

THE CAMPUS





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THE "U"'S THE THING
Coincidental with the opening of the new term comes another " $U$ " campaign: a deluge of posters, personal exhortations, and editorial copy, urging, in terms of every conceivable nature, support of that organization so vitally involved in the success or failure of extra-curricular activities.

The tacit hypothesis upon which these canvass ings proceed is that extra-curricular activities are
nt of the sound sense or appreciation of duty of the student body. It should be recognized that each herm brings with it new or renewed interests; that characteristic indifference towards will present seemingly secondary import. Thus, it is particularly to the class of ' 29 , engrossed in the newness of a col lege atmosphere, that we turn. The questions, more over, that one is tempted to raise concerning the need of advertising an institution so close to the stu dent welfare are irrelevant to our immediate aim: provide that "prick of conscience", duty or rean needed to stimulate the sale of "U" tick

Although the material benefit that accrues to member of the Union is palpably real, yet we feel we must reiterate it to overwhelm at once all indifference and specious arguments. The Student Activity Book let, embracing the work of four publications and the the placards so cogently show it a sepresents. as It carries the rights of citizenship a saving of $\$ 6.25$. munity, the right to participate in tue College comand class electiont to participate in Student Council and class elections. Can these facts be withnut their appeal to hard logic? Certainly not; even to the mind of one passively interested in extra-curricular
activities.

We would feel that we were departing without cause from our tradition if we did not say a word (especially into the expec"college of 2") concerning the ever-evanescent heartedly An We are inclined to regard it lightheartedy. An illusion? Perhaps-but a pretty ilCenion withal. Even if it were shown that a selfcentered will to excell, to lead, moved the cogs of the extra-curricular machine, still there would be no need to regard "college spirit" skeptically. It does make college life more pleasant and one's fellows more amiable
"College spirit", we think, is largely consciously induced. Ordinarily, it will not of itself spring from one's natural fund of high spirits. A spark must be applied to the natural desirc for camaraderie The means must be provided for an intimate and sympathetic contact with the thought, and athletic and thing. activities of the College. And-the " $U$ "'s the
H. H.

## Gargoyles

A UNION ANTHOLOGY
Tennyson
In the spring, a young man's fancy Turns to thoughts of selling tickets Let me see. Yes, it was Clancy Tried last year to turn the trick. It' Whom notwith What with this
Ye Gotham Coledge.
Record sales I simply can't see.

## Marloze

Is this the face would sell a thousand slips, And burn the topless towers of firm tradition?

## Longfellow

ell me not the mournful numbers! Mine was but an empty dream.
cannot sell to him who slumbers. Campaigns are never what they seem.

## Anonymous

Some money is icumen in,
Sing high, cuckoo.

## Triolet

In days of old,
Ah, stubs were sold
least a thousand per In days of old,
Fast flew the fur.
Committees were bold.
But, hell, those were
In days of old.


Une of them's selling " $u$ " trckets, it seems.

Roses are re
Pajamas are pink
Violets are blue.
But that has nothing
To do with the "U".

## Keats

Ah, what can ail thee, wretched chairman A billion tears bewet thine eye. Do no boobs buy?

Cather ye payments while ye may.
Shall I go wasting in despair Just because the sales are rare Shall I permit myself to die Just becauke my goal's not nigh?
ow if a chairman to his art were wed, Would he but place his offerings on sale; Where others flew, assume a sluggish tread
And then expect the venture not fail?

## Carlyle

Lo, there is dawning
Another new clay.
Think.
Think
wilt thou let it
Slip "U"-less away?

## Wordisuorth

Rosenberg, thou shoulds't be living at this hour

Even sadder than the scarcity of corduroys
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| The annual spring Fornal Dance will take place on the night of February 21 at the Towne House Hall, 71 Central Park West. <br> Phi Epsilon Pi held a smoker on February 3. <br> Theodore Chester '28, Edward Weiner, David Moscowitz and Henry Miller. all of the ' 29 class, comprise the pledges. <br> Alpha Alpha Phi announces the pledging of Ralph Rosenberg '26. <br> Tau Delta Phi pledged Edward Goodman and Milton Seigel of the :28 class and Emmanuci Katz, George Cohen and George Warmund all of the '29 group. <br> Kappa will hold a smoker at the City College Club on Friday evening, February 20. <br> Phi Delta Pi will dance Friday evening, February 13, in the Webb |
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Pi Gamma Alpha has pledged Jack Lowenstein and Jack Friedlander of
the '28 class and Nathanicl Cohen Tau Alpha Onega National Amnua! Convention in had its more. Delta Chapter at New York
University and Fesitat University and Epsilfat Chapter a
Georgetown were installed at the meeting. Moc Adolph of the ' 28 class has
been initiated.
Phi Kappa Delta will ker at the Hotel McAlpin on February
25: Merrin Jacobs ' 27 and Jack Kalina
29 are the latest are the latest pledges.
Theta Alpha Phi is now located at
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ing. February 13.


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