



## Passers Climax Successful Sport Weekend With 45-43 Victory Over Rutgers Five

### Boxing Team Pounds Way to 8-0 Shutout Win Over Cornell Team; Grapplers Best Syracuse by 22-6 Score.

With a dramatic 45-to-43 last-minute victory over Rutgers, State's courtmen climaxed the most successful week-end of home sports of the winter season. Cornell's boxing team failed to take a single bout as the Nittany champs won an 8-to-0 victory and a strong Syracuse wrestling squad was able to register only two conquests, being defeated by the Nittany matmen, 22-to-6. In away matches with Syracuse and Cornell the local fencers dropped two meets. A victory of the varsity swimmers over the freshmen completed the sports week-end.

#### Basketball

In a breath-taking overtime battle, the Lion passers successfully closed their current home season with a highly pleasing 45-to-43 triumph over Rutgers Saturday night.

Mike Kornick scored the winning field goal with forty-five seconds to go in the five-minute extra period. Sol Meihoff sank a field goal and two fouls to account for the other overtime scores.

The regulation forty minutes ended in a dispute. With State leading 39-to-37, Lepine, Rutgers forward, bagged a two-pointer from the center of the floor as the gun sounded. It was questionable whether the ball was in the air before the gun was fired. Umpire Yans Wallace finally ruled the basket good. An extra period was necessary.

Meihoff was high scorer of the game totaling seventeen points. Reichenback netted thirteen points. Lins, Rutgers guard, led his team with sixteen counts.

The Lions trailed at the half by a score of 24-to-15. Their offensive began to click about midway in the second half when they were on the short end of a 32-to-22 score.

Frank Smith started the rally by pocketing a free throw. Meihoff, Reichenback, and Kornick, with Peterson feeding the ball, all counted, to lead up to the climactic close of the second half.

#### Boxing

The Lion boxing team, undergoing a shakeup in the welterweight, light weight and light heavyweight divisions, returned to the victory column

## Authors Title 6 Thespian Pieces

### Fishburn, Dixon Complete Work On Half of Compositions For Spring Comedy.

Six of the twelve musical numbers written for "Stocks and Blondes," spring Thespian show dramatizing the life of the notorious Jim Fisk, have been titled by the authors, Hummel Fishburn and Don Dixon.

Fishburn has composed an Instrumental Overture, while Dixon wrote "Down With Erie," "Knock on Wood," "Some Day," "If You're in Favor," and "Hoe Down." The numbers which remain untitled include a marching song by Fishburn, a "mustache" number and a waltz number by Dixon, a quartet number, comic ballet number and a song accompanying the Gold Room scene, all by Fishburn.

The orchestrations are being arranged by Jim Warren, of Reading, who arranged the numbers for "Don't Let On," last year's show. Warren is also arranger for Ozzie Nelson's orchestra.

#### Chorus Rehearsals Start

While chorus rehearsals have started, there will be an elimination soon, J. Ewing Kennedy, Thespian director, announced. Due to the keen competition and difficult characters to be portrayed, final selection of the cast will not be made for some time, he stated. Construction of scenery, which is under the supervision of Richard P. Barzler '36, has begun and work on the scenery for the silhouette number is well under way. This number will be one of the outstanding scenic features of the show, it is said.

Presentation of the show for the first time here is scheduled for Interfraternity Ball week-end. It is doubtful whether the Thespians will follow the annual custom of presenting the show at subsequent "big dance" week-ends as road engagements are pending, particularly during Junior Prom week-end. The show will probably be presented at house party.

An anniversary display, celebrating the fiftieth consecutive show since the Thespian club's establishment in 1897, will open in a downtown store this week. Photographs, programs, and other souvenirs of Thespian shows will be on display.

## Penn State Day Under Discussion In SU Committee

### Bertolette '36 Names Group To Study Annual Affair.

#### Enrollment Increases Deemed Unnecessary

Whether or not Penn State Day will be held here this year will be determined by a committee of the Student Union Board which has been appointed to investigate the case, William B. Bertolette, president of the board, announced.

In discussing Penn State Day at the board meeting it was pointed out that in the past one of the main reasons for having Penn State Day was to increase the enrollment. However, under present conditions it is felt that there need be no special effort made in this line.

#### Committee Named

The board also pointed out that under the old arrangements for that day in past years there was a great burden placed on the fraternities and sororities.

The committee appointed to investigate the affair is composed of Joseph P. Swift '36, Gretchen H. Diehl '36, A. Frances Turner '36, and William B. Bertolette '36. Any person wishing to submit his opinion on the advisability of having Penn State Day this year can do so at the Student Union office. If held, the date for the occasion would probably be May 16.

The board also made plans to have scholarship exercises in connection with chapel exercises Sunday morning on Mothers' Day instead of having it Saturday morning as in past years.

## College To Offer Aviation Course

### Ground Training Class To Open On March 12 Under Lutz, State College Pilot.

A new, practical aeronautical course, covering ground-school training and fundamental principles of the airplane, will be opened by the extension services of the College on March 12, and registration for those interested will be held Friday evening, 7 to 9 o'clock, in Room 101, Main Engineering building, which will also serve as the classroom. Registration can also be made at the office of the extension services, Engineering F building, anytime previous to the evening of March 6.

This course, which is primarily intended for people who contemplate flying and for those who have had some flight instruction, will be taught by Sherman Lutz. Mr. Lutz has considerable flying experience, and this will enable him to stress the fundamental principles of the airplane from a practical standpoint.

In brief, the course will cover principles of flight, operation of the airplane, aircraft instruments, aeronautical safety-appliances, navigation, and meteorology. Classes will be held once a week on Thursday evenings, beginning at 7 o'clock.

Other phases of the course will deal with the principles of aircraft engines, construction of airplanes, dead reckoning, and highlights in the history of aviation. The scope of the course embraces the kind of information that the Aeronautics Branch of the Department of Commerce expects airplane pilots to learn at ground schools.

## Nichols To Hold Jazz Clinic Thursday at 4

The Student Union will present Prof. Edward J. Nichols, of the department of English composition, who will conduct a clinic on "the fifteen most popular jazz records of the month," at an open meeting in the second floor lounge of Old Main Thursday afternoon at four o'clock.

Nichols has been conducting "jam sessions" at numerous fraternities during the past several weeks, presenting contemporary rhythms before appreciative audiences. He recently collaborated with Prof. William L. Werner, of the department of English literature, in an article on "hot jazz" which appeared in *Vanity Fair*.

## Caterers of Fraternities Favor End of Annual Penn State Day

Because of the burden which the entertainment of prospective students on Penn State Day imposes on fraternities, caterers of houses on this campus went on record as opposing the annual affair in their session Saturday afternoon. The caterer's meeting at the Beta Theta Pi house was one of six group discussions conducted during the two-day Interfraternity Conference.

The matter was discussed at length after Philip G. Evans '36 suggested that the custom be abolished. It was pointed out that rarely did the fraternities benefit by acting as hosts to the visiting students; that the entertainment of the guests constituted quite an expense; and that there is no need for such an affair inasmuch as more than 1,500 prospective students are being turned away annually.

The discussion was led by Martin C. Mateer, who spoke on "How to Buy," suggesting a cooperative buying system among the fraternities as a means of securing lower prices. The caterers decided to organize an association and it was decided to meet on March 9 for this purpose.

#### Presidents Oppose 'Hell Week' Citing Penn State as the Ideal 'Fraternity School'

Alvan E. Duerr, national adviser to Delta Tau Delta fraternity and a former president of the National Interfraternity Conference, praised the College administration for its liberal attitude toward fraternities. Duerr conducted the round-table discussion which followed the luncheon of fraternity presidents at the Phi Gamma Delta house.

In commenting on the fraternity situation here, Duerr advanced the opinion that "it will be just a matter of a few years before 'Hell Week' will disappear entirely as a college custom. There are no arguments for 'Hell Week.' Therefore, there can't be any against it," Duerr said.

Sanders Talks on Scholarship At the conference of fraternity scholarship chairmen in the Delta Upsilon house, William L. Sanders, former dean of men at Ohio Wesleyan University advised fraternity men to select pledges with good high school scholastic records and suggested that upperclassmen set the example for freshmen in scholastic endeavors.

Wilbur M. Walden, national secretary of Alpha Chi Rho, addressed the fraternity treasurers at their session at the Phi Kappa Sigma house. He stressed the importance of fraternity financing and suggested that book-keeping methods be simplified. The speaker also emphasized the importance of the treasurer in rushing in presenting the true facts of the house's financial condition to trustees advising against pledging men not financially able to join a fraternity.

The 175 fraternity representatives who attended the formal dinner at the Nittany Inn Friday night heard Sanders stress the importance of the fraternity in the life of the student. He expressed an anti-Hell Week attitude and congratulated the fraternities on their forward step in abolishing the hazing period.

Duerr addressed the gathering on "Scholarship," citing Penn State's high rating among other colleges throughout the country.

## Phi Beta Kappa Elects Dr. Dunaway Member

Dr. Wayland F. Dunaway, of the department of history has been notified of his election to Phi Beta Kappa by the Epsilon chapter of the University of Richmond where he pursued his undergraduate studies.

At the time of his graduation there was no chapter of Phi Beta Kappa at the institution, but a chapter was installed several years ago and has elected Dr. Dunaway an alumnus member. He is leaving for Richmond this week to attend the Honors Convocation at the University and will be present at the initiation.

## Eddie Nichols Votes 'Yes' on Joe Sanders

### Nighthawk Band Had Beginning in 1918 After War; One Of 1st To Broadcast.

Through the "jam sessions" conducted on the campus and written articles in various publications full of such jazz jargons as barrel house, ride, gut bucket, and gobbie pipe, Prof. Edward J. Nichols has come to be known as the local dean of modern hot music and his word may be taken as law.

Discussing Joe Sanders and his orchestra, which is to appear here for Soph Hop Friday night, Professor Nichols, who was acquainted with Sanders back in the days when Sanders won the moniker of the "ole left hander" by his soupbaw plicking in a semi-pro baseball outfit, handed down the decision that Sanders has one of the most danceable rhythm outfits in the business.

Nichols declares: "Joe Sanders' band, as long as it has been in existence, has been recognized as one of the most popular dance bands, due to its striking individuality and personality of its leader." The original Nighthawks of Joe Sanders and Carlton Coon were organized following the war in 1918, when Sanders met Coon plugging a piano in a music store and the two decided to form a

## Will Speak Tomorrow



DR. DAYTON ULREY

## Dr. Dayton Ulrey To Give Address

### Will Talk on "Electronic Tubes" Before Sigma Pi Sigma Tomorrow Night.

Dr. Dayton Ulrey, manager of the physics division of the Westinghouse Electric research laboratory, will address an open meeting of Sigma Pi Sigma, honorary physics society, on the subject, "New Electronic Tubes and Their Uses," in the Chemistry amphitheatre tomorrow night at 8 o'clock.

Everyone interested in the subject is invited to attend, as Dr. Ulrey's lecture will be of a non-technical nature and therefore of interest to students and faculty members in varied fields. The address will be illustrated by slides and demonstration tubes.

To Discuss Tubes Dr. Ulrey is well known in industrial circles for far-reaching research and developments that have been responsible for new and useful varieties of the familiar vacuum tube. In his lecture, Dr. Ulrey will describe current advances in the development of the electronic tube and will forecast new research and industrial uses for present and future tubes.

Dr. Ulrey, who conducts his research at the Westinghouse laboratories in East Pittsburgh, holds a bachelor's and master's degree from Indiana University and a doctorate in physics awarded by Stanford University. After serving three years as an instructor in physics at the University of Pittsburgh he joined the Westinghouse organization as a research physicist in 1918. He has been manager of the physics division since 1930.

## Dutcher To Lecture

Prof. R. Adams Dutcher, of the department of agricultural and biological chemistry, is scheduled to speak to the County Medical Society of Scranton, March 17, on "Recent Development in Vitamin Research."

## Deans of Local Hot Jazz' Hails Sanders as One of Most Danceable Bands.

For the night and was glad for the opportunity to serve the adored Sanders.

After Coon's death, the Nighthawk band broke up. However, so great was Sanders' popularity, that the Blackhawk offered him a spot, despite the fact that he had no organized band. He refused, realizing the harm a pick-up orchestra would do to his reputation.

In 1934, after long and careful auditions, a reorganized band, under the direction of Sanders was heard from the Blackhawk. Sanders re-engaged several of the original Nighthawks, prominent among whom is Rex Downey, trombonist. The Nighthawks played the 1935 season at the Blackhawk and are now on tour of the leading colleges of the country.

Backed by a record of being the best-seller on Victor recordings all during the middle '20's, recognized as one of the best college dance bands, and identified as one of the most successful personalities on the air, Joe Sanders continues to hold his place with the leading orchestras of the country.

## Debaters Set March 13, 14 For Conclave

### 16 Colleges Will Send Delegates For 1st Meeting Here.

#### Orators Will Present Views on 3 Subjects

Delegates from sixteen colleges and universities will convene here for the first debaters' convention on March 13 and 14 to discuss and offer resolutions on the questions of judicial review, neutrality, and the replacement of married women in industry.

Colleges which are expected to send two or more delegates to the convention are: Albright College, Allegheny College, Bucknell University, Cedar Crest College, Gettysburg College, Juniata College, Lehigh University, the University of Pennsylvania, the Pennsylvania College for Women, the University of Pittsburgh, St. Francis College, St. Joseph's College, Seton Hill, Temple University, Wayne University of Detroit, and Westminster College.

To Vote on Topics The following topics have been assigned for resolution and action: (1) "Is the veto power wielded by the Supreme Court an impediment to progress? If so, what action should be taken towards removing this condition?" (2) "Should married women holding positions be replaced by individuals having no other means of support?" (3) "What conditions or policies are most likely to involve the United States in war? How may these conditions or policies be controlled?"

Each school will be represented by a delegation of from two to six delegates, of which two delegates will have voting powers. Delegates from various schools are divided into committees, each of which will consider a topic. When the committees have adopted solutions on assigned topics, delegates of all schools will meet in a general session to submit resolutions before the assembly for debate and action.

Members of the Penn State debate team will officiate at the convention. They are John E. Matz '36, convention secretary; Fred L. Young '38, chairman of the hospitality committee. Others on the hospitality committee are: William E. Breene '39, Jack R. Cobb '39, Robert C. Mullen '39 and Edwin K. Taylor '39. Faculty advisors to the convention are Prof. Harold F. Graves, of the department of English composition, and Paul V. House and Clayton H. Schug, both of the division of speech.

## I. F. Dance Heads Will Select Band

### Kemp, Nelson, Heidt, Ellington Casa Loma, Dorsey Among Possible Choices.

Selection of an orchestra for Interfraternity Ball will definitely be made this week, Co-chairmen H. Ward Lien '36 and William A. Rodgers Jr. '36, announced today.

Bands being considered for the Ball, which will be held Friday, April 3, are Hal Kemp, Ozzie Nelson, Horace Heidt, Duke Ellington, Casa Loma, and Tom Dorsey.

Final decision has not been made on the decorative theme for the dance. The theme will be announced following the signing of the band, the co-chairmen stated.

Last year two bands played at I. F. Ball, Mal Hallett and Fletcher Henderson. Two years ago it was Ted Weems and his orchestra.

## Advertising Honorary To Hold Smoker Tues.

Alpha Delta Sigma, national advertising honorary, will hold a smoker at the Kappa Delta Rho fraternity house tomorrow night at 8 o'clock. All businessmen on College publication staffs are invited as well as those who have shown merit and evinced an interest in the advertising field.

Guest speakers for the evening will be Tom Nokes, secretary of the Pennsylvania Outdoor Advertising Association, and Ludwig Henning, secretary of the Advertising Club of Johnstown. Entertainment and refreshments will be provided.