## The (Gampus

 The College of the City of NewYorkSTUDENTS SPPAK ON RISSIAN TRIP AT I.C.C. AFFAIR
C.C.N.Y. Members of 192
American Student Delegation to Lecture
SCHOOLS ONE OF TOPICS Minor Nationalities to Be Dis eral Impressions

Giving their first verbal report in
this conntry, two City College stu
this country, two City College stu-
dents who were witin the 1927 Ameri can Student Delegation to Soviel
Russian will speak at a meeting held Russian will speak at a meeting held
under the auspices of the newly
forme Intercluh Council. The meet ing will be held Thursday afternoon at 12:15, in Room $10 \overline{5}$. The two students, Marcus Vosk ${ }^{28}$
and Simon W. Gerson 29, left for Europe a week after the June exam
inations, returning two weeks be fore the opening of College. Vosi
tudied studied the problem of education in
the Soviet Union while Gerson spec ialized on the question of the minor
nationalities.
They will report on the Soviet Union in general wit
special emphasis on the particult phases obseryed Gerson, in comment ing on his trip with the A
students and professors, said:

Thrilling Experiences.
"Our group traveled from on
length of the Soviet Union to the other, being six davy on the Volga
crossing the Caspians Sea crossing the Caspian Sea and thenc
traveling into the heart of Trans Craveling into the heirt of Trans
caveasia,
and the border line of Asia and Europe, between the Old and
New Wortds. Not the least thrilling
of wur adventures was the acciden
of war adventures was the aceident
that occurred when, motoring through
the winding Cuucasus, the winding Caucasus, wo suffered a spill trying to escape a buffalo that
had strayed on the road. "We f fund that there is a monn-
tain of misconception and vagueness about Soviet Russia in the mind of
the college stuent. Many of the de lusions we were suffering from wer
rather ruwdy rather rudely shattered by the real
itics of this historical achievement. To Publish Report
The American Student Delegation
literally composed of students from Maine to California, will publish it reports to colleges, schools, trade unions, forums and clubs. It is ru-
mored that at least one of the City College students who went to Russia
vill participate with the will participate with the members o
the Trade Union delegation in theit neeting at Ma
The City College members of the
delegation will follow up their main report to the College with specia
talk talks at sure of the governmen
classes. These talks, however, will be on particular phases, pro
Soviet
This is the first of a series of join
meetings planned by the Interclub Council. It is hoped that in this way interest will be aroused in the intel
Iectual activity of the school and lectual activity of the school and a
basis laid for more and better combined work of the clubs of the school. Work of the clabo thought of there will
be a permanent College committee for a permanent College committee
formed for the sending of City Col-
leme change of European students tox aid
 A meeting of delegates of all
the clubs will be helo in the Cam-
pus office tomorrow
 duly-appointed representative $t$
inis meetig. Clubs not represent
di will ed will receive no publicity in The
Campus.
The purpose of the club gatherThe purpose of the club gather-
ing is ot disususplans off mutual
support and method of support and methods of co-pera-a-
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:ind The Campus.

CAMPUS CANDIDATES
MUST APPLY TODAY
Arnold Shukotoff and Joseph Caputa Will Supervis
Weekly Meetings The final call for candidates for positions on the writing staffs of y John K. Ackley, editor-in-chie The first meeting after which .ndidates will be accepted will take
p:ace tomorrow at 1 P. M. in room 307. Arnold Shukotoff '29, and rseph Caputa '28 will supervise the
nstruction of the men trying out fo he News Board while Stanley Frank 20, assistant sports editor, will lec
ture to the candidates for the Sports Buare to

Previous experience in journalic vork, although desirable, is not es 11 particulars of journalism. No members of the editorial board he nev News men, will lecture at teernate meetings covering the gal
hering of news, the writing of news teadline writing, Campus forms and style copyreading, proofreading and
dummying. dummying.
The Cam
The Campus Style Book, whic
was written by Felix S. Cohen
Cormer editor, will be used as the
text book for the course. Lecture will take place each Thursday for
period of six weeks and a final period of six weeks and a final
amination will close the competitio

## Thursday, December 8. Point System Used

$\qquad$ ade on a basis of competency an em devised to work. The point sys. co slightly altered asthough the mas $m$ jor features have been preserved
This system covsist cist system consists in alloting
ertain number of points for each piece of work done porrectly. Points are taken off for failure of men to
tend lectures. Included in the course will be
isit to Vsit to The Campus printer during
he period when an issue is being
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will act as
candidates put out. Candidates will act as
opyreaders' assistants and also will given reguiar assignments dur g the competition
Freshmen Urged to Tryout
Joseph Caputa Campus office today betwee 12 P. M. to receive applications for
He staff while Arnold Shukotoff '29 the other supervisor of candidate nstruction, will be in the office between 1 and 2.
culatar are urged to try out for the
|GRIDDERS REST UP CCAMPUS ISSUES CALL FOR RHODE ISLAND FOR bUSNESS MEN

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| Principles of Advertising, Ac- <br> counting and Circulation <br> Will Be Taught <br> An unlimited number of men are needed for the Business board of The C:mpus, it was announced yesterday by Herbert J. Lackman '29, business manager. Candidates who are interested should report in The Campus of fice, room 411, tomorrow at 12:45 |
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| Initial Number of Mercury <br> Is Placed on Sale Friday |
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DEBatrers plain bla schedul FOR FALI TRRII
Kaplan Silverman '30, Head
TO MEET N.Y.U. SOON
Tour of Pennsylvania During
Christmas Vacation Is Contemplated
A squad of six varsity debaters
was chosen by Professors Shulz and
Hosher of the department of pubic Was chosen by Professors Shulz and
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spenking, Thursaday, in roonn 22 2t spenking, Thursday, in rocom 222 at
noon. A score of speakers participat. stricted to five minute addresses on
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The debaters selected, graded in ord
Meyer Velinsky ${ }^{28}$

Trving Platt 2
Experienced Mer
Meplan is a debater or some ex-
pectence, having been previously sel-
ect as a member of the reshnuan team. Ho also starred in de
De Witt Clinton High School.
victorious vursity team, and was

$\qquad$ a member of the Brooklyn team of
1926-27. Maltzer is a former member of the 1930 freshman and sophomore squads.
debating material, Professor shulz
declared that "this best turnouts he had witnessed,"
setDOUGLAS SOCIETY PLANS |A. A. PASSES NEW BY-LAWTO HOLD FORMAL DANCE DURING INITIAL SESSION
Thanksgiving Recess
Officers Chosen
The Douglas $\begin{gathered}\text { Society, following } \\ \text { discussion at its recent meetings, has }\end{gathered}$discussion at its recent meetings, has
announced its plans for this semester.Social activities will be taken care
of by a formal dance to be held next
month, rrobably during the Thanks-
giving recess. J/efinite plans have
hot as yet beer. decided on, but
very effort will be made to makIn accordance with its usual policy
to prominent lecturers throughout the
erm. 'Next Thursday, the first lecture will be given by Miss Thurston,of Columbia. She will speak on heresearch in the Southseries of
Society
lectures will be held in conjunctas.
with the Social Problems Club.

| A. A. Board Forbids Pur chasing of More Than One Ticket |
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Ae Collegeemester and that such resolution betic Association was formally adopt
ed by the A. A. Board ot its first reg
ular meeting of the term, held on
October 3 .
Jace Deutsch 29 treasurer, report
Sen purchased by the student body
Affairs of the Junior Varsity footwh
Howard Isserson '28 was unanimouslySandy Rothbart '28 was appointechairman of the insignia committe
while Barron 2nd Epstein head theSoiree committee as chairman an

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THE I. C. C. AWAKENS It seem: that a certain lethargy charar Colleg: for the first few weeks of the semester. This term it took the Inter-Club coma witl: a tentative list of stir from its will appear before the College under its aus. pices. Since only four clubs are behind the movement it is evident that the rest of the If a schechuie of tho a revival yet. not include every club at the College under a bona fille agreement, confusion on Thursdays iser firs with one dents will be confronted with and the stur dents with a multiplicity of interests. The result, experience has taught us in the past, is divided response on the part of stadents and a meagre audience attending tie lectures of prominent men speaking on copics of college-wide interest. A sehedule drawn up by a representative ity of all the chus eliminates the possibility of more than one lecturer addressing the students at the same hour. Every club accepls one date on which it will bring a speaker to the College. The remaining clubs, on the other hand, will cooperate in making the event a success with an audience that is both interested and representative
This plan in substance was in operation a considering the fate degree of effectiveness the project The start and the novelty of I. C. C. on its start but we see no resen the plaining the backwardness manifest this term in joining together to form a united and harmonious council for the interests of the College, unless it is the selfishness and aloofness of some of the clubs.
The club-lecture problem is one of inter-club activities that the council can re vitalize. Its members are bound by no other obligation except an ethical one but their energetic cooperation and unselfish partici pation for the good of the College and the

The Campus regrets to announce the News Board. the following men from the Mandel '29, Philip Duberstein '30, Milton H. Goldberg '30. Philip Lieherman '23, Isidore

## Gargoyles

## villanelle

I wish I had a million dollars, "Why don't you go to work!" 'He hollers.

Insinid youths in spotless collars Declaim their prayers on Broadway stages:

A novice joins the Holy Rollers,
"Why don't you to to work," he holle
The cambists, quaestors, kings, comptrollers With Midas' touch make golden ages:

The dean berates his shiftess scholars; uplraids them, shames them as he rages; Why don't you go to wok, he hollers.

In Union Square one of the lollers "I winh I had a million sins of wages "Why don't you go to work!" he hollers.

ABSALOM THE

See the ernss country meet in the Stadium last Saturday" After the third quarter a slightly wilted Upialam or Upsulite to
tiring the Lavender out

As somebody named Kulick said, "we ran through a.physic.'

Advi.
Wack iwtheiberg is seelmeng o middle name to replace the tentative "Mercurous". A free subscription (1) Mercury will be given for the best suggeestion.

Halfwits' Halleluiah
Re-exams are coming.
Heavens, ain't that nic
Now l'm goin' to be allowed
To flunk a subject twice.

Speaking of exams. We flunked our medical here is a chance that we haven't come in yet but knee. Were getting round shouldered under the weight if we don't werry. The medicos give us six months

The next number of Mercury is going to expose the department stores but for the life of us we can't get any further in our Floor-walkers Mother Goose
Saxs be Gimbel, Saxs be quick.

ODE ON THE LACK OF (PRINTABLE) CONTRIBUTIONS.

I'm as leand emply as once stood the cubboard man la belonged to la Hubbard Trm getting so worried I'll soon need a nurse.

My textbooks, neglected, stand idle unusn I iong for the freedom I once so abused. I swear if this keeps up I'll ride in a hearse.

My father and mother look at me in sorrow And wonder if I will live through till tomorrow Won't someone please send swear and I curse,

0 Prince; see my face. It is tear strained and solumn
I know that I can't fill the rest of this column To he who will write me a long piece of purse

We take it all back. We didn't know we were intention bottom. But, at that, far be it from our sider to imply that we absolutely refuse to connay. Perish the thought

Bound in Morocco

ARE YOU DECENT? By Wallace Smith. Neve
Sons. \$2.00.

Despite the Title, Are You Decent is not a problem novel, nor a sex novel, nor anything which the nanie might suggest. It is simply a collec-
tion of short stories Cion of short stories dealing with
vaudeville acturs, whose form of
vreeting before entering and greeting before entering each ochers
Iressing roors is "Are you Iressing roors is "Are y m Decent?
Which i. nething more or
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one's habiliments.

There are ten stories included in the volume, and most of them ar
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and che pathetic that is entirely captivat ing. They deal with the occupants
if Mrs. Emily Fisher's bourding house-strictly for the profession
"hey teil of their little quarret Chey tail of their little quarre! i, of
heir loves and hates, of their and sorrows. It shows vaudevillt artsts" in their home life, in th
noments when they are not pret Ending, amusing the "customers" in the land behind the curtain.
These are stories of "Saw These are stories of "Sawtelle"
Seals"; of "Signor Constricto, the Smaless splant of serpentine sinaosty, and Mile. Blanchette, the
Drosden China girl with the cast-
iron jaw;" of "Jerry Tombila fur a music store"; of "Griffo the
n ann". Clown"; of "Eddie Dean, the boy with the educated feet in tantalizing Comey, sinart sidewalk chatter and extemporaneous rhymesters"; thers, "In brief", as the pubiisher:
olutb declares, "the eternal childrei the small time-the perforaners :ainor vaudeville-the
wapers of theatrical legend." One thing which Are You Decent as, to humanize the characters, be Wind the footlights. It has removed, iortunately or unfortunately, the
rlamor and the mystery which surclamor and the mystery which sur-
counded the performers who existed in the land of shadow. As we say, wise, the volume is well worth the

POSITIONS STILL OPEN ON MERC BUSINESS BOARL

Candidates are still wanted for he Business Board of Mercury. There a number of position open on
circulation staff for men who are willing to work. Fifteen candiates are wanted for the Advertising staff. An opportunity is offered to esting and remunitive wark ind at the same time participatle in and at tra-curricular activity.
Lcads are furnished to advertising men and a commission of $15 \%$ is
paid on all advertisements secured All those interested should securect. Rothenberg, business manager, an day at 1 p . m. or Thursday at
noon in the Mercury office


The Luxenberg Sack spread po its wid among college me through strict adher ence to a distinct style $\$ 34.50$ to $\$ 42.50$
$\underset{37}{ }{ }^{\text {Nat Union Square }}$ LUXENBERG

## SUN SPORTS



JOE VILA JOE VILA, Sports Editor of The Sun, has been a cinse observer of the entire field of sports for more than thirty years. In his daily column, "Setting the Pace," he gives exclusive news of professional and amateur sports and
tells interesting anecdotes which defight fan.


## BASEBALL

Thoroughness marks THE SUN'S handling of
bascball-both amateur and professionat baseball-both amateur and professional All
the games are covered in detail and reported in the sports edition as soon as the games are over. Frank Graham, Will Wedge, Sam Murphy (the
"Old Scout") and Ed. T. Murphy are a few the men who cover this field for THE SUN.


## TENNIS

Tennis, which is perhaps the most internationa of all games, has a host of followers who keep
informed through THE SUN. A complete staft Covers the big cup matches and the regular news
of the game ts ably reported and of the game ts ably reported and analyzed by
J. P. Allen.

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& \text { The keen basketball competitions that occupy } \\
& \text { the center of interest in college sport during } \\
& \text { the winter are covered by h host of correspond- } \\
& \text { ents for The Sun. George Hammond, a closo } \\
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& \text { developments in the whole field of basketball. }
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## BASKETBALL



## TRACK

As in all other departments, The Sun main. tains in the handling of its sports newes its ideals of completeness, accuracy and interesting,

## Thertissun <br> The Best Sports Pages in New York





HOLMAN PUTS FROSH THRU FIRST INTENSIVE PRACTIGE

Twenty Men Work Hard to Surpass Rermer teams

Ffting, cormer phe a ere stressed by Coach Nat Hoiman at the first practice of the Freshman basketball team Monday evening. squad, a team must be chosen to uphold the high standard set by las cut of 11 games defeating such Fams as Fordham Frosh, Manhattan son.
Nat Holman will continue to coach We yearlings thrucut the season
in addition to the varsity team. Regar Freshman practice will be held On Thursday afternoon the frosh
will practice together with the The schedule for the freshman basketball team has not yet been
nate public but it will include many Manhathans Frosh, Fordhan Frosh,
Mt. Johns Frosh, N. Y. 'U Frosh St. Johns Frosh, N. Y. 'U. Frosh
ind Exander. PANISH CLUB HOLDS EXECUTIVE MEETING

An Executive mecting of the Spanfice last Thursday. The officers the club and two representatives
the student body were prosent an the plans and programs tor the oming semester were discussed.
Nat Sheib, 29 , President of the Society announced that an effort vould be maide to have $100 \%$ student membership for this term. This is in
aiirest contravention of the establish d policy of a yarar ago when the club cepan to elect members.
The first social event The first social event of the season
to be a closed dance whiel is to if held between the chapters of the
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at Liberty $\begin{aligned} & \text { Broadway } \\ & \text { at Warron }\end{aligned} \begin{aligned} & \text { Broodway } \\ & \text { at 13th SL }\end{aligned}$
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Boston, Massachueate

 tat has been set tor the affacici, mad
 ain rather select nudienere is eis
 been performed in many of the leadhas ruscal comedies of New Yon following of pupils.
A Spanish Essay contest is being planned, first prize of which is a will appear in an early issue of tha Canpus.


Very Light Overhead" is e title of this picture! That entitles it to top to-
day's chat on Solight* ${ }^{*}$ soft hats and derbies! Not only "linht bot only "light over head ight the wearig quality to de

Gloves!
We and a few other good ealers get the cream of the orlds best leathers.
Pigskin. Mocha. Cape. A $\$ 2.50$ tan . Chamois. A $\$ 2.50$ tan Cape that's
*Registered Trademar
Rogers Peet Comfany
cA feather-weight touch
is all this pen requires-

## Stop Pressing!

 first cost shall be your last.
No hand lan point - yet it yields to any style of writing. $\underset{\text { major spent } 35 \text { years on } 47}{ }$ major improvements. Made
sixteen million Pens. Own 32 patents on Pens and 12
on Pencils and Desk We discovered how to combine capillary attraction
with gravity feed. Thus a With gravity feed. Thus a
feather-weight touch starts feather-welght touch slanced
ink-flow; the light bala
weight weight of the Pen is almost
enough to keep it writing. Barrels are now of Pariker $-28 \%$ lighter formerly used. They come in jewel-like colors-Jade,Lac-
quer-red, flashing Black, Mandarin Xèllow and Lapis Lazuli Blue-allblack-tipped
People are thronging the pen counters to sample this pressureless writing. Only
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