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## PROFESSOR BALDWIN'S 400th ORGAN RECITAL SUNDAY

Total Attendance At Recitals
Exceeds 500,000

The Four-Hundredth Public Organ Recital in the Great Hall will be given by Professor Baldwin on Sunday afternoon December 13th at four o'clock. A special program has been arranged for the occasion which will include representative compositions from all the classical and modern schools. The program will be as follows:

Sonata No. 1 in D minor

Alex. Guilmant Hora Mystica...M. Enrico Bossi Fantasie and Fugue in G minor

J. S. Bach
Soutenir.... Edwin H. Lemare
Chant sans paroles. V. Frysinger
Finale from "Symphonic Pathetique. Peter I. Tschaikowsky
Am Meer..... Franz Schubert
Overture, "Tannhauser"....
Richard Wagner

Beginning with the opening recital on February 11, 1908, there have been 2930 renditions of 610 different works, embracing every school of organ composition as well as many transcriptions for the instrument. The total attendance has exceeded 500,000.

After this recital, only two more will be given this term, on Dec. 16th and 20th.

The Microcosm says:

"We may quote the Musical Observer at this point: "Truly Samuel A. Baldwin is an honor to his profession and his country; his career is worthy of emulation by every ambitious American.' And those who have been so fortunate as to hear and enjoy his renditions of the great masters, and those who, more fortunate still, had the opportunity to come in close contact with his gentle dignity, not only heartily endorse the Musical Observer; but wish to Samuel A. Baldwin many, many more years of splendid service and well-merited success."

#### C. C. N. Y. STUDENT WINS FIRST PRIZE IN EDISON ESSAY CONTEST

Other Prizes in Competition Recently Closed Go to Students of Wadleigh, Finch School, and P. S. No. 16

Joseph H. Lipschitz, '15 was awarded first prize in the Essay Contest conducted by the Edison Electrical Exposition which closed recently.

The contest was open to college students and pupils of High, Preparatory and Public Schools. Topics were restricted to the treatment of any electrical subject or of any modern invention of an electrical nature. Officials of the Exposition visited the College last week and announced the University award. Acting-President Werner and Prof. Stevenson represented C. C.

N. Y.
Other prizes were given to Miss
Elsie G. Finch of the Finch School,
61 East 77th Street, Franklin Cornell
of Newtown High School, Miss
Dorothy Hull of Wadleigh High
School and John B. McCullough of

P. S. No. 16.

The Committee of Award included among others Mrs. Helen H. Jenkins, Chairman, Mrs. Samuel C. Van Dusen, and Dr. G. P. Hitchcock of Pratt Institute.

No Compulsory Assemblies

#### STUDENT FAINTS IN ALCOVE

Dr. Storey Attends Him-

Another Example of Overstudy
Leslie Levy, a Lower Freshman in
the College, fainted last week in his
class alcove. Dr. Storey revived him.

He attributes this breakdown and his general loss of health to overstudy. The student came to College early in the morning apparently in good health but suddenly was taken ill.

## Prof. Guthrie Discusses the Spirit Of Reform in the West, Before Civic Club

At the Civic Club, last Thursday, Professor Guthrie spoke on the subject of "The West, the Hotbed of Political Reform."

The Professor, who is himself a Westerner, handled the subject in his usual, inimitable style, illustrating it by incidents drawn from his own experience. He traced the influence of the western frontier from the beginning of history, down to the present day.

He said that although he was not in sympathy with all the reforms proposed, he was greatly in sympathy with the spirit which actuated them.

He also commented on the political influence of Western universities. The Civic Club of the University of North Dakota, which is affiliated with the Civic Club of this College, is a great factor, he said, in compiling reform statistics. The University of Texas, from which our new President, Dr. Mezes, comes, is especially prominent in this respect.

At the next meeting of the club, the 10th of December, the "Constitutional Convention" will be discussed.

## Professor Duggan, Judge

Professor Duggan of the Education Department was one of the Judges at a debate between Washington Irving and Wadleigh High Schools last Friday afternoon.

day afternoon.

The debate, "Resolved that closed shops are beneficial to general welfare," was won by Washington Irving for the affirmative.

In making the decision the judges stated that, because of the excellent manner in which both sides were presented, they had difficulty in arriving to their final judgment.

## Prof. Woolston Reports to

Factory Commission on

Minimum Wage

Professor Woolston of the Department of Political Science appeared on December 1st and 2nd at the Public Hearings of the State Factory Commission. He summarized the statistical returns concerning the wages of employees in the manufacturing and mercantile establishments of New York State.

The statistics were gathered for the Commission during the past fifteen months and Prof. Woolston was the expert in charge. The purpose of the Commission was to furnish material for the Minimum Wage question.

Prof. Woolston will lecture on this question before the Civics Club at an early date. He will also discuss the matter of the Minimum Wage question at the annual joint-meeting of the American Economic and Socialogical Association, to be held at Princeton during the last week in December.

#### Illustrated Lecture on Manufacture

Of Cement to Be Given

On Thursday, December 10th, 1914, an illustrated lecture on the "Manufacture of Portland Cement" will be held in Room 105 at 12 M. under the auspices of the Engineering Society.

The lecture will be illustrated by motion pictures showing every stage in the manufacture of cement. The films are shown by the Lehigh Portland Cement Company.

#### Prof. Clark Lectures on

Labor Organizations

Prof. Clark of the Department of Political Science is giving a series of ten lectures on "Modern Labor Organizations" before the Junior League of New York City.

At the organization meeting of the National Association of Urban Universities and Colleges held a zew weeks ago in Washington, Prof. Clark was elected Secretary-Treasurer. President Dabney of Cincinnati College was elected President and Dean Lord of Boston College was elected Vice-President of the oragnization.

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The Hon. Joseph L. Buttenweiser delievered a lecture last Thursday on "The Jews: Their Strength and Their Dangers" before the Menorah Society.

Dr. Buttenweiser, besides being a lawyer and statesman, is President of the Hebrew Technical School for Girls. His vigorous lecture was well

attended.

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"My dear young men," he declared, "you are the inheritors of a priceless heritage. It is your duty in a land of toleration and of such opportunity as this—a land which seems to fulfill so admirably the conception of Jeho-vah's 'promised land'—to practice the religion of your fathers and to act as missionaries of liberty. But, understand me, there is a vast distinction between liberty and license. An engine is called free not when it runs off the track, but when it travels along smoothly and straight. And that is what liberty means. It means also the employment of all our faculties, and success measured according to American ideas. But I want to warn you, young men, that in any success which some of you here to-day will attain, you be on your guard against materialism. 'Take with you cups of pure silver and gold,' and with the inspiration that will give you—those rocks of high and true idealism-you will lead nobler, purer and better

## Lost And Found Bureau Notice

The Lost and Found Bureau of the Student Council has issued to the Student body a report setting forth the work of the Bureau and its methods.

- 1. Bring the found article to the Lost and Found Bureau the same day that you find it. Do not wait a week.
- 2. Articles uncalled for by the losers will be returned to the finders after four weeks.
- 3. The names of such finders will be posted for two weeks.
- 4. After these two weeks, the articles will be offered for sale, and the proceeds devoted to the Student Council.

Dean's Office Issues Elective Notice The Dean's Office announces these Elective Courses, to be given next semester.

Art 3, 6, 7, 8, 9. Chemistry 4—19 inclusive, except 9, 11, 15, 16, 18.

Education 1, 2, 4, 5, 6. English 3, 6, 8, 10, 12, 13.

French 9, 14, 15, 16. German 11.

Greek 9, 10.

History 5-10 inclusive.

Italian 2. Latin 8, 11.

Mathematics 9. Music 2.

Natural History 2-16 inclusive, ex-

cept 3, 6, 9, 10, 15.

Philosophy 2, 5, 6, 21, 23.

Physics 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 15a, 16.

Political Science 2, 4, 6, 12, 15, 21, and 23-25 inclusive.

Spanish 9. Mechanic Arts 25.

No other courses but those already listed, will be given, except Mathematics 6 and 8, provided a sufficient number of additional elections are received in the Dean's Office by to-day.

## Scholarships in Medicine Offered

At The U. of Chicago

The University of Chicago offers four prize scholarships in the medical courses for the best theses in one of the sciences fundamental to medicine: physics, chemistry, or any of the bio-logical branches. Theses must be in the hands of the Dean of Medical Students, University of Chicago, before April 1st, 1915. Futher particulars in regard to these scholarships may be had from the Dean.

#### Have you seen the beautiful C. C. N. Y. CALENDARS?

They are works of art On exhibition and on sale at the Blank Book Counter THE CAMPUS

Offers

One of these handsome souvenirs FREE

To the author of the best letter for our correspondance page received BEFORE DECEMBER 15th

Judge-Prof. Mott

## C. C. N. Y. Wins Opening Game— Freshmen Lose

Our basketball season opened propitiously last Saturday night when a large crowd saw the R. P. I. team go down to defeat at the hands of our five in a fast and furious game. The final score was 20 to 19. At the end of the first half the score stood 11 to 8 in our favor. The Troy men came back in the second half and fought harder than before, almost turning defeat into victory in the last few minutes of play. Drake's timely field goal in the last few seconds saved the day for C. C. N. Y. Woolsey of the visitors was their particular star, scoring 11 of their 19 points. Nudelman did well for us in the last part of the game. The Line-up:

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Referee—Mr. Deering
Scorer—Mr. Bradner, '14.

The Freshmen started their season with defeat. In the preliminary game Hoboken High School defeated the 1918 team by the score of 17 to 21. The Hoboken men were superior to the Freshmen in shooting both from the field and from the foul line.

SECOND BASKETBALL

SQUAD WORKS HARD

Fit to Take Regulars' Places If Needed The second squad of the basketball Team has been unusually active. On Monday, November 30th the second basketball squad defeated the West Side Y. M. C. A. team, 20—13 in spite of our large hospital list—Drake laid up, Lefkowitz with a bad foot and Unger crippled with water on the knee. The "All Professional Five" were neatly trimmed to the tune of 41—20 a little later and the East Side Y. M. C. A. felt the pangs of defeat when our boys rang up 39 to their 19.

The little inconveniences and privations that the members of the Squad have to deal with—e.g. late suppers, extra carfare and other expenses (some hail from Richmond Hill and Flushing)—should be thoroughly appreciated. Instead of criticism by those who know very little of the actual state of affairs, sprited enthusiasm and loyal support should be given to such deserving workers.

Few realize how much practice the men need in order to keep in the proper condition to maintain the basketball end of athletics at C. C. N. Y. A squad averaging twenty-four has put in four months of post-season practice, one day a week. It has been figured that the team now works thirty-two hours each week in afternoons and twelve hours in the evenings at practice games. An attendance book kept by Coach Palmer has recorded few absences, illustrating how faithfully his men have worked.

Varsity Defeats Alumni-

'18 Wins From '17

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The varsity basketball team showed what they could do last Friday when they defeated an alumni team made up of some of the best players of recent years. The final score was 27 to 18.

There was also a fast game between the Freshmen and Juniors which the '18 men won by a score of 17 to 14.

The Varsity showed so much speed at first that the Alumni could hardly see them. Before the first half was over the grads got their bearings and the game became a fast, close fight. JS

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Zinovov's work for the alumni was good but his eye was bad at times when he tried to shoot. Zinovoy

played on the varsity of 1912.

Drake and Saltman as forwards and Unger, a new man, as guard played well for the varsity. Attempts at long shots characterized the game.

#### MANHATTAN GAME SATURDAY

Saturday night we meet Manhattan College in a basketball game on our court. This is the first crack we have ever had at our rival down in the valley in this sport.

#### Mr. Holton to Discuss Plan For Winter Baseball Practice

Mr. Holton has called a meeting of candidates for the battery positions on next year's baseball teams to his office in Compton Hall at 1 P.M. to-morrow. Mr. Holton has a plan for Winter and Spring practice which he wishes to discuss with the men. All pitchers and catchers are expected to attend this meeting.

## Song And Cheer Book Now on Sale

The book of Songs and Cheers published by the Athletic Association is now ready for distribution at five cents a copy.

The five cents is merely to cover the cost of printing the book. It contains a description and picture of the stadium a list of athletic records, new songs, cheers and the schedules of the basketball and swimming teams.

#### Chick

Chick Saltman, gymnast, athlete, poet and composer, author of "The C. C. N. Y. Trombone" and "The C. C. N. Y. Drinking Song" has been N. Y. Drinking Song" has been awarded the A. A. prize, a season ticket, for his contributions to the new song book.

#### NOTES

Amherst has been added workedule. We meet them swimming schedule. on December 23rd.

The basketball team will meet Rochester and St. Lawrence on the 25th and 28th respectively. These The basketball games will be played out of town.

#### Prof. Baskerville Talks

On November 24th, Professor Baskerville of the Chemistry Department, addressed the audience at the Exhibition of the Street Cleaning Department, which was held in the Armory of the First Field Artillery, 1891 Bathgate Avenue, Bronx.

#### Dr. Heckman Speaks At Albany

"How the College Can Co-operate with the Secondary School in Exceptional Children" was the subject of an address made by Dr. Heckman at the State Teachers' Convention in Albany on November 25th.

#### Senior\_Faculty Gathering

On December 18th.

Senior Class desires Faculty to keep the date of their joint gathering—Dec. 18—open, for this will be the last "send-off" of the Feb. '15 Class. The affair will be held in the Tower Room.

#### NOTES

Mr. Everett P. Wheeler, 56, has presented one-hundred volumes from his own library to the Economic Library of the College.

At the Open Social Meeting of the Menorah on the evening of Dec. 16th, Dr. Foster will speak on "Fundamental Jewish Conceptions of Peace." A social program will follow and refreshments will be served. All are urged to bring both their gentlemen and lady friends.

A Political Science Club similar to the Civics Club of the Day Session has been formed. The other organizations are thriving as much as ever.

Re-examinations in the Night College will take place on Saturday Evening, December 12th.

T. H. H. defeated Stuyvesant High School in the C. C. N. Y. pool last Thursday evening by the score of 35 to 18.

The Basketball Team played Boys High last Saturday. It was the opening game of the P. S. A. L. schedule.

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Article of Incorporation of The Campus Association.

## No Compulsory Assemblies

Ho! Ye chronic kickers, ye literary sophomoric sinners, ye gyroscopic gumwillies who have abused

The Library Number willies who have abused our library and thrown in our teeth its hoary antiquity,—hearken. If

ye would turn from the dusty pages of Homer and Lucian and plunge into the fresh feaming waters of modernity, give heed.

In a few weeks THE CAMPUS will come out with a Library Number, the profits of which will be devoted to the purchase of books whose authors do not date too far back. Surely the production of authors like Meredith, Shaw, Hauptman and a score of others of international repute deserve a place in our library;—they are at any rate as

good reading as the Congressional Record of 1792 or the Report of the Water Works Dept. in 1834.

We, brave exponents of progressism intend to place in the library at least a few works which are a reflection of modern spirit and modern tendencies, to counteract the influence of master pieces written before faith and Krupp guns were invented.

#### AT THE SIGN OF THE STAKE AND THE FAGOT

A bachelor's degree is given on the pupil's proficiency in memorizing things told him by lecturers and printed in books. These lecturers get their knowledge from books and the men who wrote the -books got their information from books and lecturers who in turn got their ideas from lecturers and books. You see how the tendency is to make ignorance perpetual. Very rarely is any new or commonsense idea advocated in College because to do so, is to lose caste. New ideas are forced in by barbarians, who have no reputations to lose, and then are adopted by school-men when they have to. Any student who introduces his own ideas in opposition to the text books and lecturers is refused his diploma. And anyone who does not own a diploma is not an educated man.

To the average mind, sequence is proof For instance: The classics are studied in all civilized countries. In barbaric countries the classics are not studied. Therefore, it is impossible to have civilization without the classics.

Candidly is there any way of telling whether a man succeeds on account of or in spite of his college education?

## TRUTH IS MIGHTY SCARCE

ed in the alembic of your mind and analyzed, you can even show the Relation of Farriery to Fiddlesticks, In Forty-Five Charts.

#### A Correction

To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: Kindy allow me to correct an error in your issue of this morning.

In speaking of the project for com-pulsory assemblies you state that "the Executive Council has recommended that compulsory assemblies be held weekly and that credits be deducted for absences;" and then you add "only the Dean's formal consent for deducting credits is needed and the Dean has already demonstrated his willingness." The impression that I have demonstrated my willingness is based upon some misunderstanding. My position from the bginning has been that I have no power to deduct credits for such a cause, and could not do so until formally instructed by the Faculty or the Board of Trustees.

Carleton L. Brownson. C. C. N. Y., Dec. 3rd.

## CALENDAR FOR THE WEEK Wednesday, December 9th-

1 P.M. Chess Club, Room 206.

4 P.M. Organ Recital. Program, Prelude and Fugue in B minor

J. S. Bach Scena Pastorale. . M. Enrico Bossi Sonata No. 1 in A minor ....

Felix Borowski Prelude in C sharp Minor ....

Rachmanioff Walhalla Scene..Richard Wagner Thursday, December 10-

12 M. "The Constitutional Convention," a discussion in the Civics Club.

Mathematical Society, Room

Mr. August Claessens on "Socialism and the College Man" before the Social Science Club, Room 126.

Newman Club, Room 112.

Erasmus Hall Club, Room 112. Clinton, and Boys' High Clubs. 2.45 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal.

4 P.M. Varsity Basketball Practice.

5 P.M. Chemical Society.

## Friday, December 11-

1 P.M. Stuyvesant Club, Compton Hall.

1.45 P.M. Glee Club Practice.

2.45 P. M. Cercle Jusscrand, Room

3-5 P. M. Rehearsal of the College Orchestra in the Great Hall.

3.45 P.M. Freshman Basketball Practice in Gymnasium Hall.

4 P.M. Student Council. Circolo Dante Alighieri in Room 2, A literary program.

8 P.M. C. C. N. Y. vs. Yale, Swimming Meet in the natatorium. The Literary Societies— Clionia, Phrenocosmia, Room 208, and Adelphian, Room 14.

## Saturday, December 12\_

8 P.M. C. C. N. Y. vs. Manhattan, Basketball, Gymnasium Hall. Re-examinations of the Night College.

## Sunday, December 13-

4 P.M. 400th Public Organ Recital in the Great Hall, by Professor Baldwin.

8 P.M. Y. M. C. A. Deputation Committee at Dr. Bell's M. E. Church.

## Monday, December 14-

1.45 P.M. Glee Club Rehearsal.

## Tuesday, December 15-

1.45 P.M. Class in Hebrew Grammar.

4 P.M. Varsity Basketball Practice.

8 P.M. Smoker of the De Witt Clinton Club, in the Faculty Lunch Room.

## Wednesday, December 16-

4 P.M. Organ Recital. Program, Prelude in E Flat...J. S. Bach Pastoral Symphony
"The Messiah".....Handel

Numbers from Grieg, and other compositions.

P.M. Freshman Basketball Practice.

8 P.M. Menorah Open Social Mecting. Dr. Solomon Foster of Newark on "Fundamental Jewish Con ceptions of Peace," in General Webb Room.

## CORRESPONDENCE

It is not reasonable to suppose that all readers will agree with our editorial comments in their entirety. We would be pleased to receive letters on subjects discussed in our columns, and, in fact, on all collegiate matters of interest. Anonymous contributors will not obtain consideration, nor do the editors guarantee to publish all letters addressed to them. A most liberal policy, however, will be adopted, and readers having comments worthy of expression should take this opportunity to state their views.

The Campus does not necessarily support correspondents' views.

## No Compulsory Assemblies

Praise For Prof. Overstreet
To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: I would like to call your attention to the lecture delivered by Professor Overstreet at the Thomas Davidson School on Friday, November 27th. The subject of the lecture was "The Ideal Republic."

We do not remember of a time when a lecture impressed itself upon the minds of the students as the one delivered by Professor Overstreet. The students come up to me and tell me, "You know, Mr. Shluger, the Professor taught us a lecture." Another would come up and say, "The story of having made the little boy 'stamp with his foot, harder and harder,' set us a-thinking." In a word, the lecture impressed itself so much upon the minds of the audience, that it has become a topic of discussion at the social meetings, in the classrooms, and in the homes.

We could not but be grateful to Professor Overstreet for his kindness and for the lesson he taught to those who are eager to learn.

A. L. Shluger, Principal of Thomas Davidson School, New York, Nov. 29th. Belgian Writes Letter in French

Armand Grunzweig, '17, lately a student in Belgium is now attending C. C. N. Y. and writes this letter to the Editor of The CAMPUS in French—not yet being able to express himself well in English.

To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: Venant de Belgique, on pourrait croire que j' ai vu batailles, incendies, pillages et atrocites de toutes Sortes. Cependant je ni ai au cum fait nonveau on sensational a raconter ici, et je me contenterai de vous esquisser rapidement un petit detail du grand conflit europeen.

C'etait jour de la mobilisation generale en Belgique. Je ne puis penser a ces jours ensoleilles et si lugubres de la fin de juillet, sans revoir le drapeau delge flottant a tous les edifices publics, et partout des affiches de mobilization. La Banque etait entouree d'une foule immense, la Bourse fermee et toutes les epiceries prises d'assaut dans la crainte d'un siegé possible.

Anvers, ville paisible et commercante, devint, du jour au lendemain, la forteresse nationale: a la gare, des milliers d'hommes, jeunes et vieux, debarquaient dans es uniformes les plus varies et on les voytit s'exercer le long des avenues. Je pourrais ecrire longtemps sur ce que j' ai vu en ce jour: a chaque minute, une auto au une motorcyclette filait comme l'eclair par les rues, avec un porteur d'ordre ou de depeche, et passait a travers tout.

La fievre etait generale. Mais la nuit vint et la ville devint silencieuse. Seul, le cri d'un vendeur d'edition speciale passa par ma rue, s' eloigna et s'vanouit. Alors sur la ville endormie, le son lent et lourd d' une grande cloche s'egrna longuement. J'ecoutai et je compris tout-a-coup que c' etait l'appel de la patrie en danger, le toscin d'alarme devant l' "enmeni." Mais la Belgique, neutre et pacifique, avait-elle un seul ennemi? Et je m'endormis en pensant: "Mon pays ne verra pas la guerre. On respectera son territoire comme en 1870. Ce n' est pas vrai qu' il sera envahis par l'etranger."

Le lendemain, le Kaiser nous envoyait son ultimatum.

Armand Grunzweig.

Otto V. Tabor

#### Gym. Notes

To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: Much consideration has been given in THE CAMPUS to the subject of "Gym Notes." In its Freshman year, the June 1916 class realized the importance of this problem, and steps were taken to solve it.

A committee of three was appointed
(1) to copy the gym notes (or obtain
a typewritten copy from Dr. Storey)
(2) to have these notes printed (3) to
distribute the printed copies to the
members of the class. The cost of
printing was appropriated by the class
delegate body and upon receipt of the

sum of ten or fifteen cents.

I suggest that all class delegate bodies pass such measures to secure "Gym Notes" for their members.

Bert Ackman.

copy, the student was to pay the small

C. C. N. Y., Dec. 1st.

Are these class notes reliable?

To The American Red Cross
To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: As a regular reader of your paper I wish to correct one of the statements printed therein.

The proceeds of the Hunter A. A. Red Cross Bazaar are not going to the Belgian Relief Fund but to the American men and women who are in the front ranks on the field helping the wounded soldiers.

Hunter College, N. Y., Dec. 2nd.

#### Junior Prom

To the Editor of THE CAMPUS:

Sir: May I beg the courtesy of space to say a few words about the Junior Promenade? It will be held in the Gymnasium on New Years Eve. The Committee hopes to have the new President, Dr. Mezes, his wife, Professor Werner and many others of the faculty present.

Besides the pleasure which our guests will derive from their own dancing, an added enjoyment in the form of exhibition dancing will contribute to the

tribute to the success of the evening. The decorations will be more appropriate than those of similar occasions of past few years, the favors will be unique, and the music will be of a high grade. Signor Barbanello, the noted soloist, will render some of his best selections.

The Committee thanks you for your kind favors and for others in the past.

C. C. N. Y., Dec. 3rd.

#### The Stranger at Home

He had been to Mombazzazza, and he'd visited old Lhassa. He had been to ancient Cairo and the Cape.

He was never known to bungle on the subject of the jungle, or the habits of mongoose and the ape.

He had traveled with the Switzer and the Polak and the Fritzer. He had freckles from the burning midnight sun.

He had dallied in Sienna and delighted in Vienna, where the life of song and dance is never done.

He had chased the festive scarab with a donkey and an Arab, in the land of Cleopatra and the Sphinx.

He had skirted the Canaries and the coast of Buenos Ayres. He had scaled the Mongol summits of the Chinks.

Like a fellow with a pass-key, he familiar was with Glasgie. He had idled many days at Sngapore.

He had flitted down to Rio and jinrikkied round Tokio. Like a book he knew the Adriatic's shore.

No, there never was a hotter more persistent old globe-trotter to be found at any time on any map.

From Columbus down to Peary, in

From Columbus down to Peary, in their travels wide and weary, you could never find the equal of the chap.

But the funny thing about him, though no one could ever flout him when he talked of Hong-Kong, Petersburg or Rome.

He could never say the first thing—not a double-dee-dashed curst thing—on the subject of the scenery at home! Though he'd seen th haunts of Borgia, he had never been to Georgia. Cin-

cinnati, he opined, was in the South; And he had a hazy notion Idaho was on the ocean, just above the raging Mississippi's mouth

Mississippi's mouth.

And his fate? Ah, what a pity! On his way to Jersey City from New York he lost his way one winter's morn.

morn,
And a frozen corpse they found him,
with his Baedekers around him, in
the shadow of the house where he
was born.

-H. Dodd Gastit.

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