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## FRATERNITY ROBBERIES MAR ALUMNI HOMECOMING

### Lion Gridmen Nip Bucknell, 20-14, In Rain

#### Wear Leads Team To 2nd, 4th Period Touchdowns

#### Harrison, Barantovich Share State Spotlight

By HERB CAHAN  
A scrappy, hard-fighting Penn State football team made an 11-000-alumni Homecoming Day crowd forget all about the continual downpour Saturday on New Beaver field, when the never-say-die Lions came from behind twice to beat a primed Bucknell eleven, 20-14.

As if taken from the pages of a Dick Merriwell novel, Bob Higgins' "eternal substitute," Windy Wear, spearheaded second and fourth period attacks that netted two of the Lions' three touchdowns.

State's sparkplug must share the Lion spotlight for the afternoon's individual honors with Harry Harrison and Alex Barantovich. Harry out-punted Bucknell's highly touted Bill Lane, foiled three Bison touchdowns with his brilliant tackling in the safety position, scored the first Lion six-pointer on a beautiful jaunt around left end for 20 yards, and reassured Lion fans of his punt-catching abilities.

#### Barantovich Stars on Flank

Bucknell will have a hard time forgetting the Baron's smashing tackles and excellent offensive tactics. The Thundering Herd's rumbling backfield trio of Bill Lane, Lou Tomasetti, and Frank Funair, caused the Nittany defense no end of trouble. But when it comes to naming stars, Co-capt. Sammy Donato mustn't be forgotten. Sammy topped off his feud with Tomasetti, and because of his dogged determination to "give his all," he is now in the College infirmary. Early in the game Sammy's right foot began to bother him, but he made no mention of it until Sunday. He was taken up to the infirmary, and according to the Little Dynamo, "I'm resting comfortably, and I'll be out by Tuesday." Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, College physician, said that he didn't think that the infection is serious.

#### Dud Enders Injures Knee

Dud Enders, who went back into his old spot at center, after Bernie Briggs' passing began to worry Higgins and the team, aggravated his ailing knee and had to be carried off.

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### NYA Applicants See Lists Today

#### Students On Tentative Sheets Must Get Federal Form At A. A. Window

All students who applied for N.Y.A. employment should report to the offices of the deans of their respective schools at their earliest opportunity today, according to an announcement made yesterday by Stanley B. Maddox, in charge of N.Y.A. employment.

If the applicant finds his name on the tentative list posted at the deans' offices, he must go to the Athletic Association ticket window in Old Main. There he will obtain a Federal application form which must be filled out and sent to his parents as soon as possible.

Open From 8 to 6 O'clock  
The ticket window will remain open continuously from 8 o'clock this morning until 6 o'clock tonight.

N.Y.A. work cannot begin until this second application has been returned and approved by College authorities. An instruction sheet and a self-addressed envelope will accompany the form.

The committee in charge has stated that they will not accept an application directly from a student. Any student who does not comply with the instructions automatically eliminates himself from any further consideration.

### 2,200 See Jo Condrin Named Miss '41 At Collegian Dance

#### Talented Altoona Beauty—She Can Dance And Sing, Too—Is Offered Role In Fall Thespian Show



(Photo by Brown and Stover)

Chosen as the most beautiful girl of the freshman class, Jo Condrin was officially named Miss '41 following the decision of the judges at the intermission of the annual Collegian Dance on Friday.

The Collegian Dance, drawing approximately 2,200, the largest crowd to ever attend a Collegian Dance, marked the opening of the fall social season, and the birth of a new star for the Thespian show. For immediately following her presentation at the Collegian Dance, Miss '41 was offered a position in the cast of the fall Thespian show, and has shown in try-outs that although she was chosen for her beauty, she is of equal caliber in her singing and dancing.

Miss '41 came here from Altoona to enroll in the department of home economics, and is 17 years old. She is as yet the only member of the cast whose position is assured, according to John O. Chambers '39, casting director.

With the start of extensive rehearsals last night, Director Chambers has been swamped with talent; 60 boys and girls are trying out for a dance chorus where only 20 are needed. Starting with Jo Condrin, the Thespian directors will have chosen by the end of the week a cast whose possibilities are the best they have ever had, according to Chambers. In the choice of the cast, versatility is placed at a premium by the wide variety of music in a show containing nothing but the music of Gershwin and Berlin. The music ranges from Berlin's "Alexander's Ragtime Band" to Gershwin's "Rhapsody in Blue."

The directors of the show feel that the choice of the Collegian beauty queen for a part in the show is a large measure toward insuring the success of the show which opens a little over a month from now on the Saturday of houseparty week-end.

The committee that picked Miss '41 was composed of Carl W. Diehl '38, chairman; Alice T. Allebach '38, Russell G. Gohn '38, Victor P. Buell '38, Helen White '39, Peggy E. Jones '40, and Sidney R. Booth '40.

Chaperones for the affair were Prof. and Mrs. Hummel Fishburn, music education; Mr. and Mrs. Russell E. Clark, busbar; Mr. and Mrs. William K. Ulerich, journalism; and Mr. and Mrs. George L. Donovan, Student Union manager.

#### Chemists Will Meet

The chemistry fraternity for women, Iota Sigma Pi, will meet Wednesday night, October 13, at the home of Mrs. Harriman. Dr. Pauline Beery Mack, professor of textile chemistry, will address the group.

### 6 Injured As Car Crashes Friday Night

#### Auto Skids From Road, Turns Over Near Lewistown

#### Student In Saturday Crash Escapes Injury

Three former women students returning for alumni week-end and three male companions were injured when their car skidded off the road and turned over several times near Lewistown Friday evening.

Helen Clymer '37, Dorothy Hull '36, Joseph Boyle, and Harry Harcher, a Lehigh student, were treated at the Lewistown hospital. Miss Clymer was not dismissed until Sunday afternoon.

Edna Ogilvie '36, sister of the twins now in school, and Joseph Borda, an alumnus from Bethlehem, were given emergency treatment at the College infirmary. Borda was treated for a shoulder dislocation. The others in the accident suffered minor cuts and bruises.

#### Cars Crash at Intersection

The cars of Robert G. Danchow '38 and George M. Airman of Lancaster, collided at the intersection of Foster avenue and Garner street, soon after dark Saturday night. No one was injured, but a damage of \$65 was done to Danchow's car. Airman was driving north on Garner street without headlights, and failed to notice the stop sign when he crashed into Danchow's car going south on Foster. Airman was on his way to a garage to have his headlights repaired.

#### Roethke Will Address Bell Staff Tomorrow

Prof. Theodore Roethke of the department of English composition, will speak on "The Younger American Poets" to the staff of the Bell tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock in 410 Old Main.

The talk by Professor Roethke will be the third in a weekly series sponsored by the Bell and will include readings from the young American poets. Professor Roethke has had poems published in the New Yorker, Harpers, Poetry, and the New Republic.

#### Ed. Dean Will Speak

Dean Marion R. Trabue of the School of Education will speak at Bucknell University before the annual educational conference this Friday. The subject of his talk will be "Guidance in a Program of Education for Democracy."

#### Week-ends, Radio Responsible For Student Standardization

Change From College To Business Made Easier By Removing Campus Provincialisms In Social, Scholastic Life

By RAY WARNOCK  
Dean of Men  
(An article prepared for and released by the College Department of Public Information.)

On autumn days, a generation or so ago, in almost every college in the land there might be seen green, frightened freshmen kneeling before or being paddled by bullying sophomores clad in peg-top trousers, turtle-necked sweaters, bright yellow oxfords, and gaudy class hats. Of such raw material George Fitch made his memorable "Stivash" stories.

Now, if a writer or moving picture director wished to record such a scene, he probably would have to improvise and stage it. Hazing has pretty generally gone. It was not killed by faculty action; it died because undergraduate manners and attitudes have changed.

Gone, also, is singing on the old chapel steps; gone are the bloodier and muddier kind of class seraps; gone, the gaudy clothes. In the football bleachers the "die for dear old Rutgers" spirit of blind devotion to the team has given way to a less emotional, more realistic appraisal of the team's performances. Stolen police helmets and billy-clubs no longer decorate students' rooms. Modern professors seldom are doused from hidden water pails or disturbed in their lectures by trained alarm clocks. Cows seldom get above ground level in college buildings.

#### Scholarship Blanks Now Available

Special application blanks to be filled out by candidates for the Louise Carnegie and John W. White scholarships are now available at the office of the chairman of the committee on academic standards at Room 24, South Liberal Arts building. These applications are to be returned before October 20.

Students with academic ratings in the first tenth of their class are eligible. As there are only 16 scholarships to be awarded, the selection will probably narrow down to those with records not lower than the first twentieth of the class, according to Prof. Jacob C. Tanager, head of the academic standards committee.

#### Co-Chairmen To Direct Soph Hop

#### Supow, Bloom Head Committee Named by Campus Clique; Band Not Decided

The Sophomore Hop chairmen and committee were chosen Sunday by the representatives of the Campus clique of the sophomore class.

Named co-chairmen were Irwin R. Supow '40 and Frank R. Bloom '40. The committeemen, all sophomores, chosen for the dance which will fall this year on December 10, are William H. Simms, Ernest M. Berkaw Jr., Edgar L. Landen, John J. Byrd Jr., Franklin T. Binford, and Vincent J. Pisciotta.

#### Orchestra Not Yet Selected

No orchestra has as yet been decided upon, since a new method of choosing the orchestra is under consideration by the group.

Last year the orchestra for Soph Hop was that of Tommy Dorsey. The dance was held in Rec hall, where it will also be held this year.

The dance will be held at approximately the same date as it was last year, which was the first time that a class dance was held in the first semester. Attending Soph Hop last year were 497 couples which netted the committee \$1,981, \$54 less than costs of staging the dance.

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### Alumni Day Brings Back 2,000 Grads

#### Laying Of Corner Stone For Atherton Hall Is Discussed

#### Varsity Club Appoints McAndrews President

Official figures for Alumni Homecoming revealed that 1,012 graduates registered over the week-end, and this, added to those who did not register, makes the week-end's total about 2,000. According to Edward K. Hibshman, executive secretary of the Alumni Association, this is the largest registration in recent years with the exception of 1930, when Old Main was dedicated.

The two-day celebration officially opened with the meeting of the Alumni Council at the Nittany Lion Inn Friday night. The College's three new deans were introduced to the gathering. Dean Marion R. Trabue, of the School of Education, was the first speaker. He stressed his interest in the fact that when he recommends a graduate of the school he is sure that the graduate is well qualified for the position.

#### Schott Outlines Program

Dr. Carl P. Schott, dean of the School of Physical Education and Athletics, outlined the program of the school, and emphasized the important part of outdoor recreational activities. Dr. Harry P. Raymond, dean of the School of Engineering, spoke of the high standing of his school and paid tribute to his predecessors, Deans Jackson, Reber, and Sackett.

Ten of the eleven members of the alumni executive board were present at a business meeting, at which the plans were discussed for the cornerstone-laying of Frances Atherton hall, new women's dormitory now under construction. Miles L. Horst, president of the Alumni Association, presided.

#### Varsity Club Elects

The Varsity club, made up of all Penn State letter winners, elected its officers for the year at a meeting at the Centre Hills country club Friday night. Those elected are Martin S. McAndrews '30, president; James C. Frank '21, vice president; and Carlisle W. Taylor '25, secretary-treasurer. About 150 attended the meeting and smoker, at which Dr. Schott and head football coach Bob Higgins were the speakers.

#### Date Set for 1938

Next year Alumni Homecoming Day will be held later than usual, on October 29, the day of the Syracuse game. The class of 1918 held a meeting to discuss plans for their 20th anniversary celebration in June.

Fourteen alumni who graduated before the turn of the century, registered over the week-end. They are J. R. Rose '88, Harry Weber '89, Willis McKee '92, Col. J. Franklin Shields '92, M. S. McDowell '92, C. C. Hildebrand '92, Richard W. Williamson '92, H. P. Dowler '94, George K. Spence '95, Ermine F. Hill '97, R. G. Carpenter '98, W. H. Kennedy '98, W. F. Aftelder '99, and Theodore R. Weaver '99.

#### Campus Visit Planned By Newspaper Women

A group of newspaper women and magazine writers will visit the campus on October 17 as part of a tour being sponsored by the Pennsylvania Publicity commission. Other scenic points in Centre county will be included in the tour.

The newspaper women and magazine writers will leave a conference sponsored by Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt in time to spend the entire day in Centre county.

Dr. J. W. Claudy, superintendent of Rockview branch, Western Penitentiary, is chairman of the Publicity commission.

### Fraternities Report Theft Of Car, \$371

#### Police Advise Internal Vigilance To Fight New Outbreak

#### Acacia Reports Loss Of Automobile, \$150

Another epidemic of robberies was reported to the police during the last week. A total of \$371 and an automobile was stolen from members and alumni of eight fraternities. Last year a series of thefts was solved with the arrest of two students.

The biggest loss during the past week was reported by the Acacia fraternity, where \$150 and an automobile of an alumnus was stolen. The alleged robber jimmied a window early Sunday morning to force his way into the house, according to the report given to the police.

The description of the car stolen is as follows: New York license 6B-67-75, 1937 Ford two-door deluxe sedan, gray with pencil red stripes. The automobile belonged to J. W. Fortenbaugh '12.

#### \$207 Stolen Last Week

Thefts reported over Dad's Day week-end included \$50 stolen from Lambda Chi Alpha, \$9 from Sigma Alpha Epsilon, \$50 from Kappa Delta Rho, \$70 and a topcoat from Phi Kappa. Early last Monday \$13 was stolen from Sigma Phi Alpha and \$15 from Delta Chi.

The other robbery reported to the local officials this last week-end was \$14.50 taken from Phi Kappa Sigma. In all the cases reported the thefts occurred in rooms close to stairs or in fraternity houses which employ the dormitory system.

#### Police Advise Precaution

Borough officials have suggested to the fraternities that they post a man to watch out for sneak thieves as the best way of combatting the outbreak. Personal guard by the officers of the house was also suggested to be sure that none of the members was responsible for the robberies.

Also recommended as a means of fighting the sneak thieves was the suggestion that the fraternities lock their doors at 12 o'clock. Because of the number of strangers in the various houses during big week-ends, special vigilance should be taken to prevent subsequent thefts.

### State On Toes As Modern Dance Hits Here

And so the modern dance has struck Penn State!

The modern dance course offered by Miss Jessie Cameron has set the campus back on its heels with "something new under Penn State's sun." This course is but the beginning of what is to develop into a dance curriculum, separated from the physical education activities. The dance, treated from the creative point of view as an independent art form, is but ten years old.

Miss Cameron, a thoroughly charming person with a sense of humor to match her auburn hair, comes to Penn State from the School of Applied Arts in Battle Creek, Mich. There she organized and directed the modern dance courses, offered in conjunction with piano, violin, cello, and dramatics. Previously, she had received her degree from Columbia University, and directed physical education activities at Battle Creek College of Battle Creek, Mich.

Miss Cameron has studied modern dance under the most noteworthy artists in this country and Europe, including Charles Weidman, Elizabeth Duncan, Bird Larson, and Bertha Ochsner. She does concert work, spending two hours of every day for the improvement of her technique.

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