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A POOR SYSTEM AT BEST
As the number of students applying for admis to the college increased enormously with each ceeding year it became apparent that the authori would be compelled to set more rigid requireIts for entrance than had previously existed. It physically imposible for the college to admit of the candidates. So it had no choice but to se some '"ther means of classification. Acting ir the pressure of this imperative need, the regis 's office did put into effect a system which had its primary, if not sole, purpose the more care selection of candidates. That system has now employed for two sernesters. And in our opinion most unsatisfactory. We base this belief on the nds that it falls far short of accomplishing the ed results.
ding the prect certain misapprehensions rding the plan, Dean Brownson addressed a comensive letter to the student body (published in Campus last tern) in which he stated that the em was not designed with a view toward dis inating against any particular type of student or lering entrance more difficult, merely for the sake aising the already high standards. The motive rather, to determine more accurately the degre each applicant's capabilities so that only those would be selected who were obviously best fitted ucceed in the work here and who d be most benefited by a college education se-worthy purpose, indeed! Could a reasonabl on honestly find fault with such an objective? think not.
But we reiterate. These ends are not bein zed under the present. system. How could they ibly be, when by its very nature, the method is grades a tase axamption-the one that mark grades are an accurate and truthful indication of idual worth. If a man attains a certain average is prep school course-or (what is worse). if he hes near the top in a series of competitive examons, it is assumed, ipso facto, that he is more or college than the man whose grades are slightly r. Marks, Marks, Marks; they and they alone considered.
It is our firm belief that many students, far better qualified than some of those adimitted are be ing denied the privilege of attending the Day Session. And this is a state of offairs which hās a ueieteriou lege itself suffers by it

We fully recognize the fact that this whole problem of admission is an exceedingly delicate and difficult one. The perfect plan has not as yet been conceived. Radical changes in former systems are But it seems to us that of the country vised, the one in use here is the methods so far deIf the one in use here is the most impotent.
If the power of sefection were vested in a com-

## Gargoyles

## LOCAL COLOR

Freshmen carrying books in both arms. Senior carrying a book in left arm pressed against his heart.
Freshmen wearing R. O. T. C. uniforms in sub with veteran demeano
The disciples of Prof. M. R. C. repeating the Master's words, first, to catch their elusive meaning, secondly. to revicw their subtle harmonies, thirdly, to be lulled to sleep by their deep sonority, et ad in initum, in the alcove
Nat Berall and Herman Tannenbaum in an
ternal embrace. ternal embrace.

And we might also add:
Sam Sugar shuffing disconsolately through the halls.

Barney Fensterstock agreeing effusively with everything and everybody

Mal Dodson with hi fiet on the "Merc" desk.
Howie Hintz trying to look busy
Doug Willington surrounded by perspiring can didates to the business board.

Sam Sorkin tying the bull.
Rube Berson helping him tie it.
Professor Guthrie wedged in a door

The Rev. S. W. Vardon, rector of Ellesborough near
marriage hymer, Buckinghamshire, said that the fines
mritten was the late Albert Chevamarriage hymn ever written
Iier's song. "My Old Dutch

When stuck to me through thick an' thin,
When luck was out, when luck
wot a wife to me she's bin,

And some day when Divorce will have become as
Chhly organized and ceremonial as Marriage it will highly organized and ceremonial as Marria
be whisticd on the other side of the mouth.

She spent my dough and drark my gin
When I was out, some guy was in Ow! wot a wife to me she's bin,
letters we would like to receive Dear Boy,
You prubably never heard of me but I arn one of
your very distant blood relations. I have just dropped
your very distant blood relations. I have just dropped
dead and ieft you a million dollars dead and ieft you a million dollars as your very, very
own. My two yachts and several cars will be forwarded at your convenience. I have also taken the liberty of registering you at Harvard, Oxford and the University of Paris. Spend a few years at each until you tire of
the novelty. I hope I ain't done you dirt.
the novelty. I hope I ain't done you dirt.
Lovingly,
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Dear Stranger
— Unikie
ments and a Rolls-Royce but $I$ know an honest face when I see oue. I followed you home one day and
got your name from the candy store man. I need sym pathy and appreciation and besides I feel awfully lone-
some nights. I want to be a big sister to you some nights. I want to be a big sister to you and
have you come up to see me often. Remember 1 trust have you come up to see me often. Remember 1 trust
you. Do not take advariage of a beautiful friendship. Always miock on the door first.
Your little sunflower,

Son,
The Committee on Course and Standing has decided that it is not necessary for you to take a re-
examination in Mathematics 273. Reexaminations are silly things. You will receive credit for the course. The Committee is due for a poker game Thursday a:
$3 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. Drop around.


ABEL.
personality and all-round worth, rather than uma abiiity to pass examinations, we believe that a decided improvement would be effected.

And such a committee would be enabled to render fairly sound decisions if each applicant were required to appear before it personally. If by this plan, too great a $u$ urden is devolved upon a committee, several groups conid be appointed.

If a system such as we have but briefly outlined were ever adopted, we have little doubt but that a goodly number of men of lower grading would be recommended-and would prove to be greater assets to the college aud the community, in the end

MENORAH AIMS AT 400 MEMBERSHIP

## To Continue Classes in Jewis History, Bible, Hebrew and Liturgy

 ship last Wednesday; The committee
with A. Lefkowitz 25 as chairman confidently expects to close the campaign with a membership of not les
than 400, an increase over last term' The Society laid its plans at its firs meeting of the year Thursday, Sept.
25. It chose the following officels:
second vice-president, S. Blumenfeldt; cerresponding secretary, H. Goldstein
recording secretary, N. Israel; trea
surer, S. Langer; librarian, J. Schein herg. At the last meeting of the sprin
term A. Lefkowitz was elected pre sident and
president.
As in former years the Menorah
will conduct classes in the study of Hebrew, Jewish History, the Bible and the liturgy. Classes will be con-
ducted by teachers from the Jewish schools in the city. The Society is
preparing a curriculum to present to the student body. All students hav access to the reference volumes in the
Menorah alcove. Chief among thes are Graetz's "History of the Jew members of the Menorah have all th
privileges of the circulating library.
Further henefits cunferred by the one doliar membership fee are a year's
subscription to the Menorah Journal issued quarterly, and to the Menorah Bulletin, a bi-monthly publication of
the Intercollegiate Menorah Society. The Menorah Service department, 167 13th St, offers its aid in obtaining ion. poetry, history, scientific or tech-
nical studies-in any language. Maga zines are included in this offer. As in previous years the Mi..ora
will hold weekly

are invited. Dociors B. Giueck, H.
M. Kallen and A. A. Goldenweiser
all of whom are lecturing at the New
all of whom are lecturing at the Ne
School of Social Research, have bee
requested to address these forums
Former speakers such as Rev. D


In addition to these talks by public
mén the Hebrew Circle, a subsidiary
organization of the Menorah, will
conduct general discussions in Heb-
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conduct general discussions in Heb-
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faid this early in the season, but a
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MERC ISSUES OCT. 15 SUGAR DRAWS COVER
October 15 will mark the beginning October 15 will mark the beginning
of the third year of Mercury's appear of the third year of Mercury's appear-
ance in a humorous role. The number
will be known as the "Football Issue" and the entire content will be devote o glorifying the college sport.
In the main Mercury's staff rem In the main Mercury's staff remain
the same. The important changes are Douglas Willington's promotion to bu-
siness manager replacing Al Baum iness manager replacing Al Baum arney Fensterstock are dividing the
literary editorship. Dodson Editor, whie Sam Sugar will
tinue to draw Mere's covers. Though the old staff is back Mer cury requires new men. Candidates
for the staffs should report to the of for the staffs should report to the of
fice during lunch hours.

TO COMBINE SENOR
EXECUTIVE COUNCILS
Plan to Hold Prom in FallElections will Occur October 10
$\qquad$ between i:: *wo sections the class of
25 decided at a general meeting Fri day to merge its administrations and clect but one set of officess for the
year. The elections will be held on October 10
electio
ment at City College was inspirn by the belief of the seniors that com bination would eradicate such disputes as oceurred last ycar when the exec-
ative councils of June 25 and Feb. '2 ried to work together. Though they come to an agreement later the trouble
occasioned led to delays and dissatisfaction. The new system is expected 0 work because the class, being a unit The class of hearted is arranging plans to hold its annuai prom in the fall instead of the spring as in past
years. This change is proposed in order to accommodate the Februar lose touch with class affairs.
SCIENTIFIC PROGRAMS
Planned by bio CluB

## Prominent Biologists to Addres

 Club-Scientific Books Will Be ReviewedScientific and social plans for th
erm were discussed at the re-organ zation meeting of the Biology Club officers of the Club are Bernard Freed
25, president: Herman Thne 25, president: Herman Tannenbaum
25, vice-president; Sideny Vernnn '26
secretary; and S. Serriau '25,
arer.
Talks on biological subjects by pro-
minent men engaged in nriginal re
search work will feature the scientific search work will feature the scientific
mectings. The members will receive first-tand information on experimental work and an opportunity for discus
sion with the scientists.
To keep up with the trend in th To keep up with the trend in th:
bioiogical world, the club will revia current periodicals, journals and new
books on science. books on science. Reports of biologi
cal meetings and lectures held in the
city will city will be submitted by members be presented by students.
Hikes and field trips under the guid-
ance of some ance of some member of the biology
department will form a prompnent department will form a
part of the social program. Plans are
plat already being formed for the annual
dinner at the end The next meeting of the club will be held tomorrow in Room 319 at 1
oclock. All studcints interested in biology and na
vited to attend.

## MATH CLUB ORGANIZED

In order to better prepare Colleg en interested in mathematics to pass the State Examinations for teacnuss,
a Math Club had been organ College. All men who have taken
analytics or higher mather

PLAYS OF THE WEEK
GUILTLESSNESS AND INNOCENCE
THE LITTLE ANGEL"-a come dy in three acts by Ernest Vafda the Frazee. Translated from the Hungariar
Brock Pemberton is at the bottom the third providential incursion by fungary of the not too dramatic Am rican stage. "The Little Angel" the pen of Ernest Vajda to whom re obliged for "Fata Morgana" Grounds for Divorce"-the latter as yet unseen-is entertaining comed nimbly lined, and acted with admi ble sufficiency. It is conceived sem calistically and with marked simplic native background is adroitly of
cted by Will Pogany
There is a striking similarity
's offering at the Garrick, In "F
covering duces a student impetuous woma sons and beautiful visiona Her d parture is cold, she considers the hote affair a huge joke, and make ittle Angel", the author substitute chion. A virginally genuous girl, for a brief while out ic and puritan aunt, and her eccenint at the ball which ttending, is wronged by Count nsists he merely fulfilled his duty a gentleman. Inner inevitable com appears that the family of the girl-represented in the in a protracted legal strangle of many ther. The intent of the Count's fa orce a marriage, and then to sue for pitiable and appealing ignorance, appears a picture of rapture to the well
intentioned Count, aunty standing. To the end, her being fram ed in an aureate rapture, she cherishes he tenderness of motherhood, but
knows nought of its indispensable Knows nought of its indispensable
preliminarics. She had been reared to elieve that offspr:ng were realizable ant expression and a kiss". In "Fate
and Morgana", the impassioned youth's
dream is rudely shattered, yet there is The play is agreeabiy slow but never dious. It is farcial in pieces, but
Vajda can be forgiven, for his fare ludicrous or itratiomat. Tley affer elightfit moments of relicf from the "The Little Angel" is more buoyant Th discursive, for the dramatist has
not made so much of it. There is a harshness and a ruthlessness in the folds. A fundamental cruelty pervad es the lives and hopes of his claracimpish impish glee and plays with the clay
whence he moulds them, with a desultory yet facile grace. Structurally,
there is hardly a disparity between so models.
od stro the players. Mildred Macher wistful with a difficult paper, and tionable merit. Robert Strange's ness; and his interpretation decisive ficient in its rigidness and fixity $y_{0}$ will probably find the lawyer of C. $H$. Croker-King, and John Brewer's abbreviated baron-who had no short-
comings-to your liking. Moffat Johnston was like every other Moffat Johnston before him. Clare Eames,
he stern aunt, the stern aunt, attendant on whose
blindness the girl was plunged into lindness the girl was plunged into"
er "sweet despair", revealed a wealtrit or sweet despair", revealed a wealtry
character and comedy. Her treat

## ALUMNI ISSUE

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## the coming year

With this first issue of the Alumni Campus a new year in Alumn work realy opens. On che the basis of last year's record, the promise for
.te coming year is especially good. Honored by a President, at once important in the affairs of the City and efficient and active in the work of the Alumni, and by a new Treasurer deeply interested in his work, the Association seems to be in a fair way to makc progress in various projects begun last year and in any new ones which more than
will be originated as soon as the Directors begin their meetings. the annual dinner
The first Alumni function of importance will, of course, be the An-
nual Dinner which vill be held this year at nual Dinner which wifl be held this year at the Hotel Commodore on
Saturday cvening, November $s$ thi. Details as to the character of the entertainment are not yet wailhe. For those wh were present last year, however, the announcement that Herb Holton is again the Chairman and intends to follow up his last year's great success with an affair of a similar nature, should be sufficient to insure their carly purchase of a ticket and their activity in encouraging their classmate and friends among the Alumni to do likewise. The goal of the Com
mittee this ycar will be one thousand Alumni and former students at mittee Chis year will be one thousand Alumni and former students a
the Commodore on November 8th. Professor Holton is doing everythin in his power to prepare an attractive and worthy dinner. We hope that
each alumnus who reads this will for himself but, with the true missionary spirit, by going among his clase mates and urging them to join him at table, at one great follicicatios

## football

On Octobar 4th the Varsity Football Team will begin its third sea son. The schedule, which appears below, indicates that the team has
somewhat enlarged its field of opponents and in this making progress. We believe, however, after consulting many of the students active in affairs of the College that the team will show marked progress this year in every way
The boys have a coach who is efficier ast year's victorious Fresel confidence. "Doc" Parker, the coach of coach this year. "is lif a skilled player himself, an experienced coach and season to make predictions, and we cannot hope now, It is early in the lootball, for too much, but we do look forward to much more stimulating vill be marked team played last year and we fully expect that victories omewhat disheartening defeats of last year

## Sat., Oct. 4th Stevens Inst. of Technology

Sat., Oct. I ith St. Stephen's College
Nt. Stephen's College
$\begin{array}{ll}\text { Sat., Oct. 25th } & \text { Rhode Island State College } \\ \text { Sat., Nov. ist } & \text { Hamilton College }\end{array}$
at., Nov. 8th Ursinus College At Hoboken,
At Stadium,
At Ohio Field
At Stadium,
At Clinton, N
At Stadium,
At Stadium, THE ALLIMNI REGISTER
Howard C. Green, 'oz, Editor of the Alumni Register, asks that we speak in his behalf yet once more. If we did not on the matter in this book, we should perhaps feel unvilling to do this. From a casual perusal of the page proofs, however, we reaiize that the more complete record of the graduates and former students of our Col lege than any other Alumni Association prepares ior its members. Gladly, therefore, we speak for him again.

The most important reason for the the recent deiays in the appearance of the book has been the fact that the printer is doing the work at a very fair price on condition that he need not give it precedence over Alumni will realize that simply in the matter of stock and composition and printing, they are receiving a large book for their $\$ 2$. This would no doubt have been impossible had it not been for these arrangements
with the printer. The delay has been unfortunate, but in the nature of things almost necessary, and, we believe, rather than harmful to the book, in many respects beneficial. Although the copy has been going through the press for a good many weeks and even months, it has not been al-
lowed to grow stale, but has been constantly corrected even as late as the appearance of the page proof.
Page proofs have now been corrected through the Class of 1924. There remains only the reading of prooi on the War Record (which was
one of the most difficult features of the bock to compile on account of the recitence of the Alumni) and the assembling of the book for final work on the press. Even though Mr. Green had asked us to do so, we should
hazard no prophecy as to the dite of publication. We hazard no prophecy as to the date of publication. We hope that copies great evening comes, please do not come to your Editor and give him the lie. Seek out patient and faithful Mr. Green in some dark corner of volume, so that you may tad it, before you pass to the hunting grounds of C. lege graduates.

## ALUMN RECEIVE HICHER DEGREES

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ored by the French Republic with the
1893 -Peter Schmuck, presiding

Townsend Harris Hall.
1918-Wendeil M. Thomas, graduated with honors from the Cnl-
lege and continued to take prizes and followships and various other acaSeminary, receatly sent the following note from the Methodist Episcopal
Mission at Godhra, India: "NecessariMission at Godhra, India: "Necessari-
ly I shall not be able to keep in touch with active College life How
ever, I may say by way of informa
tion, that since ion, that since leaving C. C. N.
I have studied in London and O
ford, received from Union Theo al Seminary, New York, S. T. B. in 1921. S. T. M. in 1923, and from Co
umbia M. A. in 1923. I am now hap pily married and working
"Junior" Missionary of the M Episcopal Church."
1920-Alphonse S. Hogenauer, who year as Instructor in English at Pekin ccently graduated from the Cam bridge Theological Seminary and was ordained Deacon of the Protestant
Episcopal Church by Bishop ManEpiscopal Church by Bis
ning on the 15 th of Junc.
1923-Louis R. Trilling, since his graduation Instructor in English at
the College, has been appointed As-
sist the College, has been appointed As
sistant Professor of English at the University of Colorado. the most active undergraduates in re-
cent years, writes from Harvard Law "I'm at present mighty satisfied that $\mathrm{I}^{\prime} \mathrm{m}$ a attending mighty satistied
Harvard Law
School. The atmosphere certainly is School. The atmosphere certainly is
conducive to conscientious study and
I'm reasonably sure that I will accomplish much more up here than ossibly could have if I had remained
in New York. The men and the pro fessors at Harvard are very congenial
and do all in their power to make Ihings pleasant for the new men.
"I am enclosing a list of all' the former City College men now atten 1 -
ing Harvard Law School. Oseas was
the only one on the liet the only one on the list who was
elected to the Law Review, which is
the bighest hat "My only regret at the present is
hat I will be out of touch with Colge matters for at feast three years. ctive as an alumnus after I got out coliege as I had been when I was
undergraduate at C. C. N. Y. Howmake it impossible. Nevertheless,
when I return to the city I will be afforded, I hope, an opportunity of
serving my Alma Mater, an institution

the Ciry College men who hold public
office in the State have reflected credit
upon their College. The report spoke
of Senator Benjamin Antin, 10 , in the
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 Mr: Gratacap was a iniciong devoted member of the Minerological
Club, zad as the Alumni remember with pride, Curator of Minerals at the Museum of Natural History. We
feel sare that many of our graduates
will wish to contribute even thoust slightly. der of the Neev York Minerological
Club may be sent to the Secretary of the Alumni at the Alumni Bureau to one of our own graduates, Giltwän Stanton, '93, who is Secretary of

PEDERSON, ILL, NOT
TO RETURN THIS TERM
Professo:- Frederick M. Pedersen of the Math department will not be back
this term because of a relapse suffered during the summer. Last spring he nuderwent an operation at St. Lukes
Hbspital. He expected to be back thist term but had to return to the hospital
for a second operation: He is for a second operation. He is now
convalescing at his summer home ou Lake George and h
college in January

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