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HOLMAN PREDICTS SUCCESSFUL TEAM

Coach Declares That Team Will Win Large Majority of Games

STILL UNCERTAIN OF LINE UP FOR OPENER

St. Francis Game To Be Difficult Worrall is Only Lavender Cub To - Support at Early Games Important

By "Nat" Holman

"It is too early to make predictions as to the probable outcome of the next basket-ball season. But I can say, that our boys will win a great majority of their games. They have been working very hard for the last two months conditioning themselves for the opening game. They have trained conscientiously in their daily practices and are in excellent shape.

"Many of you no doubt know that our team this year will be the lightest that City College has ever placed on a baskethall floor. The men are small, thut Beal was so occupied with the have the endurance and speed, and race that he did not hear the call guetss in a royal manner. above all know basketball. Their and finished the race before he knew knowledge of the game aided by their that anything was wrong. speed and teamwork should combine to extend the strongest of teams to

"Even at this late date I am not certain as to the precise line up for the opening game against St. Francis on December 2nd. I am happy over this situation because every man on the squad realizes that he still has an equal chance to obtain a berth on the regular team. We are fortunate in having fifteen capable, aggressive candidates who are making the scrimmages interesting and providing competition for places. A second team chosen from this group will help materially in an emergency.

"In past years the attendance a opening games has usually been small because of the fact that mediocre attractions have been arranged to start the season with. We have on the opening night the Varsity DE HAAS SAYS JEWS team is scheduled to meet the St Francis College five in what may turn out to be the most difficult game of the season. The St. Francis team is composed of five men who have played together through their high school days and for the last two years as the Varsity team at their college. Many of you will recall the nature of the struggle our team had a year ago to win Recently I met the coach of the St. Francis team and in the course of our conversation he informed me that his entire team of the their efficient exploitation. But understand therefore, how hard contest is scheduled for the Lavender team next Saturday night. The players will need your support. It is the duty of every City College man to be present at the initial performance of the season to help cheer and encourage the new team. Put December 2nd down in your note book and let us start the season off properly. In an opening contest of this sort, the presence of the student body will mean

a great deal. "I hope that this appeal will reach those particularly who had been planning other things for that evening. I should like to see the largest crowd that has ever witnessed an opening game at the college gymrasium be present on the night of December 2nd.

"My hope for the coming season is that City College may once more have a great basketball team represent they have grown to be psychologically it on the court."

A. A. MEETING

The A. A. Board will hold a meeting tomorrow at noon in the A. A. Room. All managers and assistant managers must hereafter attend meetings or face dismissal.

FROSH MERMEN DROP MEET TO T. H. H

Gain First Place As Yearlings Lose, 32-13

On Friday afternoon, the Townsend Harris swimming team defeated the freshman team in the first meet of the season by the score of 32 to 13.

The poor showing of the freshmer was due mainly to inexperience. Casper swam in his first meet and came out second. Other new men were Balson and Guinsberg. The team will probably improve as the season goes on and the men get more ex-

In the 50 yard swim a false start was made. The men were called back

In the dive Worral of the freshmen rolled up a total of 50.5 taking first place in the event.

The summary follows: Dive-1st-Worral, C. C. N. Y. (50 5); 2nd—Lewis, T. H. H. (48.5); 3rd-Steig, T. H. H. (38.5) 50 Yard Swim-1st-Klinger, T. H

H. (time 28.3); 2nd-Beal, C. C. N Y.; 3rd-Landon, T. H. H. Backstroke-1st-Gretch, T. H. H.

2nd-Kappes, T. H. H.; 3rd-Guinsberg, C. C. N. Y., (time 381) 100 Yard Swim-1st-Young, T H

H.: 2nd-Weisl, T. H. H.: 3rd-Patrick, C C. N. Y., (time 1.12)

220 Yard Swim-ist-Davidson, T. H. H.; 2nd—Casper, C. C. N. Y.; 3rd Simons, T. H. H. (time 2.45.3). 800 Foot Relay-Won by T. H. H. by forfeit.

MUST LEARN TO WORK

The Evolution of Basic Industries Is Essential to National Progress" Said De Haas to the Menorah

At the weekly forum of the Menorah Society last Thursday, Jacob De Haas spoke on the "Economic De-1 velopment of Palestine."

building of any country is the development of its basic industries and of Jewish youth, who are continually looking toward the professions.

"Jews can bring to the economic de velopment of Palestine only experience acquired in the secondary and tertiary industries, and in small scale manufacturing. They know nothing of the basic industries of farming and mining. This is a tremendous handicap, and will continue until Jews adopt different careers.

"The second great difficulty is the translation of the poetry of words into the poetry of action. The Jews are essentially 'People of the Book,' and are fundamentally an academic people. They keep away from business on a large scale as much as they possibly can. The success of Palestine as a national home and a cultural centre depends upon its economic evolution. Unprepared as the Jews are for this,

their work is made harder because

unfit for their work.

Mirth and Joy Reigns Unconfined At The Annual Sophomore Carnival

Big Circus Staged in Stadium — Frosh Arrayed in Spectacular Costumes Entertain at College and at Public Library -Five Taken to Lock-up

ing Frosh were shown the "path of nival of their own. the righteous—six the intimacies of the New York Judicial system, sev- passed-and the circus had not yet stiff necks and the Interborough Subway is preparing to file its bankruptcy papers. In short, "pandmonium broke loose and joy unconfined" at the carnival.

ring circus with much thrown in be-(yea! even the seniors) and of the dren. Everything was done to make it a classic event and neither cops nor traffic prevented the Sophomores from entertaining their Freshmer

At three o'clock, under the able direction of Chairman Whitfield, gl the Carnival Committee, the show got under way. A crowd of about pers; bears and lions crawling on all fours, kangaroos and alpacas, wild tertain and vaudeville talent and "anquantity. A fraction of the R. O. T. Hula-Hula girl displayed a pair of to the subterranean Chatcau d'If to re restless vibrating shoulders, Larry Schiff, as the Vamp, caused Mr. Sumner of the Society for the Prevention of Vice to appear on the scene. Hats were removed, and melancholy reigned when the six R. O. T. C. pallbearers marched to the sad strains of Chopin's Funeral March with F. Kraut. the Frosh President, reposing peacefully in the coffin. dressed like a retired wurst merchant and reading the

For a short while, the Freshmen entertained with pic-eating contests. blind-folded boxing back-to-back races and sack races, blanket-tossing and other circus specialties.

St. Public Library. After diminishing the Interborough's annual income regulations. of the Band and entertainers who rush.

Old Father Knickerbocker was were riding on the top of a Mack udely awakened from his afternoon Truck. Several amateurish cheernap on Friday afternoon when the leaders led some songs and cheers City College Sophomores celebrated to let the bewildered bystanders know their annual Carnival. Some fifty err- their identity and to have a little car-

An hour passed.....two hours

hundred of New Yorkers suffer from arrived. The waiting studes would not be dismayed and began to entertain the passerby in an original way Five hundred students directed their 500 gazers toward the celestial heavens and with sunburnt tonsils gazed The celebration was a real three- at infinity. But Barnum was right, and the homeward crowds strained sides; and the natives of the College the necks, gazed heavenward and saw nothing. Our statistican tells us that city took to it with the avidity of chil- 12,622 pairs of eyes were upturned, 12,622 necks were stiff Saturday and that the Sloan Liniment Co. is going to pay 26 percent, dividends this year But still no carnival was in sight. Little did the world know what hardships, that hardy little band of joyseekers withstoon, little did the world know what unsympathetic creatures are "Cops," how irrational is "justwo thousand were in the Stadium to tice," how grim is the law. The tri watch the festivities. The Freshmen umphal procession of the Mack truck were in gala attire, dressed in the with hosts and guests was rudely in costumes of Harlequine and Colum-terrupted in the neighborhood of 34th bine, in the sparce attire of Hula-Hu-Street Station House, and at the rec la Girls; in the alluring dress of flap-commendation of the aforesaid John Sumner, the Hula-Hula girl and the vamp were escorted to the lock-up on beasts of all varieties, convicts and infants all passed before the delighted conduct. Chairman Whitfield was audience and the lens of the cameras. also detained as arch conspirator But the hosts would have them en- The magistrate of the night court delivered a lecture on morality and imalism" was displayed in ample Frosh-Soph events. A deep mystery covers the sentence of the offenders C. Band appeared to help grace and rumor has it that like the Count the music, the Frosh frolicked. The of Monte Cristo, they have been sent pent for the rest of their days.

The remnants of the carnival and Band reached the Library about six oclock and handicapped by a large hospital and jail list they entertained the crowd that collected with a choice selection of jokes. F. Kraut. embalmed in his coffin, near the stately lion which guards the entrance, told several of his classic jokes which received much approval. The Band played "Lavender", and "Stand Up and Cheer," and it was a crowd in toxicated with fun that snake-danced up thru Times Square and rushed the 50th St. subway, much to the dismay of the turnstile guards.

This term's carnival will long be n the court again. You will dustries are very far from the minds of the Carnival at the 42nd audience, and a host of Freshmen lecture. (Several have been by \$25, five hundred City College men shown the insides of the N. Y. lockaligned themselves on the stens of ups.) It avenged "en-toto" the dethe Library and awaited the arrival feat the Sophs received in the Flag

DR. TYNAN IS TO GIVE READING OF JUSTICE

The Dramatic Society is already working on the many details toward the production of Galsworth'y "Justice"-the Varsity show of the term. Tomorrow evening at eight Dr. Joseph Tynan will give a dramatic reading of the play before the society in Room 308.

the managers of the show were chosen. Seymour Copstein, '25, was will be furnished. A very large numnamed stage manager, while J. Floyd her of tickets have been sold, to upper Williams, '23. was selected to be classmen as well as to freshmen. The general business manager.

FRESHMAN DANCE WILL BE HELD THIS FRIDAY

The '26 Class Dance will be held this Friday evening, December 1, at the college gymnasium. Final preparations have been completed and it is expected that the social affair will be the most colorful of the term.

The Ford-Dabney Band, a six-piece orchestra, which has played at the At the last meeting of the society Ziegfeld Midnight Frolic, has been secured. Attractive souvenir booklets price of the tickets is \$1.50.

CHEM LECTURE TODAY

Dr. Stroud Jordan will speak on 'Candy-Making" at four o'clock in Doremus Hall under the auspices of the Department of Chemistry and the Baskerville Society.

SEES NEED OF NEW TEACHING METHODS

Professor Kilpatrick, Well Known Educator, Speaks To Education Club On Problem of Method

Professor W. T. Kilpatrick of Teachers' College, Columbia addressed the Education Club yesterday on ed. Including two tentative dates, it "The Problem of Method, in Modern Teaching" His main proposition was played at home, three on foreign that not the subject matter of the curriculum, but the way in which it is with N. Y. U, at one of the city's taught, is the most important part of the child's training.

"The older erruption of pedagogy, oegan the professor, "had for its key note the idea that mind and the knowl edge mind acquires are two distinct entities. But these views have long ago been discredited by modern psychology, and it is the duty of the younger generation of educators to provided for. Besides, Princeton, bring a new method into the school which has filled a prominent place on system."

the system wherein an absolutely fixed and definite list of subjects, was taught to what was considered a fixed type of mind. By drill and by mechanical memorizing, the child was made familiar with its dual lesson; and by the rigors of formal discipline, the teacher expected to inculcate ideals of

"Of course such school work cannot be expected to be interesting. Force, and the threat of it, is the motivating force in this type of education. Many teachers still look upon childhood as a time of necessarily dull preparation for real living."

"The new psychology," Professor Kilpatrick explained, "holds that the mind grows and becomes essentially changed with every fresh bit of information assimilated."

CHEM SOCIETY HEARS TALK ON DYESTUFFS

Mr. Van Ript Compares German And American Dye Industries-Dr. Jordan Speaks Today

Stressing the point that Americans should insist on American dyes, Mr. Doremus Hall. This afternoon Dr.

Mr. Van Ript delved into invention of Mauve by W. H. Perkin in 1856. Since then twelve hundred dyes have been made by the combination of about ten primary crude products from coal-tar.

Analine dyes were first made in England, later the French produced them on a large scale. But the genius of the German chemists developed methods and processes which gave Germany an absolute monopoly. When the War came every nation was taches to the tussic. The Centenary helpless against the Germans who used their chemical plants to manufacture high explosives and poison gases. However, the war taught the fine football team this season. A necessity of a chemical industry-an meeting with Centenary on the basketessential industry in time of war, and ball court, will be like a game beone which can be used to produce dyes, tween Harvard and Center on the pharmaceutical products, flavors, and gridiron. This contest should prove many other useful things, in time of

VARSITY FIVE OPENS SEASON SATURDAY

Basketball Schedule, Just Announced, Calls for Thirteen Games-Nine at Home

ST. FRANCIS TO FACE LAVENDER IN OPENER

Newcomers on Lavender Card Include Cornell, Rochester, Dickinson and Centenary Quintets

After a somewhat long delay, the basketball schedule has been announccalls for thirteen games, nine to be courts, and the annual feature contest armories, probably the Twelfth Regiment. The season is scheduled to open this Saturday night, December with a game against St. Francis College in the gymnasium.

Though not a poor schedule, the Varsity card is far from reaching the standard of those of recent years. Thirteen games are less than usually Lavender programs for the past years, "The old point of view," added is not included. Two noteworthy fea-Professor Kilpatrick, "led logically to tures, however, are the appearance of two new teams, Dickinson and Centenary, and the return of Cornell.

The others teams are quite familiar to Lavender court followers, St. Francis, Syracuse, Brooklyn Poly, and N. Y. U. appeared on last year's schedule, while Rochester was on the schedule two years ago It had been hoped that, because of the exceptional record of last season's championship team, more first-class colleges would be attracted to the Lavender court, but the very fact that last year's quintet did hang up such a record, seems to have made these colleges indisposed to meet C. C. N. Y.

Cornell takes Princeton's place as one of the leading fives on the schedule. Up to the 1918-1919 season, the Ithaca team met City College quintets regularly and supplied what always proved to be feature games. Four years ago, when the up-state team last appeared on the Lavender court, C. C. N. Y. lost an exciting and somewhat unusual contest. The score was close, 21-20 The teams had been battling hercely but with Cornell displaying a slight but noticeable superiority, when, in the second half, one of the most peculiar plays that had ever been seen on a basketball Van Ript recently gave a historical court was made. Irv Projan, captain survey of the dye industry before the of the College five, in the extreme ex-Baskerville Chemistry Society in citement of the moment, dropped a goal into the visitors basket. This previous season is to represent St. thoughts of engaging in the basic inprevious season is to represent St. thoughts of engaging in the basic inthoughts of engaging in the basic in his ender team fight all the harder. The theme by stating that the manufacture home five overcame the visitors' lead of articificial dyestuffs began with the and several times threatened to take the front, but when the final whistle put an end to a fast and furious melee, Cornell emerged with a lead of one point. That game will always be remembered by Lavender basketball lovers as one of the best ever played at C. C. N. Y.

Centenary College, which will meet the Varsity on February 10, will furnish a contest of a distinctly intersectional flavor Much color, also, atquintet hails from way down Louisiana, and is coached by the great "Bo" McMillan, who gave the Southerners a one of the best on the schedule.

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AND MEN'S COLLEGES?

It is fortunate that Mr. A. B. See in his investigation of conditions in colleges did not light upon C. C. N. Y. instead of Adelphi. Using the same criteriaand surely in this enlightened age no one would suggest a double standard--C, C, N, Y, seems in a sad state. The use of the vile weed, so deplored by the observer, is as prevalent here as at women's colleges. Dances, Student Council meetings and other frivolities occupy the attention of the student to the utter neglect of the study of the domestic sciences and spelling. If the ignorance of the girl graduate as to cooking and sewing is criminal, how can we characterize the educated man's lack of knowledge as to the correct behavior of "a handy man" about the house? We have never studied the subject of comparative orthography, but it is safe to say that the story of the young co-ed just entering business who, when asked for an opinion of her employer, said "Oh! He's a nice enough fellow but he's so bigoted in some things. He thinks words can be spelled only his way," may be applied equally. well to members of Mr. See's sex. If women's colleges deserve burning, by the same token men's colleges should be hung and quartered.

The interim between the football and basketball seasons has been a period of sore trial to the college rooters. Beginning Saturday the college will resume its normal aspect and the sport of the court its rightful position.

The Menorah Society has petitioned to the Board of Trustees to establish courses in Hebrew here. The lengthy petition and, what is more significant, the registration of over one hundred in the extra-curricular courses of the society attest to student interest and. since the cultural value of the subject is generally recognized, there seems to be no reason why we should not join the fifty odd colleges that maintain Hebrew aspect of the curriculum. .

Students are reminded that letters to The Campus must be signed, though the signatures are not necessarily for publication.

Gargoyles

Headline in N. Y. Times: "Clemenceau Up At 3 For His Great Work."

How these youthful prodigys forge to the front!

Sub-headline: "Eats Four Hard-Boiled, Eggs" Which corroborates the statements of our star reporter Leba Loporeem.

"Oo La La," Says Tiger When Opinion Of American Flapper Is Asked

(After The Manner Of Our Foremost Newspapers.) When I entered, Clemenceau was eating a hardboiled egg.

"What do you think of Compulsory Union," I immediately asked?

He finished the lone egg in silence and gazed medetatively at the plate. Then a smile illuminated his

"Gaston," he called to his valet, "two more eggs." "Hard-boiled"? whispered Gaston.

"Yes," said the Tiger, tenderly. "What do you think of hard-boiled eggs?" I enquired thinking to have found a medium for conver-

A hard-boiled egg." replied Clemenceau regarding me kindly, "is the most intelligent of fruit. Compare him with his less fortunate brother, the soft-boiled egg." Which of the two," said I, pressing my point,

"would be most likely to favor Compulsory Union?" "My friend Al who has the inside dope could tell you better than I."

"Al who." I asked?

"Al Bumen, he answered, without batting an eye. As I made my way mirthfully to the door I heard the Tiger call to Gaston:

"A fourth egg toot sweet!"
"Hard-boiled," whispered Gaston? "Yes," replied the Tiger, gently.

> To interview George Clemenceau, A reporter decided he'd geau, But the felleau didn't kneau, Zee bull how to threau, Thus losing his job, comme il faut

Twinkle, twinkle little car, How I wonder what you are, Cadillac or Studebaker, Or is Heary Ford your maker? Gliding past with queenly mien, You let me smell your gasoline; Twinkle, twinkle little car. It doesn't matter what you are, If you take me for a mat, And sprinkle mud on my cravat, I hope you get a thorough flat, Little car!

And now that we feel in the mood we may as well recite another little gem that received the Boobonian Prize for intensity of feeling and depth of thought. Flipper, flipper little Flap,

Won't you sit upon my lap? Every Flapper has her Flopper; Be my cute Finale Hopper?

When one goes tobogganing on Parnassus it is difficult to call a halt. Prof. Robinson has offered authoritative testimonial. The swing of the thing carries you willy, nilly from one peak of nonsense to

> Nashes to Nashes, And Stutz to Stutz, In the center of traffic The traffic cop struts Ruling in public A most royal horde, While in private he rules But a decrepit Ford.

While Prof. Baldwin was playing "Drink To Me With Thine Eyes," a slightly incbriated Muse walked down the aisle sat in our lap and whispered the following in our ear:

You can drink only with thine eyes, Just with your eyes, that's all, Drink to me only with thine eyes, But give me alcohol!

And we prompted by the moralizing impulse, held the young lady closer, for emphasis and made answer. Evil to him who evil drinks,

So look before you weep, Many a man who drained the can, Now tastes eternal sleep.

And just when things were beginning to grow interesting, our left hand neighbor, who has absolutely no regard for our clandestine meetings with the Muse, or perhaps unconsciously sensing her intoxicated condition and doubting the honesty of our motives, woke

-ABEL.

STUDENT OPINION

ANSWER TO CRITICISM

To the Editor of Campus:

I was both interested and amused "Sport Sparks" column of the last issue of the "Campus," with respect to the basketball schedule. There is no particular advantage in withholding the schedule from the public eye arouse wholesale expectation within occasioned by unprecedented difficuladd that I hold the interests of the a vague one. college foremost? B. J. K. merits censure for his unwarranted, inadvertent and harsh criticism.

Arthur N. Foxe Mgr. of Basketbal

DECRIES FLAG RUSH

To the Editor of Campus:

The tremendous enthusiasm manifested by the Freshman and Sophomore classes in last Thursday's flag rush once more gives evidence of the failure of our Fresh-Soph activities. To assemble a handful of underclassmen and have them maul each other for the amusement of the student body is not in any manner conducive to that mythical "college spirit."

ries which are neither between the tures of our curriculum, as well as the classes nor are they rivalries? Our present organization of first and second year activities has failed again. It is for the wise gentlemen of the equally wise and august Student Council to remedy this situation.

Irving J. Lewis, '24.

CHEM SOCIETY PLANS SMOKER FOR DEC. 22

A smoker will be held by the Baskerville Chemical Society on the night of December 22 in the Webb Both faculty and students will be present.

Two new members, Dicker and Ludder were initiated into the Society last Thursday. The former's initiatory address on "How to Make Gasoline out of Goat's Milk" was humorous and entertaining throughout; the latter spoke interestingly on the subject of "Paints."

HISTORY PROFESSOR TO SPEAK ON NEGRO

Professor Thompson of the History Department will speak to the American Historical Association at New Haven in the near future. His topic will be, "Some Aspects of the Negro Problem." Professor Thompson is an authority on this subject, and has written several books and papers on it.

STUDENT TO LECTURE TO GEOLOGY SOCIETY

The first of a series of lectures by lectures on "The Trend of the Times." members of the Geology Club will given on December 8 by Louis Hochberg, '23. The subject of the talk will be "Iron Ore as Deposited By Bacteria."

At the last meeting of the club Prof. Butler spoke about the "Morris Canal." This canal, which is situated in the Cedar Lake region of New Jersey, is notable for the fact that the ships are lifted over an incline by means of elevator. The Geology Club is planning to visit the Canal in the near future.

JUNIORS WILL HOLD WEBB ROOM SOIREE

The class of 1924 will hold a soiree in the Webb Room on Friday evening, December 8. Tickets for the affair are one dollar per couple and may Stanley H. Fuld of the committee.

The Curriculum and Education

In a recent issue of the New Re- minds. This article then is a plea for public there appeared a discussion on The American College and its Curriculum." Ten presidents and prowith the inanity of the article, in the fessors of colleges contributed their thoughts on the purposes of a liberal education and described the attempts uate school; other subjects he is ize these purposes.

The ten educators expounded no new truths. A liberal college, they and it was not intentionally done to all agreed, should send forth its graduates with an understanding of the or without the college walls. My unity of knowledge and the relation course of action was not alone adop- of the individual to the world about ted because of personal judgment but him. Add to these the requirement also through faculty advice. It was that the student be introduced to the intellectual pleasures: to literature, ties in schedule arrangement and painting, music and the other arts and partly due to a change of athletic we have what appears to be a satispolicy in certain respects. Must I factory definition of education, withal

It will be of interest, and perhaps of value (in the production of changes,) to see how nearly City College succeeds in producing educated men-

Two modes of approach suggest themselves: first, the criticism of the curricular system of the College, and second, the criticism of individual courses. This article will deal only with the former. The opinions of both teachers and students on individual courses will be expressed, it is hoped in letters to the Campus.

Criticism, too often means denunciation, and the reader might expect this article to accuse the faculty of pedantry and of malicious joy in requiring students to take disagreeable courses. That is not its purpose. It Why must we have interclass rival- will show the many excellent feapoor ones. Our professors, we are told very often, and do believe, desire our good The mistakes that they make are caused mainly by antiquated ideas they still hold, and partly by complications arising from from the great size of the College. Most of these complications will disappear with some of the antiquated

It is proper for the faculty to draw up a list of required subjects. No one expects a high school senior with his "schmeck tabak," as the Germans say, of knowledge and with his total ignorance of life to elect a satisfactory program. It is certain that he will specialize too intensely in preparing for a profession, or that his choice of subjects will be so varied that none but an Aristotle, and a twentieth century Aristotle at that, could assemble them. Yes, the course of study should be regulated during the first two edy will gradually develop itself. years, but according to modern ideas. And among these modern ideas, the the form of a new required list and one that science students do not need definite changes in the ways of teachto memorize nineteen credits of mathematical formulae to exercise their

intelligent regulation.

Almost every City College student in preparing himself for some profession. Certain subjects he must take in order to be fit to enter a gradrequired to take. The latter are in the main of little use to him either be. cause their contents is uninteresting. or because each subject is taught as though the student were specializing in it (for too many professors have not yet learned how useless their subjects are when they stand aloof on a pedestal.) Thus a medical student is bored by mechanical drawing for two terms, a law student has biological facts thrown at him so rapidly that, were he even to catch them, he could not assimilate and understand them with a year's additional study.

Why do so few students take the courses in Aesthetics and the History of Music? Why is the registration in the advanced literature courses confined almost wholly to men who expect to teach English? It is because the curricular system leaves no time for the student with a purpose to interest himself in anything not connected with the profession for which he is preparing.

A City College graduate is characterized by what one might term a "specialization complex", and by a hearty distaste for required subjects. At rare intervals he admits that the other fellow with the B.S. may be of some use to the world. He may have a little love for art, but that was in most cases developed through outside influences. An extreme case of specialization is that of the senior who said that "a doctor of medicine need not have a scientific understanding of evolution and heredity. That's theory. I prefer to study practical subjects like histology and physiology."

In a word, City College fails as a School of Liberal Arts and Science. We have assumed this failure to be due to a poor choice of required subjects. This can be proved only by a Cotailed criticism of the courses given. something that must be done by more than one critic. The "Campus" intends to conduct a sort of open forum on the subject and letters from all will be welcomed.

This article has no further purpose than the statement of a problem and the opening of a discussion. A case must be built up from the opinions of students and faculty. And a rem-

This remedy in general, will assume ing certain courses.

PROF. MEADE GIVES COLUMBIA COURSES

Professor Meade is at present givng a graduate course in Contemporary American History, a subject in which he is well versed, at Columbia University. He is taking the place of Professor Kendricks, who is on leave turned away. The topic of the lecof absence. Professor Meade is also giving his regular series of public and Animals."

NEWMAN CLUB BANQUET SCHEDULED FOR DEC. 9.

The Newman Club will hold its semi-annual banquet at the Au Petit Trianon Restaurant, December 9th at 8 o'clock. Father Reilly, Professor Coleman and several alumni will be among the speakers.

PHRENO TO HOLD AN IMPORTANT MEETING

Phrenocosmia will hold a reorganization meeting on Friday evening, December 8 at 8 o'clock in room 308. Plans for a revival of former activities will be taken up, especially the

relations.

PROF. HUNT SPEAKS ON PAINTERS AT MUSEUM

Professor Leigh Hunt, head of the Art Department recently delivered a lecture at the Metropolitan Museum of Art, and the attendance was so large that over a hundred people were ture was "Painters of Fruits, Flowers,

Professor Schulman also of the department, has recently sold a painting entitled "View of Lyme," to 2 private collector and the price received was quite considerable.

Professor MacDongall has also disposed of some works, a set of half a dozen water colors.

GEOLOGY CLUB WILL TAKE TWO DAY HIKE

The Geology club will take a two day hike to Cedar Lake, New Jersey, to examine various rock doposits. The date that has been set is December 8th and 9th.

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FOUR COLLEGE GAMES FEATURE FROSH CARD

Schedule Includes Tussles With N. Y. U., Lawrence and Leading N. Y. City Fives

With the schedule now completed the Frosh basketball team is working at top speed to get into shape for the first game next Saturday against the Manhattan College Freshman. Seig-

There are a number of substitutes on the squad who are fighting very are among the others.

versaries this season. The card in new record. addition, includes some contests with some of the fives met by last year's lege Freshmen teams ever played are on this season's calendar.

The first game is with the Manhatmeet is dated for December the seca large number of spectators. On December the eighth, the yearlings will engage the Sophomores in the traditional contest between the two classes. The Freshmen are looking forward to this game eagerly inasmuch as a victory for either class will give that class the lead for the

A. A. banner. While the Varsity squad meets Colikely take a short trip to one of the pool. neighboring schools.

A game with the DeWitt Clinton High School quintet is pending. The Clintonites, borough champs last year, succumbed to our Frosh team. This game, if played, will be held in the gym on December 23rd.

The cubs, last year, lost to Commerce, the runners-up in the borough championship. A game is on the card with this team for December 30. On January 6th, the team will meet the Fordham Freshmen, to whom they lost last season. A new and itan high schools and colleges. important team on the list is that of Lawrence High School who were the State Champions last year. The Lawrence team hiked to Syracuse and beat the Syracuse Freshmen last season, clinching the pennant. The plebes are to play them on January 12 at Lawrence.

The Townsend Harris team will play the Freshmen in the gym on January 20th. Then after a rest of about three weeks, until February tenth they will meet the Fordham Prep squad on the college court. Fordham Prep beat the Frosh team at football this year but will have a harder tussle when it comes to baskethall. The Stuyvesant High School team is scheduled for February 17th. The High School men have a crack a wireless course lecture on "Regen squad this year and will be a hard erative Receivers." Prospective mem team to play against.

Brooklyn Poly Freshmen will play of complicated receiving sets. the freshmen on February 24th. It will be the first time in the history of the college that a Lavender Year- transmitting outfit." ling team ever played the Brooklyn

The last tussle of the season will be the traditional game with the N. football games, as broadcasted from Y. U. Freshmen on March third in one of the city's armories.

JOE GANS TO BOX AT ITALIAN CLUB SMOKER

Preparations of an elaborate nature have been made for the C. D. A. the entertainment will be a bout be-kind of art work also is looked for. tween Italian Joe Gans, well known

RETURN OF VETERANS STRENGTHENS SEXTETTE

Captain Shapiro And "Turk" Tannen baum Now Back With Team -Prospects Promising

With the close of the gridiron seaplayers, the water polo team began earnest practice last Monday. The squad, with the valuable aid of Coach McCormack and Menkes, former Varsity captain and twice choice for All-American center forward, ought to turn out as leaders of the intercol legiate league this season.

Captain George Shapiro, up to nov right guard of the football team, will esume last year's position as back "Turk' Tannenbaum, sub on the Varsity eleven, will also endeavor to hardt, Adler, Mason, Goldberg and hold his position as back against all Waldman are the men on the first aspirants. These two veterans should team who will probably start the figure prominently this season because of their previous training on the Varsity sextette.

"Kid" Schnurer, under the tutelage hard for berths. Plaut, who made a of excellent coaches, is rounding into name for himself on this year's Frosh good form. Dondero, last year one football team, is working for a for- of the high scorers of the League, ward position, Flattau and Ginsberg is the only regular forward to return. His remarkable ability at The schedule includes a number of throwing goals especially from the new teams that will prove hard ad- fifteen-foot mark, should earn him a

Oleson, the star gymnast, is a present trying for a berth at forward Frosh. The greatest number of Col- and is playing a promising game. Dundes, the speedy swimmer, who was placed last year on the second All-American team, is showing up tan College Freshmen at home. The well as forward on the first squad. Dundes however, will not have ar ond, this Saturday, and should draw easy time holding his position for Mever is also playing a strong game.

> In addition to these promising men "Tarzan" Trachman, Sauber, Schnee weis and Kukiel who were last year subs are battling hard and pushing their prominent mates for the regular assignments.

The schedule at present has not been completed but the first game will be against the U. of P. aggregalumbia, the Freshmen will more than tion on December 15th at the College

CHESS TOURNAMENT HELD IN '26 CLASS

An elimination chess tournament is being conducted among the Freshmen under the direction of Edwin Tholfsen '24. The winners will be considered as the members of the Freshmen Chess Team.

A schedule will probably be arranged which will include games with chess teams of the various Metropol-

PHYSICS DEPT. ADDS NEW RADIO COURSE

The Department of Physics wishes to remind all students making out elective cards who are interested in radio that Physics 21 is a flexible course and may be adapted to meet the needs of those who wish to perform experiments in electromagnetic radiation and radio communication. Further information concerning the details of this course may be obtained from Mr. Marcus

RADIO CLUB MEMBERS HEAR ARMY-NAVY GAME

Last Thursday the Radio Club held bers were instructed in the principle

Next Thursday's lecture will be elementary and exlpain the "Simple

Saturday the members listened with interest to the detailed happenings of the Army-Navy and Yale-Harvard. Newark and received at the Tower.

"MERC" EDITOR SEEKS **HUMOROUS MATERIAL**

Hyman L. Sakolsky, '23, newly chosen Editor-in-Chief of Mercury. yesterday announced plans for the next issue.

All sorts of copy is sought, especialsmoker on December 29 A feature of ly humorous articles and poems. Every

The magazine will go to press De-Pugilist, and an as yet unselected op- cember 8, and will be distributed before the Christmas holidays.

ST. FRANCIS IS FIRST LAVENDER OPPONENT

(Continued from Page 1)

Dickinson, the other newcomer on the program, has a very strong team, The Pennsylvania five is a member son, and the return of the football of the Lehigh Valley group, which includes such top-notchers as Penn State and Lafayette

> Another home-and-home arrangement has been concluded with Syracuse. The games with the Orange five are always choice ones. The contests last year bear witness to this. The Varsity travels to Syracuse for a game on January 13, and meets the up-staters in a return game on Febrnary 17.

The game with Syracuse away fron home is part of a two game trip up state. On January 12, the day before the Varsity meets the Orange team. the Lavender meets the University of Rochester five.

Columbia will be played on the Blue and White's court, like last year. The Lavender defeated the Morningside combination decisively the last time, and the Heights five is out for revenge.

Brown University and Fordham ap pear on the home court on December 23 and January 6, respectively.

Holy Cross is a welcome team or the schedule. The Worcester, Mass five will be remembered as defeating the Varsity in one of the two game it lost last year.

St. Francis College is scheduled to open the Varsity season this Saturday night. The Brooklyn team is a veteran, strong combination, and will keep the College quintet on the go all the time. It defeated Cathedral College in its first game of the season two weeks ago by the decisive score of 39 to 16. St. Francis is a dangerous opponent and the Varsity can afford to take no chances with it.

VARSITY SCHEDULE

Dec. 2-St. Francis 8-Dickinson 16-*Columbia 23—Brown 30-Holy Cross Ian. 6-Fordham 12-*Rochester

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Sophs Win Every Bout Except In The 145lb Class-Wolf Throws Bischoff In Feature Tussle

The sophomores took the freshmen into camp again, this time in wrestling, when they beat the yearling MILGRAM AND MINS grapplers, last Thursday by a score of 16 to 5.

The first contest, for 108 pounders brought together Harris for the second year men, and Barnett for the yearlings. Harris received the decision after a hard tussle. In the per hand throughout, against his freshman adversary, Matulonis, and received the decision.

The fourth bout was the most hotly contested of all. Wolf, Varsity mar met Bischoff, a most promising freshman and, the latter succumbed only after he had given Wolf one of match, of the semi-final round. the hardest battles of his young career. In the final match Halpern pinned Carey's shoulders to the mat in the quick time of 58 seconds. The freshmen defaulted their matches in the 115 and 125 pound classes.

The summaries:

108 pound class-Harris (Soph) received decision over Barnett (Freshman), time advantage of 3 minutes.

135 pound class-Cares' (Soph) received decision over Matulonis (Freshman), time advantage of 6 minutes, 32 seconds.

145 pound class-Bagid (Freshman) threw Trager (Soph) in 6 minutes. 158 pound class-Wolf (Soph) threw Bischoff (Freshman) in 5

minutes, 10 seconds. Unlimited class-Halpern (Soph) threw Carey (Freshman) in seconds.

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REISMAN IS NAMED X-COUNTRY CAPTAIN

Simon Reisman, '24, Campus learns as it goes to press, was elected Captain of the 1923 Cross Country Team. The election took place at a dinner given at the City College Club after the Intercollegiate Championship Run,

IN HANDBALL FINALS

In the second semi-finals of the Varsity handball tournament, Mins, '22, earned the right to meet captain Milgram, for the championship, by desecond match Cares' '25, had the up- feating Ossipoff, '25. The match was hard fought during its early stages but Ossipoff weakened towards the end. Mins lost the first game, 21-19, but won the next two early, the scores being 21-11 and 21-5. Milgram had previously won from Lato in the other

> Both finalists were regulars of last year's team. Milgram is favored to

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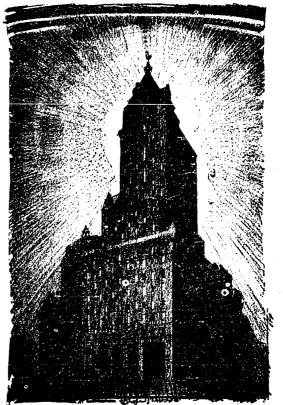
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FROSH TAKE FLAG FROM SOPHOMORES

Traditional Flag Rush is Won After Three Minutes of Scrapping

FROSH NEED NOT OBEY RULE CONCERNING TIES

Both Classes Show Lack of Interes In Event-Only 240 Men Come Out

The annual Flag Rush was won Thursday, by the Freshmen. The Frosh took the '25 flag after three minutes and twelve seconds of battling. A disappointing feature of the contest was the small interest displayed by both classes. Only 40 sophs and 200 freshmen took part.

The Freshmen by securing the flag will no longer have to wear red ties, for a recent ruling of the Student Council stated that should the fresh- Rabinowitz. man class capture the soph bunting they need not thereafter obey the Frosh rule regarding neckwear. The winning of the flag also gives 1926 five points towards the Student Council mores, however, before the flag rush were mathematically sure of gaining the prize. Their success in the tug-ofwar, push ball, and cane spree gave them three points, two points, and one point respectively—a total of six. This is the second Student Council Banner 1925 has won, for as freshmen they defeated '24 in every event held.

The freshmen massed for the fray in their alcove and then, long after scheduled time, snake danced into the Here '25 had already brought its loyal guard of forty together about the 12 foot pole of tradition from the top of which flew the flag to be defended. At the south end of the field '26 formed two divisions of equal numerical size. Advised by the Juniors, the Frosh put all the smaller men in one division and larger men in Meantime the Sophs the second. brought their small force tight against the pole and faced every which way

As the waistle to start blew, only the smaller-men's division of the Frosh moved. This division did not attack the sophs immediately facing them but went around to the other side. Apparently the freshmen hoped that all the '25 men would turn to hold off the first attack, and then the second division would walk up and take the flag. But by the usual sophomoric means 1925 had been forewarned and stood its ground. Seeing their strategy go astray the second division, that of the Hercules, charged -but in vain.

Inspired by their demagagues the sophs stood off the multitude of freshmen. But slowly, the sheer mass of the lower classmen began to tell. An untactician commanded the Frosh to force all sophs away from the Another half minute fighting saw the new tactics succeed. Several men in turn started up the pole-and were pulled down but, at last, one mounted the shoulder of his comrades, -reached up,-and just managed to snatch the flag from its high perch. tion.

A short battle then ensued when the sophs took possession of the east gate to prevent the frosh from leaving the Stadium dressed. After half of the contestants' clothes had been ripped off, upper classmen stopped the

"MIKE" SUBSCRIPTIONS ARE PLACED ON SALE

The subscription tickets to the 1923 Microcosm which sell for \$2.50 were placed on saic in the Concourse yesterday. Partial payments are solicited; initial payments are fifty cents and will be received any day from now on at the head of the Concourse. where a Microcosm man is stationed.

by the "Mike" Board. A prize of the Italian section of that city. Proten dollars will be awarded to the de- fessor Coleman will be present. signer of the best front cover sub- One of the reasons for holding this emitted for the 1923 Annual. All con- meeting is to make tentative plans tributions for this contest must be for founding a high school in the submitted not later than January 2. Italian section.

JUNIORS ANNOUNCE PROM COMMITTEES

Whynman Heads General Committee -Vogel is Prom. Committee Chairman

Committees to arrange the several events of the 1924 class Junior Festival Week were selected last Thursday. Work on the various functions of the week has already been begun.

Tuesday evening, December 26 at the Hotel Commodore are in the hands of the dance committee consisting of Bob Bernhardt, and F. Eugene Corbie. The dance will be informal. Subscription tickets at three-fifty per couple were put on sale yesterday.

the evening of Friday, December 29. The arrangements are in the hands of Bernard Schaenen, chairman, Simon Reisman, Ben Braude and Milton then rendered. This was a pretty

A stag theatre party on the nigh of December 22, will open the week's festivities. Plans for that function are being made by the committee-Samuel Levinson, chairman, Stanle Frosh-Soph Banner. The sopho- H. Fuld, Sidney A. Fine and Al Zelf-

> Arrangements for the special sec tion at the basketball game on December 23 are being made by Alex Kos loff, chairman, Jack A. Nadel, and Walter Blum.

The work of preparing a souvenir pooklet was placed in the hands of a committee consisting of Isidore Zukernick, chairman; Peter C. Denker, Alfred T. Vogel, Stanley H. Fuld, and David Liebermen.

The Finance Committee consists of Max Etra, William Finkel and Robert Bernhardt, Alex J. Whynman and Sidney A. Fine are general chairman and vice-chairman of the week, re-

RULES OF DISCIPLINE

The Alcove and Concourse Committee, working in conjunction with the Discipline Committee has already summoned several men to appear and answer for violations of the Alcove

Sidney Rosenberg, '25, has been found guilty of smoking in the College building and the Discipline Committee will recommend a one day suspension to the joint Student-Faculty Committee, when the latter meets.

Meyer Berg, '25, was brought before the committee for peddling in the Concourse. The decision in his case was reserved. Several men have been arraigned before the committee for gambling in the Alcove.

Harry Slochower, '23, was brought before the Discipline Committee to explain statements made by him relative to the referendum on Compulsory "U" held at Chapel recently. When asked to substantiate his statement that he had seen several students cast three or four votes, he denied making such allegations Decision was delayed, pending further investiga-

COUNCIL NAMES CO-OP STORE INVESTIGATORS

A special committee to investigate the finances of the Co-op Store was appointed at the Student Council meeting last Friday. The committee consists of Louis A. Warsoff, '23, Sidney Hook. '23, and a third member to be elected this week.

NEWMAN CLUB TO GO TO PATTERSON MEETING

The Newman Club of the college will travel to Patterson on December 16 to participate in an Americaniza-An art contest has been sponsored tion meeting which will be held in

BALDWIN GIVES ORGAN RECITAL IN ASSEMBLY

Excellent Musical Program Is Feature of Weekly Student Chapel

Professor Baldwin treated the stu dents of the college to an organ recital at Chapel last Thursday The program was very much enjoyed by everyone present, especially by th Plans for the Prom to be held on freshmen, who for the first time heard everything which went on at Chapel

The professor prefaced his recital with a short explanation of the organ as at Herb Vogel, chairman, Lou Nelson, instrument. He showed that the organ was made up of four major sets of tones, which in combination produce the many varied effects of which it is capable. The explanation was The class banquet will be held on illustrated with snatches of tune in each of the four major parts

The first selection, "In the Morning," from Grieg's "Peer Gynt" was little air, full of light and rippling melody. It carried the listener far away from Chapel and the drab November day to an unpeopled region of harmonies and fairies.

The "Lohengrin" prelude followed As usual, Wagner did not fail to charm, and the hall was hushed as the wonderful strains of the piece pealed forth. The motive of the prelude is the descent of the Holy Grail; the whole effect of the composition was grandly medieval.

The next selection was an old English melody, "Drink to Me Only With Thine Eyes." The origin of the tune is lost in the mists of English antiquity. In spite of its great age, in has come down to us intact, in all its sweetness and charm.

Tschaikowsy's "Andante Cantabile" was the next piece the professor played. This was a piece originally written for a string quartet; the or gan as the professor explained, is capable of playing any of the parts of a full symphony orchestra, and COMMITEE ENFORCED faithful reproduction of the composiion was rendered.

The last selection Widor's "Toc cata", was a difficult piece of musical technique, requiring great digital dexterity. Widor was organist at the church of San Sulpice, in Paris, for a long time, and has composed some excellent organ pieces.

TICKETS FOR JUNIOR PROM ARE ON SALE

Tickets for the Junior Prom which vill be held Dec. 29 at the Hotel Comiodore are now on sale, in the '24

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The Sophomore Dance held last Saturday in the College Gymnasium afforded about one hundred and fifty couples opportunity for the practice of the Terpsichorean art.

The affair catered to poetic souls during the last hour, which was devoted largely to moon-light dancing. Since it made its first appearance at college dances several years ago, it seems that gliding under synthetic silver rays has become a regular institution. Color must a lso be supplied in regular doses, so the electricians flashed all the spectra of the rainbow when they used the spot-

A cosmopolitan college atmosphere prevailed with the high lights of the college lending an air of distinction to the surruondings. The Thanksgiving decorations created a holiday spirit and an appetite that had to be satisfied with the meager repast of strictly legal punch.

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