

Senior Play Balled Up

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Price, Three Cents

Fort Slocum Boys Succumb to Varsity

SCORE, 51 TO 25

The team work and rapid passing of our boys proved too much for the Fort Slocum player, who Germadulne H. Clarke, former hygiene instructor of the College, brought down with him last Saturday night. Mr. Clarke, who will always be remembered in these parts as the leader of last term's end, is athletic director at Fort Slocum.

Tich and Schmidt tossed baskets with such accuracy that the soldiers were quickly distanced. The final score was 51 to 25. Ray Fischer, former pitcher of the Yanks, got into the game in the closing period, but he was guarded so closely by Mussy that he never had a chance to do anything. The entire second team were sent in the second half and did almost as well as the Varsity.

Despite what inexperienced basketball mentors of 10-cent College sheets say Joe Deering has built up an enviable record as a basketball coach, and we will take his advice any day in preference to "would-be" sporting editors. Joe deserves a lot of credit for the fast playing combination that he has developed.

Fleigel, who is now playing guard, has done wonders under Joe's tutelage. He has developed a fast playing freshman team from green material. Joe has established a splendid record—the kind of a record anyone may well feel proud of.

The graduation of Harry Lifton will leave Sidney Goodfriend in charge of the basketball team. Goodfriend will be the acting manager for the rest of the season.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY

On the evenings of February 1st and 2nd, the departing class of February, 1918, will present its play. A deep shroud of mystery surrounds the authorship of the play and the actors, in fact, everything but the time, the place and the price. A good time is assured for all who will attend.

STADIUM FLOODED

FOR ICE SKATING

With ice skating at its zenith Messrs Williamson and MacKenzie have decided to transform the Lewisham Stadium into an ice skating rink, which otherwise would remain useless throughout the winter months.

The authorities have deemed it wisest to hold two sessions on weekdays, the first session from 2 P. M. to 5 P. M. and the second from 7 P. M. to 10 P. M. on Saturday, Sundays and holidays the rink will be open from 10 A. M. to 10 P. M.

The checking and dressing room facilities are of the best nature. The checking room accommodates five hundred and if the patronage grows, an additional checking room will be put into use.

For those who are desirous of playing hockey there will be a separate angle of the rink reserved. The management is so sure of a great success that it ventures to state that the A. A. U will hold several skating matches in the Stadium.

The general admission is 25 cents, children under 15, 15 cents. Season passes may be had by members of the A. A. U for \$2 good at any time.

Woll to Represent College in Athletics

REPORTS ON ACTIVITIES OF MANY COLLEGES

Dr. Woll, of the Hygiene Department, has recently been elected representative of the second district of the Intercollegiate Athletic Association at its twelfth annual meeting, after having filled the unexpired term of Prof. Palmer, who resigned last month.

The purpose of this Association is to regulate all rules of collegiate games and to find just what the colleges are doing in the way of athletics.

Of the eleven districts which cover the United States, Dr. Woll's district may be considered the most important, including New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania and West Virginia, and covering forty colleges, those of Princeton and Pennsylvania being most prominent.

In a recent questionnaire sent out by Dr. Woll on his appointment to office, many facts were ascertained which cannot help but be of interest to the students. Eighteen colleges have dropped their athletics entirely, others have slightly modified their teams. Greater effort has been made to interest the students in their athletics by arranging intra-collegiate games. These will consist of interclass and inter-department contests.

Because of the expense twenty-two colleges out of twenty-five have cut out their pre-season coaching, while the remaining four have slightly lessened their amount of training; twenty-three colleges have cut down their training tables, the remaining three have training tables in football only.

The number of accidents in football last year was considerably few, the most serious being a broken collar bone and shoulder blade.

DEUTSCHER VEREIN HOLDS ELECTION

The Deutscher Verein held its last business meeting of the term on Thursday, January 3, 1918. Plans for the coming term were formulated and election of officers were held. The results were: President, Robert Jahrling; vice-president, Arnold Arnstein; secretary, Otto Heintze; treasurer, Walter Wadepuhl.

Prof. E. P. Horowitz, Royal Examiner of Dublin University will speak before the Verein next Thursday, January 10, 1918, at 3.30 P. M. in Room 306. The topic of his lecture is "Goethische Weltanschauung." Undoubtedly this lecture will be very interesting and instructive.

SIGNAL CORPS HAS FIVE

Detachment Training at C. C. N. Y. Wants to Get Games

The Signal Corps Detachment which is receiving instruction at the College of the City of New York, and is housed in Townsend Harris Hall, has organized a basketball team and is anxious to arrange games with other military organizations and local high schools and colleges. The team has players from Colgate, Rutgers, Penn State and Cornell. Sergeant Phelps is Captain of the team, Corporal A. H. Fanning, manager, and Private Lannie coach. Lannie hails from Colgate. Others on the team are Owen, Cornell; Engel, Penn State; Van Mater, Durand, and Taylor, Rutgers.

TIGERS WIN IN TANK

The swimming team traveled down to Princeton last Friday night and managed to score 5 points against the Tiger's 38. Princeton also defeated the water polo team by the score of 20 to 0. Schenberg sprung a surprise on the Tigers, when he captured the only first place for the College, winning the two twenty-yard swim by a head. Mac had to use Broones in the dive, as both Jacobstat and Welz were on the sick list.

The polo line-up:
Princeton (20) C. C. N. Y. (9)

Name	Position	Name	Position
Morgan	R. F.	Meyer	
Schaefer	L. E.	Auerbach	
Hillegas	C.	Parker	
Rye	R. B.	Jicha	
Buechner	L. E.	Gerstenfeld	
Arrowsmith	G.	Suda	

The summaries:
50-yard Swim—Won by Johnson, Princeton; second, Baehr, C. C. N. Y.; third, Brooks, Princeton. Time—0:28 2-5.

100-Yard Swim—Won by Johnson, Princeton; second, Baehr, C. C. N. Y.; third, Broones, C. C. N. Y. Time—1:08 2-5.

220-Yard Swim—Won by Schenberg, C. C. N. Y.; second, Decker, Princeton; third, Grashelm, C. C. N. Y. Time—3:09 2-5.

200-Yard Relay—Won by Princeton (Twitchell, Prentiss, Brooks, Johnson); second, C. C. N. Y. (Broones, Hodas, Baehr, Schenberg). Time—1:57.

Fancy Dive—Won by Kazanjian, Princeton; second, Dance, Princeton; third, Broones, C. C. N. Y.

Puffge—Won by Kinard, Princeton, 70 feet; second, Herron, Princeton; 63 feet; third, Thuor, C. C. N. Y., 60 feet 6 inches.

Final score: Princeton, 38; C. C. N. Y., 15.

A. A. BOARD ELECTS MARTY MEYER

At a meeting of the A. A. Board on last Thursday, Marty Meyer, '19, was elected president, Norman L. Marks, '19, was elected vice-president. The graduation of Thomas J. Lovely and George Renwick, the present incumbents of the two offices, necessitated the mid-year elections.

The election of Marks, who is the present Varsity base ball manager, leaves that office vacant. The board will elect some one to fill this vacancy sometime next term.

STUDENT COUNCIL VOTES INSIGNIA TO SIX MEN

Student Council Insignia were voted to Harry Hallberg, William F. Reich, Jr., Arthur Blutreich, William O'Brien, Joel Liflander and Rudolph Pelunis, at the Student Council meeting last Thursday. The insignia were voted to the men for distinguished service to the College. Seniors alone are eligible for this distinction, and the insignia are granted only upon a unanimous vote of the Council, except in the case of the editor of THE CAMPUS and Mercury, the members of the Varsity Chess Team and Debating Team and the winner of the State Peace Prize Contest.

PROF. MOODY TO DO

GOVERNMENT WORK

Dr. Moody, associate professor of the Chemistry Department, has gone to Washington on the Committee of National Defense, where he will be employed as a chemist for the duration of the war.

Four Big Victories Realized by Varsity During Holidays

Union Receives Overwhelming Defeat—Score, 32—11. Wonder Shots by Tish Bring Crowd to Feet. Navy Quintet Defeated by Score 20 to 15. Dartmouth Suffers Crushing Defeat With Score of 44 to 14.

"In Union there is strength" some immortal is quoted as having once said, but evidently the speaker did not have the Union College basketball team in mind while he was speaking.

The Union five from Schenectady was no match for the rejuvenated City College quintet when the two teams met on the latter's court the Saturday night before Christmas. The final score of 32 to 11 in our favor could have been enlarged upon if Coach Deering had allowed the regular team the whole game for scoring purposes. However, "enough is enough," and everybody who saw the game went home with the impression that the City College team had come back. It will be remembered that we went home from the N. Y. U. game with the impression that the City College team had gone back.

One-sided though the game appears no paper it was perhaps, the most interesting to have played by our Varsity this season. Union outplayed never for an instant stopped trying and kept our boys hustling every step of the way. Inability to successfully locate the basket was, in a great measure, responsible for the downfall of the up-State team. Try as they might, the visitors could only cage one field goal in the first half and three in the second, when our fellows started to slow up. The ball simply would not go where it was meant to. The three men on their team who in turn essayed to shoot baskets from the foul line missed something like eight tries among them. Notwithstanding this wretched shooting, the game was pretty to watch, and every one, with the possible exceptions of the Union team and the thirty rooters that accompanied it, was satisfied.

The revised line-up that Coach Joe Deering presented made a very good impression. Tichinsky, back again at his old place as forward, was in familiar territory and played with all of the dash and vigor that characterized his work of last winter. Fleigel occupying the guard position left vacant by Tish, justified the predictions made about him in the last issue of THE CAMPUS, and proved a good running mate to "Mussy" Holman. Projsnsky's playing was also gilt-edged, while George Schmidt at centre played a good game and is credited with having scored five baskets from the field. Holman to Tish or Schmidt or Fleigel to Pro to Tish or Schmidt, were combinations that usually resulted in a basket being made.

MENORAH ELECTS OFFICERS TODAY

The Menorah Society will hold its elections today in Room 126. The officers for the coming term will be elected and plans for the coming term will be discussed.

Several C. C. N. Y. men acted as hosts at the recent Menorah convention, which was held in the city during the winter vacation.

When Referee Ed. Thorpe called the rival centers to the middle of the floor for the opening whistle the gymnasium was comfortably filled, although it was evident that the poor playing of the home team in its last two encounters had had its effect upon the attendance. The crowd voiced its approval when it was perceived that Coach Deering had at last seen the wisdom of playing Tish at forward. Pro scored from the foul line after he had missed his first try, and so City College drew first blood. Holman caged a basket from the field after members of both teams had done considerable missing. Pro made another point following a technical foul called on a Union forward, Tish, receiving the ball, after a series of clever passes, added another two points and then Jones, of Union, scored the first points for his team with a clever throw from the field. Tish followed with another clever toss which found the sought-for hoop, and a minute later proved that he was where he should be, by duplicating the process. The score was now 11-2. Fleigel broke into the scoring column with a well thrown basket and then Projsnsky made good on an effort from the foul line. Jones, of Union, made the visitors total three when he caged a foul after two of his team mates had failed six times in a row to take advantage of fouls committed by City College. Then the whistle blew and the first half ended with the score 13 to 3 in our favor. Bearing in mind, however, the N. Y. U. game of the week before we were making no prophecies.

No sooner had the second half started when Schmidt made his first basket of the game. G. Bruckner, of Union, then dropped the ball in the basket, the result of a pretty shot from the side. Holman to Tish to Schmidt, the latter scoring the basket, raised our total to 15, which was increased to 17 a second later, when Projsnsky caged a wonderful try from the middle of the court. Union made good on a foul shot. Tish scored from the field as did Schmidt, the men being tied the ball in both instances. The City College team work and passing was excellent. Pro registered his second field goal, and then Tish brought the crowd to its feet with one of his old-time wonder shots from the other end of the field. Schmidt made himself responsible for another two points and Pro made good on a foul shot.

The score was now 30 to 9 and our second string men on the bench were seen to be removing their sweaters in response to instructions from their coach. Somers relieved Schmidt at centre with three minutes to play, and made a worthy substitute. Fleigel made a field goal. A moment more of play and then Feinberg went in for Pro, while Holman was withdrawn to give Schwartzman a chance. Collins, of Union, scored from the field and then came the whistle and a 32-11 victory over the up-State champions.

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FAREWELL TO THE EDITOR!

Once more THE CAMPUS has been deprived of its editor, William F. Reich, Jr., has been called back to the Naval Reserve. He left for Boston Sunday night to take up the study of aviation at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, the second school of the United States Naval Reserve Flying Corps.

THE CAMPUS will indeed miss "Willie." Perhaps our readers already notice his absence from reading this issue. Alma Mater will miss him too. The students all know how much he has done and we need not list his deeds.

We await the news that our editor has promised to send us from M. I. T.

Letter Box

Editor of THE CAMPUS: Dear Sir—Could I possibly find out why the Employment Bureau has ceased its activity? An institution that has done so much for the College is a deep loss for the students, who depended upon it for their maintenance at their Alma Mater. I am sure that I voice the opinions of the students in trying to find the cause of it, as its splendid work has been appreciated by every one. W. J. N.

GYMNASIUM CLUB FORMED BY DR. WOLL

A gymnasium club with the main purpose of helping deficient students has been formed by Dr. Woll of the Hygiene Department, to meet every day under the supervision of Mr. Hausr. Floor talks will be given by Dr. Woll.

The plan, which is an excellent one, will not only help deficient students, but perfect those students who intend to become gym instructors in their apparatus work.

NEW MATH COURSE OFFERED TO EVENING SESSION

An elective course in Differential Equations will be given during the spring term by Professor Reynolds to properly qualified students of the Evening Session.

The prerequisites is the prescribed Mathematics of the Science Course. It will be given every Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 9.20. For further details consult Professor Reynolds.

PROF. CURTMAN PUBLISHES RESEARCH WORK

The twenty-fifth publication from our laboratory of Qualitative Analysis appears in the current issue of the Journal of the American Chemical Society with the title "A Study of the Test for Tartrates based on the formation of a Copper Complex."

This article embodies the results of an investigation carried out by Professor Curtman with the assistance of B. Harris and A. Lewis, of the Class of June, 1917. Professor Curtman has also contributed to the January issue of the Journal of Biological Chemistry an article in which a new method is proposed for the detection of occult blood by means of a new reagent. This work was carried out in collaboration with Dr. W. Lyle, director of the Hartman Research Laboratory. It may be of interest to note that the method described in this paper has been adopted by the workers at the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research and is in use in the clinical laboratories of three large hospitals of the city.

"A Study of the Substances inhibiting the test for Occult Blood" is the title of another investigation which Prof. Curtman has just completed and which is shortly to be published. At present Professor Curtman is at work on a new method for the quantitative determination of Uric acid in blood.

VARSITY TRIAL DEBATES POSTPONED

Trials for varsity debate with Westminster have been postponed to February 8, 1918, at 3.30 P. M. Prof. Palmer urges all who have had any experience in debating to compete at the trials. The topic is: "Resolved that the Federal Government should take all necessary measures to prohibit in the United States the manufacture and sale of intoxicating liquors as beverages."

The Co-op store committee was made a standing committee by a vote of the Council and the position of Varsity Photographer was officially created.

Mr. Hatch of the Public Speaking Department, will have an article on the place of the theater during the war in the February number of the Theater Magazine.

PROF. BASKERVILLE DELIVERS LECTURE

Prof. Charles Baskerville delivered a lecture on the "Hydrogenation of Oils," at the Royal Canadian Institute, Toronto, Canada, December 8, 1917.

Gargoyle Gargles

Geé, but it's a cruel world!

What do we mean "cruel"? Well, we're not complaining, because there's coal enough to heat the College and we have to attend recitations as usual. No, we never complain of having to attend recitations. We just never attend.

Our one and only cause of woe, except for two or three others, is the fact that when, after much coercion, we finally give some people write-ups in this Home of Humor, the said people always kick.

Why, in the last issue alone we gave seven or eight write-ups to various individuals, and all of them kicked about it, except Eliza (our steadiest contrib.).

Speaking of Eliza reminds us that we understand that "Tom" has given us, she and we, a write-up in his funny column.

"Tom" if you don't pay us that dollar you owe we'll show you up. It's lucky for you that you're graduating this term, you lovely little boy. No, we won't match you for that bone, but we will take a chance and match you one ironman that you should have been the colyumnist.

And, now that we have mentioned "Tom" our thoughts just naturally turn to pickles and sports. Of course, we cannot speak of any one who has been "pickled" in this colyum, because of the ladies who read it. But, sports, well we say the last basketball game, and

Did Harry Halberg change the last three words of the Varsity cheer for the Visitors to "Soak 'em, Soakem, sokem."

"Ed." Thorpe, it seemed to us, had the right "dope" when he kept saying "Slowcum."

Compared to our boys they sure were slow.

All of which reminds us that Tish looks more like the other three than like his sister. We wonder why he brings four to the game. Doesn't he get enough applause? But, we don't object. We certainly had a peck of fun with Bessie. But, say we, where did those girls get their names? Not in the Bronx, we're positive of that. They liked cake, in spite of the fact that it was Gruver's. Are we getting too personal now? Guess we'd better stop before we have Tish coming at us to tell us that she isn't his friend but is better known as "Bessie, the class flirt."

Speaking of flirting reminds us that the Junior Prom is rapidly approaching, and to those whom it concerns, including himself, CHAS., wishes to announce the fact that owing to the war, dress suits are getting hire and hire.

Thank God we're not responsible for that. Even Eliza objects to such a punk pun. Moreover, the war as usual has to bear the brunt of the criticism, and we all object to that.

We're getting to be a regular Conscientious Objector. We are objecting to everything that is sent in to ye humble scribe. However, perhaps our successor will have better luck, or maybe he won't be so particular.

Yes, we are expecting to retire on a full pension, now that Tammany is in office.

Lobbyists will please fern their line on the right. This Galamitous Calling of Colyumnist is a big job. Therefore, only those with swollen heads need apply.

Over the Top

William F. Reich, Jr., recent editor of THE CAMPUS, has been recalled to active duty at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Herbert S. Kates, February, '15, has enlisted in the Medical Corps as Medical Illustrator at the Base Hospital, Camp Upton, L. I.

Ivan Decker King left for Newport just before the Christmas holidays, where he is at present stationed.

BREITHUT APPOINTED FOOD COMMISSIONER

Assistant Professor Frederick E. Breithut, in charge of Municipal Chemistry in the Department of Chemistry in the College of the City of New York, has been appointed Director of Food Conservation by the United States Government Food Commission, to cover the territory of Greater New York City.

THEATER GOER'S GUIDE

Cohen Review of 1918—Looking over the new Register of the Student Body.

Happiness—Wait till after the exams. Going Up—It's too early for Baseball, say we. Perhaps this refers to our Aviator Editor and his brother.

The Pipes of Pan—Referred to Prof. Baldwin.

Neighbors—Merc. and Campus (mercely neighbors).

The Critic's Comedy—Tom's or ours? Blind Youth—Taking Chem. 1 or Math. 22.

Eyes of Youth—Taking Polly Sigh out. (What do we mean out? We mean outside of the class room).

Yes or No—5r-er-er. No. (Familiar)? The Masquerade—The schedule of Recitations in Elective schedule form.

It Must Be the Collegiate Atmosphere

In the immediate vicinity of our Alma Mater (we used Alma Mater to show some people that we did study Latin at one time), there dwells a shoemaker, who quite boldly displays in his show-window the following sign:

"Pedal teguments, artistically illuminated and recuperated for the infinitesimal remuneration of five cents per operation."

With the war tax now, or speaking of shoes, with the war tacks now, all that ought to be worth a double jiney in our estimation and consideration.

L. A. T. wants to know how it happened that we never mentioned "Ustbjekokaltivenska" in this Route of Rumbling. Well, L. A. T., you see we're not Bolshevik or Boscheviki. What is it, a cheese or a soup?

All of which has brought us much nearer the bottom of the page without our having used the word "camouflage" at all as yet. Moreover, we haven't used any of that poetry camouflage to fill up the colyum. We just did it naturally, thus establishing a new College record.

Of course, we ought to wish all of our readers a Happy New Year, even if we are slightly behind the times. Or are we almost a year ahead of time?

However, we not only wish everything that coming to some of our readers, but we wish much more to others.

And, as long as we're wishing, we might just as well wish for something worth while. We wish that our successor, or rather, we hope that our successor will be able to make the old Gargler Gargolis as well as his

DR. STOREY SOLVES PROBLEM OF RECREATION FOR SOLDIERS

IN ADDRESS AT HOTEL ASTOR MANY INTERESTING FACTS ARE REVEALED

In spite of the great work of the Young Men's Christian Association and other agencies in providing recreation for our soldiers in camp, at home and abroad, this problem will never be solved until the Government itself incorporates recreation in the regular life program of the soldier, according to Dr. Thomas A. Storey, State Inspector of Physical Training with the Military Training Commission. In an address today on "The New York Summer Military Camps" before the twenty-first annual meeting of the Society of Directors of Physical Education in Colleges at the Hotel Astor, Dr. Storey declared that the traditional drunken sailor and maudlin sailor are largely paying the penalty for the incomplete provision made by the Government for supplying them with one of the great necessities of life—adequate recreation.

Dr. Storey described in detail the Camp of Instruction conducted at the old State camp ground, Peekskill, last summer for 1,700 sixteen, seventeen and eighteen-year-old boys from all part of the State, under the direction of the State Military Training Commission.

"I would call attention to the fact," Dr. Storey said, "that the military training camp at Peekskill has taught at least one very important lesson. It has established the fact that it is easily practical to combine military tactics, military instruction and military recreation in one program under one camp commander.

"But this problem will never be solved," he added, "until the Government makes recreation a part of the life program of the recruit just as the Military Training Commission of the State of New York made recreation a part of the camp life of the State cadet in Peekskill last summer.

"Recreation is just as essential to a whole life as food, water or air. Absence of all recreation will not kill as quickly as absence of food, water or air, but its final effect is quite as dangerous and wholly as undesirable. The army, college or high school that provides no healthful, attractive recreation for its group of humans will see—and always has seen—that its men or boys, when left to themselves, will find play that is vicious, recreation that is shameful and entertainment that often destroys life itself.

"The traditional drunken sailor and maudlin sailor are largely products of bad recreation. They are the inevitable result of the one-sided life forced upon them by the army regime. They are paying the penalty for the incomplete provision made by the government for supplying them with the necessities of life. It takes more than food, sleep and work to make up a life. When a government takes over the whole of a man's time, it assumes an obligation to provide him with the necessities of life, and it assumes an obligation to protect him reasonably from injury. Healthful, clean recreation, play and entertainment are necessities. Their absence in the soldier's life invariably leads to injury and often to military disaster.

"The Y. M. C. A. and these other agencies are saving our soldiers. They will help, much to win this war. Thank God for them! But some day every military unit we possess will include an integral military provision for recreation—for its organization, equipment, supervision and operation. In no other way can this fundamental obligation be met fully."

mally, but we must admit that he won't be able to bring it up to the level we set, because we have been adjudged (by ourselves) as the S. E. S. (7).

SPORTING COMMENT

By TOM

"Murray" through his column in Mercury, the College monthly, seeks to ferret out the cause of the recent and entirely unlooked for slump of the City College Basketball Team.

He hits the cause on the head when he says, "The inability of our quintet to get the sphere inside the hoop" has been the cause of its defeats. Then he speaks about "the crime of the year, the shifting of Tichinsky to guard" and proceeds to question the wisdom of Coach Deering in breaking up the scoring machine of last year by removing Tich from forward to guard.

It is easy to sit back in a chair and criticize the how and wherefore of the defeats we suffered at the hands of Princeton and New York University; it is easy to suggest remedies. Tichinsky was moved back again to forward in the Union game and played well. The whole team played well in fact, whether it was because Tich was back at forward or whether it was because Union was so wretched at shooting field goals we cannot say.

However, even in this victory, there was a certain something lacking in the team as a whole. It was that unfathomable something which one feels rather than sees.

But to go back to the question of playing Tich at guard instead of at forward. Tich was placed at guard, we believe, because in the estimation of the coach, a worthy running mate to Holman at guard could not be found among the candidates for that position. True, there was Harry Schwartzman, a veteran of last year and a most reliable man, but Harry is not nearly the equal of Tichinsky at shooting from the floor. Then there was Fleigel, who before the Union game, was an untried youngster and naturally Deering would hardly play him. Then, of course, Irv Lipton could not be dispensed with, and it was necessary to find a place for him somewhere on the team. Projansky, Schmidt and "Mussy" were fixtures and now the question was "where to place Lipton?" Coach Deering solved the problem, or thought he did, by sending Tich to guard and Lipton to forward. It was thought that Tich, a veteran of two years' Varsity experience would hardly be out of place in whatever position he was played at on a basketball team. Furthermore, Tich himself thought that he would make good at guard.

Of course, it is granted that a guard does not get as near to the basket nor does he have as many shots at it as does a forward. However, Tich in the past had demonstrated his ability to cage the ball from all parts of the field and is more adapted to playing guard than Lipton is. With Lipton out of the game, Coach Deering had no hesitancy in playing Tichinsky at forward and another man at guard, and the combination worked well. Returning for a moment to the work of Tich at guard in the first three games of the season. By actual count, he had at least thirty tries at the basket but records show that he was successful in but two of them. This may have been because he had the title of R. G. before his name; we don't know.

This much we do know, namely, that the loss of the Princeton game and the N. Y. U. game was due only to the poor shooting, the very poor shooting of the members of the basketball quintet, or as "Murray" says, "the inability of our team to get the sphere inside the hoop."

George Schmidt, our big center, is not playing up to his early season form. He appears to be overtraded and goes about his work with a pre-occupied look on his face. What's the matter, George, are you still thinking of Manhattan Beach?

It is rumored that Irv Lipton, our blond forward, has had a disagreement with Coach Deering, but that things are running smoothly again. College spirit should prove a melting pot which has sufficient heat to dissolve any foreign matters detrimental to the welfare of the basketball team. Isn't that what you say Irv?

Phil Barrett, erstwhile tennis champ at City College, is now a full-fledged aviator. He writes us from San Antonio, Texas, saying that he expects to sail very shortly for Italy. Here's to you Phil! May the Gods of War serve you well.

If you are looking for excitement come over to the A. A. Soom some afternoon and listen to the talk fests dealt out by the conversationalists who hold sway there. We never visit there unless we are besieged by somebody who has something "important" to tell us. This is the place where you will hear real "Sporting Comment." It is almost as bad as that handed out by CAMPUS and Mercury. The only difference is that our Comment finds its way into print. Never mind, boys, after this issue, the athletic editorship of THE CAMPUS will be open to all comers. The present incumbent is retiring from business.

A word or two more before we do actually retire. There are a few more little things we'd like to talk about, for instance, "Jimmy" Mendelson and his little mustache. Jimmy was president of the A. A. last year and thereby claims to have the right to wear a decoration upon his upper lip. We happened to hear him disputing with Harry Lipton as to who had the most luxuriant growth of facial foliage. Should you ask us (apologies to Spike Shannon) its a close shave between them.

Bart Schwarz has just told us that Sporting Comment is not the place for such cheap humor and as usual we agree with him. We have given him a lot of similar material we were going to use in his column. So beware, Barton. Where's that quarter you owe me? No, I won't match you for what would Wilza say?

We would also, before we close, like to mention everyone who has asked for such mention, but it can't be done, boys. We would like to speak about the enviable record our swimming team is compiling, the unbroken victory record of our basketball team, the surpassing showing of our cross-country team, but boys it can't be done.

Chess, it can be done. Our chess team is playing wonderful chess and we are all proud of it. After an arduous and gruelling period of training, the City College chess team triumphed over Cornell last Saturday. So you see, we have our chess championship team to keep the soccer team from getting away.

VICTORIES OF VARSITY

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The line-up follows:
C. C. N. Y. (32) Position Union (11)
Projansky L. F. Collins
Tichinsky R. F. J. Brucker
Schmidt C. Jones
Holman L. G. Yazitz
Fleigel R. G. G. Brucker
Goals from field—C. C. N. Y.: Projansky (2), Tichinsky (4), Schmidt (5), Holman, Fleigel (2). Union: Collins, Jones, G. Brucker (2). Goals from foul—Projansky (4), Jones (3) Substitutes—Feinberg for Projansky; Somers for Schmidt; Schwartzman for Holman. Referee, Ed. Thorpe.

The preliminary game saw the freshman five victorious over DeWitt Clinton High School by a score of 26 to 14. Incidentally our first year men registered their third consecutive win of the season and have yet to meet defeat. Clinton is coached by Leonard Palmer who, some years ago, used to teach the finer rudiments of basketball to City College men. He has a strong team this year and it was hardly thought that the freshmen would roll up such a big score.

At the end of the first half the high school boys were in the van, having scored twelve points while our youngsters were gathering ten. Our team found itself in the second half, however, and long shots by Frazier and Krinsky, coupled with the excellent foul shooting of Bolotovsky, soon gave the College boys a commanding lead.

The line-up follows:
C. C. N. Y. (26) Position Clinton (14)
Bolotovsky R. F. King
Krinsky L. F. Sondack
Schwartzman C. Glatter
Ralunsky L. G. Klatzsky
Frazier R. G. De Stefano
Goals from field—Bolotovsky (3), Krinsky (3), Frazier (4), King (2), Sondack (3), Klatzsky. Goals from foul—Bolotovsky (4), Sondack (2). Referee—E. Thorpe. De La Salle. Time of halves—fifteen minutes.

ANNAPOLIS LOSES ALSO

During the Christmas holidays the team traveled down to Annapolis and managed to defeat the Navy quintet by the score of 20 to 15. Referee Colliflower saw that Tich was too good a player and called enough fouls on him to get him out of the day.

C. C. N. Y. (20) Navy (15)
Position
Tichinsky L. F. Olsen
Projansky R. F. Allen
Schmidt C. Thomas
Fleigel L. G. Martin
Holman R. G. Clark
Goals from court—City College: Tichinsky (4), Schmidt, Fleigel. Naval Academy: Allen (3), Olsen, Martin, Clark. Goals from foul—City College: Projansky (3). Naval Academy: Olsen, Welch, Martin. Substitutes—City College: Reskin for Tichinsky. Naval Academy: Welch for Olsen, Von Heimberg for Allen, Allen for Thomas, Roberts for Martin. Referee—Mr. Colliflower. Referee—Mr. Ulrich. Time of halves—20 minutes each.

CITY COLLEGE FIVE DOWNS DARTMOUTH

Led by Tichinsky, Local Passers Pile Up 44 to 14 Points Against Green.

The City College basketball team administered a crushing defeat to the Dartmouth College Five January 1 in the C. C. N. Y. gymnasium, rolling off a score of 44 to 14. Almost from the outset of play the local collegians were in the van and the margin of their advantage steadily increased despite the determined efforts of the fancy men from Hanover. At the end

of the first period C. C. N. Y. was leading by a score of 27 to 7.

In every feature of basketball the City College players were supreme. Although outweighed by many pounds they tore the Dartmouth defense to tatters and scored goals almost at will. Tichinsky was the leader of the Lavender forces. From any place on the floor he was formidable. He shot long goals with apparently the same ease as those from right under the Dartmouth net and the Hanover collegians were powerless to stop him.

It was evident after the first few minutes of the game that C. C. N. Y. was far superior to the rival five. The team work of the local collegians was almost perfect. They passed brilliantly and had no difficulty in making repeated sorties right up to the Dartmouth goal, from where it was easy to place a deft shot into the net. Dartmouth, while inferior to the City College team in passing, nevertheless did some clever work, but it went for naught because of atrocious shooting. The Hanover men simply could not find the net consistently and many opportunities were wasted.

Dartmouth, outclassed in the first half and fighting a losing struggle, still was able to put forth a determined bit of play in the second half of the match. Hutchinson, left forward for the green, led several attacks on the C. C. N. Y. goal, and, while the scoring did not always materialize, still the aggressiveness served to halt the rapid progress of the C. C. N. Y. men. Also the Dartmouth defense stiffened and the local collegians were held to 17 points during this part of the fray.

The line-up:
C. C. N. Y. Position Dartmouth
Projansky L. F. Hutchinson
Tichinsky R. F. Dean
Schmidt C. Moriarty
Friedel L. G. Johnson
Holman R. G. Hauser
Substitutes—Dartmouth: Sample for Moriarty, Hutchinson for Sample, Sample for Hutchinson, O'Neil for Hutchinson, Mogridge for Sample, Larnon for Mogridge.

Goals from Field—C. C. N. Y.: Tichinsky, 11; Schmidt, 5; Projansky, 2; Friedel, 2. Dartmouth: Hutchinson, 1; Dean, 2; Hauser, 1; Sample, 1. Goals from fouls—Projansky, 6; Dean, 5. Referee—Tom Thorp, Columbia. Umpire—Ed. Thorp, De LaSalle.



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KUGELMASS SPEAKS AT CHEM. MEETING

The last meeting of the Chemical Society for this term was held Thursday, January 3, 1918. The speaker was I. Newton Kugelmass, '16, now a member of the instructing staff of the Chemistry Department. His subject was "Some New Ideas in Inorganic Chemistry, With Special References to Werner's New Theory of Valency." The talk was most interesting and somewhat rambling, despite its length.

The Society will hold a banquet or smoker in the near future. A committee, consisting of Artie Schroeder, Moe Sherman, H. Berkson, John Manley and Paul Scherer, chairman, is now working on the matter.

The following officers were elected for next term: Paul Scherer, '18, president; John Manley, '19, general manager; Jacob Rosenfield, '19, assistant general manager.

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A new national language organization has been formed which has adopted for its mission the accomplishment of one of the most important problems that will confront the progressive industrial leaders of America. The detailed statement of this association's purpose is presented to the public in the Proposed Constitution of the American Association of Teachers of Spanish, submitted by an authorized committee, of which Professor Ventura Fuentes is chairman.

The purpose of this Association shall be the advancement of the study of the Spanish language and literature through the promotion of friendly relations among its members; through the publication of articles and the results of investigation by members, or others, through the presentation and discussion of papers at annual meetings, and through such other means as may tend to promote the efficiency of its members as teachers of Spanish.

Spanish will soon regain the glory of which it could once boast. The beauty of the language has always lived. Yet, our failure to recognize its presence has now made the revival of interest in Spanish literature practically a redemption.

In this building, on Saturday, December 29, 1917, the American Association of Teachers of Spanish held its first annual meeting. The work for the day was divided into two sessions. In the morning addresses were given. The Spanish Ambassador, Sr. Juan Riano, and the Argentine Ambassador, Sr. Romulo S. Naon, were asked to speak. Professor Moreno-Lacalle, of the United States Naval Academy, read a paper on "The Teaching of Spanish Pronunciation." The business meeting was followed by a luncheon served in the College.

Many of the most prominent educators of the country have received nominations for offices. The official ballot is reproduced with the names now decided upon.

- President—Lawrence A. Wilkins, Board of Education, New York City.
- First Vice-President—Rudolph Shevill, University of California.
- Second Vice-President—E. W. Olmstead, University of Minnesota.
- Third Vice-President—Charles P. Wagner, University of Michigan.
- Secretary-Treasurer—Alfred Coester, Commercial H. B., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- Executive Council—In addition to the foregoing officers:
- Clifford G. Allen, Leland Stanford Junior University.
- Capt. C. P. Harrington, Culver Military Academy, Ind.
- Josephine W. Holt, John Marshall H. S., Richmond, Va.
- J. Warshaw, University of Missouri.

Several blank divisions follow these nominees and can be filled with the name of a substitute.

The American Association of Teachers of Spanish has inaugurated a quarterly journal known as the "Hispania." The board of editors, with Professor Aurelio M. Eptusa as its chief, consists of thirteen members. The Consulting Editors are John D. Fitzgerald and J. D. M. Ford. The Associate Editors are Percy B. Burnet, Alice H. Bushee, Alfred Coester, George W. Umphrey, James Geddes, Jr., Joel M. Hatheway, George W. Hauschild, George T. Northrup, Lawrence A. Wilkins. Erwin W. Roessler is the advertising manager and can be reached at 153 West 65th Street, New York, N. Y., U. S. A.

THE CAMPUS plans to urge the authorities of the College Library to add a copy of this educational journal to its magazine section.

As a result of the present war conditions, Hobart College has concluded to abolish baseball and retain only lacrosse as an intercollegiate sport.

College Chatter

Yale University will drop hockey from her activities this year. Arrangements, however, are being made for the continuance of the minor sports such as swimming, wrestling and tennis.

The daylight saving system has been adopted at Dartmouth College and all schedules of the college have been moved up one hour earlier than during the past.

The women of Syracuse University are planning to send to their college friends in France hard candies, fruit-cake, and other delicacies of the durable kind. All the money which the women give will be used for the purchase of raw material.

Fifteen men have reported for the fencing team at Stevens Institute of Technology. This is a new sport at Stevens' and a full team is to be developed to compete in the coming intracollegiate.

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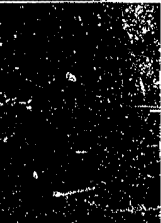
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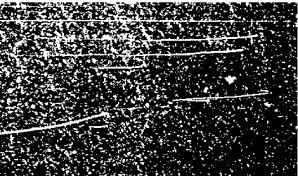
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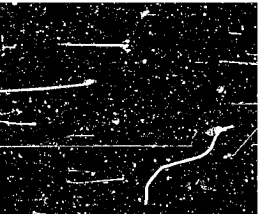
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