

# Alpha Chi Sigma Nears 1939-40 Intramural Championship

## Mining Engineering Course Unable To Supply Demand

Although in its 50th year, the department of mining engineering is unable to supply the demand for its graduates, Professor David R. Mitchell, head of the department, revealed recently.

The mining course, established 50 years ago next October, grew rapidly and between 1894 and 1914 accounted for approximately 100 per cent of the students graduated by the College. The enrollment has been dropping since 1920, however, paralleling the gradual decline in Pennsylvania coal output.

"The present enrollment of 36 is far below the number the mining industry can absorb," said Prof. Mitchell. "One coal company already has established two scholarships to induce more students to enter this course."

## Textile Chem Faculty Will Attend Convention

Three members of the textile chemistry faculty will leave tomorrow to participate in a convention of the Pennsylvania Laundry Association to be held in Harrisburg Thursday and Friday.

Attending the convention are Dr. Pauline B. Mack, director of home economics research, Prof. James F. Ostaling, research assistant in chemistry, and Warren Stubblebine, graduate assistant in textile chemistry. All of them will present information concerning the work they have been doing in textiles for the past year.

## KING HOT DOG



Samuel G. Gallu, pictured above, was crowned Senior Hot Dog King at the Hot Dog Party, held East of Frances Atherton Hall on Sunday afternoon. The party was attended by approximately 800 seniors and faculty members but was abruptly halted by rain at 5 p. m.

## Alpha Chi Sigma Brings Championship Total To 5, Taking Mushball, Track; Phi Sigma Delta Captures Ping Pong

Scrubs Face BRB Club In Independent Final; ATO Second, Phi Kappa Sig Third, DU Fourth In Cinder Meet; Badminton Finals This Week

Alpha Chi Sigma annexed two more intramural championships last week-end to bring their total for this year up to five, practically clinching the Intramural Championship.

The Alpha Chi Sigs added track to their list by taking a total of 43 1/2 points in the intramural meets Wednesday and Thursday. ATO was second with 32 points and Phi Kappa Sig third with 27 DU's and Phi Delta's had 26 and 20, respectively.

The intramural mushball championship was the other feather in the chemistry house's hat as they defeated Beta Sig, 11-8, in the finals Saturday. The Alpha Chi Sigs entered the finals by downing the SPE's, 13-7, while the Beta Sigs defeated the Phi Deltas, 8-7.

Phi Sigma Delta wins the intramural ping-pong crown by defeating Beta Sig in a closely contested match. Independent ping-pong playoffs are being run this week with finals expected to be held on Friday.

**Track Summaries**  
Fraternity, 100-yard dash — Kirsch, ATO, Conrad, Phi Kappa Sig, Ridenour, Phi Delta, winning time, 10 1/2  
120 low hurdles — Tomlinson, DU, Hurd, Alpha Chi Sig, Gehoe, DU, winning time, 14 1/2  
220 yard dash — Kirsch, ATO, Conrad, Phi Kappa Sig, Stengle, AGR, winning time, 23 1/4  
440 — Clark, Phi Delta, Smith, Alpha Chi Sig, Rubner SPE, winning time, 57 1/2  
880 — Smith, Alpha Chi Sig, Clark, Phi Delta, Evans, Alpha Chi Sig, winning time, 2 11 1/2  
1 Mile — Yergler, Phi Kappa Sig, Schaefer, Delta Chi, Abby, Delta Chi, winning time, 5 min  
Broad jump — Adams, Theta Xi, Paris, DU, and Kolkebeck, Phi Gamma, tied for second, winning jump, 18 ft 10 in  
High jump — Detwiler, ATO, Evans, Alpha Chi Sig, Schwenck, DU, Conrad, Phi Kappa Sig, and Lundelius, Delta Chi, all tied for second, winning jump was 5 ft 2 in  
Pole vault — Moigan, Alpha Chi Sig, Ethers, DU, and Stull, Phi Kappa Sig, tied for second. Winning leap, 10 ft.  
Shotput — Clark, Alpha Chi Sig, Fole, Alpha Zeta, and Crabtree, Phi Kappa Sig, winning throw, 36 ft, 10 in  
Hammer — Clark, Alpha Chi Sig, Hall, Phi Delta, and Morris, ATO, winning throw, 76 ft 9 in  
Javelin — Adams, Theta Xi, Strupp, ATO, and Schwenck, DU, winning throw, 151 ft, 1 in  
Independent: 100 yard dash — Marcus, Cassidy, and May, winning time, 10 1/2  
120 low hurdles — Kidd, Dodie, and Jaffe, winning time, 14 1/2  
220 yard dash — Kidd, Jaffe, and May, winning time, 24 1/2  
440 — Hess, Burkhardt, and May, winning time, 56 1/2  
880 — Cosgrove and Marcus, winning time, 2 12 1/2  
1 Mile — Hess, Burkhardt, and Cosgrove, winning time, 4 47  
Broad jump — Kidd, Cosgrove, and Sussman

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Concurrently Collegian announced C. Russell Eck '40, business manager this year, would serve as full-time graduate counselor to the new daily.

The new mailing price includes the regular \$2.50 annual subscription fee and a \$ .75 mailing charge. Subscriptions will be sent anywhere in the United States.

Orders must be paid in cash and will be received at Student Union Desk or can be mailed directly to the Collegian, 313 Old Main, State College.

Eck will be an adviser to the undergraduates in their organizational and business activities, but the editorial and news policy will be determined entirely by students.

Selection of Eck as the first counselor of the new Collegian was made last Thursday by the 14 representatives of the students, faculty, and administration who will form the Board of Directors of Collegian, Inc., after the charter is granted by the Centre County Court.

The Virginia state corporation commission has issued a charter for the founding of Mount Vernon University.

Statistics gathered by Dartmouth University officials show that the average college youth is taller and heavier than his predecessors.

## CINEMANIA

Banging to the screen a true life picture of one of the most beloved American characters of all time in a story that is faithfully authentic yet dramatic, "Edison, the Man," opens at the Cathaum Theater for a three-day engagement Monday.

The picture stars Spencer Tracy, twice named by Hollywood players as the screen's leading actor and now accredited with being the leading portrayer of real life characters because of his earlier performances as Father Flanagan in "Boys Town," Henry M. Stanley in "Stanley and Livingstone," and Major Rogers in Northwest Passage. Tracy is surrounded by a stellar cast, including Rita Johnson and Lynne Overman.

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## FRESHMAN CUSTOMS

- (Continued from page one)
- 7 Freshmen shall occupy the east stands at football games.
- Identification Sign
- 8 Every freshman shall wear during the first month of the college year a 4" by 10" regulation sign upon which his name and home town are legibly printed in large black letters.
- 9 No immunities may be granted to freshmen by upperclassmen.
- 10 Freshmen are not permitted to smoke on campus.
- 11 Freshmen shall remove their dinks upon entering Old Main.
- 12 At the command "button, frosh," freshmen shall remove dinks.
- 13 Freshmen shall learn the Alma Mater and all the College songs in the Handbook.
- 14 Freshmen must keep their hands out of their pockets.
- 15 Freshmen must enter Old Main by the front entrance.
- 16 Freshmen must know the pictures currently playing at the local theaters.
- 17 Freshmen shall carry on the Penn State "hello spirit" by speaking to every faculty member and student whom they meet on campus.

## Eagle's Mere Conference Plans Near Completion

With plans for the Eagle's Mere Conference, June 9-16, practically completed, the PSCA will sponsor a special meeting for those interested in attending the conference this summer.

Harold A. Bosley, representative of the Student Christian Movement, and Morgan Odell, professor of religion at Lafayette College, will speak on the different study groups and recreational facilities offered at the parley.

Approximately 75 Eastern colleges will debate on the main theme, "Christian Living in a World of Conflict." Walter N. Shambach, PSCA chairman, has announced.

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## Dr. Mack Speaks On Human Diet

## Lectures Iota Sigma Pi On Nutritional Effects

The first Marie Curie lecture sponsored by Iota Sigma Pi, women's chemistry honorary, on "Mass Studies in Human Nutrition" was given by Dr. Pauline B. Mack, professor of textile chemistry, in Room 121 Liberal Arts at 8 p. m. Friday.

"The division of home economics research pioneered here in mass studies of human nutrition," said Dr. Mack, "when studies of dietary intake as responses to nutrition tests of large numbers of people of different socio-economic groups began to be studied throughout the Commonwealth in 1935."

**Survey Diets**  
Surveys of dietary habits and nutritional status of over 200 families and 1500 school children have been taken in the last two years, and improvement of malnourished children when placed on proper diets noted, Dr. Mack pointed out.

By the statistical method, the inter-relationships between various nutrients in the diet and responses to the tests are ascertained. Dr. Mack explained, and the type of diet adequate for people of all sexes, ages, and activities determined.

The lectures, part of the 10th anniversary celebration of the organization, will become an annual event according to Dr. Harriet M. Hairy, president.

"Miss Synthetique," a doll, demonstrated textile innovations to students at College of Mount St. Joseph.

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