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BUSINESS BUILDING TO BE DEDICATED ON NEXT TUESDAY

Pres. Robinson, Mayor Walker,
Moses J. Stroock and Dean
Edwards to Speak

NINE STORIES COMPLETED

Edifice Preserves College's
Original Home, Asserts
President Robinson

The cornerstone of the new Twenty-third Street building which will house the School of Business and Civic Administration will be laid on Tuesday, December 4th, at 2:30. Dr. Robinson will preside at the exercise and Mayor Walker, who will lay the cornerstone, Honorable M. J. Stroock, Chairman of the Board of Trustees, and Dr. George W. Edwards, Dean of the School, will be the speakers. College will be closed at one o'clock on that day.

Students May Attend

The Faculty will form in academic procession and attend the ceremonies in a body; students and friends of the College may also be present. No tickets are required since the exercises will be held on the sidewalk and street immediately in front of the building.

Although the cornerstone is said to be "laid" at these ceremonies, it will really be "inserted" into the building because the first nine stories of the building as proposed for completion at this time are nearly erected.

Plans for the laying of the cornerstone were made at the beginning of the summer, but appropriate ceremonies could not be had at that time, and in the early fall the Mayor was not available for the ceremonies. Consequently the builders left the space for the cornerstone until such time as the Mayor might be available to officiate.

To Have Sixteen Stories

At present there is a question as to whether the building shall be carried on up to the full sixteen stories or terminate at the ninth story, with provision for further construction a few years from now. Should the decision be in favor of completing the entire structure, the building will probably be occupied next September, but if the decision is made to occupy the nine stories in place at this time as soon as possible and to resume construction later, the building may be occupied this February.

"The completion of the modern structure on the 23rd Street site is an important step in the life of the College because it preserves for the College the site which was its original home. It maintains a downtown center, which is very important in a city like New York, and it makes provision for a professional school away from the Washington Heights site, relieving pressure of professional and pre-professional students on the uptown facilities so that those facilities can be utilized in a more comfortable way for students in a liberal arts college," says President Robinson.

The erection of a new building for the College on this site is the culmination of a program of many years. When the College left 23rd Street and moved to Washington Heights, the old building was abandoned.

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"Big Business in the United States" Is Topic of Prize Speaking Contest

Intramural Basketball To Begin Next Thursday

An Intramural Basketball Tournament will commence next Thursday, Dec. 6, at 12:15, in the gymnasium when the Senior quintet lines up against the Juniors. At the same time, the Frosh-Soph game will be staged under the supervision of the A. A. The winners of the two contests will meet at a later date to decide the supremacy of the four classes.

The Athletic Association has also announced that a handball team will be chosen to represent the College in a tournament to be held within three weeks.

ASSOCIATE ALUMNI FETE GRID ELEVEN

Charles H. Tuttle, U. S. Attorney and Henry Morgenthau, Address Diners

Speeches by prominent alumni and guests and the presence of the College football team, featured the annual Alumni Dinner, held last Saturday night at the Hotel Astor. Dr. Sigmund Pollitzer '79, president of the Associate Alumni, acted in the capacity of toastmaster.

Contrary to the former custom, under which representatives of only the classes graduated twenty-five and fifty years ago were listed on the program to address the annual alumni reunion, there was also listed among the speakers last Saturday night a representative of the class of sixty years ago, Richard Rogers Bowker '68, blind alumnus, who was led to the center of the speakers' dais to address the gathering.

Wm. J. Campbell '78 Speaks

Remarking about the new Commerce Centre now being erected at Twenty-third Street and Lexington Avenue, William John Campbell '78, representative of the half-century class, expressed the hope that "the old-fashioned studies of the humanities would never be entirely replaced by the business and vocational education of today. It does not fit in with my idea of the College," he stated. Nathaniel Phillips '93,

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FRENCH CLUB TO EDIT EIGHT PAGE NEWSPAPER

An eight page newspaper in French, scheduled to appear in the middle of December, is being prepared by the members of the Cercle Jusserand under the direction of Professors Downer and Weill. Contributions however, are not limited to members of the club alone, since all students taking French, are invited to hand in articles to either Mr. Chunowitz or Mr. Trachtenberg, officers of the club.

Most of the articles contributed by members of the Cercle are already in, but there still is space for articles which the editors may deem worthy of publication.

Three Awards to Be Awarded for Extemporaneous Declamations and Poetry

"Big Business in the United States" has been chosen as the general subject for the annual contest in extemporaneous speaking, according to the announcement of the department of Public Speaking. The competition in poetry declamation will be held on the same evening as the extemporaneous speaking finals, May 3 in the Great Hall. The trials for the latter division will take place on Friday April 19, at 3 P. M. in room 222.

The general subject is announced at this time, according to Professor Mosher, to permit those who intend to compete in the trials to avail themselves of the three-and-a-half month interval for the purpose of investigation and preparation. From the general topic will be specified particular subjects for both the preliminaries and finals. A specialized phase of "Big Business in the United States" will be posted at 1 o'clock on the afternoon of the trials and another phase at 7 P. M. on the evening of May 3. Seven minutes will be allowed each speaker at the trials, and ten minutes at the finals.

Three Awards

Students who at the time of the poetry trials have taken or are taking Public Speaking 4 are eligible to compete. Public Speaking 5 is similarly requisite for the extemporaneous contest.

Three prizes are awarded for both divisions of the contest. The

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A. A. SOIREE FRIDAY TO HONOR GRIDMEN AND HOLMAN FIVE

Athletic Association Pays Tribute to Teams by Tendering Dance

EVENT OPEN TO COLLEGE

Fifty Tickets Placed on Sale for Student Body at \$1.50 to "U" holders

Serving the dual purpose of culminating a highly successful football season and initiating the basket-ball schedule, the A. A. is staging its annual soiree in the gymnasium this Friday night. The affair, officially termed the Victory Dance, will be attended by faculty members, coaches, captains and managers of all Lavender teams, past and present. In addition, fifty tickets are being offered to holders of "U" tickets at the price of \$1.50.

Football Team to Be Present

It will be a gala night for Captain Willie Halpern and his football warriors. Crashing through powerful interference, they have borne the College banner to a peak hitherto unknown. No less will be the basket-ball tossers share in the tribute. Captained by Sam Liss '29, they set the ball rolling in a tussle with St. Francis on the following night.

Several athletes, well-known in the metropolitan district, have been tendered invitations to the event by the reception committee, under the chairmanship of Sandy Rothbart

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Basketeers To Open Season Against St. Francis Quintet For Eighth Consecutive Year

Next Issue of The Campus To Appear Thurs. Dec. 6

The Campus will not appear again until Thursday, December 6, owing to the Thanksgiving vacation tomorrow and Friday. An account of the opening basket-ball game with St. Francis on Saturday evening will be published in that issue.

A pre-write of the initial swimming meet and water-polo clashes with Fordham maroon-suited dolphins will also be printed.

YEARLING QUINTET OPENS WITH SOPHS

Second Year Men to Furnish Opposition in Opening Game

The long-awaited court season will get into full swing this Saturday night when the Frosh quintet will attempt to ring up its first win of the year against the Sophomores. The game is scheduled as a preliminary tilt to the Varsity-St. Francis contest.

Should the Frosh come out on top Saturday night, they will be assured of a successful season as last year's yearlings, who won but one encounter out of their thirteen game schedule. Coach Plaut, however, is aiming for a higher play in the court sphere than last year's aggregation achieved, and is grooming his pupils in preparation for the harder games which appear later on the schedule.

Plaut Now at Helm

Lack of practice and the shifting of coaches have somewhat hammered the cubs in their progress, and Coach Plaut, who has been at the helm for less than a week, will use the Soph encounter as a means of sizing up the members of the squad in an actual game.

The Frosh will probably line up with Red Novick at center, Mike Liben and Solomon at forwards, and Dave Halpern at one of the guard posts, with the open guard position lying between Palitz, Offerman, Goldstein and Goldman. Liftin, Krasnoff, Davitch and the Walkin brothers may also see action.

The two forwards, Solomon and Liben, are rather light, but make up for their lack of weight by their speed on the court. Halpern and Novick, on the other hand, are big men and rather fast.

Three additions were made to the squad when Babor, Berger and Resnick reported fresh from their Jayvee football triumphs. All of them will be given a tryout before the final distribution of the uniforms. Next week the yearlings will face Boys High, and on December 15 will meet their first big test against the St. John's frosh.

Campus Staff Meets Today

A meeting of the entire Campus news staff will be held today at 2 P. M.

Maroon Will Be Encountered Saturday Evening in College Gym

THREE REGULARS INJURED

Injuries Will Not Prevent Stars from Engaging in Initial Tilt

Once more basketball makes its bid as the foremost sport at St. Nicholas Heights when the Lavender quintet ushers in the 1928 season with the eighth annual St. Francis opener on the College court, Saturday night. The pounding along the gym floor has taken on a more serious, an intense, and yet a lighter note during this week as the squad, with characteristic Holman finesse, flashes along the floor.

The Lavender mentor has not definitely announced his starting lineup. However on the basis of showings in scrimmage against the Celtics and the Hakoahs the most likely lineup at the opening whistle seems to be Captain Sam Liss and Lou Spindell at the guard assignments, Milt Trupin and Jack Sandak at the forwards, and Sid Liftin jumping center. If not in the initial lineup, Artie Musicant and Frank De Phillips are both likely to see action during the course of the tilt with St. Francis.

Injuries Beset Squad.

Trupin, whose knee has been a source of much worry has been out of practice at several sessions due to a slight injury but he is expected back on the court today to take his regular forward post. Spindell and Liftin were also forced out of action at the beginning of the week, the former because of a leg bruise while Liftin suffered a slight attack of tonsillitis but neither is so seriously affected as to handicap him Saturday.

In the determined, despairing spirit with which the Saints come up to the College Campus, they believe, it is feared, their name. Ever since 1922 when the Lavender-St. Francis basketball relations were established, Nat Holman's quintet has with perennial regularity registered a victory at the expense of the Maroon. That is, with the exception of 1924 when the College five scored two victories.

College Undeclared by St. Francis. Following are the Lavender-Maroon scores since 1922.

Year	C.C.N.Y.	St. Francis
1922	35	23
1923	33	21
1924	39	30
1925	27	21
"	33	16
1926	27	18
1927	19	15

It is apparent, then, in what frame of mind the St. Francis aggregation will enter the tilt Saturday when it attempts to snap this humiliating Lavender winning streak. The locals, remembering last year's 19-15 fight, may very well expect an interesting battle Saturday night.

As a matter of fact, recalling in detail last December's battle in the gym it will be remembered by the Lavender rooters that Coach Holman's proteges trailed the Saints at half time 8-5, a lead which was

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DISGUSTED BY CIVILIZATION, STUDENT LEAVES FOR WILDS

Quite a furor was created in collegiate circles when C. H. Glover, a Dartmouth junior left that College to cultivate the unrestrained life of the finest so eloquently hailed by the philosophical woodsman, Thoreau.

In lieu of this we must run an extraordinary communication that recently found its way into the Campus office.

November 22,

To the Editor of The Campus:
Dear Sir: Hamlet like indecision has always been my lot and were it not for innate hero worship I would never effect anything foreign to the usual routine. But today I throw off the shackles that bind me to a diseased system and go forth to lead the ideal life: that of the intelligent bum.

I would define an intelligent bum as one who has primarily a historical awareness; who has none of the usual bourgeois inhibitions and who is mellowed and browned in the learning of the ages. That's the intellectual part of him. He is a bum because he has no desire to reform anyone, nor is at all interested in accomplishing anything. He must be good-natured, but at times fiercely intolerant. Oh yes, if you were to go through his pockets you should find a novel of Dostoevsky's or some compacted edition of the "Anatomy of Melancholy."

As these are my parting words may I list a few pre-

judices?

It was hard to tolerate philosophy professors who punctiliously took attendance, especially, since I never could bluff the Hygiene Department for an excuse.

As for the Hygiene Department, the younger men of the staff are developing into a group of chest-expansionists with Napoleonic ambitions. One fellow, who insists on growling and barking like a dog, should see a psychiatrist.

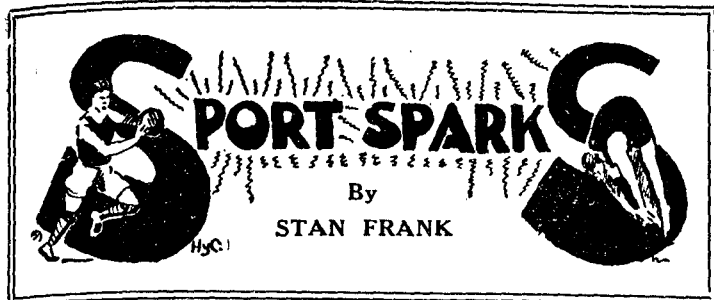
There's a plain clothes man down in the alcove who ought to be bodily ejected by the Frosh.

So long,

AMBROSE B. DEXTER.

But to return to our friend from Dartmouth. He started out all wrong, for according to the World he took a train to the northern wilds. We quote his letter to the Dartmouth daily: "Goodbye, Dartmouth. By the time you shall read this I shall be aboard a train speeding to northern wilds where I intend to prepare myself for a higher life than college leads to, the life discussed by Thoreau in 'Walden'.

"I have existed in your civilization now for twenty years. I have existed merely as a spectator. You have forced me to do certain things, and I have done them—reluctantly, always inwardly rebelling. Now I have decided to give expression to my wild nature, and to try whether it be possible to live humanly."



The College Goes Courting

IF winter comes it surely must be followed by basketball—which probably explains why the advent of snow brings with it a feeling something akin to the holiday spirit at the College, and we're not thinking of the Christmas vacation entirely. For three whole months during the year your truly enthusiastic sports fan of the St. Nicholas Terrace variety is apt to be a supremely satisfied individual, for it is during December, January, and February that Nat Holman and his merry men are making their contribution to the science of the court game. And if you still doubt that basketball is a science, you might make pertinent inquiries at some of the higher institutions of learning in the East that boast of more elaborate athletic systems and larger endowment funds, but assuredly of inferior basketball quintets.

Basketball is, and will be for many years to come, the leading sport at the College of the City of New York. And why not? It is only on the court that the Lavender is able to compete on even terms with schools that can consistently outshine it on the gridiron, diamond, track, and in the tank. It is only natural for us to like that which is pleasing, and basketball certainly pleases the College—and, pardon us, in no uncertain manner.

That Man Holman

NONE fully aware of the facts in the case deny that with the coming of Nat Holman to the College back in 1919 with the full share of basketball prestige that the Lavender so richly deserves simultaneously invaded St. Nicholas Terrace. Under the hand of this masterful technician mediocre material blossoms into scintillating stars of the first magnitude that twinkle and shine with ever-increasing brightness for three years.

On the eve of his tenth season as mentor of the Lavender's fortunes on the court, Mr. Nathan Holman, sterling sportsman, and above all, a gentleman, can look back upon nine campaigns with pardonable pride. During that period of time, Holman-coached teams have played 125 games, practically all with the leading teams in the East, and have emerged victorious exactly 99 times, for a grand average of .792, a most creditable record indeed. In addition, his men have rolled up 3623 points to the 2795 scored by the opposition. And there's more coming in the immediate future.

For Your Approval

A CRITICAL student and alumni body will witness the 1928-29 quintet in action this Saturday night for the first time. Those who frequent the Hygiene building these wintry week-ends know their basketball thoroughly and are quick to voice their approval or disapproval. Through constant association with splendid teams the average City College man knows what he expects when the boys step out on the floor prepared to give an exhibition that is only equalled, and seldom surpassed, at Fordham, Syracuse, Colgate, Pennsylvania, and the few other leaders in the collegiate court world.

Those who have been fortunate to look in on the antics of Captain Liss, Spindell, Liftin, Trupin, Sandak, Musicant, DePhillips, and the remainder of the squad are quietly confident of a successful season, but the majority of the basketball coterie still demand to be shown what this year's team can do before passing judgement on it. Speed and court craft will doubtless predominate in the five's play with the physique of the men reminiscent of the squads Holman first made his reputation with when he first came to the College.

Captain Sam Liss, with two years of varsity play behind him is due for his best season, either at forward or guard. Lou Spindell, a sensation as a sophomore last winter, may be expected to surpass his performance of last year. There the veteran material available stops, but not their ability. Sid Liftin, an intelligent player and one of the best handlers of the ball Holman has had in years, will be up against stiff opposition all year but we have confidence in his ability to cope successfully with the enemy.

Rumour hath it that Milt Trupin, who was forced out of action last year due to a game leg, will be an aggressive, high-scoring forward this year. Playing in practice against the Original Celtics and the Hakoahs, ranking professional teams, Trupin has come through in great style and should find the range of the basket frequently to the annoyance of invading teams. Jack Sandak, still remembered as the hero of the epic Fordham victory last year, may break in as regular forward, but will have to beat our Artie Musicant, a fine defensive player, for the remaining berth. In the event that Sandak plays at forward, Captain Liss will go back to guard, but may move up front to make room for Musicant.

Here and There.

THE annual soiree tendered by the Athletic Association to the teams of the College, strikes a happy note this year in naming the affair the "Victory Dance". The soiree is a fitting tribute to the season just terminated by the football team and anticipates the successes that surely follow with the coming of basketball. It merits your support.

"Sport Sparks" takes this opportunity to congratulate Bernie Bienstock upon his election to the captaincy of the grid team. This marks the first time in a good many years that a back has been selected to lead the gridmen, but the College has faith in the ability of Bienstock to come through in the manner prescribed by Willie Halpern, Johnny Clark, Buck Siedler and Bob Phildius.

Prof. Baldwin Announces Organ Recital Programs

Selections from Bach and Rachmaninoff will feature the 1193 1194 organ recitals of Prof. Samuel A. Baldwin in the Great Hall this afternoon and Sunday at 4 o'clock. Sunday, December 9, a program consisting entirely of the works of Richard Wagner will be presented.

Today, Prelude in E flat by the former composer and Melody in E flat by the latter will be rendered. Sunday's program will contain Prelude in E flat and Prelude in C sharp major by Bach and Rachmaninoff respectively.

NATATORS TO MEET FORDHAM TANKMEN

Dual Meet With Maroon on December 7, Opens Lavender Aquatic Schedule

With the season's opener scheduled for December 7, the swimming team enters on the final lap of its practice for incoming intercollegiate season. The meet with Fordham at the Maroon pool will ring up the curtain as the first of a series of dual meets.

The system of twice-a-day practice instituted earlier in the term has done the men a world of good. This, coupled with the fact that nearly all the swimmers of last year's undefeated freshmen team are out for the varsity, augurs a successful season. Only Captain Boyce, Meisel, Chester and Barkin 'are missing from last year's team.

Eddie Young, Paul Gretch, Dave Herman, Sam Schneider, Harry Smith, and Allan Fawcett form a strong group of swimmers who should ably take care of the sprints.

Julius Karachefsky, Jeff Herbert, Harold Weinstein, and Dan Fuchs are out for the breast stroke event. The former two were regulars last year and the dope favors Karachefsky as number one won again for the 220 yard distance.

Two members of the frosh team seem slated to fill the backstroke event. Walter Cronin seems the best of the swimmers to fill the place left vacant by Captain Dick Boyce. He will be aided by Sam Gutner. Paul Gretch who was number two swimmer last year may swim in the backstroke occasionally.

Irv Cooperman of the frosh team, Charles Wimmer and Eddie Barrett are waging a battle royal for the two positions in the 440 yard swim.

Irving Goldman, regular of last year and Myron Steffin, captain of the '27 cub team form a strong pair in the dive event. The Relay quartet will probably be chosen from Young, Gretch, Herman, Steffin, Fawcett and Smith.

While the Fordham meet opens the Lavender season, the College contest with Syracuse in the pool December 21, will inaugurate the series of dual meets for the championship of the Intercollegiate Swimming Association.

Meets have been arranged with all the League members, including the strong Rutgers mermen, newly admitted to the I.S.A.

Besides the Fordham encounter, other non league meets include Temple, Franklin and Marshall, and N.Y.U., the latter being an associate member of the league.

The water polo team will swing into action later in the season since the Maroon has no pool team. Only Captain Johnny Elterio, who twice received all-American honors, Willie Halpern, Walt Modell and Larry Feinberg are lost from the '27 team.

Captain Gretch, Archie Bell, Milt Kulick, Artie Nolan, Lew Krauss and Bernie Thompson, all veterans of last year sextet are out again.

BIO CLUB TO HOLD BI-ANNUAL SMOKER

Entertainment Will Consist of Sketches, Parodies, Musical Selections and Songs

The semi-annual smoker of the Biology Society will be tendered tonight at 8 P. M. in room 319, according to an announcement by Louis N. Kaplan '29. The entertainment will be presented entirely by the members of the society.

The program, under the direction of Louis N. Kaplan, will consist of various sketches and parodies based on biological and hygienic phenomena, musical selections, monologues and songs. Refreshments and cigarettes will be served. A tax of fifty cents will be levied on the members to cover the expenses.

Numerous students of other extracurricular activities and some instructors have been invited by the chairman of the entertainment committee to partake of the festivities.

The entire assemblage will engage in the singing of songs which have been composed by former members of the Biology Society. The words of these are of a biological nature and are accompanied by original music. It is also expected that humorous entertainment will be provided extemporaneously by the members. Speeches by the guests will add to the program.

OFFICERS CLUB OFFERS DECEMBER DRESS PROM

Plans for a formal dance on December 14 to be marked by the largest attendance and the presence of officers of the general staff of the Second Corps Area, are being formulated by the Social committee. Eddie Curtin '29, of the Officers club is the committee chairman. The gymnasium has been chosen to house the affair, tickets for which will cost five dollars a couple. Refreshments will be served.

ORCHESTRA, GLEE CLUB GIVE WINTER CONCERT

A winter concert will be offered in the Great Hall on December 21, by the College Orchestra and Glee Club, announced Professor Neidlinger. The Orchestra played last Thursday at Chapel but the full ensemble was not present.

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done and was rapidly destroyed by the elements.

The property was about to be taken away from the College when in 1915 President Robinson organized a Division of Vocational Subjects and Civic Administration and formed a committee of prominent citizens known as the Mayor's Committee on Public Service Training, to lay out plans for the development of work of the College of the City of New York in the field of civics, commerce and technology.

An appropriation was secured from the City to salvage the old building and to use it as a center of instruction. During 1916-17 work in this building was expanded and during the war it was utilized by the College to instruct those students who were either under age or physically unfit for service. In the evening the courses of the School of Business and Civic Administration were continued.

After the war, in co-operation with General R. I. Rees, father of Captain Rees of the College R.O.T.C. staff, President Robinson developed a program for the training of wounded soldiers at 23rd Street in various subjects during the day, and expanded the work of the School of Business at night.

The development of this School was so great that it outgrew the quarters at 23rd Street and application was made to the City for funds to erect a new and modern building. The old building was in such poor condition that it was unsafe to use more than the first three floors. The fourth floor and top floor could not be used.

In 1926 an appropriation of \$1,500,000 was made; architects were engaged; plans were completed; and in the fall of 1927 the contract was let.

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Menorah Club Joins Hunter In Rally, Dance and Debate

The Menorah Society has arranged to hold its regular Hunter College debate and dance Sunday evening, December 2, at the Teachers' Institute, 32 Stuyvesant St. Tickets for the occasion may be obtained at the Society's alcove for the sum of twenty-five cents each.

The question for debate will be Resolved: That Jews have the right to control Palestine. Following the presentation the gathering will be entertained by various novelty features to be staged by members of both organizations. A dance will conclude the evening's program.

The Menorah Society is attending its Thanksgiving Eve Theatre party tonight at the Yiddish Art Theatre.

BANQUET TENDERED TO FOOTBALL MEN

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the representative for the quarter-century class, then reminisced on college days and customs twenty-five years ago.

"The new curriculum guides the students in their scholastic and extra-curricular activities, and, on the whole, gives them a wholesome, well-rounded college life," President Robinson declared in his address concerning the merits of the new curriculum. Charles Henry Tuttle, United States Attorney for the Southern District of New York, spoke on the Vestris case.

Henry Morgenthau '75, former Ambassador of the United States to the Ottoman Empire, recounted several of his experiences in Turkey and Greece. It was at Athens that he was made an honorary citizen, he stated. Commenting on his life around Aloysius Walsh, Regent of the at the College, he spoke gratefully of the valuable experience that he acquired in it and of how that experience aided him in the greater 'College of Life'. The Reverend Ed-scholar of Foreign Service and vice-President of Georgetown University, brought felicitations from the oldest Catholic college in America to the representatives of City College, comparatively a young institution.

Marion Rhodes Elliot, president of the Associate Alumnae of Hunter College and member of the Board of Higher Education, also addressed the guests.

NEWMAN CLUB TO ATTEND BRIDGE PARTY AT WALDORF

Representatives of Other Colleges to Convene at Federation Gathering Dec. 1

Members of the Newman Club of City College will attend a bridge party of the local province of the Federation of Newman Clubs at the Astoria Hotel Saturday afternoon, Dec. 1, at 2:30 P. M. at which organizations of almost every college within a radius of eighty miles will be present.

Delegates from Princeton, Rutgers, Columbia, Vassar, N. Y. U., Fordham, and other institutions of learning will be at the affair which is to furnish one of the few opportunities for the whole province to convene. Tickets are being sold at one dollar each by the Newman Club daily in its alcove in the Concourse.

The director of all the Newman Clubs in the region, Dr. A. I. Ross, has promised to address the Club at the College on Thursday, Dec. 13, at 12:30. The subject of the discussion and the room in which the meeting will take place have not as yet been decided upon.

BOUND IN MOROCCO

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Yale on the eve of one of the best shows put on all year, this suggestion is not an altogether futile one.

STAN FRANK

Modern Library Publications

Swann's Way by Marcel Proust and *The Golden Ass* by Lucius Apuleius are published by the Modern Library as this month's additions to their ever lengthening list. *Swann's Way* is translated by C. K. Scott and edited with an introduction by Lewis Galantieri. *The Golden Ass* of Apuleius comes as the first of a selection of great classics to be added to the Modern Library collection. Hitherto unobtainable in a popular edition, this classic should be received with great interest.

Gargantua and Pantagruel by Rabelais and *The Revolt of the Angels* by Anatole France also appeared for the first time in popular edition in September under the Modern Library publications. Both titles replaced two others which were dropped out by the editors. The Rabelais volume was edited with an introduction by Donald Douglas.

October's Modern Library issues included *The Life of Michelangelo* complete and unabridged in one volume by John Addington Symonds; and *The Philosophy of Schopenhauer* edited with an introduction by Irwin Edman.

For publication on December 15, the Modern Library announces *Mrs. Dalloway* by Virginia Woolf, the author of *Orlando*. Mrs. Woolf has written a special introduction for this edition of her novel.

PROF. MOSHER ANNOUNCES PRIZE SPEAKING SUBJECT

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George Augustus Sandham Prize for Public Speaking, worth about one hundred and twenty dollars, is the first place award in the extemporaneous part of the program. This bequest was established under the will of Mrs. George Augustus Sandham and leaves a fund of \$2500 as the principal of a yearly award.

The Frieberg Memorial Prize was offered to the winner of the second place, was founded in 1920 by the Omega Phi Alpha Fraternity in memory of Hyman Frieberg '15, who was killed in action in France under circumstances which earned for him a posthumous Distinguished Service Cross. The award is valued at about thirty dollars.

In 1892, upon the death of Professor Roemer it was discovered that he had been anonymously awarding a prize for excellence in poetry declamation. In recognition of this, and in honor of his memory and name, the Roemer fund of \$300 was placed in trust by a group of officers and graduates of the College, the interest of which provides the fifteen dollar prize for the leading poetry recitation.

The 1928 extemporaneous contest was won by Abraham Olian '30, with Herbert Wechsler '28 gaining the Friedberg award. George Friedlander '30 gained the Roemer Prize for excellence in poetry declamation.

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Trounce Evening Session Fencers by Capturing Eight of Nine Bouts

Flashing bewildering versatility with the foil both defensively and on the attack, the senior team of the Lavender Fencing Club opened its season with an 8-1 victory over the Evening Session duellists last Saturday evening in the R.O.T.C. Armory.

Verill Liebow, Fred Emanuel and Joseph Barmack of the College were the brightest individual stars of the meet, each accounting for double wins over their Evening Session opponents. The former downed Israel by five touches to four in the initial bout and conquered Abramson by a 5-2 count. Emanuel easily outpointed Namorson and Goldstein, both by 5-2 scores.

Captain Barmack defeated Abramson, leader of the Evening Session fencers 5-3, then shutout Goldstein for his second triumph. Mac Hammerschlag, fencing for the Lavender, divided his two bouts, winning the first from Goldstein 5-2 but dropping the second to Abramson with a reversed score. Eddie Rausch gave the College its eighth and last victory by trouncing Namorson to the tune of 5-1.

Heartened by the sound drubbing administered to its first opponents, the team is now pointing for its second encounter with the redoubtable New York Turn Verein squad on December 8 in the Armory.

Professor Louis Senac, champion and son of a champion, who, following in his father's footsteps, gained the crown of world's foremost fencer, recently succeeded Prof. Julio M. Castello as coach of the club's senior and frosh aggregations, has called regular practice sessions to prepare the men under his supervision for the remainder of the arduous schedule which faces them.

The yearling team will inaugurate its season against the St. Johns' cub foil-weilders. A petition for recognition of fencing as a varsity sport made by the Club to the Athletic Association was tabled for further action at the A.A.'s last meeting.

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ST. FRANCIS OPENER ON CAGE SCHEDULE

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overcome by a scintillating performance on the part of ex-captain Hick Rubinstein who will not be on tap at Saturday's whistle.

However Captain Sam Liss who snared the honors with Rubinstein in last year's game, and Jack Sandak, Sid Liftin, and Lou Spindell who also saw service against the Maroon appear primed along with Trupin, Musicant, and DePhillips to extend the unbroken Lavender victory string.

This year's aggregation seems to be one of the smartest quintets that Coach Holman has turned out at St. Nicholas Heights in recent years. The nimbleness with which the fast stepping men dart about the court, fit in and out of the corners, and cut for the hoop is bewildering at times.

When this flashing footwork is coupled with the smooth assurance and perfect snap throws that have more and more characterized the varsity's handling of the ball, it might be ventured that the fight is likely to be about the opponent's basket a good part of the time.

However, that delightful arch which characterizes the Holman shot as it drops cleanly through the basket, has had only indifferent success as yet. The shooting in general, frequently brilliant, has at times been below the average Lavender standard. But during the past week a noticeable improvement has been remarked in this phase of the game which Coach Holman will polish by emphasis before Saturday night.

Whether, or not, the Lavender will be handicapped by its light weight is a moot question, the answer to which might be fraught with dangerous possibilities. At any rate, Coach Holman's quintet enters the fray in prime physical condition as a traditional favorite.

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An outstanding Broadway jazz-band has been procured for the occasion. President Robinson and Dean Redmond are expected to attend. A large number of alumni have purchased tickets insuring a prominent and numerous attendance. The dance is expected to register a high water-mark in athletic celebration.

It will be noticed that fifty tickets have been placed on sale to outsiders; that is, holders of "U" tickets. The Athletic Association, by this act, has instituted a marked departure from former custom. Interest in scholastic sports in general, and football and basket-ball in particular, will undoubtedly spring to greater intensity, for a superb football eleven has chalked up a remarkable record and a basket-ball team is primed for what is expected to be an equally, if not greater score.

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