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OUINTET PROVES SUPERIORITY OF 5-MAN DEFENSE

Lavender Quintet Avenges Defeat Inflicted by Pennsylvanians Last Year

LISS TAKES MEISEL'S POST

Strong Combination Left for Remainder of Current Season

An air-tight five-man defense and some heady playing was the chief factor in the Lavender quintet's victory over the strong Dickinson team last Saturday evening. The contest was a fine exhibition of basketbal technique and stamps the College five as one of the strongest in the metropolitan area.

Visitors Employ Zone System system used by the Dickinson and most of the mid-Wisst Conference sociation. teams, and the more orthordox fiveman defense featured by Coach Nat faculty are expected to honor the e-Holman. The College's style proved to be better, at least Saturday field goals during the entire game. In this fine defensive game the College itself could only account for four two pointers.

Dickinson Tactics Cause Defeat By their victory, the local courtiers fully avenged the 29 to 24 defeat inflicted by the Pennsylvanians last year. It might be said that the visitor's tactics were the cause of their downfall by permitting the Lavender to hold the ball for fully ing. fifteen minutes of the second half without fighting for the leather. As soon as the local men got the ball, Dickinson fell back upon their zone system defense. Holman's charges refused to allow themselves to be five minutes to play, Dickinson was their disadvantage.

Tubby Raskin Stars ably Capt. Tubby Raskin, who single-handed made more points than a former alumnus of the College. the entire visiting team put togeth-

in the remaining field goal. was especially effective on the bounce-pass play and is a most steadying influence of the team. Hick Rubenstein and Jack Hirsch also did their share in the well-carned victory.

For the visitors, Jo Goldberg, last year's nemesis starred again but he and his team mates were effectively held in check throughout the game.

TO GIVE RADIO COURSE

Students interested in cotaining amateur licenses will be trained in the fundamentals of radio by the dents will meet every night in the of the Brooklyn aggregation. radio shack, station 2HJ, situated transmitting practice. The course is Weiner, forward; Kaplan, forward;

To Distribute Questionnaires For 1927 Mike Tomorrow

Mike questionnaires will be distributed tomorrow between 12 and 2 o'clock at the Campus circulation desk in the concourse. All seniors and men who expect to graduate in February or June 1927 should see B. Reiss or H. Kirschbaum for these questionnaires. Statistics of the answers received iww be compiled and published in the 1927 Mike.

Lavender Gridmen Dine December 23

Alumni and City College Club ous this season. A feature of the aggregation this year is the abund-Letter Men

The letter-men of the Varsity football team will be tendered a dinner at the Hotel Imperial on Thursday, December 23.

As was predicted, the game resolv- a group of alumni, headed by "Artie" ed itself into a battle between two Taft, '09, in conjunction with the City of the men has also shown much im-College Club and the Athletic As- provement over last year, which

> Many prominent members of the vent with their presence. Professor College, Professor Williamson, facwho needs no introduction. Nat Hol- hopeful. man, Roy Plant and many other coaches and assistants of major teams also have been invited. Bernard Naumberg, President of the City College Club has promised to attend finish closely thought the Lavender and will probably address the gather | had won and began to cheer. Only

Tickets have been sold to the alpurchased their tickets are: Nelson Spencer, President of the Associate Alumni, Alfred Weil, of the Class drawn in by this move and with but of '95, George S. Cohen, football star race as both men were practically of the class of '09, Daniel Krane, finally forced to play the game, to former President of the Student Council and other prominent graduates. Negotiations are also in pro-The Lavender star was unquestion- gress for the attendance of Robert Wagner, newly elected Senator and

At the dinner the award of gold er. Raskin made three field goals footballs to the graduating members and three juls as well as being all of the team will be made. Although over the field. Sam Liss starting in arrangements and reservations are school, played very well consider some tickets left, which may be puring his lack of experience. Liss put chased for the price of \$3.00. All those desiring to attend are urged to obtain their ducats before the af fair is completely sold out.

BROOKLYN BASKETEERS LOSE TO BOYS' HIGH 19-15

The Brooklyn Centra quintet went down to defeat at the hands of Boys High School by the score of 19-15 on Monday evening, December 6. For a month of hard practice, the exhibition was indeed favorable against a veteran team like Boys' High, for it showed a willingness to cooperate.

The Brooklyn cagemen are all Radio Club. The course will also in- primed to meet Eastern District H. clude instruction in the International 3. tonight in a game which will help Morse Code by Operator 2BAM. Stu- greatly in improving the technique

The probable lineup in tonight's in the tower, for receiving and game will be: Milander, center; open to students of the day and night Fogel, guard; Alshansky, guard; Bloom, Leventer, Lubin and Levine. tion.

Prospects for Good Season Are Bright, Declares Coach McCormick

With practically an entire team left from last year the varsity water poloists are making final preparations for the first game of the season this Friday night against the University of Pennsylvania at Philadelphia. Last year the poloists defeated the Pennsylvanians in both engagements and they auticipate little trouble in coming out victori-

Coach McCormick is very enthusia very creditable record might be turned in by his charges. More emphasis is being laid on team work this year than has been the custom This affair has been arranged by in the past and consequently a more seen in action this season. The speed strengthened the aggregation considerably.

ance of good material.

The swimmers also will compete this Friday against the U. of P. Last year the natators were defeatnight, for Dickinson made but two Robinson, acting president of the ed by the Red and Blue tankmen. After the defeat administered by the ulty treasurer, Professor Guthrie, tions for the coming meet are not so Maroon last Friday night, predic-The relay race which decided the

> Fordham meet was one of the closest ever seen at the College. So close was it in fact that many of the spectators who did not watch the after the announcement was made did the crowd resign itself to the fact that the Lavender was deham. It was truly a heartbreaking tied for the entire distance and only towards the end did the Fordhamite

WATER POLO TEAM | CAMPUS CANDIDATES | PREPARES FOR PENN TO MEET TOMORROW

Business Manager Conducts Course in the Elementary Principles of Advertising

All candidates of the business staff who attended the meeting held last week are requested to be present at another meeting tomorrow at 12 o'clock sharp in the Campus office. This will be the second class in which the candidates are to be instructed in the principles of business as applied to newspapers.

At the first meeting held last Thursday, the ten men who reported were given their first lesson in the elementary principles of advertising by Nat Berman '27, business man ager of The Campus. The acquire astic about the team and feels that ment of advertisements through agencies as well as through personal solicitation from the advertisers themselves were explained to the new men.

The men were then instructed in smoothly running machine will be the methods of approaching prospective advertisers. To test the capabilities of the various men, each was given a number of leads to cover

The business manager also discussed the technical details of the mechanical make up of the ads. The men were told how to dummy ads, keep books, and receive contracts and other technical matters. The general accounting system was explained as well as circulation work and various details of The Campus, such as rates, classification of ads, etc.

Notice has also been given that there is still room for a number of candidates and those interested are requested to attend the meeting.

PHILO CLUB TO HEAR WEISS

the evening was the defeat of Ber- topic discussed every week. At this nie Epstein by La Forge of Ford- week's meeting, Thursday at 12 City College manner." noon, Paul Weiss, president of the club, will speak on "English Empiracists". Mr. Weiss will trace the development of English empiracists forge ahead to win by a narrow since the growth of the British Em-

FACULTY ATTENDS INITIATION STRASSBOURG PROFESSOR WILL LECTURE IN FRENCH OF NEW VEREIN MEMBERS ned the present group of buildings,

Will Discuss Fables of La Fontaine

Monsieur Daniel Michenot, Profesaine and recite a series of fables day evening at Lexington Ave. Hall from the French poet in French, on was executed in true fraternal fashn room 105.

Monsieur Michenot has been the official lecturer of the Alliance Francaise since October and this lecture will complete the tour he has been making all over the country while lecturing to college societies. Newspapers and literary magazines praised Professor Michenot's work highly last October when he lectured at the Alliance Francaise in New York, so that the French department heralds this coming lecture as a treat not to

All French classes which are in session at 10:00 a. m. on Thursday,

place of Ted Meisel, who has left rapidly terminating, there are still Professor Daniel Michenot Spirit of Good Will Pervades Meeting at Lexington

Hall

sor of Diction at the University of to the Deutsche Verein at the All-Strassbourg will lecture on La Font- gemeiner Konvent held last Satur-

> At this meeting, the week's activi ties of the Verein were announced Rehearsals will be held Wednesday and Friday at 3 p. m., Thursday at 4 p. m. in Room 308 under the direction of Leo Taub. The octette will rehearse Wednesday, Dec. 15 with ly meeting of the Verein will be on Thursday, as usual. Professor Whyte will meet all candidates for the European trip at 1 p. m. Friday.

On Saturday, December 16 the Octette will sing at Schermerhorn Hall, Columbia University before a will attend this lecture to note dic- convention of the society of German teachers of New York.

Freshman Debating Team To Meet Tomorrow at 12

The freshman debating team will meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock in room 222. At this meeting, work will be begun on the next debate, against the Brooklyn Centre, on January 7. N.Y.U. will probably be met on January 12. Both debates will be on the question of Independence for the Philippines. The plebes will upthe affirmative against Brooklyn Centre and the negative against N.Y.U.

Robinson Deplores Portrait Slashing

Asks Frosh at Chapel to Protect the Reputation of the College

"It is our duty," Dr. Robinson declared, at the Frosh Chapel, yesterday, referring to the slashing of several paintings recently, "to protect and guard the good name of the Col-

Dr. Robinson told the group of freshmen in what great respect the name of City College is held in other institutions. Other colleges recognize the fact that our ideals are the highest and our graduates are among the finest citizens. President Robinson intimated as an example how cordially he was welcomed at Johns Hopkins University on a recent visit to that institution.

"Many of the faculty members of Johns Hopkins," he said, "are graduates of our institution and revere the name of City College. We must not only protect this reputation by professing to be loyal to the College," Dr. Robinson asserted, "but the Philosophy Department, Pro-ON ENGLISH EMPIRACISTS we must be niving examples of the Department, Professor Mead of the we must be living examples of the fessor Duggan of the Government College stands. We must live up to The Philosophy Club continues the reputation created by past gradumni. Among those who have already feated. A great surprise of their policy of having an important uates. In all places and at all times we must conduct ourselves in the

Turning his topic to the slashing of the oil portraits, Dr. Robinson leplored the act saying that it was not only criminal in itself but a deep mark of disrespect to the men whose portraits were practically destroyed. Dr. Robinson spoke about the great Acting President Frederick B. Robinand to the country, mentioning in the "Value of International Friendturn, Edwin M. Shepherd, who plan- ship". Theodore Miller, a famous graduate, General Webb, who was very active John Finley, President Mezes' pre-

asking the freshmen to protect and into the possibilities of establishing respect both the property and repu- a fund to be used solely for the purmuch to them.

STUDENTS INSTRUCTED DURING ECONOMICS TRIP

Students of economic classes from the Main Building, Brooklyn, and the School of Education visited the Professor Whyte. The regular week- Stock Exchange Saturday, December 11, under the leadership of Profestribute to the proposed fund". sors Byers and Spengler.

Approximately 300 students gathered on the balcony to watch the President of the Peace Club. Stock Exchange begin at 10 o'clock. C.C.N.Y. The visit lasted an hour and a half. Dear Mr. Heller: Explanations concerning the working of the Exchange were given by Messers Beyer and Spengler.

PEACE CLUB WILL HOLD SYMPOSIUM WEEK OF JAN. 10

Discussions to Cover Question of International Peace and Good Will

TRAVEL FUND PLANNED

Dr. Robinson Addresses Peace Club, Approving Plan of Proposed Schedule

In conformity with the policy of the Peace Club to render reports of its research findings to the college, from time to time, through addresses by its members, a "Symposium of War and Peace Problems" will be conducted beginning January 10, 1927. and lasting through the week.

A thirty minute research report address will be given each day of the week except Friday on the fol-lowing topics; "National Isolation versus International Cooperation", "Economic Causes of War, and their Peaceful Adjudication", "Public Opinion and Peace", and "Education and War". The addresses will be del ivered in the order named by Herbert Morais '27, Solomon Lubow '27 and Samuel Greenfield '27.

Discussions Will Follow

These addresses, which will introduce the subject to the student body, will be followed by discussions to be effected and led by the chairman of the particular symposium meeting. The chairmen of the various meetings will be Professor Overstreet of History Faculty and Professor Klapper, Dean of the School Education.

On Friday of the Symposium Week, Victor Ramsaren '27, chairman of the Ways and Means Committee of the club will render a report on the "Possibilities of Establishing a Permanent Trip Fund" for the purpose of sending City College students abroad for the betterment of international good will and understanding. services of these men to the College son will then lead a discussion on

Committee Established

Announcing the receipt of a letter from President Robinson, supporting for the Union in the Civil War and the Trip Fund project, Harry Heller a former president of the College. 27, president of the Peace Club stated "The unquestionable value to the decessor, now an editor of the "New cause of peace of personally effect-York Times," and lastly President ed international friendships is ap-The initiation of the freshman in- Mezes, who now is on a leave of ab- parent, it was prompted therefore, in the face of the fact to appoint a President Robinson concluded by Ways and Means Committee to look Thursday, December 16, at 10 a. m. ion. All the members of the Ger-tation of institution which gives so pose of sending abroad, each summer, a group of City College students acting as a Committee on International Understanding and Good-will. It is my earnest belief that the establishment of such a fund is not beyond achievement. We will not launch a campaign, however, unless the Ways and Means Committee can show an encouraging list of written acknowlegements by persons anxious to con-Dr. Robinson's letter follows;

Mr. Harry Heller,

I am pleased to know that the first project which the Peace Club (Continued on page 4)

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CONTROL

The several theories advanced by the letter discussed in Monday's issue do not represent the beliefs of only one individual. Rather are they the property of several Student Councillors, and are thus deserving of the generous space alloted to their consid-

"We cannot consider the Union as a group of business organizations" is one of the claims. But anyone at all familiar with the history of Union knows that the latter was intended to be and is purely a group of business organizations. Since a compulsory activities fee cannot be levied, each organization was confronted with a choice either of conducting a private sales campaign, in competition with several others, or of combining with the others in one general campaign. And all agreed that unified action was the preferable course.

As to the statement that the Union "controls the publications....., controls the A.A. , we are willing to be informed of either the theoretical or factual basis for the assertion. The latter is undoubtedly humorous, and it is interesting to note that our faculty athletic manager's utter disgust with the present Union and Student Council is basically caused by the fact that the latter body has attempted to control the members of Union and thus usurp a power never intended for it or for any other authority out-

sid of the individual organization. All of which prompts in the writer a fear that separation of "the Union from the Stu-

dent Council would mean that the only control which the students have over their publications is gone, the only control over the only organ of opinion is gone." One can exercise the most effective control over any organization by actively directing it in formation and administration of policy. And so it follows that students can exercise the most effective control over publications the only organ of opinion by having one of their member direct policies and several others carry them out. Has the writer of the letter thought about just who does edit The Campus? When will he, and the many others, awake to realize that The Campus is edited, its policies controlled, by undergraduates of the College of the City of New York, by students who have attained their places by toil and merit, and that therefore The Campus is as representative of the student body as any organization is, and surely more so than Student Council, the least representative of all?

Climaxing the foolish assertions is a conclusion as ridiculous as any. That the new Student Council exercise control over Union is proposed. In other words, even were this theory of control acceptable and desirable, the writer would have us believe that three thousand students should dictate to activities, even though only nine hundred of this group support those activities.

Gargoyles

A CHORUS GIRL'S GARDEN OF VERSES

The girl who moves and shows her feet Has lots to drink and lots to eat. She'll always get a job, I'm sure--Uniess, of course, her figure's poor.

It's very nice to think New York is full of things to drink, And men (if you've a pretty face) Who'll take you almost any place.

I should like to rise and go In a Florenz Ziegfeld show, Or again, I'd like to play In the "Vanities" some day. I should like to leave my rut, Into George White's "Scandals" strut. I should like to be the rage On the Century Theatre stage, . Where a girlie, as she dances, Feeds on million dollar glances, Where, when once the show is over, A wise girlie is in clover. I should like to rise and go Where the Johnnies all have dough, As they meet you at the door,-I should like these things and more. But since my figure's so grotesque, I'll remain here in burlesk.

* * * * * When I get in a Broadway show,

I shall be very proud and haut, And tell the other girls and boys That I got in 'cause I got poise.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUÉ

Business Manager of Gargoyles, City College.

It is within your power to do a great service to the students of America by furthering certain reform movements such as those

1. Change Thanksgiving to June, because that is when the school year is over, and that's when the Thanksgiving comes in.

2. Change Commencement from June to Thanksgiving time, since that is when teachers commence to get annoying about reports.

3. Change the summer vacation to January. It's always so hot in the summer, and since it's so cold in January, and that's when we need the heat, the shift is the obvious thing. Likewise shift Christmas to August.

Yours unreformed,

JINKS

P.S.-I understand from The Campus that the president has inaugurated an "open-door policy" in regard to students. Take my advice Bernie, beware! Don't go near that open door. One comes flying out of an open door much faster than from one with a slat and a couple of hinges in it.

Millicent, How Could You!

What Milady Will Wear On Her Southern Souiourn. (Pathè News.)

Naughty, naughty! Papa spank!

In the quiz given to the candidates for The Campus some weeks ago, the aspirants to the staff were confronted with an identity question to learn their knowledge of College figures. "Who are," a portion of the question read, "Professor Robinson, Bernard Eisenstein, Professor Guthrie?"

The old trick of placing two unknowns about a famous man!

BERNIE E.

Bound in Morocco

More War

A MAN COULD STAND UP - by Ford Madox Ford. New York: Albert and Charles Boni. \$2.

This last of trilogy written by Mr. Ford carries on with the same stylistic defects and originalities of the author. To look at a page is to hear the sound of guns, too noisy to allow our continuing reading. The book is absorbing for the reason that we are anxiously bent on finding out what the story is about. However just before we tire of the book and have decided to relegate the book to the fire-place and 'Have a Camel' we discover what the author's story is.

Mr. Ford paints in word-pictures Were one to segregate the sentences and analyze them, they would be found meaningless - however seriated, the words lose form - we rush on and on and soon are carried far beyond the pages to the drama that

War is no bed of roses for Mr. Ford. He very evidently thinks it's hell. The story is purported to make manifest the workings of an ordinary Englishman of high degree during the trying times of a worldmaelstrom. The central figure, Tie tjens of Gooby is rather well-sketched but lacks those weaknesses that make men human.

I was pained severely by the struggle in Tietjens mind to subdue his baser passions. Miss Valentine Wannop would perhaps have been a greater figure, a heroine of finer, truer proportions had her virtue been a thing of the past at least two volumes back. But we are saved or rather the lady is ruined but mar ried soon to Tietjens.

When you feel comfortable, coziv and drowsily so, pick up the book. Perhaps it may fire you on to bet ter things, higher ideals, finer senti-

Perhaps you will become a fiery supporter of pacifism — as for me, went to bed.

Menorah To Select Debate Team Friday

Forensic Representatives to Meet Harvard Menorah on Dec. 26 in Great Hall

Final tryouts for the Menorah Depating Team which will soon engage in its first debating contest of the semester will be held Wednesday Dec. 15 at 10 o'clock, and Friday Dec. 17 at 12 o'clock in the Menoral

The candidates who earnestly desire to represent the City College Menorah Society in debating activities should prepare a speech of at least five minutes on one of the following topics, or on a subject immediately connected with those suggested by the Menorah; "Zionism", "Nationalism" and "Reform Judasm". The candidate will present his address before the officers of the organization who will select the various men needed to insure a successful season of debating activities 5:30 p. m. - Practice of swimming The student delivering his address and water-polo teams. is asked to lay particular emphasis on the weak points or phases of the movement he chooses to discuss.

The only requirements for candidates are that they be undergraduates of the College and that if not at present an enrolled member of the Menorah, they shall have been affiliated with the organization some time during the past two years.

The manager of the Menorah debating team declares that any student who possesses any speaking ability and is at all interested in current Jewish problems has an excel'ent opportunity to represent the Menorah in intercollegiate debating competition.

The Menorah Society will officially start its debating program when the forensic representatives of the organization meet the Harvard Menorah Debating Team on Thursday evening Dec. 26 in the Great Hall.

WISAN ADDRESSES MENORAH

Mr. Joseph Wisan of the History Department chose as his subject "The Jewish Students at C.C.N.Y." which he presented to a Menorah discussion group Wednesday in the Menorah Alcove.

Mr. Wisan described the conditions that prevail in the various colleges of the country in regard to the status of the Jewish student. He asserted that in City College where the Jewish students constitute a large majority of the student body, the necessity for unity is not very apparent.

Professor Otis of the English Department will address the Menorah at an open forum Thursday, Dec. 16th. The subject of his dis-dle 50 per cent. of high school gradcussion will be the "Jew in American Literature". The meeting will take place in Room 126 at 12:15.

PROM WILL CONCLUDE '27 UNDERGRAD FUNCTIONS

Affair to Be Conducted by Eddie Richter and Herman Kirschbaum

The '27 class will meet at a social function for the last time this year, at the Senior Promenade, which will be held in the Grand Ballroom of the Hotel Claridge, Saturday evening December 18 at 8:30 p. m.

Eddie Richter and Herman Kirch baum, co-chairmen of the prom committee have secured the services of a number of Broadway entertainers for Saturday evening. Irv Alexan der and his "New Yorkers", a sevenpiece ensemble, will present a program of alternate jazz and classical selections. Al Ross noted entertainter at the Club Mirador will also perform at the prom. The names of ones in American universities for the other entertainers have, as yet, German students. not been made public.

Various (combinations of colored lights will be flashed upon the dancers by apparatus installed by the hotel management. Refreshments and favors will be distributed during the intermissions.

A special block of seats has been obtained by the prom committee and those who wish to do so may reserve seats to the Varsity-Union encounter, which will precede the prom.

Since this is the last undergraduate affair of the '27 class, they are striving to make it the most successful prom ever held. Tickets are ce ing sold at \$5 per couple and may be obtained from members of the

On The Campus

9 a.m. — Mike questionnaires will be distributed at the Campus desk. 3 p. m. - Rehearsal of Deutscher Verein in room 308.

4 p. m. - Meeting of Foils Club in small gymnasium. 5 p. m. - Practice of varsity and

· freshmen basketball teams.

TOMORROW

10 a.m. — Monsieur Michenot Professor of Diction at the University of Strasbourg will lecture on La Fontaine in room 105. 12 m. - "Education and War" will

be the topic of a lecture before the Peace Club by Samuel Greenfield '27 in room 12. 12 m. - Paul Weiss '27 will lecture

on "English Empiracists" before the Philosophy Club in room 312. 12 m. — Meeting and workout of the Boxing Club in the large gymnasium.

p. m. - Lecture on "Poisons" by J. S. Goldberg '30 in room 204 of Chem. building.

p. m. - Practice of varsity and freshmen basketball teams in the gymnasium. 5:30 p. m. — Practice of swimming

and water-polo teams.

Intercollegiates

UNIVERSITY OF MINNESOTA-A short course in embalming will be offered by the extension division of the University of Minnesota and run for 12 weeks, full time.

A similar course has been run for the past ten years. There were between 40 and 50 students enrolled last year for this course, which is open to high school graduates, or to persons who cannot present high school credidentials, but who can pass a psychology examination which will be given them, with a rating equal to that of student rating, in the miduates.

Last year, nine students took this test for entrance. Four failed to pass it. The remaining five went on and took the course, which four of them passed, one ranking high in

OHIO WESLEYAN, DELAWARE, O .-- Debates will be held with Boston, New York, and George Washington Universities, Gettsyburg College, and possibly Harvard. Occidental College and University of California will both debate here. The entire schedule includes more than twentyeight debates.

MICHIGAN STATE COLLEGE, EAST LANSING, MICH .- Seven of every 10 men here are earning part of their way through school. This was shown by a study of student finances conducted by the mathematics department.

NEW YORK-Twenty fellowships in German universities for the year 1927-1928 are to be awarded American students. These fellowships are established in exchange for similar

UNIVERSITY OF DENVER. DENVER, COL .- In the club room provided for all students men are conspicuous by their absence. It is expected that colder weather will help them overcome their bashful-

UNIVERSITY OF ILLINOIS, URBANA, ILL .- Men students may petition for an extension of their Christmas vacation by presenting sufficient reason to the dean of men.

UNIVERSITY OF KANSAS, LAWRENCE, KAN.-The Y.W.C.A. here will send a box of Christmas gifts to Navajo Indian children at



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Pugs Take Notice

SH-H-H Announcement! Developments in the heavyweight of an elimination tournament to be situation at the College has come so fast and furious that Sport Sparks has determined to clear the muddle by staging eth of December. Managers have all the nimrods have won to date out held on the twenty-eighth and thirtieth of the four in which they have engaged. Three perfect scores were the four in the perfect scores were the perfec a personally conducted tournament, the winner to receive a porcelain loving cup, which has been donated by Professor Hammond. In addition, for the benefit of disabled contestants who are not fortunate enough to win the cup, Sport Sparks offers a batch of tickets to the next World Series in Philadelphia. Entry fees should be left in sealed envelopes in the Campus office.. Any amount will be appreciated.

The tourney has taken an interesting turn with the news that one of the former inmates of this institution, popularly known in the '27 alcove as "Rubber", has sent word that he known in the 27 arcove as Rubber, has sent word that he challenges any of the heavies who can make his weight. However, part of the effect of the chip on "Rubber" 's shoulder will be discounted, if, as it is alleged, this challenge is personally directed against Hackmeister.

The rumour, by the way, that Bill Guthrie will take on the winner of the tourney is entirely unfounded.

The Challenger Speaks

 $\mathbf{A}_{ ext{Killer}}^{ ext{ND NOW}}$ comes an epistle from the Kelly Street

"My dear Lance," he writes, "A week has already elapsed since you made public my formal challenge to John L. Sullivan Elterich, alleged holder of the heavyweight boxing title of these parts. Cognizant of the keen interest that you have evidenced in this matter, I should like to advise you that I have not yet received an answer. In the meantime, several thousand of my Kelly Street backers are deploring the fact that I am heing derrived of an apportunity of unhadling the that I am being deprived of an opportunity of uphodling the honors of the sturdy sons of 'Ould Erin'.

"I think that you will be interested to learn that statistics charged at any of the tournaments recently obtained from the Hygiene Department will throw some light on the probable outcome of the battle. They are

Neck 16 in. 16 in.	-		Packer 6 ft. 2 in. 201 lbs. 72 in. 40 in. 45 ¾ in. 15.5 in. 16 in. 9.6 in.
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"A very close inspection of the comparative measure ments indicates that, while for the most part we are evenly matched, the comparison of the biceps muscles gives me an undisputed advantage. One of my sparring partners, One-Round Jack Goldberg, (so-called because he has not yet been able to last more than that distance with me), has informed me that he has already wagered his entire fortune (Ed. note: probably negligible) (Author's not: So's your old man.) on the outcome of the proposed match. The other two, William Harrison Dempsey and Gene Shakespeare Tunney, have not yet been released from the hospital.

"This, of course, should not deter Elterich from accepting my challenge, since the fact that he now wears the crown implies that he has a fighting chance."

Pugnaciously and Pugilistically yours, Irv Packer.

Ben (Bison) Pulee, the Socking Soprano of C.D.A. fame, is yet to be heard from. It is believed that he is hiding in the Chem building and stuffing himself with all sorts of concoctions in order to innure his sensitive stomach from the numerous brands of poison which will probably flavor his coffee previous to all his big bouts.

Brain Work and the Spectator

F LAST Saturday's game was an indication of what is to be expected, we hope that the Lavender does not meet any more teams equal to it in strength. One usually expects the best kind of game from combinations evenly matched, but one is sometimes disappointed. The varsity dribblers used great head work against Dickinson, and played in the manner needed for a victory, but for the spectator, the major portion of the second half was not rearry so exciting as the battle for of the second half was not nearly so exciting as the battle for the juvenile marble championship of Greater New York. However, there was plenty of action when the visitors closed in and started to play.

Prospects for success of the swimming team in the new league seem exceedingly slight, (in fact, the Lavender has been rated last), but the water polo team should make a real bid for championship honors, with a host of stars of the calibre of Captain Nat Greenstein, Johnny Elterich, Jean Devine, Dick Diamond, Joe Tubridy, Willie Halpern and Artie Rosenbluth.

When the correspondence starts, it waxes heavy. Artie When the correspondence starts, it waxes neavy. Taft, czar of the City College Club, writes re-announcing the eat-fest of the football team tomorrow night. We quote, in part, "If you satisfy me I will see that I take the hint noted in your Sport Sparks in one of last week's issues". Now, are you satisfied, Artie?

CAGEMEN TO STAGE FIRST NIMRODS WIN THIRD VICTORY

Games to Be Played During Christmas Week Will De-Hang Up Perfect Scores in

In preparation for the Intra-mural

test. In the first round '29 will meet ed in his fourth possible of the year. '30 in the gym, while '27 and '28

gain with each other, this time for armory any afterpoon. the Intra-mural Basketball Champ-

Members of the freshman and Sullivan 100 Varsity basketball teams are to be Feinberg 100 barred from the matches. Dave Coral '28 and Leo Bennett '27 will referee all the games.

The first inter-class event of the coming year will be a swimming meet. All class teams are at present practicing for the event. The track meet will be run in conjunction with the exhibitions of the Boxing and Wrestling Club. No admission will be

INTRA-MURAL TOURNEY BY DEFEATING U. OF MAINE

Telegraphic Match

The Varsity rifle team defeated-Basketball Tourney, to be held dur- the University of Maine in a teling the spring semester, Whitey egraphic match by the score of 498 Frank '28, announces the conduction of an elimination state of an elimination of alimination of an elimination of an elimination of an eli eth of December. Managers have al- hung up by the riflemen, against two ready been appointed for the various recorded by the Granite Staters. Halpern, Sullivan and Feinberg were the Aided by Professor O'Neill of the has been shooting well consistently Hygiene Department, Frank has all year and this is his fourth perfect completed arrangements for the con- score this season. Feinberg also turn-

Next the riflemen were to have will fight it out on the adjoining postponed. The first R.O.T.C. match met Vermont but the match has been will be held instead, against Oklahoma On the thirtieth the winners of College. Freshmen who wish to come the previous contests will contend a: out are urged to come down to the

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"Sure is," Ken agreed, "leave it to that stiff-legged bozo, Dave Brown, to take care of the women at a frat dance. He's chairman of all our hops you know."

"Well, he sure knows how to

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FOILS CLUB ELECTS KENNICUTT COACH

New Organization Planning Affiliation with A.A.A. and French Y. M. C. A.

Organization of the newly formed Fencing Club is progressing rapidly, according to a statement made by Ar. thur Kennicutt '28, recently elected ROBINSON PRAISES WORK coach and president of the organ-

The club has been granted the use of the third floor of the R. O. T. C. armory as a practice gallery and is receiving the active support of both Johnny Carr '27, President of the R.O.T.C. Officers Club and Major Holton of the Military Science de-

Unofficial overtures have been made by the Officers Club to secure the smalgamation of the new club with the older, R.O.T.C. organization. The proposals are to be considered at the next meeting of the fencers to be held tomorrow at noon in the Armory.

Pending a decision on the subject the other plans of the club are being vigorously promoted. The president is now in communication with officials of the American Athletic Association with a view towards securing assistance in coaching.

The two assistant coaches have been appointed by the club's president, are Luigi Barzini '27, who recently arrived from Italy, where he obtained his fencing experience, and Saul Elkins '28, former captain of the Townsend Harris High fencing

New members are welcome to attend the meetings of the club which immediately proceed the 12 o'clock practice sessions held on Thursdays in the R.O.T.C. Armory, 140th Street west of Amsterdam Avenue. All prospective members must be prepared to spend at least three hours a week at voluntary practice work. Foils, masks and other fencing apparatus may be secured at reduced rates through the club.

Workouts are held at various times during the week, the individual fencing fan being permitted to attend at any time suitable to himself provided that he fills his three hour minimum program. There are at present over thirty active fencing enthusiasts in the organization.



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Mackenzie Calls for Men To Engage in Field Events

More track men are urged to participate in field events. All those who are interested should see Coach Mackenzie.

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OF PEACE CLUB IN LETTER

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places before itself is the raising of a fund, the proceeds of which will be devoted to meet the expenses of an annual summer scholarship abroad. I have often thought that there are many peo ple in the world who talk about peace and talk about understanding between the nations, but who never do anything practical to bring about that understanding or set up some trustworthy guaranty of peace. It is one thing to discuss what ought to be and how men ought to conduct themselves, and deplore the fact that humanity is short of perfection. It is another thing to provide the practical means of bringing about conditions which will improve human relations. Therefore I am pleased to see the Peace Club undertake to raise a fund that will pay the expenses of an American boy who can carry some impressions of America and its mode of thought to foreigners, and who can come back with a clearer insight to foreign customs, thoughts and feelings. I shall be glad to do whatever I can to encourage and assist in the raising and administration of such a fund. Sincerely Yours,

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The talk will be based upon three onsiderations, i. e: chemical, medical, and physiological points of view. The chemical side of the discussion will include the relation of chemical structures to toxicity, action of the poison upon the tissues, and a classificaion of poisons according to analytical procedure. The medical phase will include a discussion upon post mortem appeamances, and a classification as to the effects of the different poisons. The physiological consideration will be based upon a classification according to physiological action.

The actions of the different classes poisons will be illustrated by actual experiments upon living animals, mainly fishes and frogs. The bodies of these animals will then be analyzed for the poisons they contain, a number of tests being shown for each poison. The speaker will then take a theoretical case of poisoning with criminal intent, and trace the steps by which the crime is uncovered.

This talk is in keeping with a pro gram of lectures and addresses by prominent members of the faculty nembers of the society, and outside authorities on chemical subjects, on opics not covered in the regular



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