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LANEIDER FIVE nbers alunn AND MCGILL U. Quintet to Play Two Games
During Christmas Vacation
STARS IN ALUMNI LINE-UP
Palitz, Match, Edelstein, Na-
del, IItz, Klauber and Ras-

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President Mezes Removes Ban; Press Reference To Mili Sci Again Assumed By 'Campus'


## THE CAMPUS



Issue Editor-HYMAN BIRNBAUM ' 2 '

## FREE SPEECH AT CITY COLLEGE (Concluded)

To President Sidney E. Mezes are tendered the warmest congratulations not only of Tege and all of those, regardless of nilitarlege and all of those, regardless of militar-
istic or pacifistic tendencies, who believe in
free speech and academic liberty. His exfree speech and academic cilberty. His ex-
glanation of the official attitude during the planation of the official attitude during the
past weeks is eminently satisfying. It constitutes the clearest refutation of the unpleasdirected at the authorities of the College
ince the suppression of The Campus. Ap-
incong as we do of the general tone of the
, residential proclamation we find it a hard und disagreeable task to voice our objuction to certain particular statements in-
,ciuded in it. Yet intellectual honesty demands that we do this.
dertook a campaisn of propaganda and publicity against military science courses that exceeded the bounds of common courtesy and propriety," reads the communica-
tion. Perhaps the editorial stand of The Campus was "'a campaign of propaganda Campus was."a campaign of propagana ticular that stand "exceeded the bounds of
common courtesy and propriety." But recommon courtesy and propriety." But re-
gardless of our own guilt in the matter, the gardless of our own guiit in the matter, the
activity of the Student Council merits no such charge as has been leveled against it. This body has taken no stand upon the subreferendums in an absolutely impartial spirit, moved only by a belief in the importance of student and public opinion upon this matter. ret now therefore request all students to This sentence calls for editorial comment if normal academic routine includes examination of curricular values as well as of social political, gesthetic and philosophical values, then our students have not, in the recent Military Science controversy, transgressed that regime. If normal academic routine
means the blind and unquestioned acceptmance of educational dicta, then the students of the Collego are to be congratulated for breaking away from it and warned against returning to it.
We trust that these criticisms will not be
interpreted as evidencing interpreted as evidencing any sort of ingrat-
titude or disrespect to the president of this titude or disrespect to the president of this
College. It is our very respect for him that corege. it frour very respect for him that making pleasant-sounding superficial comment upon it, or refusing to credit at its face value the president's permission to discuss the subject.

## FOR THE FUTURE

A statement of The Campus policy in regard to compulsory drill seems.t5 be in place here. We will not weary our patient readers cating the change of military science from

## Gargoyles

THE BAN IS LIFTED, O FELIX (Apologies to Walt Whitman)
O Felix! O Felix! your fearful battles's
Your pen has' withered all attack, the
prize you sought is won;
Exams are near, the moans I hear, the Exams are near, the moa,
students all revolting,
While gouge out eyes, the manual cries,
the manual grim and daring
But O Cohen! Cohen! Cohen 0 the myriad drops of ink, lies,
Fallen cold and pink.
O Felix! O Felix! rise up and hear the yell; Rise up-from you the gag is flung; Rise more may you rebel; For you O.K:s and loud Hoorays-to you the campus turning While pages of the I. D. R. have been consigned to burning
Here, Editor, dear colleague,
This arm around your neck;
By Communistic check : paid
My Felix does not answer, his eyes are flashing red;
He has no time to stop for breath, his pen flows right ahead;
The ban is lifted from the prints! Sing
praises to the sky!
The Editor sits upon his chair, and razzes Mili Sci!

Write on, Fay-lix, and raise your
Soon Victory's juice you'll drink
While on the rack the Colonel
lies,
Fallen cold and pink
This Freedom
Now that Prexy has lifted the ban on the subject
of Militiary s.ience--hh, the words sare sweet atter so
long disuse!-we dont know what to say. We are long disuse!-we don't' know what to say. We are
reminded of our public school days when we were so taikative during recitation, hand over mouth, whispering sweet nothings, and giggling near to suffocation. fell like a pall over the room when teacher would say: "You 'may have a minute to talk, children, while I
write a letter." write a lette

## Moderation

Prospective contributors are hereby warned that Gargoyles does not arre to make too much further
reference to that certain course at the College. Just because President Mezes has opened the door again is
no reason for letting in all sorts of drafts. Of course, no reason for letting in all sorts of drafts. Of course,
if there is a great demand for it, we'll print, as Lavenif there is a great demand for it,
der did, a Military Science Issue.

## Seated at the Organ

That tickler of melodious keys, Prof. Baldwin, the other day remarked that the first instance of Prohi-
bition was well-known and bady-sung "arink to bition was well-known and bady-sung: "Drink to Me
Only With Thine Eyes." The professor, apparently, has never felt the dreamy stare of a pair of intoxi-
cating female gimlets. cating female gimlet
"Eleven days off," hiccoughs Paul Weiss, "That's

White! Hell, it's heavenly!

## jeremiah

a prescribed course to an elective. Suffice it to say that our stand will continue until the
conclusions presented in these columns have been refuted by better logical arguments than an adverse faculty vote.
The Campus will therefore continue to
present present lite reatures of the topic, to publish cogent lit cs upon the subject, and to comment en rialy up The issue is not closed

## PAST PERPORMANCES

## Faint Echoes of the War

Merchants of
Marcel Pagnol and
Gaul Nivo Presented by the Guild, at thei
theatre. The recrudescence of interests in r.f fairs anti-military, evidenced in the
appoarance of novels and the ing of student campaigns has also
legun to manifest itself in the production of plays and picture plays What Price Glory, The Enemy, The Big Parade, and now Merchants of
Glory by (you don't say!) the Theatr Glory by (you don't say!) the Theatre
Guild, of Fifty second Street. A sat iric comedy, this piecs, translate
from the French, and fraught with
nothing much except the splendid nothing much except the splendid
playing of Augustin Duncan. The rust which eleven years can
impose has tempered the severity o impose has tempered the severity
the sting of the barbed wire whic the sting of the barbed wire
dug so deeply back in the war hour
Rust Rust carries with it much venom
but in Merchants of Glory there no mentionable quantity of
The satire falls effectless, as
the sword of a the sword of a knight of old
nowaday war tank. The play wasted, useless; but dismiss its pur pose and
maining.
The thematic windings are far from labyrinthian, known as they are to most of us. The son of a govern-
ment official in an inconsequential city is killed. How neighborly politicians play the deuce with and cap-
italize the poor father's emotions, how papa himself becomes a fellow to their plans to elect him, and them, to the Chamber of Deputies, is more the
telling of Augustin Duncan than of telling of Augustin Duncan than of
the authors. I don't understand why Helen Westley is with the production.
She is miscast, her role is insignific She is miscast, her role is insignific-
ant, and she cairies on as if she were bored with the whole business.
I wonder whether the Guild, reailiz-
I I wonder whether the Guild, reailiz-
ing that this splendid actress has ing that this splendid actress has
succeeded in acquiring something of
an imposing foilowing had in mind to employ her as the sedutive coup-
on. Or whether Miss Westley herself insisted on participating in a foolish
attempt to build up some sort of attempt to build up some sort of
marathon record. To less orientated companions and
brothers of readers of this colum who are visiting the metropolis for
the big week, this list of excellent portraits of dramatic art. is humbly

submitted: | Young |
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| Craig's Wife | Craig's

Morals
Morats
Androcles Arns and the Man.

CHESS TEM MEETS N. Y. J.
IN SECOND TILT SUNDAY
Both Teams Defeat Rutger
In Brotiklyn Double Header
Emerging victorious from their in
itial contest with Rutgers, last Sun day, the College chess team meets
the N. Y. U. aggregation on Decemthe N. Y. U. aggregation on Decem-
ber 27th. N. Y. U. also defeated Rutgers in last week's double header
In the match with Y. triumphed by a score of 4-0. N.Y.
U's victory was accomplished by virtue of the same score. The games
were held at the were held at the club rooms of the
Brooklyn Chess Club. Brooklyn Chess Club.
New York University, intercollegi ste champions of last year, downer
the College last season 2 1-2 to 1 1-2 in the only defeat incurred since 1922.
The College Chess players were The College Chess players were
collegiate champs in 1923, and look
forward to a similar triumph this forwar
year. follo summary of the Rutgers game follows:
City College Vs. Rutgers.
1-A. E. Sanatsiere $1 \quad$ J. Neuss $\begin{array}{ll}\text { 1-A. E. Sanatsiere } & 1 \\ \text { J. Neusso } \\ \text { 2-H. Kolsan } & \text { H. Notterbly }\end{array}$ $\begin{array}{ll}\text { 3-H. Fajans } & 1 \text { W.R. Bethes } \\ \text { 4-H. Bengis } & 1\end{array}$ Total

BIO SMOKER TO BE HELD
IN WEBB ROOM DEC. 29
The Biology Club will hold a smoker on Monday, February 8,1926 in
the Webb Room. Tickets are $\$ 1.50$ the Webb R
to students.
to students.
Only those who are members of the club and their friends may attend. Most of the faculty of the Biology Departn:ent and the Chemistry De-
partment have been invited and have partment have been invited and have
promised their presence. promised their presence.
Many of the alumni of the College who are now doing research work in
different parts of the country on war different parts of the country on var
ious subpects have also promised that they will be present.

NEWMAN SOCIETIES
TO HOLD CONVENTION
Seventh Annual Conclave
Start With Dance at Start With Dance at
the Plaza

The seventh annual convention of Che Newman Clubs of the New York
Province will te heid during the week end of January the 8 th . An elaborate program has been
drawn up for this, the 1926 midwinter, convention. Starting with a
formal dance at the Plaza Hotel on formal dance at the Plaza Hotel
Friday, the convention will include business meeting on Saturday, dansant following the meeting;
corporate communion on Sunday, lowed by a breakfast at the Hotel noosevelt; and will close with ser-
vices at St. Paul's Church Sunday

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| take | take place at 2 p . m . S . Sch will

will be het will be held at Earl Hall, Columbia,
University. Revere Riley, C. P. S., former Chaplain the New York Province will be the principal speaker at the meeting. The dansant will follow
Sunday mornin
Sunday morning at 9 o'clock the corporate communion will take place
at St. Patrick's Cathedral. Immediately after the Communion Mass the Newman Clubs will leave the Cathed-
ral and proceed to the ral and proceed to the Hotel Roose-
velt, where breakfast will be served. Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, Presi,
dent of Columbia University dent of Columbia
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will
Gillis
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will be preached by Reverend I
Gillis, C. S. P. Moneigneur Lavelle
will make the bent Newman Club Chaplains wis the the and sub-deacons. The services will be broadcast over the Paulist station
WLWL. Several City College men are
members of the various convention committees. Chester Walsh is on the
Publicity Committee, Harold B. Finn and Frank Ward have been appointed to the Tea Dance Committee, and Thomas Connery are members of
Dance, Breakfast and Closing S
vices Committees, respectively.
N. Y. U. WILL NOT DEBATR agansir the lavender

Unable to rresent a team to upsition, the N. Y. University debating team will not meet the Varsity de baters at an engagement scheduled
for Jan. 9, 1926. In their place Lavender will probably make arrangements for an
Manhattan College.
The proposition of the debate was:
"Resolved that a Resolved that a uniform divarce
law be snacted in the U. S., college was to present two teams; one ther the affirmative side of the
othe question.
Under th
Y.U. declined to daal arrangement, N. In explanation, it was announced that
they were unabler on the affirmative which was team ifestly the weaker side.
The college "epresentation consi
ted of Maurice Finkel Black ' 26 on the anfirmative and Sha-
piro ' 27 and Harry Heller ' 28 on the

CampusComment
Ex-Soldier Praises Campaign To the Editor of The Campus, Permit me to commend your stand
gainst compulsory Militgry courses. As an '18 man, and vetera of the World War, I can assure you the College was not lacking in patri. tic spirt during the 1917-1918 periupper classes at that time devoted quer classes at that time will not
question the Americanism of question the Americanism of City
College men. Students did not re. quire compulsory training to drive
them to the colors then, and they do not need it now. The cciuntry has
forgotten the war fewsi, and it is about time the College does, too.
After all. those embryo Second Lieu-
tenants who are afraid the enants who are afraid there will not ranks, can always join the National
Guard. I hope your campaign is
successful. Harold L. Hershfield '18

## Former Editor Applauds

To the Editor of The Campus,
It is with close interest that I
have been following the agitation you have recently been in vestigating against Military Science at the College. Further than that. I whe been mightily pleased with the whole-hearted way you have gone about it. There's no question in my pus the real force it ought to be and ave done all in your power to rid
the college of it's most disgraceful But, of course, compulsory mili. But, of course, compulsory mili-
ary training remains. You can do no more. Others can. ed by their parents, have it within heir power to drive compulsory miliould seem to me that now that straight-forward, man-to-man meth.
ods have been attempted, and squelch. ed there is attempted, and squelch.
one general course sed sentiment of the student body is supplemented by a courage propor-
tionate to the strength of conviction the efforts won't stop here. The
Campus has done its part-done all Campus has done its part-done all
hat any newspaper can do. It's the public-in the case, the student body, through to a finish.
Sincerely,
Howard W. Hintz ${ }^{25}$

> Training Developed Ilness

## Yale University

the Editor of The Campus,
The students of City College are to lition of compulsory military trainI was a member of the training
corps in 1921, and due to the fact corps in 1921, and due to the fact
that we were compelled to drill in the winter without sufficient wearing ap-
parel, overcoats, developed an illness
which since which since that time has ruined my
ife and made it practicaliy impossibo
at intervals to follow any line of at intervals to follow any line of
work. While at Saranac Lake I orat that there was another member
oorps who broke down in health, a Mr. Murphy
Hoping that military training will soon be abolished, I am,
ery Sincerely yours,

FROSH WATER POLO TEAM
The freshman water will neet George Washington to-day in The first outside game of its schedulu.
The team hopes to make up for its crushing defeat at the hands of the
sophomores a few weeks ago. The men are all in condition and
George Washington usually s down a weak team
The complete schedule for the is not made out yet and Manage
Daneman is negotiating for game



| Campaign Against Military Science |
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| Spreads Rapidly to Other Colleges |



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## CLEANLINESS

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manarement and pation
A litte thing like putting waste papers
in the proper receptacles, for example, means a great deal. Thank you.

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