

**SIGMA PHI EPSILON
LEADS IN BEZDEK
CUP COMPETITION**

Sigma Nu Holds Second Place
With 205 Points—Beta,
Theta Pi Third

**3 FRATERNITIES HAVE
FOURTH PLACE HONORS**

12 Groups Gain More Than 85
Credits Toward Annual
Athletic Trophy

By amassing a total of 215 points, Sigma Phi Epsilon leads in the race for the 1933 Bezdek cup, standings for competition in fall varsity and intramural sports released by the Intramural board show.

Twelve fraternities have garnered eighty-five or more points in competition for the trophy given annually by Director Hugo Bezdek, of the School of Physical Education, for the advancement of sports at Penn State. Scoring of points was based on the number of representatives of the various houses in varsity sports, competition in intramural sports, and first and second assistant managers.

Sigma Nu Places Second

Sigma Nu, winner last year, holds second place with 285 points, followed by Beta Theta Pi in the third position with 160 points. Three fraternities, Delta Tau Delta, Delta Upsilon, and Phi Kappa Sigma are tied at fourth place, each with a total of 155 points. Phi Delta Theta with 135 points holds seventh place ahead of Kappa Sigma with 122 points and Chi Upsilon with 95 points. Sigma Pi and Sigma Chi are deadlocked at eleventh place with 90 points, while twelfth place goes to Pi Kappa Alpha with a total of 85 points.

Points Listed

One hundred and thirty of Sigma Phi Epsilon's points were gained as a result of winning the intramural football tournament, while thirty points were garnered from intramural cross country. Varsity football netted the leaders fifty-five points.

Sigma Nu's total was gained by eighty-five points from varsity football, sixty-five from soccer, and thirty-five from varsity cross country. Competition in intramural football gave the second place holders ten points, with five points each from intramural cross country and intramural horsehoes tournament.

One hundred and twenty-five points of Beta Theta Pi's total came from representatives in varsity football, while twenty points were gained from varsity soccer and ten from varsity cross country. Intramural football netted the third place holders five points.

**REV. ILLINGWORTH
TALKS AT CHAPEL**

Addresses First Service of Second
Semester in Auditorium
Sunday Morning

"Abraham Lincoln was great in spite of his many weaknesses because of his faith in God," declared the Rev. Ralph W. Illingworth Jr., pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Philadelphia at the regular chapel address Sunday morning.

It was Lincoln's unflinching belief that if God was on his side he would succeed, which carried him successfully through the treacherous days of the presidency, the Philadelphia pastor continued. Without this faith, he would have shown only his weaknesses to the world, he added.

Materialism—the striving only for things to pile up where the eye can dwell upon them—would have ruined Lincoln, the speaker said. He pointed out that Esau, who was probably the only materialist whose problems have come down to us from ancient times, lost a great amount of the true happiness of his life from his selfish, purely materialistic desires.

"Limited, after all, is the life of a materialist, bounded as it is by the world's poor goods. How infinitely greater the life that is lived on the greater plane, how much richer in memories the life of one who has been faithful," Rev. Illingworth concluded.

ALUMNI BOARD MEETS HERE

Members of the executive board of the Penn State Alumni association held their regular mid-winter meeting here Saturday morning. Nine alumni of the College were present in their capacity as members of the board.

Named Chairman

Harry A. Bauder '33 will serve as chairman for the Interfraternity Ball on March 31, it was announced Sunday by Herbert E. Longenecker '33, president of Interfraternity Council.

Other members of the committee are: A. Albert Blaess '33; Harris Ebenbach '33; Howard D. Fonz '33; Alfred W. Hess '33; George F. Hieber '33; Robert C. Rinehimer '33; Frank R. Tully '33; Carl B. Wille '33; and Harry W. Wilson '33.

**PARENTS' AID FUND
LACKS DONATIONS**

Absence of Interest in Drive
Scored by Secretary of
Loan Association

Contributions to the Parents' Student Loan fund have diminished to the point where it is difficult to meet operating expenses, according to Prof. J. Orris Keller, secretary of the loan fund association.

Only one student has received aid from the fund this year, and no money is available for aid at the present time, Professor Keller said. Approximately \$800 had been contributed to the fund last year at this time, he added.

Predicts Increase

Emphatically denouncing the lack of interest on the part of the parents as a factor in the failure of the fund, Professor Keller pointed out that replies from parents indicated that many could not afford to contribute and were uncertain of the means by which their children could continue in college.

"Of those who have contributed," Professor Keller said, "many have given more than the dollar necessary for membership in the association. This shows that parents realize the need for student aid, and indicates that with the return of normal business conditions membership in the association will undoubtedly increase." Contributions received during the year have been used for mailing letters to parents, publishing and mailing the bulletin of the association, and in defraying the expenses of programs on Dads' Day and Mothers' Day.

**Prominent Alumni Praise
Extra-Curricular Activities**

38 of 45 Graduates Believe Participation Aids
Greatly to Success in Later Life,
Questionnaire Reveals

Extra-curricular activities contributed greatly to success in after life, in the opinion of thirty-eight of forty-five prominent Penn State alumni who participated in those activities while at college.

"If you were a participant in extra-curricular activities while at college, what is your opinion of their value as gauged by their contribution to success in after life?" was one of sixteen questions sent by the COLLEGIAN to a selected list of sixty-three prominent alumni of the College. These men now hold outstanding positions with large corporations, manufacturing concerns, mining companies, governmental departments, colleges, and churches.

Of the fifty-one alumni who answered the questionnaire, forty-five indicated that they had participated in extra-curricular activities at college, while only six had not. Twelve of the participants marked the value of activities as "Very Great," twenty-six as "Great," and seven as "Perceptible." None of the alumni said that their participation had "proved either 'Negligible' or 'Detrimental'."

When asked to evaluate the specific

**HETZEL PROHIBITS
SMALL CLASSES IN
ECONOMY RULING**

Required Courses Must Number
5 Students, Undergraduate
Electives at Least 10

**MOVE NECESSITATED BY
CUT OF APPROPRIATIONS**

Measure Will Take Effect Next
Semester—President May
Authorize Exceptions

Classes in required undergraduate courses containing five or fewer students, and classes in elective courses enrolling less than ten students will not be given without the special consent of the President beginning next semester, as a result of a ruling by President Ralph D. Hetzel Saturday.

Exceptions to these regulations will be made when the conference method is used and when the classes are taught with other classes, so that the combined enrollment totals ten or more students, the ruling stated.

Listed as Economy Measure

The ruling was made as a result of a recommendation by the Survey committee, headed by Dean Charles W. Stoddard, of the School of Liberal Arts, which is now making a complete study of the entire set-up of the College. It comes as another measure of economy in the teaching program of the College which is now being instituted because of the probable cut in the appropriation.

In order to eliminate the "dead-wood" in the College's list of courses, the President also approved a suggestion by the Survey committee to drop all undergraduate courses not given during the first semester of 1932-33, not in any one of the seven preceding semesters.

To Make Final Report

A complete report of the work done by the Survey committee since it began its study two years ago at the request of the President will be made on March 1, Dean Stoddard said. Additional recommendations for changes and suggestions for future study will be included in the final report.

Accompanying the report, a final list of objectives of the College in the future will be submitted by a special committee headed by Dean Robert L. Sackett, of the School of Engineering. A student group, of which Robert M. Maxwell '33 is chairman, will also offer a list of recommendations for changes in the College program at that time.

ADVERTISING MAN TO SPEAK

W. J. Miller, a Williamsport advertising man, will speak on the operations of an advertising agency at an open meeting in Room 318, Old Main, at 7:30 o'clock tomorrow night. This is the first of a series of lectures planned by the newly-organized Advertising club.

**Weatherman Cites
Low Temperatures
In Zero Cold Wave**

Students who thrust their hands deep into their pockets and wore their heaviest overcoats for the first time this year while attending classes since last Thursday had good reason, for the temperature was never at any time above the freezing point.

The lowest temperature of the current cold snap was reached early Sunday morning, when the thermometer read one degree below zero. On Thursday the low was two degrees above zero, while on Friday the thermometer went even lower—to one degree above zero.

The cold abated somewhat on Saturday, reaching the comparatively high temperature of seventeen degrees above zero. The highest temperature of the cold snap was registered on Saturday afternoon when the thermometer reached twenty-six degrees above zero.

**FINAL ENROLLMENT
LISTS 4,269 TOTAL**

Complete Compilation Reveals
Increase of 309 Students
Over Last Figures

Showing an increase of 309 over the 3,960 mark recorded at the close of the registration period last Wednesday, complete enrollment figures for the second semester total 4,269, William S. Hoffman, College registrar, announced yesterday.

Eighty of the additional registrations were from Mont Alto where sixty freshmen and twenty second-year men enrolled for second semester courses. Of the remaining 229 who enrolled since the close of the regular period, the majority were graduate students with permissions for late registration.

To Release Grade Reports

Student grade reports will be given out at the registrar's office in Old Main on Thursday and Friday. The grade sheets will be released to alphabetical groups in four half-day periods, Registrar Hoffman said yesterday.

Students whose last names begin with the letters A to D inclusive may receive grade sheets Thursday morning, while on Thursday afternoon students in the alphabetical classes S to Z may obtain their grades. Reports will be available Friday morning for students in classes L to R inclusive, while those in the E to K group may obtain their grades Friday afternoon.

No grades other than those scheduled will be given out during the regular distribution periods, Registrar Hoffman stated. Late applicants may call for their grades on or after Saturday morning.

**WOMEN STUDENTS
WILL MEET TODAY**

Senior Society To Hold Leadership
Conference For Co-eds in
Old Main Lounge

Sponsored by Archonai, honorary senior women's activities society, a leadership conference for all women students will be held in the second floor lounge of Old Main today.

Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock will speak on "The Girls' Place in Campus Leadership" at the 10 o'clock session. "Community Leadership" will be discussed by Mrs. Frank W. Haller at the same meeting.

Dr. George W. Hartmann, of the psychology department, will answer the question "Have Women Met the Challenge of Leadership?" at the afternoon session at 2 o'clock. In addition, Robert M. Maxwell '33 will discuss "Society's Need of the Student," while Ralph D. Hetzel Jr. '33 will talk on "The Student's Response."

Short talks by seven freshmen girls on desirable leadership traits will conclude the afternoon session. These talks will be given by Eleanor H. Bane, Janet M. Beman, Mariana Prantz, Carol R. Hagenbuch, Virginia W. Lewis, Beula M. Rhoads, Anna M. Soisson, and Selena A. Wunderlich.

RAY, HAIDT, HALLER, SPEAK

AT OPENING OF CWEN WEEK

With Dean of Women Charlotte E. Ray, Miss Marie Haidt, and Mrs. Frank W. Haller as speakers, a compulsory freshman class meeting opened the annual Cwen Week last night.

Members of Cwens, honorary sophomore women's activities society, will sit together at dinner tomorrow night. A party for freshmen women will be held in the McAllister hall lobby Thursday night.

**'Work Your Way Through
College,' Thomas Advises**

Experience Valuable,
Noted Lecturer
Believes

Do students who work their way through college rob themselves of all the advantages of an education?

"No," answers Lowell Thomas, noted lecturer and radio reporter, who spoke here at the College Saturday night. "Although it is a highly debatable question, I believe that a student gets as much value from the experience gained in earning his own college expenses as he would if he devoted his entire time to classwork."

Mr. Thomas discussed the question with an interviewer while traveling from Lewistown to State College before his lecture. He talked about his own experiences to prove his point.

"I earned all of my expenses, and I don't think I missed much while I was doing it," the lecturer said. "While an undergraduate, I managed to find time to edit the school paper, to participate in athletics, and to take in all the dances and other social affairs in spite of my outside work."

"While it is true that I may have derived a lot more benefit from my classes had I apportioned more time to them, I certainly got a lot of experience from extra work during my college days which helped considerably when I, supposedly, came out into the world."

So firmly does Mr. Thomas believe in the value of practical work while studying at college that he stipulated in his will recently that his son would be required to earn at least half the cost of his college education. Mr. Thomas also rated public speaking ability as one of the easiest and best known stepping stones to success.

Following his lecture in Schwab auditorium, Mr. Thomas saw Penn State defeat North Carolina in boxing. A reception for the noted traveler was held by Sigma Delta Chi, professional journalism fraternity, and Kappa Sigma, social fraternity, in the Hugh Beaver room, Old Main. He was initiated into both organizations during his college years.

Mr. Thomas arrived in State College just in time to give his lecture and left at 11 o'clock the same night for Boston where he was scheduled to give another talk. Both the audience and the sponsors of the program were disappointed when he failed to show his collection of slides along with his lecture.

**ORATORS TO MEET
ST. FRANCIS TEAM**

Miller, Berbatis Will Represent Penn
State in Return Debate at
Loretto Tomorrow

Ernest C. Miller '34 and Angelo N. Berbatis '35 have been selected to represent Penn State in a return debate with the St. Francis orators at Loretto tomorrow night, Joseph F. O'Brien, men's debating coach, has announced.

The Penn State team will uphold the affirmative of the question, "Resolved, that socialism should be substituted for capitalism." Decision will be made by a group of three judges.

Following the Oregon plan of cross-examination, the Penn State team will defend the affirmative of the topic, "Resolved, that all intergovernmental war debts, including reparations, should be cancelled," against the Juniata College debaters in the Little Theatre in Old Main at 7:30 o'clock Friday night.

Upholding the affirmative of the war debts question, Milton I. Baldinger '33 and Karl H. Strohl '33 lost a 2-to-1 judges decision to the St. Thomas orators at Scranton last Tuesday night.

**TOPIC FOR I. F. DEBATE
TOURNAMENT SELECTED**

Fraternity Orators Will Speak on
Deferred Rushing System

Deferred rushing has been selected as the topic for the interfraternity debating tournament, Howard Fonz '33, chairman of the committee in charge of arrangements, has announced.

The opening round of the tournament will be started next week, according to present plans. A complete list of houses entered in the contest has not yet been announced.

It is planned to make the tournament as informal as possible, Fonz said.

**Thomas Commends
College in Broadcast**

Commenting on his Penn State trip, Lowell Thomas termed the North Carolina boxing meet, which he witnessed after his lecture here Saturday night, "a superb exhibition of sportsmanship" in his daily radio address Sunday afternoon.

Mr. Thomas contrasted the quiet conduct of the large number of Penn State students at the meet with the disorderly crowds usually found in Madison Square Garden in New York City. He also mentioned the unusually low temperature which he encountered "while in the mountain district of Pennsylvania."

**SOPH HOP TICKETS
REDUCED TO \$3.30**

Benner Names Platt, Wood as
Additional Members of
Dance Committee

In line with the reduction of dance prices this year, the admission charge for Sophomore Hop on March 3 has been set tentatively at \$3.30, including tax, according to Franklin J. Brutzman, chairman of the Hop committee.

Two additional members have been named to the dance committee which was appointed by Walter G. Benner Jr., sophomore class president in December. Vernon D. Platt and Clifford C. Wood are the new committeemen.

6 Bands Considered

Six nationally-known orchestras are being considered for the all-College dance, Brutzman said. A final selection will probably be made within a week.

Hal Kemp, Wayne King, Casa Loma, Gus Arnheim, Vincent Lopez, and Henry Thies are the bands under consideration. Casa Loma played for the Hop last year.

A budget for the dance has already been drawn up, Brutzman said, and will be submitted to a Senate committee for approval this week. Members of Hop committee held their first meeting last night.

**DEADLINE SET FOR
SONGFEST ENTRIES**

Committee Expects More Than 20
Fraternities To Participate
In I. F. Competition

Tomorrow night will be the deadline for all entries in the Interfraternity Songfest, according to Wayne R. Varnum '34, who is in charge of the arrangements. A fee of one dollar will be charged each house entering the contest.

At the present time, few houses have officially entered, Varnum stated. However, over twenty-five are considering the songfest as a house activity, and it is expected that twenty will enter the contest.

Present plans include several special entertainers, who will appear on the programs between songs by fraternity groups, according to Varnum. The first contest meet will be held March 9.

Four or five houses are scheduled to present their selections each night that the meets are held, but the number of meetings will be determined by the number of houses enrolled. Four are planned at the present time, Varnum said.

**SENIORS WILL ADDRESS
'COLLEGIAN' CANDIDATES**

To Talk on "Future Newspaper Work"
At Freshman Meeting Tonight

Freshman candidates for the editorial staff of the COLLEGIAN will resume their weekly training meetings in Room 405, Old Main, at 7 o'clock tonight, Richard V. Wall '33, who is in charge of the meetings, has announced.

Talks will be given by Robert E. Tschan '33, editor, and Marion P. Howell '33, women's editor, on the subject, "Future Work on the Newspaper." Other members of the senior editorial staff will also be present at the meeting.

Following the talks, freshman candidates will report on work which they are conducting outside of the weekly classes. Copy reading and correcting will also be taken up at the meeting.

**FORENSIC COUNCIL
RESERVES SURPLUS
TO SPONSOR TALKS**

Debating Group Votes Aid for
Promoting Lectures by
Prominent Men

**ANSWERS PROPOSAL OF
ARTISTS' COURSE PLAN**

Ferree, Ebenbach, Vance Named
As New Members—Miller
Elected Secretary

As an aid in sponsoring things cultural on the campus, the Forensic Council has voted to set aside surplus money from the annual debating fee to bring possibly two nationally-known speakers here each year, Milton I. Baldinger '33, president of the group, announced.

"Forensic Council recognizes the need of offering the students a means of acquiring as liberal an education as possible," Baldinger said. "It will do its best to present lectures by some of the country's prominent men with the council's funds."

Miller Named Secretary

According to the plan, all income resulting from a nominal admission charge to the proposed lectures will go to help finance an Artists' Course, provided it is established here next year. In the absence of an Artists' Course, the lectures planned by the Forensic body will be offered the student body at no admission charge, Baldinger said.

At Student Council's last meeting a committee was appointed to investigate the possibility of appropriating part of the debating fee for use in sponsoring an Artists' Course here. The plan as adopted by Forensic Council will be reported to the student group at its next meeting.

Elections were also held to fill vacancies in the Forensic Council at its last meeting. Sarah A. Ferree '33, Harris Ebenbach '33, and Ralph B. Vance '34 were selected for the positions. Ernest C. Miller '34 was named secretary of the group.

Debating Tournaments Discussed

A suggestion was made at the Forensic Council meeting to have intramural debating tournaments for men and women separately this year, if sufficient support is given the tournament by the women's groups. A cup is given by the council each year to the winning fraternity.

A committee was appointed to formulate plans for holding extemporaneous speaking contests for both men and women students in all four classes. At present one contest is held each year for members of the sophomore class.

**DANCE ISSUE OF 'TROT'
WILL APPEAR THURSDAY**

Comic Magazine To Expose Wrestling
Racket in Senior Ball Number

Lessons on the manly art of self-defense and an expose of the wrestling racket, with an explanation of the holds, are features of the Senior Ball issue of Trot which will be released Thursday night.

Another modernistic three-color drawing by Frances Cohen will be used on the cover. Dan Gordon, featured artist in the last issue, contributes more of his metropolitan artwork.

"My Days at Penn Hall," explaining life at a girls' boarding school, is also featured in this issue. The usual four pages of "Mug and Jester" will seek to reveal intimate details of campus activities.

**PROF. WURFL WILL SPEAK AT
FIRESIDE SESSION TOMORROW**

Current selections from the German will feature the Fireside Reading session to be conducted by Prof. George J. Wurfl, of the German department, in the upper lounge of Old Main at 4:15 o'clock tomorrow afternoon.

Included on the program are two selections by Rainer Maria Rilke, who is outstanding among current German poets. "The Express Train" by Detlevon Lillienron, and "The Workman" by Richard Dehmel will also be read.

HETZEL'S RETURN FROM TRIP

President and Mrs. Ralph D. Hetzel returned from a week's vacation in Atlantic City yesterday.