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# **COLLEGE ENROLLS 17,382 STUDENTS** IN ALL BRANCHES

Figure Includes Day, Afternoon and Night Sessions in Five Divisions

794 OVER FORMER MARK

Evening Session Has Greatest Number of Students-B. S. Aspirants Predominate

Exactly 17,382 students are pursuing courses at the College in the day, afternoon and evening sessions, according to the Registrar's Office. This figure is an increase of 794 over the total registration in the fall term of 1923 and creates a high water-mark in attendance at the College.

If the summer session enrollment is included, the number jumps to 19,837. However approximately twice as THREE GRID MEN However, approximately twice as year, augmenting 1923's tabulation to

The evening session surpasses all other divisions in registration figures, totalling 7,365. This number is al- Plaut, Meisel, and Raskin Join Plans Now Include Dignified most twice as great as the registration in the afternoon division, which shares second honors in enrollment. Last year's total was 6.689, a decrease

number in 1923 is noted in the day session of the College. Of the 2,981 registrants 769 are lower freshmen, and

#### Main Leads Enrollment

by the majority of men in the day session, exactly 1,539. Arts comes practice sessions. second with 690, and social science third with 538. In addition there are 47 business students, 43 technology men and 124 specials.

The distribution of attendance in the evening sessions possibly accounts mage Monday evening. In the absence tiful rord and tassel of lavender and for the record registration. Five of Match and Palitz: Blumenreich, black hung from the dance order and These include the main building of Shirts." the College, the commerce building, the Municipal Building, the Brooklyn branch and the Queens branch.

Of these 2,041 are matriculated and defects in his play. 1,692 non-matriculated and govern- Coach Holman is expecting great fraternity flags and banners. ment employees. The second highest things from Goichman, who recently is the commerce building, boasting was graduated from freshman ranks. Sternbach, members of the committee 2.266 attendants. About half of these He is a former T. H. H. captain, and who are conducting the ticket sales re-

statistical fact is unearth ed in the Municipal branch where just one student is enrolled as matriculate. This same unique individual was the only one in attendance last year. In addition to him there are twenty four non-matriculated men.

The Brooklyn branch claims 1,233 members, four fifths of whom are regular matriculates. Of the 108 students taking courses in the Queens branch 89 are regulars and 19 non-

Exceeding 1923's figure by 350, the registration in the afternoon division Council '27-28 program, and countoccupies second place with 4,889 members. All of these are students the be held Monday. November 24 at 3 School of Education. o'clock in room 126.

The majority are school teachers pursuing professional studies in Finkel, Monroe Friedman and Irving education for advancement in their Schapiro. '28 will be represented by

The degree B. S. in Education mette and Irving Zablodowsky. The numbers 523 aspirants. There are 118 topic will be "Resolved: that the aiming for their master's title. Special amendment to the Volstead Act, percertificates are being sought by 552 mitting the sale of light wines and students. The remaining 3,696 are beers, be passed by Congress." The taking particular courses in the de- Freshmen will upheld the affirmative, the Sophs the negative.

# Mezes Thanks Campus For Editorial; Wishes More Intimacy With Students

President Sidney E. Mezes has written the following note to the editor of The Campus, expressing his appreciation of the editorial appearing in these columns No-

Howard W. Hintz, Esq., Editor of The Campus.

I wish to thank you very heartily for your editorial in the November 12th issue of The Campus, under the caption "His Tenth Year." It is good to read these all too generous words from the representative of the students, and to receive their congratulations on the completion of my tenth year as President of the College.

I have often wished, during those ten years, that the College might be both large and small-large so that

Begins

FRESH-SOPH DEBATE

TO BE HELD MONDAY

Volstead Act Amendment to Be

Topic-Event on Student

Council Card

The Fresh-Soph debate, one of the

events on the card of the Student

ng one point toward the banner, will

The '27 team is composed of Morris

Marvin Rosenberg captain, Max Gra-

it might render the services to the citizens of New York that are needed by the largest metropolitan area in the world, and yet small enough to allow the president to come into personal contact with the students; for such contacts as I have been able to manage have always been pleasant and interesting. But of course such delightful inconsistencies are not to be expected in this imperfect world, and I am glad to see from your editorial that you, and I hope your fellow students also, understand that it is the very size and success of the Coilege that baffle our desire to meet oftener and more intimately.

With best wishes, Cordially yours, Sidney Edward Mezes, President.

# SENIORS TO DANCE OUT FOR QUINTET

Squad as Final Drive

Coach Holman, now that his entire Preparations for the Senior Dance to An increase of 203 students over the final drive for the opening basketball College gymnasium this Saturday evengame on Nov. 29 against St. Francis, ing are fast aproaching consummation. Plaut, Meisel, and Raskin, who have As announced Monday, the band which been displaying their wares on the will furnish the music is the popular

These men will receive special have just been approved by the dance The science degree is being pursued because they have missed so many The booklets are of heavy volume. attention from the Lavender mentor, committee, are of a dignified nature. "The showing of the boys in the der and black. The cover is a pretty printed in the two college colors, lavenpreliminary games is more than satis- one, being a panelled card adorned fore sending the players into a scrim- the white vellum is offset by a beau-

The gymnasium will be decorated in Josephson, who is slated for the a new manner specially designed for Josephson, who is slated for the a new manner specially designed for center position, is showing great the Senior Dance by Michael Nicolais, FRATERNITY MEMBERS promise. Although not yet a finished who has been the man whom the Col-With 3,733 students, the main player, his willingness and conscien- lege has called upon to plan its decobuilding leads in total enrollment, tious efforts make up for any minor rations for its various affairs. The chief note of the decorations will be the Prominent Educators to Discuss

2.266 attendants. About half of these He is a former 1. r. r. captain, and are matriculated and the other half last season started for Hal Parker's non-matriculated.

Who are conducting the ticket saies is port an unusually large sale for a seminor affair. The cause of this is that nity men from American colleges and product, is displaying promising form, the lowerclassmen are giving the dance the chairman of the members of the Dance Committee by to-morrow even- and 500,000 fraternity men.

#### CANTOR WILL CONDUCT CONCERT AT ASSEMBLY

A musical concert to be conducted by a prominent Jewish

# ON SATURDAY EVE

Dance Orders and Specially Designed Decorations

130 upper seniors, statistics indicating the gradual diminution as the grades court practice.

| Deen displaying their wares on the will turnsh the music is the popular combination known as the WEBJ Broadcasters. Broadcasters,

cantor will feature tomorrow's chapel, the first freshman assembly of the term. The chapel will be compulsory only for men registered as lower or upper freshmen. Seat assignments in the Gerat Hall have been posted in the Concourse. Students must be in their seats before the 12 o'clock hour or else be recorded absent. One absence a term is permitted. Two unexcused absences will result in temporary suspension, and three absences will cause dismissal from

## **OPENING CONCERT** TOMORROW NIGHT

American Orchestral Society Starts Six-Weeks Season-Tickets \$.50 Per Couple

Tomorrow evening the American Orchestral Society of 541 Madison Avenue will inaugurate a series of six concerts to be given every Thursday night for the next month and a half in the Great Hall of the College. Tickets can be obtained from any member of the Student Council. The charge for a single concert is \$.50 per couple and for the series \$3.50.

The program tomorrow night will be tendered by the orchestra and includes a solo by Miss Frances Moore. She will render a piano concerto in A Minor from Grieg. The first number is Beethoven's 7th Symphony. After Miss Moore's recital the orchestra will play Borodin's "Prince Igor Dances" and Wagner's "Prelude to the Meistersinger."

College is the inception of several similar ones to be given in New York City. The Institute of Arts and Science of Columbia University has invited the orchestra to play for its members and Final Reckoning Shows That the People's Institute is sponsor for five concerts at Cooper Union.

Students of musical instruments mployed in symphony orchestras, embryo conductors, soloists and composers have here an opportunity to develop their talents, for such is the aim of the American Orchestral Society. It is a post-graduate course for the acquirement of the routine and repertoire necessary for qualification as a symphony player. The pupils specializing in string instruments and typany rehearse three times a week; those in wood, wind and brass meet twice during the week.

Instructors for each section of this factory, and I am looking for another simply with the College seal and the They are professional teachers and are orchestra are members of the Philharinstrumental in standardizing the stubranches in scattered portions of the Hodashlat lined up for the "Rlack of the "Rlack" of the "Rlack of the "Rlack" of the "Rlack of the "Rlack" of the "Rl certificate of merits.

# MEET AT PENN HOTEL

Problems Facing American Colleges

their patronage in large numbers. Hotel Pennsylvania November 27 and Tickets which may be purchased in the 28. About 300 delegates will attend, 1925 alcove, must be settled for with representing more than fifty fraternities, a hundred institutions of learning

A number of prominent educators, including several college presidents, confer on college problems with the officials of American fraternities and and 4 first downs respectively. with fifty undergraduates representing as many college councils.

As a result of the success of an experiment tried last year, a new fraternity will probably be formed at the Conference. The number of college students desirous of fraternity affiliations is increasing so rapidly that they cannot be accommodated, with the result that the Interfraternity Conferstart a new fraternity.

George Washington University and ham scoring 2, while Holden of N. Y. president of Delta Tau Delta.

# PARKER'S ELEVEN WINS FOUR OF SEVEN GAMES

'27-'28 FOOTBALL GAME DEFINITELY CALLED OFF

At the instance and advice of the coach, the Freshman-Sophomore annual football game has been definitely called off. It was felt that it would be unfair to pit the experienced varsity men on the sophomore team against the inexperienced freshmen. Besides the fact that it probably would have proven an uninteresting contest, it might have been the cause of many injuries. The sophomore team is composed almost entirely of varsity players while the freshman team has only a few jayvee

# ersinger." The society's presentation at the STATISTICS PROVE **GRIDDERS CALIBRE**

Team Is "Best Ever"-Parker Successful

Complete statistics compiled at the termination of the Lavender gridiron In this game, as in every other of the season strengthen the conviction season, the light varsity gridders were around the campus that Coach Parker's 1924 fighting eleven was "the best ever". Interesting comparisons, controversial figures, and partisan praises form the basis for alcove conversations. The official record tends to clear up this jumble.

The Lavender won four of its seven the team met Ursinus. encounters, scoring 73 points against 84 for its opponents. Of this total, however Fordham and Hamilton accounted for 64 tallies which shows dents' work. The course extends over against the varsity in five other battles. Stadium by trouncing the Saints, Two teams were held scoreless while 26 to 7. Although stiff opposition three others scored only lone touch-

In point of actual touchdowns the College gridders were successful 11 times, while the opponents achieved three minutes of play, and the Anthe same number. Teddy Meisel made 6 of the Lavender touchdowns, Plaut tallied 3 and Cotton and Donstein each scored I. The other opposite column records that 8 touchdowns were made against Parker's men in but two games, the other three which place they scored on a lunge. coming as single touchdowns.

#### Make 51 First Downs

More total yardage was gained by the Lavender in its seven games than by the opponents. The varsity made 51 first downs against 41 for the invaders. Peculiarly enough, the greatest number for Parker's warriors came last Saturday against Fordham when 11 were accounted for. Ursinus yielded ten, while St. Stephens and will be present at the conference to Stevens were found for 8 each. Hamilton and N. Y. U. held the varsity to 3

Field goals played a small part in the seasonal record, Meisel booting the only one for the College in the initial contest against Stevens Tech, while Stanly of Hamilton negotiated 2 and Graham of Fordham found the posts

Points after touchdown, in number, were all scored by Meisel, who dropence is aiding groups of locals to band kicked 2 against St. Stevens and retogether. Nearly a score of locals ceived forward passes from Plant in from all parts of the country want to the Rhode Island and Ursinus encounters. All seven of the opponents The chairman of the Conference is extra tallies came by kicks, Stanley of A. Bruce Bielaski, a graduate of Hamilton making 3, Graham of Ford-

(Continued on Page 3)

Stevens, St. Stephens, Ursinus and Rhode Island Bow to Lavender

MEISEL STARS AS BACK

Numerous Injuries Hamper the Team-Line Holds at Critical Moments

Four victories and three defeats is the record achieved by Coach Hal Parker's first varsity football aggregation this season. After going through two years with nothing but setbacks, the 1924 eleven, under the tutelage of Doc Parker, proceeded to win more games than it lost. Following the initial conquest of Stevens, when for the first time since football came back to the College the Lavender held a team scoreless, St. Stephens, Rhode Island State and Ursinus bowed to the varsity, while N. Y. U., Hamnon and Fordham came out ahead.

· The game with Stevens Tech was merely a workout for the College outfit, its offence being still unpolished. Two touchdowns and a field goal by Meisel accounted for a 15 to 0 victory. outweighed, but proved too fast for the big engineers. The Lavender forwards were quick to take advantage of every misplay by the home team, crashing through for a fully soon after a recovery of one fumble. Captain Phildius was injured in the encounter and did not return to the lineup until

#### Trounce St. Stephens

The tilt with St. Stephens opened the home season the next week. The that only 20 more were chalked up eleven celebrated its return to the was expected from St. Stephens, the Lavender ran through the visitors for four touchdowns.

The goal was crossed in the first nandale aggregation was held helpless until the final period. With most of the second team in the lineup at the time, the Saints unleached several long fowards which carried them down the field to the one-half yard line from

### Violet Given Battle

N. Y. U. came next, turni Ohio field to see the College yield a hard-fought game by a score of 7 to 0. After letting the Violet backs break through for forty yards in their first two plays, the College defense tightened. However, in the initial period, the fleet-footed Bolden intercepted a foward pass and ran 65 yards for a touchdown.

The contest became a punting due! after the Violet's lone tally. The varsity was handicapped at this game, as quarterback Plaut pulled a tendon in the first quarter and could not run back Holden's long kicks.

#### Gain on Forwards

Failure to follow up fumbles by the University Heights men proved costly. In the final stanza, the Lavender made a valiant stand on its own one yard line, holding N. Y. U. for four downs. Plaut's kick from behind the line was fumbled by Bolden, and Wolf recovered, but not speedily enough to break away for a long run.

Though weakened by injuries, the team had no difficulty in overcoming (Continued on Page 4)

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#### POLITICS FOR STUDENTS

We are happy to find that the suggestion made in The Campus for October 29 concerning the revival of formerly flourishing societies has met with favor. Although the other organizations it mentioned-the Seven Arts Society and Phrenocosmia-are still held in the chains of the Sleep which closely resembles Death, the Civics Club is starting to stretch its mighty limbs and to show signs of awakening to resume its former high position in the extra-curricular life of the College.

We find in the plans for the reorganization of the society two things which we consider as being worthy of words of commendation. One is the willingness of the faculty to initiate a project of that sort and to give up the time and energy that such an undertaking will certainly require. The other praiseworthy idea is the shifting of emphasis from the purely theoretical, speculative view of civic matters to the practical aspect of political situations. The former Civics Club was too much inclined to listen to beautiful, but chimerical schemes for the rescuing of the world from the "chaos which now threatens the very roots of our civilization."

We hold no brief for the pursuit of purely material ends. On the contrary, we are staunch advocates of the development of a strong moral and ethical consciousness in the individual, even as we are bitter critics of the money-grubbing character of an all-too-large number of our public, professional and business men of to-day. But we maintain that the only logical and successful way to solve the pressing problems of our generation (as of any other) is to study them meticulously and to become thoroughly familiarized with every phase and aspect of the troublesome situations. No preconceived notions can be held if the subject under observation is to receive the benefit of a keen, analytical, unprejudiced scruting.

The men who are particularly interested in the revival of the Civics Club, which may now better be termed the Politics Club, have apparently recognized this principle. In conforming to this guiding tenet, they have determined to apply to existing political conditions the intelligent use of underlying fundamentals of political economy. Thus, although in their study they may find-shall we say, will find?-cases contrary to the best political thought of the age, they will combat them, not by a mass of high-sounding, useless verbiage, but by an application of the machinery already existing. They will not seek to overturn, by words, in one day, the political traditions (let us say, rather, indifference) which are the result of the evolution of many years.

It is a lamentable fact that the more intelligent of our population shun politics as they would dirt. Their plea is that politics is a "filthy game", that the mud-slinging and objectionable epithets applied to a

## Gargoyles

Ever since the chief took me from Vanity Fair, I have been wondering whether I really belong here. This is one funny place. Not a thing to write about. Well, that's because I'm new. Can't expect a fellow who's been here only a week to have much to say anyhow. Not a soul around worth talking to. Same faces, same racket every hour. Don't these guys ever attend classes. Going to beat it now. Can't stand homemade sandwiches, and I'm not accustomed to newspaper rugs. Gotta meet the chief or Dick somewheres. They could tell me where to spend my off-hours.

Ten o'clock and not a word in. Why did I ever take this job! Miss the old sheet alright. And I was just about becoming more popular than Jim Henry. That boy Mennen knows what he's doing alright, paying Jim big. Wish Sam Business didn't get after so many ads. Then Campus wouldn't be so well off, and couldn't possibly offer me so much. Do miss Vanity. At least there I didn't have to beg petty cash, and then meet the business manager half way. Only two necks ago I entered a voucher for four bits. Waited as long as it takes the boss's English prof to concede he's wrong. The very next morning in Betty's daily letter, I found a buck. Sam was fooled. What that dame wrote is worth two to me.

I could say a word or two about that "so long" party Columbia gave me. Susie's boil didn't handicap her, I found out, and Dick told he had no complaints about his dame. But why rip ribbon for nothing. Don't think anybody would be interested or aroused. Does anybody exist, after all, who doesn't believe that he is the fastest guy, and his the wildest woman, and that affair last night the ritziest and naughtiest he ever went to?

Gargoyles was making ferocious faces yesterday. I got this direct from one of the gang. Said Gargoyles had told him he didn't mind an occasional joust with another columnist, but when the other guy showed up on the field of battle with a furrowed moustache, and a winged collar, hell, that was too much. Gargoyles is funny. Somehow I can't see any relation between combat and face gear. All I know about it is that the simp who cultivates a moustache and a winged affair is at an awful disadvantage in a certain other kind of wrangle.

I wish Vanity Fair never hears of my fizzle. Sure they'll take me back if I ask them. Simply can't write a story after tackling nothing but ads all my life. Perhaps I ought to try those here. Let's see: what's the boss planning to razz next, O, yes, the Serious Social Problem Club.

There's Dick now. No, Benny. Should have known better. O, hell, he's spotted me. What's he after. Probably ask me what I studied for Philo just to start a conversation. O, Well.

"Heilo, Joe, how's the old boy?"

"Hello, Ben, how are you!"

"O, I'm alright. Thanks. Say, whaja read for today? Did we have to go to 358 or 359?"

"I don't remember......Did you see Scarlet

"No, I didn't. Whaja wanna see him for?"

"O, nothing much." "You know, he's asked me to write a column for

him for next week. I'm going to write some column. I have often wondered what a column by Benny

would look like. JOE GISH

candidate for office is not at all compensated for by the doubtful honor and the comparatively small emolument that election to office carries with it. Thus we have this situation: the best minds of the country, the experts in their fields look with a cold, superior, indifferent air upon the professional politicians who, although they are ignorant of political economy and are interested only in "buttering their own bread", rule these self-same best minds who are too proud to be sullied by contact with their masters.

By interesting in politics the future leaders in their communities, the new Politics Club will perform a noble task and fully justify its existence. If it can train men to take their rightful places as leaders of political thought, if it can break down this sickening indifference of the students at City College to the way in which their lives are regulated, the Politics Club will be worthy of the support of every man at College. To educate the students to take a vital interest in politics will be a long and arduous task. If the society accomplishes this work which its inaugurators plan for it, if it succeeds in placing City College men in the position to become leaders in the multi-form political life of this country, it will merit the gratitude of the students, the College, the City and, perhaps, even of the Nation.

#### MERCURY TO PARODY WORLD-WIDE HUMOR

Cellaborators Burlesque Literary Style and Witticisms of Foreign

Mercury will appear for the second ime this semester during next week. Twenty-eight pages of wit and humor are combined in the "International

The forthcoming issue will contain parodies in English of the famous humor magazines of Europe, Asia and America. Included in the list are the 'Lustige Blotter" of Germany: "La Vie Parisienne," of France; "Punch," of England; "Judge,' of the United States and numerous others. Abel Meeropol, Barney Fensterstock, Sid Wallach and Bernie Smith have colaborated on the new venture.

The rest of the issue is the work of the regular-staff. Herman Getter has contributed drawings, Sam Sugar has painted the cover and Malcolm Dodson's cuts plus Sugar's pictures complete the art work.

#### BOUND IN MOROCCO

and to deplore his unwillingness to the author of "Pickwick Papers" fourth-rate.

I am unable to "point at the mass of inferior writings of Dickens" for the reason that I have not read them. but, even judging him by best work, whatever that may be, all Mr. Zimel's good-natured drollery does not change my opinion that, even as a caricaturist, he is fourth-rate. You see, the greatest caricaturists have been satirists. In the first rank I should put Laurence Sterne, whose "Tristram Shandy" has not been equaled And in the second Henry Fielding, because of his "Tom Iones" And in the fourth, of course, Dickens, whose caricature is all pointless.

And I protest that Sherwood Anderson (who is not "mine," by the way) has not done the same thing as Dickens, in his "Winesburg, Ohio" and, moreover, that all of Dickens' pathos, which I grant, and humor, which I have not been able to discover, notwithstanding, I do not like him, because I prefer tragedy to pathos, and comedy to humor.

Also, Mr. Zimel will no doubt be very gratified to learn, there are others beside A. E. Housman who have not written "at least six times as much inane balderdash as really good work".

Adelaide Crapsey, for example, or to turn to prose, James Stephens, or in criticism, Wilson Follett.

Lastly, the argumentum ad hominem, altho sometimes delightful, is valueless in logic.

S. A. HEADSTONE

#### SEMI-ANNUAL "Y" DANCE TO BE HELD SATURDAY

More than fifty tickets have thus far been sold for the "Y" dance which will be held this Saturday evening in the

The comittee in charge of the dance is endeavoring to make this semi-annual dance surpass all previous affiars, Fraternity banners will be hung throughout the gym and streamers and confetti will be scattered about.

Refreshments will be served by the ommittee. A well known country club orchestra has ben engaged for the ccasion.

Tickets at \$1.50 per couple may be procured in the "Y" alcove or from E. V. Fleckels, H. W. Hintz, Art Coombs, T. Luckenbill, G. Bischoff, or any other member of the "Y" cabinet.

#### HEBREW ROOMS CHANGED

Henceforth the courses given by the

#### STUDENT OPINION

To the Editor of The Campus:

measure of respect for the right of our to those of his radical opponents, does fellow-man, to say or preach what- he entertain any fears at all? ever doctrine he may believe in, reappearance of intolerance, whether opinions on them. it take the form of persecution of political dissenters, the Ku Klux Klan, tolerant view: We own the colleges, censorship of any kind or the justifi- We therefore will not permit anyone senting opinion on the letter of Ever- such an attitude of mind. But I look

er's age and learning, allow me, an his relative insignificance in this great, audacious freshman, to take issue wide world, man will come to acquire with him on several points in his

Mr. Wheeler says, "The question is not whether students shall have the lus to progress. I look forward to a With all the difference and circum- right to hear radical speakers, but spection due to a person who has, whether the college buildings shall be "scientific feeling" by which the modwith his own ears, heard a cock-roach used by radical speakers in opposition roar at a lion, I wish to compliment to the rights of those who crected from his work and forms his judge-Mr. Zimel on his agreement with me and maintained the college buildings." that Dickens is, chiefly, a caricaturist, But, I ask, who shall decide whether by investigation and experimentation. speakers are "in opposition to the accept my heirarchy, which placed rights of those who erected the college"? The radicals claim that they you say but I shall fight to the death are fighting for the people just as con- for your right to say it." servatives say, that they are on the side of the people. Who shall decide which is which? This question is similar in this respect to the censor- To the Editor of The Campus: ship of plays. If an individual or Besides coming at the heels of the a body of individuals were competent recent opposition of the student body enough to decide what plays should to compuslory chapel, the "exercises' be censored and what plays should held Thursday in chapel by the Denot, censorship would be a very fine partment of Military Science were sufthing indeed. But this is obviously ficient reasons in themselves for the impossible.

It is quite clear that Mr. Wheeler semblies. would not object in the least to hav- The reason for the previous silence ing some "radical" speaker who had of the department on the purpose of the audacity to advocate abolishing the chapel was well born out, and the Supreme Court or even dared to the effusive declamation of the speaksuggest a change in our economic ears certainly failed to justify the assystem shout himself hoarse in an sembly. empty lecture hall. What he does The ridiculousness of assembling object to is that this lecture hall be the students by a department whose filled with students who might come existence is seriously questioned by to learn that "everything is not all the students, was amusingly exempliright in the world" and, to lose some fied in this case. of their cock-suredness and smug complacency.

Wheeler fear the "dissemination of nored by the department that conthe teachings of those who would rob templates holding a similar meeting us of our savings"? If he is so sure in the near future. that he is right and that they are

wrong why, with an equal (and per-Sincerely believing that the crying haps greater) force of speakers need of the present day is a greater preaching his doctrines in opposition

The only logical solution of the gardless of whether we accept that question is the absolute freedom of doctrine or not; that bigotry and colleges in inviting lecturers. With intolerance are the greatest bars to lecturers representing different and the intellectual progress of mankind; opposite views on various subjects, that it is the duty of every true college men will come to understand American (not the 100% kind) to them from every point of view and combat with all his energy every thus be better able to form intelligent

Let us discard the narrow and incation, in print, of the barring of to lecture here who does not believe radical lectures from the colleges, I as we do. I know well that it is a cannot refrain from expressing a dis- most difficult task to free oneself from rett P. Wheeler '56 in the Nov. 12 forward to a time when, recognizing his petty prejudices, inconsistencies, With deep respect for Mr. Wheel- his stupidities and artificialities, and a better and fairer social vision and such an attitude of mind whereby difference of opinion will be the stimutime when men shall have adopted the ern scientist divorces his prejudices ments on the basis of facts acquired

As a fitting conclusion, let me quote Voltaire: "I cannot agree with what

HARRY HASKEL '28

future discontinuance of similar as-

Finally, the attitude and conduct of the students on the occasion could not Another thing. Why does Mr. be mistaken, and should not be ig-

I. H. EGELMAN '27.

#### COLLEGIATE CHATTER

Prof Team Beats Studes

After having trained for a week and a half, even ceasing their studies for gan by an anonymous friend. More couple of weeks, the members of the McGill University Chess Team went lown to defeat before the brilliant playing of the Profesor's Team. Much graphic and some of the Persian enthusiasm (silent though it was) was manifested by the rooters for both superior quality. teams, yes the Professors had rooters too. The games were intense, and it was only through the concentrated largest musical reviews in the countries and steady attack of the profs that the University team was finally vanquished.

#### 41 Countries at Cornell

Students from 41 countries are registered at Cornell University. This is an increase of 14 over last year. China heads the list with 48 students. Porto Rico comes next with 18 and the Philippines are a close third with 16. The countries represented include: Armenia, Barbados, Domingo, Hawaii, India, Sweden, and Turkey.

#### Knight of the Road

features at Worcester Tech. This organization was created for the purpose of increasing attendance at out-Menorah Society in room 216 will be of-town games. To enter the society given in room 10. These courses are one must have a certain amount of course open for the in Hebrew culture, literature and milage. But the society does not ad- Nicholas Terrace. vocate or favor cutting classes.

U. of M. Gets Rare Scripts

A priceless collection of 147 Orient manuscripts, many of them of the utmost rarity, and some dating from as early as the eighth century, has been presented to the University of Michithan half are written in Arabic while the others are in the Persian and Turkish languages. Many are calimanuscripts contain illumination of

Prefers College to Follies Imagine a position in one of the try, your name on all dramatic pages, and in headlights a foot long. Is that to be preferred to a college education? But in Ohio State University there's one girl who chose the latter.

Last season when the Greenwich Village Follies was in town this girl was given an opportunity to enter the Follies, something which 99 girls out of 100 would do anything to get. But with a determined decision she said, "No" and now she's enjoying herself at her beloved college.

#### Wall-flowers Disappear

Good-by to the days when wallflowers were the usual thing at the dances of the University of Kansas A bumming society known as the A course in dancing for beginners "Knights of the Road" is one of the and for those interested in learning the fundamentals of dancing has been added to the curriculum,

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Have you a fairy in your home? Well, you ought to have one if water polo squads are holding regular vou haven't. You can't imagine what a great convenience they are practice in the College pool under Trying to ride two horses, a report in Chapman and Counts, and Sport the supervision of Coach McCormick. Sparks for this issue, at once, we found ourselves about to do a Prince of Wales and unceremoniously dismounted from Sparky (to appreciate captured the intercollegiate title last the course of action chosen by your worthy scribe ask any Ed. 21 stude the educational weight and importance of the Messrs. Chapman and Counts, Inc.). That is, we summoned our fairy, the one and only Mac expects to cause plenty of B. J. K., Sport Sparker Emeritus, and spake unto that noble spirit thusly: "Give's two columns for next issue—pronto!" The noble spirit salamied (delicatessenic license) out and while we gave our best attention to the C. C. educational team he gave his to the C. C. football team. With the free-style event and the relay race, net result that we were satisfied, he was satisfied, and, we hope you too and Caspar will probably compete in will be satisfied, making everything jake.

We introduced B. J. K. to you earlier in the term. The busy season for essays breaks shortly and our fairy can rest assured of many encores. Well, we've wasted enough space, already, so we leave the field (the rest of the column) to the kid himself. (P. S.-You know how we mean that word "fairy", of course.)

"So it's over. And a glance in retrospect immediately yields so many varied impressions as to be confusing for a moment. But referring first to what came last-the Fordham game. Frankly, it was disappointing. Yes, yes, I know we were outclassed. I know we were up against a better team. I didn't expect to win. But I didn't give Fordham a thirty-one point edge; and I haven't changed my mind about that.

"You know, when Fordham knocks our line aside and wades through, that's all right----they're stronger; they're better. When Fordham outruns our ends and circles round for a big gain, that's all right, toothey're faster; they're better. But and however, when Fordham lines up on a fake drop-kick formation and then throws a forward and gets away with it for a touchdown because it doesn't occur to our backs to wonder what a Fordham back is running out behind our goal line for, on a kick formation, that's all wrong. Am I too harsh? Our backs may have thought he was running out to bring the ball back after the kick. And when Fordham makes us look silly and feel sick because every time they try a pass it works for a long gain or a score; and this is due not to anything especially clever or deceptive in the Maroon attack but to the enthusiasm with which our backfield supports the Fordham receiver in his policy of splendid isolation, why that's all wrong, too, Milt. it's all wrong.

"That for the backfield, though they played well in other respects. But the line—apple of my eye and pride of my heart! Homer and ker, the freshman basketball squad Virgil wrote some pretty snappy poems of sport and combat and I'd cer- will be able to start intensive practice tainly like to get hold of one of those bright boys. No one else could adequately describe the funny little thrill that ran up and down my alleged backbone as our sturdy forwards stood too to toe and traded wallop for wallop (I don't mean that literally) with those huskies. No one else Parker. The squad is large and numcould tell the world just how glorious a sight it was when, with the ball on our four-yard line in the first quarter, our line broke through and stood them on their heads, three times in a row. No one else could have written those immortal words:-

'When the stands are cheering tier on tier And the air's like the nip of wine Here's to the man who opens the hole Down in the mud of the line.

"And while I am scattering posics let me lightly but gayly drop a wreath upon the noble brow of one Lou Oshins. Lou's showing was a source of joy to me because I like him. It was a source of satisfaction because it vindicated my belief, nay my conviction that I'm a football expert. You know, I never could swallow the assertion that Lou wasn't good enough for the first team. Not when I thought of him as I saw him against N. Y. U. two years ago-stiff, cold, unconscious, yet clutching one of Chief Toorock's ankles with a grip so doggedly vise-like that the referee could scarcely pry his fingers off. I've wondered all season why Lou wasn't a regular. I'm still wondering.

"Nine out of ten fellows won't appreciate just what Doc Parker has accomplished. You have to know a good deal about football to grasp the magnitude of his achievement.

"You know experts say it takes five years to make a football player. Up in West Point they say it takes ten. Experience is more important on the gridiron than in any other sport; its all — important. A young team can't be good. At least we once believed so.

"But Parker's regular team contained light men who never played varsity ball before. And look at what they did. Oh, it's not the fact that they won a majority of their games; but that they played football; real football. I can't say it any better than that. Presuming to speak in the name of the College, I thank Doc Parker for having ensured the future of City College football. I can wish him nothing better, for the future, than a team worthy of his coaching."

## **AQUATIC TEAMS** PRACTICE DAILY

Prospects for Season Fair-Coach Issues Call for More Candidates

With their initial match soon approaching, the varsity swimming and

The first match, scheduled for Janyear. The Tigers will, of course, rule favorite over the Lavendar, but trouble for the champs.

Captain Frank Caspar and Dan Mac Glinchy will be the mainstays of the team. Both will swim in the 50 yard the 100-yard dash also. The other two men on the relay quartet will most likely be Boyce and Kertesz.

The breast-stroke, Dan Schneeweiss and possibly Mac Glinchy will per- one each. form for the College. Kertesz and Jinx Lewis are both candidates for the 440 yard swim, and Johnny Balsom and Georgie De Fronzo will draw the fancy diving assignment for the Lavender. Balsom was a regular last season, and De Fronzo was the star diver of last year's freshman team.

As for as the water-polo sextet, the squad will be greatly aided by the addition of several veterans who have been playing football for Doc Parker until the present time. Prominent among these are Charlie Naiman and Elterich, who will probably take up their former duties at goal and back, respectively. These men, together with Captain John Clancey, Hy Scheeter, and others of coach Mac-Cormick's squad should compose a formidable array of poloists.

Despite the apparent quality of his material, the coach still deplores its the season with 43 points. Roy Plaut daily between 12 and 2 p.m., and the N. Y. U., Hamilton and Fordham. polo squad trains every afternoon except Friday, at 4 p.m.

#### PARKER TAKES OVER FROSH COURT TEAM

With the advent of Coach Hal Parfor their opening game with the St Francis second team.

From now on, however, they will receive the undivided attention of Dr. bers among its members former high school stars. Hirsch, T. H. H. Captain, last year, has also had some experience under Coach Parker, having finished with the '27 team. Others who were prominent in scholastic circles are Buss and Suttel of Clinton, Rubinstein of Boys High, and Beck-

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#### 11 MORE EVENTS LISTED ON FRESH-SOPH PROGRAM

The following list is the revised schedule of Fresh-Soph activities for the remainder of the term. The football game has been cancelled by the Fresh-Soph committee. Nov. 20 at 12, X-Country, Van

Cortlandt. Nov. 24 at 3, Debate.

Nov. 26 at 1, Chess, Room 2. Nov. 26 at 3, Flag Rush, Stadium. Dec. 4 at 1, Gymnastics, Gym.

Dec. 4 at 1, Water Polo, Pool. Dec. 6 at 8, Basketball, Gym. Dec. 11 at 1, Wrestling, Auxiliary

Frosh Feed \ Soph Smoker \ Before Jan. 15. Track Meet, some night in Dec. on gym floor.

### METTLE OF ELEVEN PROVEN BY FIGURES

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U. and Noble of St Stephens made

Five Men Hurt

Miscellaneous statistics give Al Dreiband the honor of making the only safety, that against Fordham, and show that Fordham was the one aggregation able to beat the Lavender tance. on its own grounds in four home games, and further show that the Lavender could beat only Stevens away from home.

Injuries, severe in nature, came to five men.. Captain Bob Phildius broke his collarbone in the Stevens fracas but returned to his team in the Ursinus game. Sam Donstein, after paving the way for many touchdowns broke his leg in the Rhode Island State battle. Jason Cotton was retired from the game against Fordham with a dislocated thigh. Haber split his finger in practice and Rosenbluth suffered a broken nose.

Teddy Meisel was high scorer for quantity, and, issues a call for more made 18, Donstein and Cotton made 6 candidates. The swimmers practice each. No points were made against

The football team's record follows:

Team	C.C.N.Y.	Opponents
Stevens	15	0
St. Stephens	26	0
N. Y. U.	0	7
R. I. State	13	0
Hamilton	0	33
Ursinus	19	6
Fordham	0	31

The College points were made by: Touchdowns: 11. (Meisel, 6; Plaut Doustein; Cotton).

After touchdowns: 4 (Meisel, 4) Field goals: 1 (Meisel)

## **'27-'28 HARRIERS** TO RUN THURSDAY

'27 Favored to Win Run Over Van Cortlandt Park Course

The frosh cross-country team will match strides with the '27 hill-anddalers this Thursday at 1 p. m. in what promises to be a spirited race, over the Van Cortland Park course.

The record of the '28 team is but mediocre, they having been beaten by Columbia, Rutgers and N.Y.U. freshmen. The sophomores, who wil draw heavily upon the varsity squad, will start Hyman, Greitzer, Adams, Mondshein and Lunderguist Opposing this aggregation will be Mathews, Barrow, Naboisek, Nessar and Rubin Matthews, former T. H. H. star and Captain has been turning in excellent performances and is expected to run in his usual form.

Hyman, who will lead the sophs, is an experienced runner who gave an

The fact that the teams will race over a three mile course, tends to militate against the sophs, who have at 13th St. been practicing over a six-mile dis-



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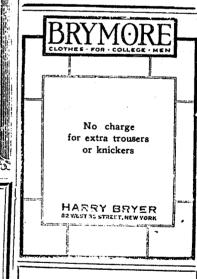
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## **ELEVEN WINS FOUR** OF SEASON'S SEVEN

(Continued from Page 1) Rhode Island State, 13 to 0. The overhead attack was, as usual, strong, but the general form of the team was not very good in that encounter. and was lost to the team for the

The following week, at Clinton, to 0, indicates the slump into which the team had fallen, since Hamilton, with a none too impressive record, easily outplayed the visiting team in all departments of the game. Red Morris circled the ends for long runs, this being the main factor in his team's victory.

Win Against Odds

Coming back to the Stadium, the eleven faced a powerful eleven that was favored to win easily. Ursinus' overwhelming defeat of Haverford, who in turn had beaten Hamilton. has raised in ins crucaes before a gave it a big edge over the varsity. sophisticated audience that can not enfumble by the home team gave the Pennsylvanians a touchdown.

back with a more improved brand of football than they had displayed all season, crossing the goal line twice man passions.

Theatricality, of course, has the one and tallying two field goals for a excuse for its employment in the 19 to 6 victory. The College eleven greater focusing of effects, in the adhad no difficulty in stemming the at-ding poignancy to situations. But tack of the visitors, while the Laven- when it is unintelligently used, and der's offense was irresistible.

Fordham Too Fast

In the final contest, last Saturday, the team bowed to the speedy Ford-nate power of his characters and situham eleven, that scored 31 points, ations. When theatricality passes the while blanking the College eleven limits of its effective phase, it wreaks Although the Maroon was on top in a many-fold vengeance: it makes farce symbolic also. all but the third quarter, the visitors of drama, puppets of actors, and a totalled but four more first downs crowd of bored (or delighted) specta-

The off tackle smashes and end runs welded group of souls. of Fordham hit at the weak spots of the team. The Maroon team also Robert Edmond Jones, (tho obviousused the foward pass to great effect, ly dictated by O'Neill), are probably the Lavender's defense against the what most forces an open-minded de aerial game being poor.

played Fordham off its feet. By a more than glorified child's-play; but series of plunges and forward passes, it is inevitable that the whole conthe varsity grid men swept down the struction of the piece tends to interfield until they had reached Fordham's rupt its spiritual unity and your in-

Lavender Line Strong

of the team all season. Opponent new type of picaresque, and often exhave been a tower of strength in every dramatic chain of emotion. The

At the ends, Bob Phildius was

In the backfield, Ted Meisel and Sam Donstein, who only played part of the year stood out. Meisel was at the receiving end of most of the successful forwards, all of which he advanced for further gains. Meisel was also the team's most dependable dropkicker. Donstein's plunging and uable asset to the team.

Plaut Good Quarterback

Roy Plaut's spirited leadership of k list, and his sterling field generalship made him a firet class quarterfew games.

# GERMAN CLUB TO HEAR

Ludwig Lore will address the memhers of the society on the Dawes Re- ludicrous. parations Plan. Mr. Lore is at present German publication.

### PLAY OF THE WEEK

DESIRE UNDER THE ELMS, by "Desire" is not all overdone theatriwich Village Theatre.

Eugene O'Neill's latest play is a The joy of the victory was dampened dainty little orgasmic thing that conwhen Sam Donstein broke his leg cerns itself largely with evil-counselling spirits, robbery, seduction, incest lust in general, and infanticide. It is the story of a New England farmer's N. Y., the Lavender suffered a reverse, third wife, who seduces the son of loosing to Hamilton. The score, 33 the second wife in order that she may have an heir and be deeded the farm; it is the tragedy of a woman who sacrifices her child so she may keep her step-son's love. The play is badly planned, and

foolishly written. O'Neill has chosen to present his story in three parts and twelve scenes, and to stage it in a farmhouse with walls that may be removed to enable the audience to see within. He has made use of all the theatrical liberties in an endeavor to heighten the dramatic effect, and he has failed in his endeavor largely beter vicariously into the emotions burning upon a stage that too insistently Then the Lavender gridders came from its artificiality to grow into an remains a stage, that does not recede expressive, symbolic setting for hu-

painfully overdone, it shows that the playwright is as blind to the psychology of his audience as to the inthan the Lavender, which made eleven, tors of a transported, un-selfconscious,

The settings, which are designed by In the third quarter, the home team templation of what is certainly no sire to believe into an amused conten yard line, where the onslaught terest. The twelve scenes, (of which the first three, anyway, should be left The line has been the strongest part chronicle play, or the scenes of that backs always found their way blocked pressionistic, story-telling, that have when they attempted rushing. From a unity in themselves, and form, each, tackle to tackle, the Lavender forwards a distinct and linked addition to the scenes in "Desire" are merely arbimissed most of the season. Good in- trary groupings of the necessity of using ponents to make long gains around gether various elements of the drama petition to name the chemistry buildinto the complete, continuous, and ing after the late Professor Charles been important parts of the offensive therefore most effective unity of the Baskerville. The Board of Trustees conventional act.

And the dialogue is, so often, exing at the golden sunset, shakes his Professor Baskerville rendered to the head and says: "Purty, ain't it?", we College, the society considers it degroan. But by the fourth time some farmer says, with a shake of the head: "Purty, ain't it?", or: "Yer the spit'n broken field running made him a val- image of yer maw", you have stopped groaning, (or laughing); you have come to a conclusion as to O'Neill's apparent though surprising ingenuthe team while Phildius was on the ousness in the matter of dramatic dia-It is strange if O'Neill hasn't yet learned that New England farmers back. Willie Cohen, excelling at the can't be made to talk like the Irish beginning of the season in furnishing peasants of JM Synge and be listened interference and in his defensive play, to seriously by an intelligent audience; proved in the last two games that he in many of his other plays he has could hit a line for substantial gains, shown the power that may invest Oshins starred in the backfield in speech that stays within the bounds the Fordham game. Jason Cotton of naturalism, but in this one he uses also did creditable work on the de- a bastard dialogue that is as hilarilease and in the punting department, ous as it is unnecessary. Sometimes averaging forty-five yards in the last the actors have to include in romantic variations on exotic themes-all in the New England manner, however: and all the actors but Walter Huston talk TALK ON DAWES PLAN without the slightest Yauker twang, but with an overemphasis of the Yan-At the meeting of the German Club kee mispronounciation of "home", tomorrow at 1 o'clock in Room 308, "stone", and other more or less frequent words: the total effect is

It would be remarkable if any play editor of the New York Volkszeitung, of O'Neill's were totally lacking in interest and in power, and, indeed,

Eugene O'Neill. Produced by the cality, all sophomoric dialogue, all Provincetown Players, at the Green- shoddy playwriting, all a comedy of unmotivation. Its characterization is not completely inhuman, though it is largely so; and there is one fine which was just barely nosed out by marvelously acted by Mary Morris, strokes with the Townsend Harris finest I have seen this season, whose 4 p.m. in the College pool. The understanding of the part is perfect, meet will be a formal engagement and whose playing of it is the only with the accepted card of events, unredeeming feature of the production. like the first match between the two She has such a magnetic tace, and such a power of expression in her tight-lipped mouth, with all humanity's emotions flickering in the corners, that if Gordon Craig were to see her he would throw his theory about able showing, for he will enter not marionettes and masks into the scrapbasket where it belongs.

Walter Huston tries hard to play his role in the true spirit, but he has difficulties, for the character of the old man that he portrays is more subtle and inconsistent (if less human) than we might expect of a New England farmer of the middle of the last century. Mr. Huston is handicapped too much by his cheerful face; his smile persists over his stuck-on beard even when he is uttering his bitterest imprecations.

The other actors are victims of bad direction. In the inessential beginning of the first part, the two sons by the old man's first wife go through their artificial (supposedly symbolic) tricks of action, thought and speech like a couple of vaudeville performers in a foolish sketch of indeterminate purpose. The younger son, played from the negatives and exhibited beby Charles Ellis, is made by O'Neill to perform such inhuman antics that his naturally cow-like face becomes

Oh, the play's not all bad. The last cene of the first part, when the new Mrs. Cabot comes to her home, is effective; and the last two scenes of the third act are indeed powerful, thanks to Mary Morris, but these parts too suffer from bad direction. and a lack of climax; and there are parts of other scenes that carry you for a moment into a pulsing emotional life. But these moments are too short, they are cut into by the everfalling curtain, or their spirtual life s jolted into farce by idiotic interjecions; and you leave the theatre realizing that much nonsense has passed in review, much passion has been perverted, and a great actress has almost

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#### PETITION MEZES TO HONOR BASKERVILLE

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#### FRESHMEN OPPOSE HARRIS SWIMMERS

Coach McCormick Enters Strong Yearling Combination for Meet Tomorrow

The freshman swimming team, figure, the wife of Ephraim Cabot, the sophs last week, will match whose creation of the character is the Hall natators tomorrow afternoon at teams, in which no official score was recorded.

Coach McCormick, who has been drilling the yearlings steadily for the past five weeks, expects a very favoronly the usual line-up of freshman swimmers but in addition, several new-comers whom he has recently developed.

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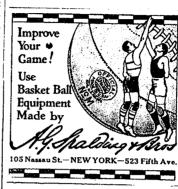
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