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## Delaware Students to Attend Training Camp

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From:  
The Adjutant General of the Army.

With reference to camp training it is directed that inspectors include in their reports of each institution the following data:

(a) Number of members of R. O. T. C. units, citizens of U. S., who will have completed by the end of the present academic year, the course prescribed by G. O. 49, W. D. 1916.

Also how many of this class (a) if given opportunity, would attend an Officers' Training School, enlisting for three months or for the duration of the course of instruction should it exceed three months, receiving transportation and mileage to and from such camp and the pay and allowances of privates first class during the course of instruction, for the purpose of qualifying for a commission as second lieutenant, Officer Reserve Corps.

(c) Total number of all members of Reserve Officers' Training Corps units both senior and junior divisions, exclusive of those enumerated.

Also how many of this class (c) if given an opportunity would attend without expense to themselves, a camp for the period of one month probably the month of June, for such camp instruction and training as might be prescribed.

By order of the Secretary of War.

G. H. Shields, Jr.,  
Adj. Gen.

(This data must be ready for the Inspector on his arrival in the near future. It is therefore directed that the information called for be furnished at my office as soon as practicable—E. P. Pendleton, Col. U. S. A.)

Note—Class (c) includes all the Battalion except Seniors.

## BIG CHEMICAL CLUB "ROUND UP"

### Members To Have "Feed" Following Speeches

On April 4th, Thursday evening at 7.30 o'clock, the Wolf Chemical Club of Delaware College will have a big round-up and "feed." Through the interest of Professor Firman Thompson, Dr. R. P. Calvert, a well-versed man on chemical matters, will address the club. There will probably be a short talk also by one of the members of the club.

Craig and Cantwell are in charge of the refreshments. They are making arrangements with Miss Stewart for some real good "eats." More than likely the assessment will be twenty-five cents per man. A big turn-out is anticipated because it is the "big" event in the first year's history of the club.

A total of twelve former students of Princeton University have been decorated for bravery on the battlefields of Europe.

## COLLEGE TO CLOSE MAY EIGHTEENTH

### Faculty Adopts Following Resolutions At Special Meeting

First—That the College year of 1917-18 close on Saturday, May 18, and in order to obtain credit for the term a student must remain until the close of the term, May 18.

Second—If final examinations are given they shall be given at the discretion of the instructor and on the regular class period or at such time as the instructor may be able to arrange upon conference with the class concerned, provided however that there be no interference with work scheduled either regularly or in accordance with later provisions of these recommendations.

Third—From the present date until May 18, College hours shall be from 7.45 a. m. to 4.25 p. m. every day including Saturdays and holidays, with the exception of Saturday afternoon, May 11, 1918, which shall be a free afternoon in order to permit the Interscholastic Track and Field Meet to be held.

Fourth—That Saturday afternoon work be limited to laboratory and drawing courses and that those instructors who desire students to work on that afternoon must make application to the chairman of the Schedule Committee and state the amount of time he will require to complete his work.

Fifth—That the Social Committee be requested to arrange that social functions be held on Saturday evenings as far as possible.

Sixth—That Commencement exercises be held as previously planned.

Seventh—That all students whose affairs can be so arranged be urged to return for Commencement exercises.

Secretary.

## DEAN HAYWARD ADDRESSES STUDENTS

### Interesting Talk Given In Old College Hall

Dean Harry Hayward gave a most interesting address to the Delaware College Y. M. C. A. in one of the Sunday afternoon meetings. His presentation of live college issues was novel and interesting. He first asked the question, "Why do some people get ahead and become great while other people do not rise above a certain point?" He then compared the start in life with the start of a race where each horse awaits the raising of the barrier. Just as the barrier rises some horse on which much money and care have been lavished, balks and is left at the post with everything lost. He then went on to give the students some ways to attain success. He emphasized the fact that friendship formed in college lasts thru life and is of inestimable value to people. Frankness, sincerity, and determination are three main essentials to success. With true determination and will power and a willingness to do what is assigned to you, a man cannot fail in his attempt to go to the top. He ended by summing up that to be happy and prosperous one must have friends, a definite religion no matter of what character, frankness, determination, and tenacity.

## SIGMA NU HOLDS PARTY

### Delightful Dance At Chapter House

On last Friday evening the local chapter of the Sigma Nu Fraternity held a delightful informal party at the chapter house. About sixty people were present and all enjoyed themselves to the utmost.

This is the first affair of the kind which has been held in the house, for some time—the more recent ones having been given in the New Century Club. Everyone seemed to delight in the return to the house, and the affair was a great success in every respect. The rooms and hall on the lower floor were cleared of the furniture and the entire evening was devoted to dancing. Ewing's orchestra, of Wilmington, played exceptionally fine music, which added materially to the pleasure of those present. Between the halves of the program, refreshments were served.

In addition to the members of the chapter, a large number of local and out of town guests were present to enjoy the occasion. Several members of the alumni were back, as well as some of the faculty members. The following acted as patronesses: Mrs. C. C. Spiker, Mrs. J. Pilling, Mrs. J. Campbell and Miss Graves.

## ENTHUSIASTIC MEETING OF GLEE CLUB

### Concert May Be Postponed

The Glee Club held its regular weekly meeting Thursday evening March 21, in Old College Hall. The old songs were sung with the fervor and "pep" that would make a chorus of Neptune's sirens resemble a chorus from the Old Ladies' Home. Mr. Carpenter was especially well pleased with the singing. If it is finally decided to close College early, it is possible that the Club will not give a concert this year. Mr. Carpenter said, however, that if this was the case we would have to "whoop 'er up" as soon as we get back next year. It is his aim to make the Club known not only thruout Delaware but in every state and College in the East. He asked the boys if they were with him and they responded with a mighty "Yep."

The support the members of the Club have shown is especially gratifying to those who have had its interests at heart and it is the earnest desire of all that this co-operation will last until the end of the term despite the fact that we may have extra work to do.

## Student Council

Owing to a movement among the faculty to place certain conditions upon the membership of the Student Council, President Wilson has appointed a number of men to meet jointly with the faculty committee and the Student Council to discuss this question. They are: Holland, Swayne, Alexander, Davis, Hoey, Bowen, Hann, Crothers, and E. Cannon. This meeting will be held sometime in the near future and more than likely some definite decision will be made in regard to the representatives of the Student Council.

## COACH BAUMGARTNER DEVELOPING BASEBALL MEN

### Practices Held Daily

For the past week the baseball candidates have been practicing under the warming rays of "Old Sol" and the watchful eye of Coach Baumgartner. An immense task looms up in front of Coach right at this minute, which is how to make and develop a seasoned team with only two old men back. McCordell, short stop, and Carter, first base, are the only varsity men of last year who have reported.

Coach Baumgartner is not discouraged with the new material, however, and promises to turn out a representative team. Each afternoon last week saw the men lining up in a six inning game with the various candidates in their longed for positions. During the early part of the week work was done in the rudimentary parts of the game. In lectures and demonstrations, Coach showed the whole squad the essential points of the game. After a "skull practice" Coach sent the men thru a hard workout. These workouts will continue to grow in size and length just as soon as the expected warm spell arrives.

Much of Coach's time this week will be spent with the battery men. If Coach can develop a dependable battery he can easily fit the other cogs into his machine. The pitching candidates are: Anderson, Work, German, Sipple, Davis, and Brown. Anderson pitched ball last year for the Salesinum High School team and with the coaching he will receive should make a valuable man in the box this season. Work, a product of Elkton High School, also showed up well during the week. The other men will have a chance to show their ability as soon as the warm weather takes (Continued on Page 4)

## WORK ON "MINISTREL" STARTED

### "Suggestions Wanted!"

The committee in charge of the minstrel show to be given by the Delaware College students the latter part of April, has decided definitely on the nature of the production. Several preliminary try-outs have been held and the cast, with a few exceptions, has been selected. This does not mean, however, that other men will not be given a chance. Any man who thinks he can make a "hit" with an individual "stunt" should report at the next rehearsal. The committee selected by the students is: Business Manager, J. F. Davis; Stage Manager, G. R. Cantwell; Vocal Musical Director, E. E. Ewing; Instrumental Musical Director, R. L. Sumwalt; Advisory Committee, C. I. Sutfin, J. G. Craig, and F. B. Carter. Eight end-men, four of whom are to be finally chosen, have been decided on. These men are: Howard B. Alexander, Joseph Wilson, Lee Roach, George Nelson, Louis Plam, George Tonkin, Leon Gordy, and O. C. Ward. E. E. Ewing has selected and posted the men for the chorus. It is the desire of the committee to have the students offer suggestions. It is by such a co-operative plan as this that the show can be made successful and a credit to the college.

## Kappa Alpha Holds Party

On last Friday evening, March 22, the members of the Kappa Alpha fraternity gave a party at their house on Quality Hill. The nature of the party was two-fold, being first, to dedicate their service flag, and second, to dance and spend an enjoyable evening. The presentation and dedication of the service flag, which has at present thirty-four stars, occurred immediately after eight o'clock when the guests had assembled. Prof. G. E. Dutton, on behalf of the alumni of the fraternity, presented the flag, and Harry B. Alexander, on behalf of the active chapter accepted it. The flag was arranged so that it was hidden from the eyes of the gathering until the moment of presentation, when it was dropped. The Kappa Alpha march was played, after which the second part of the entertainment held sway until twelve o'clock. Tasty refreshments were served to the guests at ten o'clock when an intermission occurred. The fraternity house was simply but beautifully decorated in crepe paper in the fraternity colors of crimson and old gold, combined with branches of pine, laurel, and cedar. The lights were toned in crimson and old gold, likewise. Excellent music was furnished by Drainer and Lynch, of Wilmington. The party continued from eight until twelve. The guests of the evening were: Prof. and Mrs. G. E. Dutton, Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Wright, Miss Bigelow, Dr. Sypherd, Dr. Steele, Norris Wright, Lieutenant J. C. Hastings, and Misses Long, Elizabeth and Elsie Wright, Dorothy Newton, Elizabeth Houston, Alice Anna Rouse, Mary Mitchell, Gladys Walton, Mary Davis, Olga Seifert, Cardell Williams, Lillie Ferguson, Emily Frazer, Pat Col-lison, Esther Dodson, Margaret Reynolds, and Calysta Feehly. The members of the fraternity present were: Harry B. Alexander, Marvel Wilson, Hugh Downing, Harry Loose, George Hearne, Charles F. Meyers, John Alexander, Leon Gordy, Hasson Terrell, Robert Col-pitts, Reed Graves, Robert Pool, Frances McWhorter, George Sipple, Dorsey Donoho, and Roland Handy.

## CALENDAR

- Tuesday, March 26—  
"Ag" Club Meeting, O. C. H., 7 P. M.  
Mandolin Club Practice, O. C. H., 12.30-1 P. M.
- Wednesday, March 27—  
Fraternity Meetings, 7 P. M.
- Thursday, March 28—  
Mandolin Practice, O. C. H., 12.30 P. M.
- Saturday, March 30—  
Senior Class Dance
- Monday, April 1—  
Meeting of Student Council, O. C. H., 7 P. M.  
Art Class Meeting, Science Hall, W. C. D.
- Smokeless Week at U. of P.

There is an endeavor to have a "Smokeless Week" at the University of Pennsylvania. The aim is to have all students forego the taste of tobacco for a week, so that there will be more for the soldiers.



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**I. Progress**

I wonder how many now in college would wish to go back to the good old times, of last year, or the year before, not to speak of the golden era about '96? A good many, I suspect.

"Things around here are not like they used to be, no sir!" "When I was a freshman I could have recommended Delaware College to anybody, but now—I!" "The upper-classmen are not the kind of men they were in my first year,—they're just boys nowadays."

Progress is one of the things that seems fine, after it has occurred. But out in the midst of it, at its fretful cutting-edge, there is for the most part nothing but dust, sweat, battle, criticism, disappointment, uncertainty; and only the very determined progressives do not occasionally get sick of it, and set up a cry for the good old times. Which is only to say that very few show themselves able to stand the gaff! The progress of a community is not to be likened to the flow of a river. Rather it has the movement of a pack of ice in spring, plane grinding on plane, crunching, cracking, here starting forward, only to pile up there in ridiculous confusion, threatening bridges, tearing up the shores, destroying itself and a menace to a whole countryside. It is always expected to work out nicely according to a plan, but it never does! Somebody explodes in an unexpected editorial, when he should have had a conference; or the students decide that the way to have a big college is to take longer holidays; or the blind and narrow-minded faculty martyrs with arbitrary, cruel and unjust punishment their purpose to bring the college up to date; and just as things seem about to settle into

smooth running, up pops a Bolshevik "journal of opinion" which disconcerts the estimable and orthodox Review, and another readjustment has to be worked out. No wonder we get sick of the whole business and think of jumping out of the frying pan.

But all the while progress goes on,—not the "march of progress" of which one reads in the newspapers, but progress such as it is in this all-too-human world. The editorial should not have been written,—but a coach is retained for the basketball season. The students should not have taken a holiday,—but they learned as they never could have been taught in books the nature of the constitution of a college, and got a first-hand lesson in political action. The Bolshevik journal was a blunder,—but the next number of the Review was more interesting.

When the dust clears up, something new is there, something worth preserving.

**II. A Symbol of Unity**

The other day I saw a report which the Student Secretary had compiled for the Trustees on the uses of Old College Hall. When these were enumerated, they revealed a development which has taken place so quietly that few have stopped to take full account of it, but which is likely to outlast in importance the sensational events that have monopolized attention this year. The number and the variety of student activities which Old College Hall has either made possible, or greatly stimulated in giving them a home, were impressive.

The activities that center in Old College Hall were classified as (1) Social; (2) Institutional; (3) Religious; (4) Military; (5) Public. The classification indicates their range.

I quote certain paragraphs from the report, in which the significance of some of these activities is emphasized. Under "social" appear the following:

"The dining hall is used by practically all of the resident students. The students have disregarded fraternity affiliations in seating themselves at the tables. The members of the athletic teams eat together at a training table in the small dining room."

"The Lounge is used at some time in the day by every student of the college. The students study at the small tables, play checkers; read the newspapers and the popular and scientific magazines with which the room is provided—largely by the voluntary subscription of the student body—or sing at the piano, which was purchased by themselves."

"The social entertainments of the college are now held almost exclusively in Old College Hall. Two informal dances, under the auspices of the Student Council; a military dance, given by the commissioned officers of the Reserve Officers' Training Corps; the Junior Prom, and the formal dances of the fraternities, have been held in the Commons; and on such occasions the building as a whole has been thrown open for use, and has proved itself admirably adapted to the promotion of a wholesome inclusive social life, under delightful circumstances."

Under "Institutional" it is noted that the following organizations now have headquarters in the building: the four Classes, the Ag Club, the Engineering Society, the Chemical Club, the Glee Club, the Mandolin Club, the Orchestra; the Athletic Council; the Review, the Delaware Farmer, and the Blue Hen; the Student Government Association; the Book-store.

Under "Public," the use made of the Hall in entertaining the State

Grange, and in providing the Government an office for the Medical Examining Board, is mentioned.

Under "Religious" certain very important developments which the Hall has directly made possible are described.

"The students who remain in college over the week-end, usually about fifty in number, gather in the Lounge on Sunday after a four o'clock dinner and sing hymns and listen to some speaker whom they invite to address them in a short talk. These meetings, which began to be held only recently, were instituted on the initiative of the students themselves and are very popular."

"Recently the students, upon the initiative of men whom they are accustomed to follow in their class, athletic, and social activities, have decided to form groups in each of the fraternities and in the dormitory for a weekly study and discussion of the Bible and the application of Christian principles to the issues and purposes of the war. There will probably be at the start from ten to fifteen men in each of six classes. The leaders of these classes, whether students or members of the faculty, will meet once a week with President Mitchell, who has been asked to act as instructor of the group of

leaders. This movement is the result of a suggestion, not of pressure; and may be taken as spontaneous evidence of a wholesome interest in serious concerns."

**III. Forward!**

The campus pessimists who are really genuine in their misgivings about the progress of the college might find some encouragement in a poem of Arthur Clough's which is a ringing challenge to the weary.

Say not the struggle naught avail-eth,

The labor and the wounds are vain,

The enemy nor faints nor faileth, And as things have been they remain.

For while the tired waves vainly breaking

Seem here no painful inch to gain,

Far back, through bays and inlets making,

Comes silent, flooding in, the main.

And not by eastern windows only When daylight comes, comes in the light:

Here the sun rises slow,—how slowly!

But westward, lo! the land is bright.

X. S.

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## Student Expression

Dear Editor:

Recently there has been much comment among the students in regard to Sunday meals. It seems from what these students have said that many, probably a majority, of the fellows prefer to have three meals on Sunday rather than two.

If I remember correctly, a vote was taken by the students at the beginning of the year and it was decided that two meals would be the preferable plan. Since that time the students seem to have changed their mind.

Many of the fellows claim that the wait from nine o'clock till four is too long. They also say that when they eat at four o'clock they get hungry before bedtime and are often forced to buy an extra meal each Sunday.

Since it is time that most of the boys are dissatisfied would it not be possible to adopt some plan in order that three meals could be served on Sunday?

Yours truly,

A Student.

### Children, Men, And Leaders

"When I was a child, I spake as a child, I felt as a child, I thought as a child: now that I am become a man, I have put away childish things." It would indeed be well if we students were more heedful of that precept. When with a judicious and critical eye we view certain of our past acts in their proper perspective, have they not, to say the least, savored more of the childish than of the manly? Then when we received treatment consistent with our actions, how we have railed against it and maintained that we, men, were being treated as little children. Such is the supreme egotism of the human mind.

The world at large accepts a man pretty much at his own valuation. All of us, I hope, claim to be men. Yet as I see it, the fault lies in the fact that we have mistaken the means whereby we must set that value upon ourselves. It is not by our words but by our actions that we make known the value we set upon ourselves. When by our actions we have truly shown ourselves to be men, then only shall we receive the treatment that is our due.

When a number of individuals form a group, there are bound to be leaders. The acts of the group are bound to be more or less governed by the suggestions of these leaders. In such a group an intelligent man must assert to the utmost his individuality. Thus the individuals can to a great extent determine who his leaders shall be. In the past there has been too little of this at Delaware. There are too many who let others think for them. A good leader may be compared to a good conscience which controls our acts. In speaking of conscience, Ruskin once said, "Obey thy conscience! But first be sure it is not the conscience of an ass!" The same thing may be said of leaders of groups. Obey thy leader! But first be sure he is not the leader of an ass!

L. M.

### Letter To The Editor

Editor of the Review:

To the Students: I wish to thank you for the beautiful flowers which you sent me during my sickness. I can hardly express to you my real appreciation for your support, nor can I tell you how much it helped me to know that you were thinking of me.

Sincerely yours,

Alice L. Beck.

## Letter From "Ted" Williams

The following letter has just been received from "Ted" Williams who was a former member of the 1920 class:

A. E. F., France, Feb. 4, 1918

Dear ———:

You have no idea how much good that letter of yours did me. Here, where we are, practically isolated, that letter made me feel better than if I had had a piece of pie, and take it from me pie is certainly scarce.

I've been on the lookout for any one from college but suppose that they are still in the States. I flatter myself that I have made out so well, Sergeant in charge of the grenade section and also company gas N. C. O. (non-com. officer). The last was quite a triumph for me and sure did take some work.

In the last capacity I must test for gas, notify the Commander when time to remove masks as they can be removed only at an officer's command. See that alarms are always in good order, detail sentries for giving the alarm in case of an attack, see to the clearing of the trenches of gas, inspect the respirators and a lot of other stuff. The grenade section is big bunch of trouble too; so you can see that I'm pretty busy. I think quite a little of my job too as this regiment is composed mostly of old soldiers and they know the stuff.

Our officers are a fine bunch too. The Captain is a West Point man, two of the Lieutenants from the ranks and two R. O. T. C. Lieutenants. Both of the Reserve men are Harvard men, one '14, the other '15, and Boston Tech '16. Last year he taught at Tech; so you see he must have the stuff.

First time I get a chance I shall

try to locate Pete Chambers, but as things look now I expect it will be hopeless. In the first place we are limited to the area occupied by our division and in the second place it is mighty hard to locate any other body of troops.

Well, so long old top; I'll close with best wishes to the fellows and you.

Sincerely,  
Ed Williams

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## COACH BAUMGARTNER DEVELOPING BASEBALL MEN

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the kinks and soreness from their arms. The catching candidates consist of Ritz, Spaid, Nelson, Roach, and J. Anderson. Ritz caught a nice brand of ball last year for the scrub team, and also played the field, and with good coaching should make a valuable catcher. Spaid, a former Goldey College player, showed up well in practice as did Nelson and Anderson, both being hefty boys who should develop.

The infield candidates are numerous and if present indications hold true the team should have a fast, scrappy infield. Olcott, A. Barnard, and Carter are trying out conclusions for the initial sack. Coach has also been trying Carter out as a pitcher and as yet it is a question of whether he will try for the infield or pitching staff. Olcott played first base last season for the championship Freshman team and should prove valuable. A. Barnard covered first base last year for the W. C. I. of Dover.

"Phil" Marvel, second baseman for the scrub and Freshman team last year, seems to have a call on second base. At short stop McCordell of last year's varsity seems to have the same speed which he displayed last season. He should hit the ball hard this year. Meredith and J. Pierson are the third base Guardians. Meredith is fast on the field and also on the bases. Pierson is a product of Wilmington High School. He is a fast and flashy fielder and if he can develop his hitting stride he will probably see service this year.

The outfielders who have reported are: Ewing, Donohoe, L. Plam, Jones, Peach, Wise, Robin, Monaghan, Holland, and Mitchell. Donohoe and Ewing are showing up well. Donohoe is a Seaford product and has had some baseball experience and with Coach to direct him he will soon round into a speedy fielder. Ewing is fast and covers a lot of ground. If he can develop in hitting he will no doubt make good.

From now on, regular six-inning games will be played every day. Bunting and sliding practice is now under way, and some of the men are rounding into shape. Any man who has ever played baseball at all should report for practice. Material is needed and must be secured in order to make the season a success. Let's go!

## BOOKS GIVEN FOR SOLDIERS

254 Volumes Collected Here

During the past week, there have been collected at the college library two hundred and fifty four books for the War Service Libraries. In this campaign for books, Delaware College does not seem to have responded so keenly as it did in the Red Cross campaign and in the sale of War Savings Stamps. The quota desired by the American Library Association, which is conducting all the War Library work, was five hundred books, so that it would seem as though their aim had been only half realized. There are source books collected at the Women's College which have not yet been turned in at the library, however, so that when all are collected the desired five hundred mark may yet be reached.

The books so far contributed have consisted mainly of recent fiction. All the books are in good condition and all are of the kinds desired by the Association. When the books have all been collected here they will be shipped to the State Library Commission at Dover, and from there they will be sent to the government agencies

for distribution among the camps and to the men at the front.

This campaign of the past week does not finish the efforts of the Library Association for books. More books are constantly needed for the soldiers both to replace other books which are worn out, and to satisfy the demands of the increasing need. The aim is to have a "book for every man in service," and the Association hopes that five books will be given for every book purchased.

## "Ag" Club Activities

One of the main topics of discussion at the meeting last Tuesday night was a better co-operation between the Delaware Farmer and the "Ag" Club. In former years the two were practically one body, and every member of the "Ag" Club was a contributor to the Farmer. But at present the men elect a board for the paper and then immediately forget about it; they neither write articles for the paper nor do they take an interest in it, but leave the success or failure of the paper solely on the shoulders of a few men. Such a condition should certainly not exist; the board not only welcomes but urges every student to contribute articles to the paper. Until each student does take such an active interest in the Farmer, he cannot derive from it the interest and benefit that he should.

Prof. McCue made a statement during the course of the evening that should provide food for thoughtful consideration in the minds of all "Ag" men. Hereafter, instead of requiring students to write a thesis during their senior year, essays will only be accepted from such men as have done creditable work during their college course. To be the author of a thesis means an honor conferred—and also a very concrete evidence to future employers of the student's ability.

The Newark Grange announces that it will welcome all college students into its fold. Prof. McCue is Master of the organization and that fact in itself should speak of the benefit an "Ag" man can derive from the grange.

This afternoon at 3:30 o'clock Mr. G. H. McKay of the Reading Terminal Market, will deliver a lecture in the chapel room on the care of the storage of fruits and vegetables. Mr. McKay is an expert authority on this phase of transportation and the Club feels sure that the lecture will be of benefit not only to all "Ag" men but to anyone interested in business organization and transportation.

## TRACK PROSPECTS BRIGHT

Many Candidates Out

About twenty candidates have been reporting at track practice on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. These men are for the relay team and distances. The work so far has consisted mostly of jogging in order to get their limbs strong and to get good wind.

There is no reason why the team this year cannot be as good as last year. Although we lost Captain Steele '17, Marshall '17, Fitzpatrick '19, McDonnell '20, and Brewer '20, from last year's team, this year's team ought to be fully as good.

The varsity men now in college are Craig, Marston, Harry Alexander, Loose, Catts, and Captain Crockett.

The following men who were "Scrubs" last year are Hearne, Kite, Thomas, Myers, ought to make varsity material this year if they put enough "pep" into their work and get in tip-top shape when Coach "Pat" Keyes arrives the first Tuesday in April.

Some of the Freshmen have had considerable track experience in high schools. These men are Young, McMillen and Hemphill of Wilmington High, Joe Wilson of Perkiomen and West Phila, Waples of W. C. A. W., Lindsay of Elkton High, Dare of George School, Alexander of Oil City High. Other candidates out are Johnson, Levey, Arbuckle, Killen, Jacobyan, Buck, Phillips, Walton, Hann, Colpitts, D. Smith, and others. All new candidates are urged to come out regularly for practice.

What Delaware has lacked in years has been field men—men that can throw the Hammer and put the Shot; other small colleges turn out the weight men, why can't Delaware? It is up to everyone in college, who weighs over 160 pounds to go out daily and learn to put the Shot and throw the Hammer. These two events are not acquired over night, but by diligent and conscientious work on the part of the candidate.

D. L. Crockett,  
Captain.

## "Hen" Marston Elected Captain Of Basketball For Next Year

At a meeting of the letter men of basketball for the past year "Hen" Marston, of the class of 1919, was elected captain for next year. "Hen" was the only letter man on the team who will be a Senior next year and he was the logical man for the job. He played scrub basketball during his freshman and sophomore years and displayed a fine article of basketball on the 'Varsity during the past season. Marston was assistant manager of last season's team; this placed him in line for the managership for next year but as captain he would not run for manager. The Review congratulates Marston on his election and wishes him the best of success.

## INTERCOLLEGIATE NEWS

### Berkeley

Student officers at the University of Berkeley are to decide whether or not cadets will wear their uniforms every day. Announcement will be made in the form of an order from the military department.

### Princeton

Princeton celebrated the 25th anniversary of the adoption of the honor system with the recent mid-year examinations.

### M. I. T.

Technology held its annual senior dance recently, about 100 couples attending. The hours of dancing were unique, from 6 to 11 o'clock, to comply with the request of the fuel administrator.

### Kansas

The faculty of the University of Kansas are drilling regularly three times a week. The division consists of three squads and are being drilled by Prof. G. C. Shad, dean of the Engineering College. The drill consists of setting up exercises, manual of arms and general close order work. At present they are drilling with wooden guns which have been supplied by the Engineering College, but it is hoped that Kraggs may soon be obtained. During the bad weather the drill has been conducted indoors.

### Wisconsin

Students at the University of Wisconsin have a melting pot into which they put all old bits of jewelry and scraps of gold and silver. The contents are to be sold for the benefit of French orphans.

## Oregon

Domestic science girls at the University of Oregon are making butterless, eggless, milkless, sugarless doughnuts which are cooked in vegetable fats.

## Tie-Pulling Class Rush

Columbia University is trying to devise some new sort of class rush for the freshmen and sophomores. They have about decided upon a tie rush, in which the sophs wear red ties and the fresh, green; each class attempts to get the ties of the other, and after a certain length of time, when the ties are counted, the side with the largest number is judged victorious.

At a recent meeting of the President and Fellows of Harvard Col-

lege it was voted not to charge a "graduation fee" of twenty dollars to men who graduate in 1918 and go into active service prior to Commencement.

The faculty of Syracuse rejected the petition of the student body to introduce the honor system into all examinations at Syracuse. The faculty felt that the honor system would not materially improve conditions, and that at the present time it should not be adopted.—Ex.

Whether Rutgers will become a coeducational institution or not is being seriously considered by a special commission appointed for that purpose by the Board of Trustees.

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