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campus hife, the number of vates cast was increased by thriv to fifty percent because of the interest stimulated and developed by the public nature of the system. Com-petition sharpened jet it bred no political fraction. In fast, greater haimony grew out of one feature of the system, that of appointing a non-particular member of the faculty to supervise a group compatable to our Student Board when it tallied the ballots

There are more trivial advantages to be derived from the plan. Dreadvantages are few, if any. The non-fra-ternity faction may feel timid or wary toward adopting a ternity faction may feel timid or wary toward adopting a pinn of which cliques are a necessary and fundamental part. Yet there is no provision which forbids mon-fra-ternity cliques. In fact, the open politics system would enable the not-fraternity remessentatives to organize their power definitely and effectually; at present they are some-what restricted and handicapped by lack of sufficient or-ganization. Under the new system they could fulfill sup-pressed desues by electing completent men of their faction and in so doing help break fraternity omnipokeneo, which has always been the most dangerous and one-sided fea-ture of the government of this democratic institution.

Surely the plan deserves emeral consideration despite Surely the plan descrive caneful consideration despite the protests of its opponents who condemn it as impract-feable, hardly workable at Penn State. Their behefs are obviously founded on conjecture and estimation for the practicability of the system cannot be truthfully ascer-tained until it has been experimented for a reasonable poind of time. Not can the dissenters prove their argu-ment by example since the plan has been found suitable in most of the colleges-come with enrollments as large as 15,000-which have adopted it

Penn State is expanding rapidly. It is becoming more and more complex every year So-are its problems its student life, government and politics. There is cer

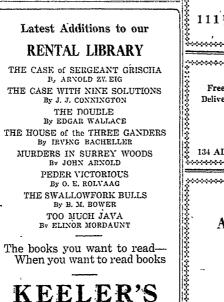
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# tainly no need for campus politics to lag behind the for-ward moving institution, especially when there is a pro-gressive plan in view. Letter Box

A VALUABLE ADDITION To replace Dean Genald L. Wendt, of the School of The Penn State COLLEGIAN Chemistry and Physics. Dr Fiank C Whitmore, who is now hoad of the department of Chemistry at Noithwestern University, has been appointed Doctor Whitmore will the freshmen and sophonio take up his duties at Penn State at the ead of the second scmester. The College Administration is to be congratu-lated upon selecting and securing the services of this able the upon selecting and securing the services of the base. In due the same lockers i chemist. The has the requiring the base the other services of the same lockers i

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ganized Press club during the Christ mas vacation. At the suggestion of the club, many of the county organi zations sent delegations to interview the clutors of local papers in an effor to scentre a more hierari attitude to wards news from the College. COLLEGE MOVES OFFICES

watas news from the College. The labrary is indebted to Profes-iese F. L. Pattee for a number of Thes-pian pictures, also books and pamph-lets to the number of lifteen. The proposition that the people of State College have made to the West-ern Union Telegraph company foi several years of furnishing an office and operator if the company would put up the lines has finally been ne-cepted.

cepted. Never in the history of the College have the Countr clubs been so num-erous and well organiced as they are this year. The work which they do in attracting prospective students and. adventiving the College cun hardly be setumated.

# **Engineers** Inaugurate New Extension Groups

Ingineering Extension department av placed new clusses in points hroughout the State New classes ave heen located at Biadfold, Bis-ol Deiry, Eile, Meadville, Greens-urg, oh City, Punsutawney, Shai-and Sprawset

Somerset r industrial concerns are usin n and Many Many industrial concerns are using the course in foremain training ex-tensively. The Kevstone Drussion of the West Penn Power company an-nounced that they will conduct an extension course for their men at Bellefonte and Ridgeway.

Every day is a gift day Gifti suitable foi every occasion at the Old Mann Art Shop. AINSWORTH TALKS HERE

Mr. Cuil Answorth of the Penn-evitanus Department of Laboa and Industry at Hausaburg, will speak m the regulas engineering lecture this aftermoon at 110 o'clock, on the sub-ject of "Safety and Accident Provon-tom" Mi Ainwooth, who is D-rector of the Buteau of Industini Standauds, will represent the National Safety Council in ins address here

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Trials for the debate on the jury question will be held in noun 7 Liberal Arts building at 7 30 o'leeck tonght by the standard this meeting.



Nittany Theatre "RIDAY-Cathou

Matinee at 2 00 Billie Dove, Antonio Moreno in "ADORATION"

RIDAY-Nittany-Lon Chaney, Anita Page in 'WHILE THE CITY SLEEPS'

SATURDAY-Cathaum-Matinee at 2.00 Colleen Moore, Antonio Moreno in

"SYNTHERIC SIN" 

ONDAY and TUESDAY-Matinee Monday at 2.00 Gary Cooper, Nancy Carroll in "THE SHOPWORN ANGEL"

UESDAY—Cathaum— Matinee at 2 00 Sammy Cohen, Marjorie Beebe in "HOMESICK"

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FROMM'S **SUPER-DISPOSAL SALE** Óffers You Savings on Society Brand Kirshbaum Learbury Braeburn and Hart, Schaffner and Marx SUITS and OVERCOATS Florsheim, Johnston and Murphy, Walk-Over and Crawford SHOES FOR MEN I. Miller, Walk-Over, Stetson and Meinihan Arch-Aid

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**Opposite Front Campus** 

### Friday, January 11, 1929

Notices

In accordance with the plan of acating the thud and fourth floors of Old Main, the offices listed be-sw have been located in the fol-owing buildings. ces-Landing of front starting of Carnegle library

Final opportunity for semors grad-unding in February to be mensured for caps and gowns will be granted this evening, tomorrow and Moniay nights from 6 until 8 o'clock at Slark Dioth-ers and Bargers her area of the basket-ball grants, last ught and tomorrow unght, according to John G Lungren, committee charinan Delta Sigma Pi members and pledg-es will meet at the Photo Shop at 12 o'clock today for the La Tire picture. There will be an important meeting of the Lycoming County club in 100 15 'Liberial Arits building Thursday evening, January 17 Trusts for the debate on the jury

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All candidates for second assistant track manager sign up at the A. A. office at once

Mathematicians Visit. Scientific Convention Trofessors Frederick W. Owens, Charles A. Rupp, Orin Fink Jr. and Masses Plorence M Menis, and Frærers I Monteith, representatives of the department of mathematics, attended a meeting of the association to the Advancement of Science held at Columbia university, from Decem-tion with meetings of tworty-two tote professonal societies. Profes-sols Rupp and Fink read technical papers at the conference. DOCTOR TANGER RETURNS

Amhrad at the Phi Gamma Delta honse Ptof, John H Frizzell was elected chairman of the elub's board of di-rectors at a meeting of that group the week Robert B Voskamp was chosen graduate manager and secto-tary of the board Heibert R Kin-ky was elected trensurer. D1. Jacob Tanger, professor of pol-tical science, has just returned from a sublatical leave of five months dur-ation, and will be teaching during the second semester. Doctor Tanger spent the time touring Europe.