

# Building Program Progress Reported

Progress on the \$10,000,000 General State Authority building and improvement program at the College was reported today by Walter H. Wiegand, director, department of the physical plant.

Work on farm storage sheds on the College farms is about 95 percent complete, Wiegand reports, with painting now in progress and fencing and grading yet to be done.

Also on the College farms, the food processing plants is about 85 percent complete, with workmen now installing electrical lines, refrigeration equipment, and painting. Grading remains to be done.

The chemical storage building, also on the College farms, is awaiting the delivery of long, steel roof joists. Walls on the structure have been completed as far as possible.

Other units of the chemical group, the Laboratory Building and the north unit to Pond Laboratories, are making normal progress with excavation completed and work on footers and foundations in progress.

### ME Building

On the addition to the Mechanical Engineering Building, work has started on interior stone partitions as the exterior of the north wing nears completion and work continues on the walls of the south wing.

Workmen also have started alterations to the Main Engineering building which will have another floor added. The work now underway includes changes in the stairways, Wiegand said that an effort would be made to complete alterations on the lower floors during the summer months and that the actual removal of the roof and the addition of the fourth

floor would await the arrival of the necessary materials.

### Greenhouses

The greenhouses under construction east of Plant Industries Building are about 65 percent complete. The head house and work room building is about 80 percent complete and frames for the five greenhouse units have been erected. Masonry on two of the units is completed and glazers are at work on the project.

Excavation for the six units of the College barns is nearing completion and some footers and foundation walls have been poured.

The replacement and enlargement of storm sewers is about 95 percent complete with work on manhole construction and grading now in progress. The extension of underground electrical lines is awaiting delivery of electrical cable and the extension of underground steam distribution lines also is awaiting delivery of materials. In the Power Plant, good progress is being made on the rebuilding of two boilers and reconditioning of stokers.

### Library Waits

While the National Production Authority has granted approval of the new unit for the Fred Lewis Pattee Library, excavation will await allocation of certain critical materials needed.

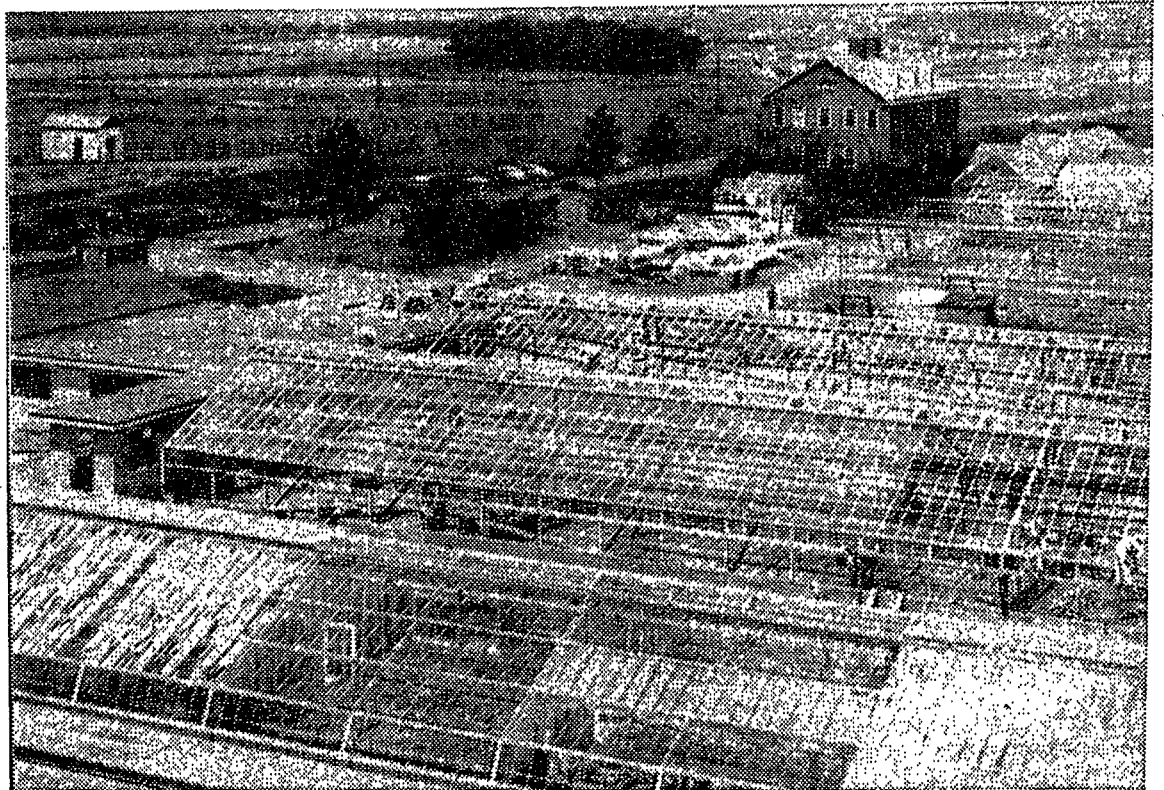
While contracts for the construction of units to Recreation Building and Buckhout Laboratory have been awarded, NPA approval is awaited and like the library, excavation will not start until allocation of materials, primarily reinforcing steel, are received.

The contract for the construction of north and south additions to Burrowes Building has not been let, pending the receipt of NPA approval on that project.

Wiegand also explained that the dairy barn for sterility research under construction as one of the units of the Dairy Cattle Breeding Research Center, is nearing completion, with partitioning yet to be done. The structure is financed by grants from the five Artificial Breeding Cooperatives in Pennsylvania and will have facilities for 40 cows.

Michigan State, Homecoming football opponent on Oct. 20, set the current Penn State attendance record of 24,500 in 1948. The seating capacity of Beaver Field has since been boosted to seat an even 30,000.

# No Ball Playing Allowed



**GREENHOUSES**, now under construction at the College, will make possible more extensive work in horticulture and agronomy. Built by the General State Authority at a cost of more than \$370,000, the greenhouses will greatly increase facilities for research into the growth of vegetables, fruits, and other agricultural products under glass.

# Grad Honorary Started Here

Chi Chapter of Delta Pi Epsilon, national honorary graduate fraternity for men and women in business education, was installed at the College at a dinner meeting held last Friday at the Centre Hills Country Club.

The installation was conducted by Dr. Peter Agnew, of Alpha chapter, at New York University, assisted by Gilbert Kahn, also of New York University; Mary Stella, of Oklahoma A. and M.; and Opal DeLancey, of Indiana University.

John G. Hanna of State College, was elected president of the chapter while other officers for the first year will be: Mrs. Mary Norton, State College, vice-president; Marjorie Mattern, Altoona, recording secretary; Margaret H. Sahkaney, Houtzdale, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Rae Leos, State College, treasurer; and Mrs. Louise Westrick, Barnesboro, historian.

Delta Pi Epsilon was organized at New York University in 1936 to give recognition and service to outstanding teachers and leaders in business education. It publishes Business Education Index and sponsors a research award for the best study in the field of business education.

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# MI Scholarship Fund Established

A scholarship fund in the School of Mineral Industries at the College will be established with a gift of \$1,500 from E. W. Rugh, of the Garfield Refractories Co., Bolivar, President Milton S. Eisenhower said today.

While the Executive Committee of the Board of Trustees approved the establishment of the fund, details governing its use will not be completed until later.

Mr. Rugh is a 1929 graduate of the College and received his degree in ceramics.

Lt. Howard F. "Bud" James, a Johnstown native and former Penn State football player, was the first Lion athlete to lose his life in the Korean war. A veteran of World War II, James was killed in action May 24.

Six all-time records were shattered by the Penn State basketball team during the 1951 season. Captain Lou Lamie set new individual records of 319 points for a single season and 666 points for three years.

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