



Undefeated Lions Are Set For Inter-sectional Game With South Carolina Today

Mueller Selected To Sponsor Drive On Room Lighting

John E. Mueller, past president of the Edison Electric Institute and manager of commercial sales for West Penn Power Co., has been selected to head a Rooming Illumination Week drive, Dr. Arthur F. Davis, associate professor of physical education and chairman of the College illumination committee, has announced.

In order to educate students on the minimum light required to illuminate a room, the committee will sponsor this drive during the week December 12-19 in special classroom and demonstration clinics.

The demonstration clinics will be set up in various fraternities, dormitories, rooming houses, and hygiene classes, which will be instructed in proper lighting technique by Mueller and his assistant, Mr. Harry Rostofski.

Members of the illumination committee are Davis, A. R. Warnock, dean of men, Miss Charlotte E. Ray, dean of women, Harold W. Loman, College purchasing agent, Dr. Joseph P. Ritenour, director of the College Health Service, Dr. Harriet M. Harry, Miss Anna B. Searle, hostess of dormitories, Roberta J. Kelly, chairman of the Junior Service Board, Mrs. Franklin B. Krauss, president of State College Women's Club, Mrs. Edward M. Frear, president of State College AAUW, and John M. Byerly '41, chairman of the Student Housing Board.

Flynn Campaign Chairman

Art Flynn was appointed campaign chairman for the freshman Campus party by Kemp Noble, party chairman, prior to a meeting Thursday. After a short session during which no important business was transacted, the party adjourned until Monday night at 7:15 p. m. The meeting is tentatively scheduled for Room 318, Old Main.

Collegian Weather 'Ham' Adopts Short-Wave Prediction Method

Rain or shine? Ask the weatherman, he knows!

After spending hours studying wind currents and intricate graphs of Mother Nature's various moods, the weatherman announces his verdict to thousands of anxious followers.

But here on campus there is a different weather prophet.

Instead of locating the north wind just as it begins to sweep down from the icy Arctic or plotting the course of a western dust storm, Collegian's weather seer, William J. McKnight '42, speaks into a "ham" radio mike every night before Collegian press time "Calling CQ, calling CQ."

Many answers from amateur radio operators tumble through the ether, but McKnight only listens for one source. From the Pittsburgh area and farther west, the "hams" tune in on McKnight's frequency.

The Weatherman—McKnight gets on the job.

From long radio experience, he has discovered that Penn State's weather conditions are one day

Blue Band Rehearsal

Called For 1 p.m. Today

A special rehearsal of the Blue Band will be held on the soccer field at 1 p.m. today, Director Hummel Fishburn announced last night.

The rehearsal scheduled yesterday afternoon was cancelled because of rain. The South Carolina band is not coming here and the Blue Band will have twice as much time as usual between the halves of the game, Director Fishburn added. He hinted that the band was preparing some special maneuver for the between-the-halves parading.

Rain For HPI—Yes! So What?

What would a Penn State Houseparty be without rain or snow? is the question we hear asked time and again these cold, wet days. The answer, oddly enough is "Swell!"

Still, we manage to do quite well regardless of the weather. It often resolves itself into a race to see whether nature can soak your outsides faster than you can soak your insides. We've always found such conditions stimulating, to say the least. Maybe it's the competitive spirit in man.

If the weather's grand, then there's nothing to do but enjoy it. But, just think of what fun can be had if the weather's lousy, like now, and you have to play twice as hard to get the same results. Actually, the brain-over-brawn boys would have us believe, you get loads more fun on a rainy weekend. Which all sounds like pure rationalization to us, but so what?

Somehow, we feel that this drizzly weather gives the hat-girls (the newest name for imports) a definite advantage over coeds. What good is a hat anyway if it doesn't rain, snow, or something. The locals, however, will overcome this handicap if they convince the boy friend that "With the Wind and the Rain in My Hair" is really a classic based on some idea or other that that's the greatest thing in the world.

Only Junior In Starting Line



MIKE GARBINSKI—Penn State Guard

Probable Starting Lineups

South Carolina	Position
Urban	left end
E. Carter	left tackle
Patrone	left guard
Sossoman	center
Krivenak	right guard
Applegate	right tackle
Stan Nowak	right end
Elston	quarterback
Grygo	left halfback
Blouin	right halfback
Arrowsmith	fullback

Referee—W. H. Friesell, Princeton. Umpire—R. B. Goodwin, W&J. Linesman—F. E. Carroll, St. Bonaventure. Field Judge—A. K. Marters, Dartmouth.

Political Debate To Open Season

Plans have been completed by the Forensic Council to make the election-eve, Penn State-University of Pennsylvania debate an outstanding feature of the coming debate season, it was announced yesterday by Professor Joseph F. O'Brien, coach of men's debate.

The debate will be held at 8 p.m.

Monday in Room 121 Liberal Arts, on the issues of Willkie versus Roosevelt. The affirmative side will be upheld by John Landis '41

from the U. of P. and William E. Harkins '42, while the Willkie arguments will be attacked by Sheldon Cross '42 of Pennsylvania and David R. Benjamin '41. Prof. Harry P. Zelko of the speech department will act as chairman of the debate.

Special effort is being made to appeal to the student body by making the debate an informal political get-together, Professor O'Brien said. The audience will make its decision as to the merit of the arguments by voting both before and after the debate.

Elected SPEE Chairman

Fred C. Stewart, professor of mechanical engineering, was recently elected chairman of the Allegheny section of the Society for the Promotion of Electrical Engineering.

later than those of Western Pennsylvania and Eastern Ohio and Indiana.

After receiving the weather reports from his cohorts, McKnight computes his weather prognostications into a "Fair, Slightly Cooler," or "Rain and Warmer."

Far from picking his selections from a hat, McKnight has systematized his procedure into a 75 percent average of accurate weather forecasting, even if it does take one away from the precision of a weather expert's laboratory into a fantastic question of "How's the weather out there, Joe?"

Since the Daily Collegian could not obtain the official weather report from the College Weather Bureau because its reports are not released until morning, McKnight has proved a good substitute.

However, McKnight has his "off-nights" also. Two weeks ago, he made a "Fair and Warmer" prediction. It snowed. Yesterday, it rained instead of being "Generally Fair and Cooler."

He may be a "ham" weather prophet, but he's still a good one.

Chapel Service Features Noted Speaker Tomorrow

Chaplain John H. Frizzell has arranged to have Dr. Hobart D. McKeehan, of the Abbey Evangelical and Reformed Church of Huntingdon, speak in Chapel Service tomorrow. Dr. McKeehan's subject is "The Divine Promethean."

The regularly-scheduled speaker, Dr. Justin W. Nixon, will be unable to attend.

Dr. McKeehan holds the rare reputation of being the youngest clergyman ever to be listed in Who's Who in America.

Freshmen Eulogize Corbin

"In fond memory of W. Lewis Corbin, Who died of frustration at the Class of '44."

Yesterday morning's contingent of early risers were horror stricken to find the above epitaph decorating the "building stones column" in front of the Armory. Decorated with a beautiful black ribbon, the 10 x 12 sign was strung up 8 feet from the ground.

After much frenzied phone calling, it was discovered, to the relief of all concerned, that our worthy Tribunal Chairman was still hale and hearty. Needless to say, he was very much surprised to hear of his recent death.

Later in the afternoon Cor-

State At Full Strength For Gamecock Tussle

An undefeated and untied Nittany Lion football eleven, riding on a crest of a four game victory streak this year, will make its fifth bid for higher national recognition on New Beaver Field this afternoon when it clashes with the University of South Carolina team in the annual Fall Houseparty game.

The kickoff for the Lions' only inter-sectional game of the 1940 season is scheduled for 2 p. m.

Boasting one of the best forward walls in the country and two sets of fleet backs, the Nittany Lions will be favored to retain their lofty position among the rapidly dwindling list of unbeaten and un-tied teams. For the second successive Saturday, the rugged State team will be at full strength to meet its opponent's onslaughts.

Although defeated in their three starts to date by Georgia, Duquesne and Clemson, the Carolina Gamecocks have one of the South's most effective aerial attacks which they will probably use with great frequency in an effort to upset the applecart. The Southerners tallied five touchdowns through the air against Duquesne and Clemson, rated among the nation's outstanding teams.

To offset the visitors' aerial offense, Coach Bob Higgins will retain the same veteran-studded lineup which trampled over the Temple Owls, 18 to 0, last Saturday. The two senior halfbacks, Chuck Peters and Craig White drew the starting assignments. The Lions' two best ground-gainers, Pepper Petrella and Len Krouse, who between them have accounted for over half of State's scrimmage yardage this year, are expected to enter the game in its early stages.

Bill Smaltz and Johnny Patrick will occupy the fullback and quarterback spots, respectively, in the starting array. Smaltz is

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Pitt News Endorses Absentee Vote Drive

The Pitt News, student newspaper at the University of Pittsburgh, has joined the Daily Collegian and All-College Cabinet in a drive for absentee voting in Pennsylvania, the Collegian was informed by telegram last night.

Free postcards for students to send home to General Assembly candidates are still obtainable at Student Union. A list of candidates may be seen at the desk. Students who receive replies from candidates have been asked to turn the information over to the Collegian.

Freshmen Eulogize Corbin

bin was asked by a Daily Collegian reporter how it felt to be able to read one's obituary. Corbin's statement to the press was that he didn't mind it at all.

It had not been determined as yet, when the Daily Collegian was put to bed last night, whether any action would be taken against the 8-foot freshman who is suspected of the dastardly deed.

Don't forget, frosh, if you see the aforementioned culprit walking around the campus, please do not hesitate to report him to Tribunal. In addition, the English Comp department would like to meet up with this sadistic killer of sentence structure.