllister Hall, the Alumni group will personally welcome Dr. R. D. Hetzel as the new Penn State President. Many prominent Pennsylvania men, including Governor Fisher and members of the board of trustees, will attend this luncheon.

Outing Club Chooses Next Year's Leaders

Officers to serve for the 1927-28 term were elected by Outing Club members at their last meeting Wednesday night. The following were chosen to lead the hikers for next year: Lewis L. Palmer '29, president; C. Wallace Slooff, vice-president; Miss Katherine Hollabook '28, secretary; C. E. Patridge '28, treasurer; and G. A. Hutchison, outing director.

CINDERMEN CLOSE SEASON TOMORROW IN ANNUAL COMBAT AGAINST PANTHERS

Pitt, Scoring Seven Points at I. C. 4-A Meet, Possesses Well-rounded Track And Field Team

LINN RUNNER-UP TO IDE

Gibby Welch Will Compete in Four Events—Broad Jump, Shot Put, Discus and Javelin Throws

When the Pitt Panthers invade New Beaver field tomorrow for the annual track and field meet, Coach Nate Garmitt's charges will need every possible point to insure victory over the Smoky City aggregation.

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PLAYERS PRESENT "THE DOVER ROAD" NEXT WEEK

E. F. Ricker '28 Will Have Chief Role—Showing to Take Place Friday Night

With the commencement presentation of Mine's comedy, "The Dover Road," next Friday night, the Penn State Players will close an ambitious and successful season. Tickets, now on sale at Whitey Muser's at seventy-five cents a one dollar.

The leading part of "The Dover Road" will be played by E. F. Ricker '28, who will be remembered for his outstanding acting in "Medea," "Meriton of the Movies," and "The Rear Car."

Professor Cloetingh considers that his work in "The Dover Road" will be his best. He has yet done Miss Margaret Simons plays the leading female role, and Ike Ricker, who has had considerable dramatic experience.

The entire cast is made up of players who are favorites among State College audiences. The parts will be played as follows: "Mi Latimer" by E. F. Ricker '28, "Anne" by Miss Margaret Simons, "Leonard" by O. S. Anderson '28, "Eustacia" by Miss Evelyn Wainford, and "Domino" by W. L. Drunkenbrod '28.

Fraternity Baseball Tourney Nears Finals

In recent interfraternity baseball competition, the Tau Kappa Epsilon team lost a 2-2 game to the Theta Kappa Phi Tuesday evening. Beta Sigma Rho lost to Phi Kappa Sigma and the Theta Chi combination dropped one to the Phi Kappa on Wednesday.

This afternoon, Phi Kappa will clash with Phi Kappa Psi and the Friends' Union men will meet Phi Kappa Sigma. Theta Kappa Phi will meet the winners in the play-off of the Delta Sigma Phi-Alpha Phi Sigma title.