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## STEVENS TO OPEN L. A. SERIES WITH TALK FEBRUARY 21

'Grover Cleveland' Selected as  
First Speech Topic of  
Lecture Course

### MEETINGS PLANNED FOR HOME ECONOMICS UNIT

Speaker's List Includes Waller,  
Koepp-Baker, Whitmore,  
Lewis, Daugherty

Speaking on "Grover Cleveland: A Study in Political Courage," Prof. Sylvester K. Stevens, of the history department, will open the twenty-third annual Liberal Arts lectures series on Tuesday, February 21.

The series of talks this year will continue throughout the months of February, March, April and May. Unless otherwise indicated by announcement, the lectures this year will be held in the assembly room of the new Home Economics building instead of in the Little Theatre as in former years.

#### Waller To Speak

The change this year was made because of the greater seating capacity of the assembly room. Dr. Harold F. Alderfer, chairman of the lecture committee stated. Approximately three hundred people were turned away from the talks last year, because of insufficient seating capacity, the committee chairman said.

Dr. Willard Waller, of the department of sociology, will give the second lecture in the course March 7, speaking on "The Professor Looks at Himself." "Habits of Atoms" will be the subject of Dean Frank C. Whitmore, head of the School of Chemistry and Physics, in the third lecture on March 21.

#### Talks End May 9

Continuing the lecture series on April 4, Herbert Koepp-Baker, of the department of English composition, will discuss "This Talking World," while Willard P. Lewis, College librarian, will speak on "John Peter Zenger: Early New York Printer" in the fifth lecture of the series April 25.

Concluding the lecture course on May 9, Prof. Paul R. Daugherty, of the department of Spanish, will talk on "Manuel Ugarte: Anarchist or Patriot." Other members of the committee in charge of the arrangements for the lectures are Dr. Franklin Krauss, of the classical languages department, and David D. Mason, of the romance languages department.

### DUTCHER TO ADDRESS OPEN MEETING TOMORROW NIGHT

Dr. R. Adams Dutcher, of the department of biological chemistry, will address the Pre-Medical society on the subject, "Vitamins," at an open meeting tomorrow night at 7 o'clock.

Dr. Dutcher spoke on the same topic before the convention of the Pennsylvania State Medical society at Pittsburgh last fall.

### STEIDLE ADDRESSES MEETING

Dean Edward Steidle of the School of Mineral Industries and Dr. Nelson W. Taylor of the department of ceramics were speakers at a dinner meeting of the Ceramics society in the State College hotel last night. Approximately twenty-five were in attendance.

## News of Speeches, Athletics Given Most Space in College Newspapers

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## No Exploitation of Student Labor Here, Study Reveals

Economics Class Conducting College Survey  
Recently, Discloses Average Wage  
As 39.2 Cents Per Hour

Student labor at Penn State is far from being exploited, the average wage for both men and women students engaged in work here being 39.2 cents per hour, while the average working day is 1.99 hours, according to a study conducted recently by members of a class studying labor problems under the direction of A. Harold Reede, of the department of economics.

Men are somewhat better paid than women, receiving 41.6 cents per hour as compared by the average female labor wage listed as 32.7 cents. In the compilation of the general statistics, a greater percentage of cases involving male labor was used, in order to approximate the averages according to the proportion of men and women in the student body. The material was organized into a report by Keith D. Pfoor '33, a member of the class.

Most of the male students were found to be employed as either waiters or kitchen help, the former receiving a slightly better wage per hour, because of a smaller working day. Although both waiters and kitchen help receive an equal compensation per day, the former are employed for only 2.20 hours while the latter have a working day of 2.29 hours, according to the report.

With the fraternity houses listed as the greatest source for employment, other students considered in the study were those employed as caterers, treasurers, tailors, furnace men, clerks, and R. O. T. C. officers. Members of this group, working an average of 1.63 hours a day, earn approximately 41.8 cents per hour, the report revealed.

Women students working here were found to be engaged for the most part as waitresses, clerks, telephone operators and kitchen help, and in the various libraries. Receiving the lowest

### HIGH SCHOOL REPORTERS WILL RECEIVE AWARDS

P. N. P. A. Gives \$50 for Sigma Delta  
Chi Journalism Contest

An appropriation of fifty dollars to be awarded as prizes in the annual high school reporters contest, sponsored by the department of journalism and Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, was made by the Pennsylvania Newspaper Publishers association at its convention at Harrisburg last week.

Although definite dates for the contest have not been set as yet, the competition will be held within the next month, according to Prof. Franklin C. Banner, head of the department of journalism. More than 250 entries were submitted in the 1932 contest.

High school students who correspond for daily or weekly newspapers are eligible to compete in the contest. Stories submitted by the contestants will be judged by the committee on editorial affairs of the Newspaper Publishers association.

### MERRILL WILL LEAD SESSION

Prof. Dana K. Merrill, of the department of English literature, will have charge of the weekly Fireside reading session sponsored by the College library in the upper lounge of Old Main at 4:15 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Professor Merrill will read selections from recent American biographies and autobiographies in the various fields of activity.

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## Freshmen Nominate 10 Men for Offices

Freshmen nominated ten men to fill their remaining class offices at a meeting Friday night. Evan Politt and David K. Sloan jr. will compete for the post of secretary, while William S. Bennett, R. John Carey, Ralph B. Parker jr., and Charles M. Schwartz will contest for the position of '36 class treasurer.

Following a vote to retain the office of Class Historian, Frank Alburger jr., Paul W. Brubaker, Raymond W. Kohler, and Harry Latorre were nominated for that office. Elections will be held in the Chemistry Amphitheatre at 7:30 o'clock Friday night, Richard W. Maurer, president of the class, has announced.

## COLLEGES DISCUSS CURRICULAR CUTS

Dr. Hetzel, 3 Other Presidents  
Plan Revision Measures  
For Economy

Measures for the simplification of curricula in the four State-aided colleges and universities were discussed at a meeting of the institutional heads at Harrisburg Thursday.

President Ralph D. Hetzel attended the conference, which was one of a series of meetings held for the purpose of working out an economy program. President Thomas S. Gates, of the University of Pennsylvania; Chancellor John C. Bowman, of the University of Pittsburgh; and Dr. Milton F. Stauffer, of Temple University, were also present at the conference.

Economy Will Result  
Elimination of duplicated courses will result in less money being needed for carrying on instructional work, the college heads said. This is in line with the reduction in appropriations recommended by the Governor last week.

Definite plans will not be completed for some time, it was understood. However, the College Senate made an important simplification move here two weeks ago when it approved the elimination of eight of the seventy-one curricula.

In presenting his 1933-35 budget to the Legislature last week Governor Pinchot called attention to the need for economy on the part of State-aided institutions. He commended their efforts to cooperate with the financial policies of the Commonwealth during the present economic depression.

Recommendations by students, which should be specific in suggesting changes, should be addressed to the Student Committee on Courses and Curricula, and delivered at the Student Union desk, Old Main. Before drawing up the report in its final form, the group is desirous of weighing all student opinion on the matter, Maxwell said.

## KRUMBINE SPEAKS IN CHAPEL SUNDAY

Declares 'Personal Happiness Most  
Important Factor of Our  
Modern Experience'

"Personal happiness, not the mere amassing of money so that you can make your neighbors jealous, should be, and is rapidly becoming, the most important factor in life to the great majority of people in this country," said Dr. Miles H. Krumbine, pastor of the Plymouth church, of Shaker Heights, Cleveland, speaking at the chapel services in Schwab auditorium, Sunday morning.

"It must be realized that there is a great difference between a search for what is only transient pleasure, and a striving for lasting happiness," the speaker explained. "It is the capacity of acting as sort of enzyme for the achieving of this goal that religion becomes so important," he added.

"In this modern day, things are assuming a new significance for us. We judge things not so much from the viewpoint of what they are, but from the more important angle of determining just what they will do," Dr. Krumbine said. "It is more important to observe religion in this way than to try to analyze it," he continued.

Speaking of the teachings of religion, the Cleveland minister observed that probably its greatest lesson was that of showing the need for a personal humility, without which no man can be truly worth while. It was because of his acquiring personal humility that the later writings of Goethe are infinitely superior to those which he composed when he was young and very arrogant, the speaker said.

### DAVEY WILL GIVE LECTURE

Dr. Wheeler P. Davey, of the School of Chemistry and Physics faculty, will address an open meeting of Sigma Pi Sigma, honorary physics fraternity, in Room 9, Chemistry Annex, at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. Dr. Davey will discuss the "Chemical Physics of Crystal Structural Data."

## Bezdek, Fleming Visualize Eastern Grid Conference

Include Penn State in Proposed Association  
Among Colleges for Advancement  
Of Purer Athletic Ideals

Hugo Bezdek and Neil Fleming join the nation's leading sports editors in the belief that an Eastern Intercollegiate Football "Conference" is closer than it has ever been to becoming a reality.

What is more, Penn State's athletic leaders give us every reason to believe that, if the association is formed, Penn State will be included in a possible membership of Harvard, Yale, Princeton, Dartmouth, Pennsylvania, Columbia, Syracuse, Cornell, Army, Navy, and Brown.

## COMMITTEE SEEKS COURSE CRITICISMS

Group To Make Investigations,  
Will Outline Plans for  
Curricula Changes

Criticisms and recommendations by the student body as to courses and curricula in the College, are solicited for consideration by the Student Committee on Courses and Curricula, according to Robert M. Maxwell '33, chairman of the group.

Completing the investigations and study which it has been making for the last few months, the committee is organizing the material into a report which will be submitted within the next few weeks to the Senate survey committee, appointed by the President, of which it is a division.

Divided into three parts, the report when completed will contain general recommendations of improvement for the whole College, suggestions for the various schools as a whole, and specific recommendations for adding and dropping courses. In making the study, the group considered duplication and substitution of courses, those with unnecessary pre-requisites, and courses in one school, which are too specialized for students enrolled in another school.

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## DEBATING TEAM LOSES TO ST. FRANCIS SQUAD

Heagney, Dalton Defend Affirmative  
Of War Debt Question Friday

Defending reparations and war debt cancellation, the College debating team, composed of Dan Heagney '33 and Joseph L. Dalton '34, lost a judge's decision meet to the St. Francis College orators in the Little Theatre, Old Main, on Friday night.

The negative arguments were presented by Xavier Crowley and John McCann, of St. Francis. The question used was, "Resolved, that all intergovernmental war debts, including reparations, should be cancelled."

Dr. Carl W. Hasek, professor of economics, Prof. Jo Hays, superintendent of the State College schools, and Henry H. Rogers, graduate student, were the judges. An open forum discussion was conducted after the contest.

## ALPHA PHI OMEGA ELECTS 4

Alpha Phi Omega, honorary education and social service fraternity, initiated three seniors and one sophomore at a meeting Saturday. The Penn State chapter of the fraternity was organized last spring.

With fraternity expenses reduced fifteen percent and town bills lower, with only twenty-five student leaving College for financial reasons, and with little evidence of undernourishment among students, "Conditions at Penn State are but slightly below normal," in the opinion of Arthur R. Warnock, dean of men.

A report upon the effects of the depression upon Pennsylvania colleges by Romeyn H. Rivenburg, dean of men, Bucknell University, was used as a guide in a survey of student conditions on this campus.

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## COMMITTEE SIGNS EMERSON GILL AS SENIOR BALL BAND

Cleveland Orchestra Will Play  
At All-College Function  
On February 17

BROADCASTS EACH NIGHT  
FROM STATION WTAM

Chairman Announces Opening  
Of Poster Contest—Programs  
Feature Celluloid

Emerson Gill and his orchestra has been signed to furnish the music for Senior Ball in Recreation hall February 17, John H. Good '33, chairman of the dance committee, announced yesterday.

Coming direct from Cleveland, Emerson Gill's band will play its first engagement on this campus at the Senior function. For the past two years the orchestra has been broadcasting from the Locust Gardens in that city nightly over station WTAM.

The band of eleven members first opened at the Hotel Hollenden in Cleveland six years ago and has since gained a wide reputation as a recording orchestra. Emerson Gill, beside leading the orchestra, also plays the violin and saxophone.

The Senior Ball chairman has announced that the Gill band also carries three featured singers. Marion Manser, formerly of vaudeville, Pinky Hunter, drummer, and Frank Duval, are soloists for the organization.

Plans for programs have been completed and will feature transparent celluloid covers backed by silver foil. Prizes for the function this year has been reduced to three dollars plus tax.

A poster contest will begin immediately, Good has announced, with the final date for submitting posters February 3. Entries for the contest should be submitted to Albert L. Fritz jr. '33, at the Sigma Phi Epsilon fraternity, while prizes for the competition will be announced later.

## FRIZZELL TO SPEAK BEFORE LEWISTOWN KIWANIS CLUB

Prof. John H. Frizzell, head of the department of public speaking, will lecture before Lewistown Kiwanis club on the topic, "Some By-products of the Depression," at Lewistown tonight.

Professor Frizzell, who has been giving a series of lectures on the same topic at meetings throughout central Pennsylvania, will speak at the meeting of the Anthracite chapter of the American Institute of Banking at Pottsville on Friday.

## DAVIS APPOINTED CHAIRMAN

Dr. Elwood C. Davis, of the School of Physical Education has been appointed chairman of the Health and Physical Education committee sponsored by the Association of Liberal Arts colleges in its survey of certification standards for teachers in secondary schools. Nelson S. Walke of the physical education faculty was made a member of the committee.

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