



3,000 ALUMNI EXPECTED AT ANNUAL HOMECOMING

Lions Seek 1st Major Win In Bison Tilt

Game Marks 28th Renewal Of Grid Feud

Celebrate 50th Year Of Series Before Alumni Crowd

Donato Plays Against Tomasetti 5th Time

By HERB CAHAN

Celebrating the 50th anniversary and 28th meeting of the Penn State-Bucknell grid series, Bob Higgins' minions will aim for their first major victory of the season and their second win in three starts before an Alumni Homecoming crowd on New Beaver field tomorrow afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

The Lions, after losing a heartbreaking opening game to a mighty Cornell team at Ithaca two weeks ago, came back to trounce Gettysburg here last Saturday. Bucknell will be facing its first major opponent, after having won two warm-up night affairs from Ursinus and Lebanon Valley by 21-0 and 13-0 scores, respectively.

Co-captain Sammy Donato again will lead the Blue and White forces onto the field tomorrow, due to the continued absence of the injured Johnny Economos. Sammy takes great pleasure in opposing the Bisons inasmuch as Bucknell's star back, Lou Tomasetti, is an old rival of the Lion leader.

Tomasetti, Donato Old Rivals

The feud began when Donato was a sophomore at Dunmore high and Tomasetti was just beginning his sparkling career at Old Forge. The meeting will be the fifth and probably the last in the feud. Sammy, in his line backing-up duties, will have plenty of opportunities to stop the powerful drives of Tomasetti, who averaged seven and one-half yards per try from scrimmage in the first two games this season.

According to Coach Higgins, Tomasetti isn't the only Bison back who bears watching. He said that Frank Funair, a sophomore halfback, looked

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Mob Of Over 1000 Fires Brush On Allen Street

Incited by upperclassmen, a small group of freshmen started a parade in Locust Lane Wednesday night that counted approximately one-sixth of the student body as participants within an hour.

Bon Fire Replaces Pep Rally

Instead of having a pep rally in Recreation hall as originally scheduled, a bon fire will be held tonight behind Grange dorm on the south side of the building, it was announced late last night by John D. Kennon '38, president of the senior class.

The Blue band, football team, and cheerleaders will be there to lead the group in singing and cheering. The program is scheduled to start at 7:30 o'clock.

PSCA Statement Shows \$57 Gain

Largest Income In 6 Years Is Offset By Huge Increase In Expenditures

The Christian Association showed a net gain of only \$57.07 for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1937, Harry W. Seamans, general secretary, announced today. Although the income was the largest it has been in the past six years, the expenses, too, were the greatest because of an increased program that was carried out last year.

Students and faculty contributed the largest amount of the income, \$4,130.71, during the finance drive last October. The College appropriated \$3,000, students' parents, \$2,367, and alumni and friends, \$1,682. Friends of the organization living in State College gave \$152 while an endowment fund netted an income of \$260.77. Miscellaneous revenue reached \$186.45, bringing the total income to \$11,839.43.

Operating Expense \$10,110.37

The general operating expense of the Christian Association was \$10,110.37, while the amount of money spent to conduct the program totaled \$1,671.99. The largest amount of this item was \$822.84, used for educational purposes.

Campus service and the general student program cost \$202.81 while community service amounted to \$24.52. The new student program cost \$182.68. A total of \$38.12 was spent for pre-college contacts, \$44.91 for conducting Freshman Week, \$32.48 for the Freshman Forum, and \$53.51 for the Freshman Commission.

For fireside sessions, \$13.75 was spent, while general counseling cost \$10.25. Reading matter cost \$12.50, while \$34.84 was spent for the Sophomore Seminar. Numerous other amounts were spent for the various other services of the Association.

222 Made Ineligible

A total of 222 students have been declared ineligible for participation in extra-curricular activities during this semester for infraction of the College regulations regarding deficiency in studies.

A.S.U. To Get New Hearing From Faculty

Recognition Of Group Considered After Re-Petition

Re-petitioning the Student Welfare Committee for recognition as an undergraduate organization, the American Student Union has been granted a hearing by the committee.

The A. S. U. was refused recognition last May when the Student Welfare Committee, after an investigation, reported that "it would be inconsistent with the established College policy to permit any group or person, within the College or outside of it, to have unrestricted use of College facilities for promoting partisan views on controversial issues either of a political or non-political nature."

Hearing Next Wednesday

The hearing will be held next Wednesday. At the same time, the committee will act on a petition of Co-Editor, bi-weekly newspaper sponsored by the Women's Student Government Association, for recognition as a student publication.

Recently, the committee announced the approval of the series of dancing classes sponsored by the Penn State Club, the Beaux Arts Ball, and the Penn State Farmers' Dance.

The present Student Welfare Committee is composed of Profs. William S. Dye, chairman; Samuel B. Colgate, George R. Green, and Warren B. Mack. Members ex-officio are Dean of Men Arthur R. Warnock, Dean of Women Charlotte E. Ray, and Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, College physician.

Chinese Ambassador Unable To Talk Here

Dr. Cheng-ting Wang, Chinese ambassador to the United States, was unable to make his scheduled appearance at the first session of a conference on agricultural missions which opened here yesterday.

Dr. O. E. Baker of the U. S. Department of Agriculture spoke at the meeting over which Dr. John R. Mott, president of the Agricultural Missions Foundation, presided. Dr. Baker spoke on the relationship of rural people to America and the Christian church. Dr. Mott stressed the significance of the missionary enterprise to rural people.

Professor Frank W. Erice of Nanking Theological Seminary and Dr. Thomas Jesse Jones, educational director of the Phelps-Stokes fund, were the speakers at the evening session.

Iron-Handed Tribunal Metes Out Justice To 12 Freshmen

One Violator Freed When His 'Date' Happens To Be Visiting Mother; Signs, Skis, Gown Form Penalties

The Justices of the Supreme Tribunal of "The Nation of the Freshmen" met Tuesday night and, although minus the rich black silk robes that adorn the Supreme Court Justices of the U. S., heard cases brought before them and handed out sentences of guilt as readily as the distinguished black clothed gentlemen yell "unconstitutional."

The honorable justices sat through a four and a half hour session which 18 cases were tried. Of these, 12 were found guilty of violating laws and customs.

The most interesting case arose late in the proceedings. Edward Sargent was placed on trial for violating the dating law. The defendant pleaded not guilty on the ground that the "date" was his mother. The point of law in question reads "Freshmen shall not associate with any girls within a three-mile limit of Old Main . . ." However, the Tribunal interpreted the phrase "any girls" as not including mothers and so declared Sargent not guilty.

Clark Sentenced

Opening court at 8 o'clock, the justices heard the case of Frank Clark. The charge was "no dink." Immediately found guilty, the court passed sentence. Clark shall, for one week ending Thursday, wear a large milkmaid's bonnet with green streamers tied neatly under the chin and the ends dangling to the waist. A sign, "Much rather wear my dink," will grace his back.

A ham sandwich sandwich man in the person of George Hamrah will advertise the fact that "She was only a hometown gal" and that he is a "ham sandwich." A piece of toast will hang over his ears to emphasize the matter. The violation was listed as dating.

The skier traveling on snowless (Continued on page two)

Plan 'Home-Town' Movie Here Oct. 16-19

College scene taken on the Penn State campus will play a prominent part in the home-town movie to be presented in State College by the Alpha Fire Company on Saturday afternoon, and Monday and Tuesday evenings, October 16, 18, and 19.

A professional newsreel cameraman will be here today and tomorrow to take pictures of Alumni Day scenes, including the football game with Bucknell, the Blue Band, and the fraternity section, which will be shown along with local scenes, in a full-length movie.

Proceeds from the motion picture will go to general expenses of the fire company, which protects fraternity and College buildings, as well as State College residences and business houses.

The title of the picture is "See Yourself and Your Town in Motion Pictures."

Collegian Unveils Frosh Queen Tonight

Miss '41, to be named the most beautiful girl of the freshman class, will be chosen tonight by a committee at intermission of the annual Collegian Dance.

At intervals during the dance a spotlight will be flashed on various likely looking prospects for the position for freshman queen, and then during intermission the committee composed of Carl W. Diehl '38, chairman; Alice T. Allebach '38, Russel G. Gohn '38, Victor P. Buell '38, Helen F. White '39, Peggy E. Jones '40, and Sidney R. Booth '40, will decide upon their choice.

Shake, Eddie, Shake



EDWARD K. HIBSHMAN Secretary of the Alumni Association . . . Will he shake your hand this week-end?

'41 Women Name Weaver Senator

Selection Made From Group Of Six By 200 Freshmen At Meeting Wednesday

Elinor Weaver '41 was chosen freshman Senator at a meeting of the freshman women held Wednesday night in Grange playroom.

Taking the six names that had the most signatures on the petitions signed by the freshman women, a closed ballot was taken of the 200 at the meeting. Those from whom the final selection of senator was made were: Jean Craighead, Judith Cushman, Ruth Goldstein, Marjorie Harwick, Kay Albert, and Miss Weaver.

Peggy E. Jones, sophomore senator, presided at the meeting which will be the last one until that conducted by Panhellenic Council. Refreshments were served at the conclusion of the election.

Freshman Council, composed of the presidents of the freshman dormitories, will be organized next week and will meet every other week from then on.

Survey Trip Arranged For Pre-Med Seniors

Pre-medical seniors will make their annual inspection trip to Philadelphia medical colleges and hospitals from November 2 to 6. Prof. Oscar F. Smith, assistant dean of the School of Chemistry and Physics, will accompany the group of approximately twenty-five students.

The tour will include the following medical colleges and hospitals: University of Pennsylvania Medical School, Temple University Medical School, Jefferson College and Hospital, Hahnemann Medical College, and Women's Medical College of Philadelphia.

Registration Set For Noon At Old Main

Council Meets Tonight At 6:30 O'clock In Nittany Lion

Graduates To Greet 3 Newly-Chosen Deans

More than 3,000 alumni and former students are expected to gather here today and tomorrow for Penn State's annual Alumni Homecoming. Registration will begin at noon today in the first floor lounge of Old Main, according to an announcement by Edward K. Hibshman, secretary of the Alumni Association.

Highlighting the two days activities will be the football game with Bucknell, tomorrow afternoon at 2:30. It will be the alumni's first opportunity to see the new scoreboard and enlarged stands on New Beaver field.

First event of the two-day celebration will be the meeting of the Alumni Council in the Nittany Lion Inn at 6:30 this evening, at which time the College's three new deans will be introduced. They are Dr. Harry P. Hammond, dean of the School of Engineering; Dr. Marion R. Trabue, dean of the School of Education; and Dr. Carl P. Schott, dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics.

Bonfire Tonight

Tonight at 7:30 o'clock there will be a huge bon fire which all alumni, students, and faculty are urged to attend. Also tonight, at 8 o'clock, the Varsity Club will hold its annual smoker at the Centre Hills Country Club. The speakers at this gathering of Lion letter winners will be Dr. Schott and head football coach Bob Higgins.

The Collegian dance from 9 to 12 tonight will close the activities listed for today. Starting tonight, and continuing for the week-end the annual Horticulture Show will be held in the Armory.

The alumni golf tournament will start tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock on the College course. Those who do not wish to participate in the tourney will have this opportunity of visiting campus buildings and observing the beginnings of the College building program.

'Big Apple' Furore Sweeps Campus Dancers

Three important athletic events feature tomorrow's sports program. The first of these will be the opening game for the freshman football team. They will meet a strong Kiski Academy team.

The Big Apple, now the college dance craze from coast to coast, is destined to reach its zenith on the Penn State campus before many dances have passed. Already this oscillating dance frivolity has beckoned the majority of State's habitual dance-goers. The furore it has created on the campus during the past three weeks is proof enough of its increasing popularity.

This new dance dilemma—what is it? Some say it is merely a glorified square dance. Others contend that it is a combination of "truckin'" and the Susie-Q. In truth, it is both of these plus a widely varied series of insane movements all rolled into one to give swing music a new dance partner. Verily, it is a hash concoction made up of practically every conceivable type of dance step.

Two Fraternities Celebrate Silver Jubilee Anniversaries

Phi Kappa Psi Expects Over 100 Alumni For Occasion

Commemorating its 25th anniversary on the campus here, Phi Kappa Psi will hold a Silver Jubilee celebration at the chapter house this week-end with over 100 returning alumni expected.

Climax of the week-end activities planned by Thomas H. Moore '38, chairman of the jubilee, is a banquet tomorrow night when Walter L. Sheppard, former national president of the fraternity, will deliver the principal address. Prof. John H. Fritzel, head of the department of speech, will return from special leave to talk at the dinner.

Leverett S. Lyon, president of the national fraternity, will be present. (Continued on page four)

High Officer To Speak At Banquet Given At Sigma Pi

Combining Alumni Homecoming week-end with its silver jubilee, Sigma Pi is expecting over 125 of its brothers back to celebrate the 25th anniversary of its founding at State.

Registration is scheduled for tomorrow morning. Following lunch at the house, the chapter will attend the Bucknell football game, sitting in a group.

High spot of the week-end festivities is the banquet to be held at the house tomorrow night. A number of national and alumni association officers will attend. Heading the list of speakers is Richard G. Lowe, secretary and treasurer of the Alumni Association. Sigma Pi's Dean Ralph L. Watts also is expected to be present.

College Building Program--Library

This is the seventh of a series of short articles about the new buildings to be erected at the College in the General State Authority's five-million dollar building program. Material for the articles has been furnished by the Authority.

The new College Library will be located at the north end of a proposed mall above the Liberal Arts and Education buildings, in a location now occupied by the driveway which now runs past the Liberal Arts units. It will be a new fireproof structure of three stories and basement 170 feet by 60 feet. Footings will be of reinforced concrete, the frame of steel, and having concrete and tile floor slabs. Exterior finish will be brick with limestone trim, and features will include bronze or aluminum windows, exterior doors of white pine, and pitch and slag roof. The interior will incorporate interior stairs of steel with rubber treads, stair hall doors of steel, floors of rubber tile, asphalt tile, terrazzo, and cement. Walls will be plastered with special acoustic plaster on the ceiling. Counters, trim and doors will be of wood. Much of the radiation in the building will be concealed. Electrical and plumbing work is to be of standard type, with electrical fixtures in a few specially designed rooms to match the rooms. Air conditioning will be provided in stacks and main rooms. Passenger and book stack elevators will be incorporated. Estimated cost of construction is \$504,515.

