



Phi Delta Theta Wins Bezdek Sport Trophy 2nd Successive Year

Beta Theta Pi Rates Second With Total Of 644 Points

Sigma Alpha Epsilon Places 3rd With 661

Phi Delta Theta won the Bezdek trophy for the 1935-36 intramural sport season, Leroy M. Sunday '37, chairman of the intra-mural board, announced today. It is the second time that this fraternity took first place in the competition, having piled up 1107 1/2 points. The trophy, which is to be presented at the mass meeting the night of October 9, will be received by Carl Pohe '37.

The Beaver House, with a total of 205 points, rated highest among the non-fraternity organizations. Beta Theta Pi placed second on the list with 644 points, Sigma Alpha Epsilon third with 661, Delta Upsilon fourth with 636, and Pi Kappa Alpha fifth with a total of 445 points.

SAE Led Fall Sports

At the close of the fall sports season, Sigma Alpha Epsilon held first place, followed by Delta Upsilon, Beta Theta Pi, Pi Kappa Alpha, and Theta Kappa Phi. Phi Delta Theta stood in ninth place with a total of 85 points.

Alpha Phi Delta placed sixth with 403 points, followed by Sigma Nu with one point less. Kappa Sigma totaled 373 while Theta Kappa Phi placed ninth with 360. Beta Sigma Rho piled up 350 1/2 points.

More Standings Listed

Sigma Phi Epsilon ranked eleventh with a rating of 313, followed by Tau Sigma Phi with two points less. Pi Kappa Sigma totaled 284 to nose out Sigma Phi, which had 283. Delta Sigma Phi ranked fifteenth with 230 points.

Placing sixteenth was Sigma Chi with 213 points, leading Phi Kappa Tau by seven points. Beaver House had 205 while Alpha Chi Sigma placed nineteenth with 95 and Delta Theta Sigma twentieth with 191.

Booth First Freshman To Win Drum Major Of College Blue Band

A freshman leads them all again—this time in the College Blue Band. Competing with members of all the upper classes for the position of drum major of the band, Sidney R. Booth '40 was so outstanding that he has been chosen in spite of his minority in College years.

The winner of the competition, the first freshman to crash the band in its history, will make his debut at the Muhlenberg football game tomorrow afternoon.

Booth is a graduate of Gary high school, Gary, Ind., and has recently moved to the state. In Gary high school bands are big things. Hence the experience. Prof. Richard W. Grant said that Booth is not perfect by any means, but that he was the furthest developed of the candidates.

The band has been slow in whipping into shape this year and will perform for only a short time between the halves. The first seven minutes will find the State Champion State College Junior Drum and Bugle Corps on the field. Composed of 48 youngsters from nine to sixteen years of age, the outfit was unable to attend the national competition after winning the state title at Johnstown.

It so happened that a hand that placed fourth in the state trials won the national title. Harold Brown directs the bugle section of the outfit and has instructed the boys in three-part bugling, a difficult feat for young players. Newell Townsend '37 has coached the drum section, while Buck Taylor, local radio dealer, is drum-master. The corps is under the direction of a girl drum major, Rachel Fulton, and the captain is Martin Knutsen, Jr.

Library Receives Gift

The recent gift to the College Library included thirty-four volumes written by James Fenimore Cooper, and nine written by Washington Irving. These books are quite a valuable accession to the library's collection.

Bezdek Trophy Leaders

The first five houses that led the race for the Bezdek Trophy were:

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| Phi Delta Theta | 855 |
| Beta Theta Pi | 664 |
| Sigma Alpha Epsilon | 661 |
| Delta Upsilon | 636 |
| Pi Kappa Alpha | 445 |

I.F.C. Distributes New Dating Code

Rules Drawn up Last Spring Come Back From Senate Committee Approved

Approved by the Senate Committee on Student Welfare, the new dating code drawn up by the Interfraternity Council last spring has come back to the Council for distribution among the fraternities.

Copies of the agreement went to the various houses at a meeting Wednesday night for individual fraternity approval. The signed fraternity approval will be returned to the Senate Committee for its approval of the individual house.

Rules Outlined

The new agreement is as follows, in part:

- That during the period of the regular college year, excepting the Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter vacations, unchaperoned women guests may be entertained in the social rooms of fraternity chapter houses during the day and evening until the following closing hours:

- On Friday and Saturday nights until 1 o'clock, which is the closing hour at women's dormitory parlors, except that on week-ends of the Interfraternity Ball, Senior Ball, Junior Prom, Sophomore Hop, and the fall and spring houseparties the closing hour may be 3 o'clock.

- During the period of registration between semesters and on the night preceding vacations and holidays until 11 o'clock.
- On all other nights until 8 o'clock, with the understanding that later permission may be obtained from the Dean or Men or the Dean of Women in exceptional cases involving out-of-town guests.

- That at least two couples are present and the social rooms are kept open and well lighted.
- Each chapter shall be held answerable to both the Interfraternity Council and the Senate Committee on Student Welfare for compliance with the terms of this agreement; and authority is hereby granted for the suspension of the privileges of this agreement upon violation within the semester for which the privileges were granted.

- At the beginning of each new semester each chapter shall vote on the question for applying for a renewal of the privileges of this agreement for the ensuing semester.
- The application for the renewal of this agreement shall be made by the chapter president to a board composed of the officers of the Interfraternity Council and of the Committee on Student Welfare at a time and place designated by the board.

- The chapter president shall be held responsible for the enforcement of the conditions of this agreement in his house.
- During Thanksgiving, Christmas, and Easter vacations unchaperoned women guests shall not be permitted in the chapter houses. In case of violations, penalties shall be inflicted on offenders by the College authorities when their identity is made known. In such cases the penalty on the chapter may be waived; otherwise the chapter will be penalized for the violation of the agreement.

- It is understood that nothing in this agreement gives any privilege for the entertainment of unchaperoned women guests in fraternity chapter houses during the summer vacation.

Sackett To Lecture

The first of a series of engineering talks will be given by Dean Robert L. Sackett, of the School of Engineering, at the Chemistry Amphitheater today at 4:10 o'clock. Entitled "The Engineer and Social Welfare," the lecture will be the opening of a weekly series designed to acquaint the engineering students with problems in every day life.

Players Open Season With Comedy Hit

'Personal Appearance' Set For Tomorrow Night at 8:30

Veteran Cast Headed By Miss Hunt, Binns

The Penn State Players will present a favorite Broadway comedy as their first performance of the year before a Dad's Day audience in Schwab auditorium tomorrow night at 8:30 o'clock.

In what is undoubtedly the first amateur production of the play that continued as a smashing success on Broadway for many months, the Players' presentation of "Personal Appearance" opens an intensive dramatic year on the campus.

The success of "Personal Appearance" as a comedy has been indicated recently since a large Hollywood company has begun production of the play into a movie with Mac West in the featured role.

Veterans in Cast

On no previous occasion in Player history has such a veteran cast been gathered for one play. With less than two weeks in which to rehearse, Director Frank S. Neusbaum was forced to call upon tried performers in order to whip together a competent company.

Hermione H. Hunt '38 has been selected for the leading role, playing Carole Arden, a headlined movie actress. Miss Hunt, as Miss Arden, had been severely afflicted with lockjaw, but a roving eye for her. Failing to make Wilkes-Barre after her car breaks down, Miss Hunt enters the serious business of making the gas station attendant where she is forced to spend the night.

Edward T. Binns '38 again is cast in a lead part, after starring in Player productions for the last two seasons. Binns attempts to mix business with love when contacting Miss Hunt for the forwarding of his movie invention.

Completing a lover-combination that has had convincing success in three shows, Lucille Z. Giles '38 fights for her man, Binns, against the loose wiles of Carole Arden.

A player unheralded before last winter again comes through with a part that will maintain him in a position of importance in actor circles on the campus. Morton Wolowsky '38, playing a fast-talking manager who must scheme to keep his charge, Miss Arden, in hand, enters his second semester as a Player.

In Difficult Part

Probably the most difficult and most skillful performance of all the parts in the show is that of a stage-struck kid who persistently pesters Miss Arden. Jean F. Woodruff '36 was drafted for this role and again she establishes herself as a top-notch character actress.

Mother impersonations seem to be the forte of Beatrice Conford '37. After playing such roles with convincing ability last year, Miss Conford is again a mother in "Personal Appearance."

Chosen for Role



JEAN WOODRUFF '36
Who, although a graduate student, plays the part of a stage-struck kid who pesters the leading lady in "Personal Appearance" tomorrow night's Players' show.

Lockjaw Besets 'Whitey' Rhoda

Lion Grid Star Weathers Latest Complications in Battle Against Odds

Beaufort hospital officials would not admit last night that "Whitey" Rhoda, Lion grid and mjt star who was severely burned early this month, had been afflicted with lockjaw, but it was learned from authoritative sources that he had been.

Lockjaw serum has been given Rhoda and he is very much improved over his condition of the last few days when the complication set in, it was learned.

Condition Improves

Hospital officials said that Rhoda's condition was much better and that he was waging a grim but determined battle.

No visitors, not even Rhoda's parents, were permitted to see him yesterday.

Rhoda, it will be remembered, was severely burned with hot asphalt while working on the new construction job at the State College high school. Most serious of the burns were the ones on his right arm and on his right hip.

First Pep Rally Slated Tonight at 7:30 O'clock

The first pep rally of the year will be held at 7:30 o'clock tonight in Recreation hall, it was announced by Walter S. Wiggins '37, head cheerleader.

Freshmen will be required to assemble in front of Schwab auditorium at 1:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. From there the first-year students will go to the football game in a body.

Nittany Football Team To Open 50th Season With Muhlenburg Before 1,500 Dads Tomorrow

Dr. Clausen Will Speak In Sunday Chapel At 11 O'clock

Dads' Organization To Name New Heads

Approximately 1,500 guests, the parents of students at this College, are expected to attend the annual Dad's Day this weekend. The celebration is sponsored by the Association of Parents of Penn State and is under the direction of Prof. Edward L. Keller, of the department of engineering extension, who is secretary of the organization.

The program will open with the annual business meeting of the Association of Parents of Penn State to be held in the Little Theatre, Old Main, at 10:45 o'clock tomorrow morning. Charlotte E. Ray, Dean of Women, will address the group. She will discuss "The Women of Penn State." The election of officers of the organization and appointments to the various committees is the main objective of the meeting.

Turner Heads Association

The Association of Parents of Penn State is headed by Hulett M. Turner of Towanda. J. N. Hobart is vice-president and Professor Keller is secretary and treasurer. The board of directors is composed of Louis Corson, Samuel Fausold, Mrs. F. W. Haller, George F. Hellick, I. M. Jaffe, W. Whitley King, Mrs. Merrill W. Nace, J. F. Rentz, the Rev. Andrew Stepecky, and Albert H. Smith.

The Nittany Lion Football Team

The Nittany Lion football team will introduce sports into the program when it meets the Muhlenburg eleven on New Beaver field at 2:30 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Tickets to the game can be purchased at the gates for the price of \$1.14.

Smoker Planned

A smoker and entertainment for fathers and their sons will be held on the main floor of the Armory at 7 o'clock tomorrow night. Entertainment will be supplied by the Varsity Quartet of the College and the Thespians, who will put on a short show, J. Lloyd Larkins '36 acting as master of ceremonies.

Following the smoker, at 8:30 o'clock will be presented in Schwab auditorium "Personal Appearance," a comedy by the Penn State Players. It will be their first production for this season and the cast is composed of veteran actors, among them Edward T. Binns '38, Morton Wolowsky '38, Lucille Z. Giles '38, and Hermione Hunt '38. The play has a local touch, the main action taking place in the vicinity of Wilkes-Barre.

Dr. Clausen Will Speak

Scheduled on the program for Sunday is the Chapel exercise in Schwab auditorium. The speaker will be the Rev. Bernard C. Clausen of the First Baptist Church of Pittsburgh. He will use as his subject "Did I Remember?"

Will He Smile Tomorrow?



CAPTAIN CHERUNDOLO
The smiling Lion grid captain will lead Penn State into a major battle instead of the usual opening day set-up when Muhlenburg comes here tomorrow.

Bezdek Decision Due Tomorrow

Trustees Consider Committee Report Today for Final Action on Situation

A final decision by the College Board of Trustees on the status of Hugo Bezdek, director of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, will probably be announced sometime tomorrow, it was learned today.

Semi-official reports of the findings of the special Trustees' committee to investigate the entire athletic situation here were mailed to the committee members earlier in the week. This report is being considered today and will be acted upon finally tomorrow morning at the meeting of the entire Board with Dr. Ralph D. Hetzel, College President.

At Work All Summer

The committee has been at work for over four months, starting its investigation shortly after the publication of the report of the special alumni committee on athletics last June. It was this report which recommended changes of leadership in the School of Physical Education and Athletics.

During the summer this committee has been at work questioning and interviewing individuals connected with athletics here. Some time ago they met to discuss the whole situation and to recommend certain changes, but it was not until this week that their findings were drawn up.

Today they will probably agree upon a report to the Board as a whole and tomorrow that report will be voted upon.

If the Board reaches a final decision—and it seems likely that they will—students, faculty, and alumni will know definitely whether or not Hugo Bezdek will continue to hold his present post or whether some one will be selected to replace him.

Student Board Pays For Bonfire Damage To Town, Local Barn

A hangover from last year's troublesome bonfire was finally settled at the first meeting of the Student Board, Tuesday afternoon, when the Board approved the payment of \$15 to W. R. Gentzel, a townsman, for the damage done to his barn door.

The Board also authorized the payment of \$30.34 to the men who were hired by the borough to clean up the wreckage.

Recommendations were made by the members of the Board for positions on the traffic violations committee. Three men students and three women students are to be chosen to sit with three professors in consideration of student traffic problems.

What Is the Board?

The Student Board is composed of Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock and eight students, including the presidents and representatives from the various classes. The membership this year includes Frank A. Osterlund, president of the senior class; Johnson Breneman, editor of the COLLEGIAN; Leroy M. Sunday and Richard M. Smith, senior representatives; Ross P. Shaffer, junior representative; John S. Moelzer, junior representative; Pes W. Tibbott, sophomore president; and George W. Haines, student representative on Borough Council.

Encounter No Longer Regarded as Easy One for Lions

Kick-off Scheduled For 2:30 Tomorrow

By CHARLES M. WHEELER, JR.

Baring its fangs for the first time, the 1936 edition of the Nittany Lion football team will launch the 50th year of Penn State football when it preys upon mule flesh from Muhlenburg on New Beaver field tomorrow at 2:30 o'clock.

Scheduled originally as a warm-up game, this encounter with Muhlenburg assumes no such light proportions as game time draws near. Blessed with the experience of one full game, victory-gorged at that, these Mules promise to be tough babies to saddle.

Heading the roster will be State's bid for All-American honors for the year, center and captain, Chuck Cherrundolo, Luther Barth, Roy Schuyler, Tommy Silvano, and Red O'Hara will possibly be the only seniors who may accompany Chuck into the first game of their final season.

Line-up Fairly Definite

The Lions who will meet the Mules in the first hand-to-hand combat seem pretty definitely to be the boys who have lined up in the three weeks of pre-season practice. Carrying the ball other than the two seniors mentioned will be the hard-running sophomore sensation, John Patrick. Sammy Denato will hold down the blocking post.

Against Muhlenburg a questionable offense will be severely tried for the first time. Only game work will prove whether the Lion can get by with a minimum of good blocking. And if it does, it is likely that the established concepts of good football.

Penn State and Muhlenburg have met three times, the Lions winning quite handsily the first two. But it is that last 1933 affair that is so well remembered, when the Mules surprised with a 3-to-0 victory, the result of Red Weiner's accurate placement.

No doubt such upset ideas are stowed away in the heads of the Mules as they prepare for the battle, admittedly with a few pet tricks tucked up their sleeves. And the Lions probably have ideas of revenge stored away in their noddies.

Swamped Lafayette

Last Saturday, Muhlenburg made merry with a 19-to-7 victory over Erie. Lafayette team, their first in 18 years over the Leopards. Long runs were made in the game by Tom Kennedy and their ace back, Gutekunst, each for 50 yards.

During the week's work, Coach Bob Higgins set up a Muhlenburg team for dummy scrimmage and in general toned the gridders for their day's work tomorrow. Early Edwards who, with Marty McAndrews, scouted the Mules last week, spent a good deal of time explaining the plays Muhlenburg used. But it is generally thought that the Mules will have a lot of stuff ready for use that they did not display Saturday.

Against Lafayette their running attack was much more effective than their passing. And their running attack featured weak side plays. If the Mules were playing to the Lion counts and exhibited only enough stuff to win, it is likely that the local boys will have a few surprise packages dumped in their laps upon which a split second decision may mean a whole lot.

Lions Are Untried

The only basis upon which the Lions can be judged is their 48-to-0 rout of an unorganized freshman team and their spirit to date.

Revelations will come thick and fast tomorrow.

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| 1 Cherrundolo | C | ----- | Eagle | 19 |
| 9 Economos | R | ----- | Reppert | 15 |
| 10 DeMarino | R | ----- | Young | 27 |
| 18 Barantovich | R | ----- | Dietrich | 15 |
| 35 O'Hara | Q | ----- | Laing | 10 |
| 5 Wear | | | | |
| 21 Patrick | L | ----- | Gutekunst | 8 |
| 6 Donato | R | ----- | Hunsicker | 23 |
| 29 Silvano | F | ----- | Farrell | 23 |

Epsteins Author Guild Drama

Productions of Alumni Begins Pittsburgh Theatre Run

A Penn State theatrical putsch hit Pittsburgh this week with the world premiere of "And Stars Remain," written by two local boys who are making good, Julius J. '31 and Philip G. Epstein '32, whose first Theater Guild play opened the Pittsburgh theatrical season Monday night at the Nixon theatre.

Prof. Arthur C. Cloetingh and Frank S. Neusbaum, of the dramatics division, Johnson Breneman, COLLEGIAN editor, Richard Lewis, Bell editor, and E. Townsend Swalm, COLLEGIAN managing editor, took a pilgrimage to Pittsburgh to see the twins and their first stage play.

"How's Penn State Jessie?" asked Julius J., by way of making conversation for a newspaper cameraman who was backing into the scenery backstage of the Nixon in an effort to get all of Penn State into the picture. Upon being informed that Penn State Jessie was no more, the brothers asked if there still was a football

team and were assured that there was.

Fresh from Hollywood after two years of scenario writing, the brothers Epstein were worrying around the rehearsals of their collective maiden effort for the legitimate stage, wondering what scenes they ought to rewrite. Out on the coast, both Julie and Phil were responsible for a series of scenarios, among which were "The Little Big Shot," by Julie, and "Love on a Bet," by Phil. Julie wrote for Warner Bros., while Phil wrote for RKO.

It all started in Professor Cloetingh's Lit. 90 class, in which Julie Epstein first began to write theater. One of Julie's first one-act plays, "Before Dinner," came out of that class and was subsequently published in the May 1930 issue of the *Old Main Bell*.

While in College, Julie boxed in the 115-lb. class in 1929, '30, and '31. In '29 he took the Eastern Intercollegiate championship in his weight and became captain of the team in '31. When he was not punching the bag, Julie punched a typewriter and wrote lyrics for several musical shows. He was a frequent contributor to the *Bell* in which his first published works

Students Here Attend Premiere of 'And Stars Remain'

appeared. He was graduated in Liberal Arts.

Phil Epstein was enrolled in journalism, and subsequently was elected to Sigma Delta Chi, journalism honorary. Phil also boxed, punched his way into the intra-mural championship, and was a member of the varsity squad. Phil, like his brother Julie, was a consistent contributor to the *Bell* in which his "Heartbreak, Hardboiled" appeared in September, 1931. He was active in dramatics as well, taking the lead in "The Mask and the Face" and several other shows. Both were members of Phi Epsilon Psi, senior fraternity.

"And Stars Remain" finishes its run at the Nixon this week, and moves on to Washington next week prior to playing before hyper-critical New York audiences. Both Julie and Phil believe that the show will be considerably improved in the next week or two, during which the rough spots will be ironed out and parts of the script revised.

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