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PROFESSORS JOIN KENTUCKY MINERS **OUTRAGE PROTEST**

Protest Issued "Against Recent Occurrences in Harlan and Bell Counties'

PROMINENT UNIVERSITIES REPRESENTED IN PETITION

Professors Overstreet, Klapper Compton and Gottschall are Included

More than 175 prominent educators scientists and scholars representing the faculties of nearly every college and university in New York including Overstreet, Klapper, Mead, Thompson, Schapiro, Compton, Otis, Gottschall, Schulz and Costa of the College have issued a protest "against the recent occurrences in Harlan and Bell Counties, Kentucky, it was announced by the National Committee for the defense of Political Prisoners, yesterday.

R. C. Tugwell, Frantz Boas and Carliss Lamont representing Columbia University, Max Lerner of the New School for Social Research, Lee Wilson Dodd of Sarah Laurence College were among the more prominent signers. New York and Long Island Universities in addition to the Union Theological Seninary were repre

Protest Cites Conditions

The protest is based, it declares, only on "well authenticated facts about the situation." It cites "the cruel repression of starving, striking coalminers seeking to change intolerable conditions; the framed-up murder charges against the leaders and their rials obviously conducted in a prejudiced manner and unjudicial atmosphere; the shooting and beating of strikers, their organizers and sympathetic press-correspondents; the terrorization of the entire community by mine operators; the arrogant and hostile treatment accorded to committees unconnected with the organization of strike and seeking only to ascertain the true condition of affairs and to distribute relief."

It adds that "these events show that the constituted authorities themselves are taking sides in the industrial struggle and have themselves thrown Kentucky into a condition of open class warfare."

Dreiser Led Investigation

Copies of the protest will be sent to Governor Ruby Laffoan and Senaresolution for a senatorial investigation of the Kentucky coal fields. Senator Logan of Kentucky will also receive a copy.

It was under the auspices of the (Continued on Page 4)

Hat and Baseball Collide in First Accident of Seaso

During the first outdoor baseball practice held last Wednesday, the initial casualty of the season occurred. A soaring fly came down almost vertically. Half a dozen by-standers yelled "heads up!" But an onlooker on the track neither saw nor heard. As the ball came down and knocked his fedora into a cocked hat, he at the McMillin Academic Theatre of March number must be in the Merlooked up, astonished, to see what all the shouting was about.

Davidoff and Spahn Selected on All-Metropolitan Quintet

Joe Davidoff and Captain-elect. Moe Spahn were chosen on the N. Y. Evening Post's all-metropolitan quintet, along with Bender and Jones of Columbia, and McCormick of Manhattan. Davidoff and Bender, at the forward posts, were the only two selected with the unanimity of the basketball coaches of New York's six leading colleges.

Spahn at guard was given first five rating by three coaches. Moe Goldman was at center on the second team, and Lou Wishnevitz was given honorable mention.

Fascism Discussion Presented at Forum

Attack and Defence Offered By Dr. Fama and Dr. Flumiani

Fascism was denounced as a planless form of autocracy, and defended as a necessary form of leadership Dr. R. M. Langer '20 Predicted Enforces for Italy and other countries, in talks delivered before the Student Forum yesterday by Dr. Charles W Fama, anti-Fascist, and Dr. Carlo M. Flumiani, Fascist author and economist. A debate between the speakers, originally scheduled, was changed to the delivery by each of a short lecture.

Dr. Fama, who spoke first, appealed to the Americanism of his listeners, declaring that since 1923, Mussolini has been supporting emissaries and spies in the United States, that patriotic Americans should resent foreign countries' "coming here to teach their ideas."

"Fascism is not a philosophy, but a mask used by a tyrannical ruler. he held, a ruler who is "only an adventurer, an opportunist."

Dr. Flumiani held that a "governmentment of, by, and for the people is impossible—impossible because it is impractical. If you give the people too much power, dictatorship must follow. This has been what has happened throughout Europe. It has not happened in America because of sev eral reasons."

The statement that Fascism has no philosophy he denounced vehemently. 'How could any political movement last ten years," he shouted, "without a plan, without a theory, without an inspiration?"

Dr. Fama attacked Mussolini as a traitor "to the industrialists who put him into power," declaring that he has made "slaves" of them as well as of the working classes. Dr. Flumi-

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COLUMBIA DRAMA INCLUDES CITY COLLEGE INSTRUCTOR

Edward Mammen of the Public Speaking department will-enact the role of a country swain in the Columbia Laboratory Players' forthcoming presentation of "The Forest Rose," it was announced yesterday.

The drama-therwise known as "The American Farmer"—is an old piece of Americana written by Samuel Woodworth and first produced in 1825 in New York. It is a pastoral English department; and the editor play in two acts, with music, and will be presented tomorrow afternoon Columbia University. Mr. Mammen cury office no later than nine o'clock, is a Columbia alumnus.

NEW YORK CITY, FRIDAY, MARCH 4, 1932

Receptivity Ruined, Esthete Deplores; Robinson Replies, Revealing Remorse

By W. Arthur Schatteles

College administration. The benefit, interest, and satisfaction of the stucally new theory of education-that object of the existence of the institution—will some day result in the im-Mike, as his cronies and kid brothers call him, will go down in the books as the man who brought about President Robinson's conversion to the

It happened one morning while Mike was listening to an organ selection by Professor Heinroth in Music

Properties of Physics

Latest Find

mally advanced last June as an "at-

M. Langer '20, a graduate of the

College, and Dr. Nathan Rosen, both

of the Massachusetts Institute of

In the "Physical Review' of June

15, 1931, Drs. Langer and Rosen, on

the basis of wave mechanics, cor-

rectly predicted the properties of the

neutron, which is conceived as a posi-

tive and negative charge in very

close proximity. Dr. Langer and Dr.

Rosen foresaw, that the neutron is

small enough to penetrate readily ma-

terial walls and that its mass and

energy are slightly less than that of

hydrogen. They further showed that !

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the authors feel themselves not bold

enough to offer the results for publi-

According to Professor Charles A.

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PRIZES FOR ARTICLES

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of the Mercury.

Monday morning.

The neutron, recently discovered by

"Prompt Service - Satisfaction 1 B. It was a music appreciation Guaranteed" is the new motto of the course and Mike tried his best to appreciate the music, but he couldn't. Something in his environment interdents will be the only aim of the fered with a proper receptivity to Powersthatbe of the City College of | immortal compositions flawlessly exethe (you know the rest). This cuted on colossol organs in majestic revolutionary recognition of the radi- auditoriums. Mike's observant nature soon discovered it was the organ rethe student is the ultimate end and cital number card that reposed on the easel on the platform. (Note for the dopes: these cards are used to indimortality of Meyer J. Plishner '33. cate the number of the selection being played at the Wednesday and Sunday organ recitais, for the benefit of the late-comers and the organ-recital number-card printers.)

The card on the easel was old; it was wrinkled, it was worn, it was dirty:-it was old. Mike saw that at (Continued on page 4)

THEORY OF NEUTRON | PROF. HALEY CLOSES FORESEEN BY GRAD S. P. CLUB MEETING

Presence of Club's Faculty Advisor

In an effort to enforce a by-law Dr. James Chadick of the Cavendish of the Board of Higher Education Laboratory at Cambridge, was forwhich requires the presence of a faculty member at meetings of stutractive speculation" by Dr. Richard dent organizations, Professor Owen A. Haley, faculty supervisor of clubs. caused the adjournment of a meeting of the Social Problems Club at 1:30 p. m. yesterday in room 210.

A discussion on the topic "The Student and War" was scheduled for the meeting, and Joseph Starobin '34 was addressing the audience of fifty, fessor Haley interrupted the pro-Higher Education ruling forbids a club's holding a meeting without a faculty member of professorial rank

tention, the meeting was adjourned ic numbers. Concluding, they stated to the sidewalk on St. Nicholas Terrace, opposite the South Walk, A this line is very intriguing, but in resolution, terming the decision to their precent state of uncertainty, enforce the by-law "a result of our increased interest and activity concerning American social conditions and the movement of the U.S. toward war," was adopted.

Corcoran of the Physics department, Professor Haley when later inter-Dr. Langer after his graduation in viewed by a Campus reporter, ex-1920, held a fellowship in physics at plained that he had gone around the (Continued on Page 4)

VARSITY RIFLEMEN TO OPPOSE COLUMBIA

An announcement that five dollar The varsity rifle team will ercounprizes will be awarded for the best ter Columbia in its sixth match of article, joke, cartoon and poem to apthe Metropolitan League of the Napear in Mercury, will be made in the tional Intercollegiate Rifle Associaforthcoming issue of the publication, tion, tomorrow afternoon at the Colannounces Harris B. Steinberg '32, lege Armory. Its defeat over Stevens last week puts its league record at Manuscripts are not to exceed 300 four victories out of five starts. The words and must be original. The judges of the contest will be George sole defeat was administered by N. Eggleston, art editor College Humor; Y. U., which, however, is expected to Professor Theodore Goodman of the have a tough time against Brooklyn Polytechnic Evening in its meet the same day. In the event of a College Belated contributions for the win over Columbia and a Brocklyn deadlocked for the league supremacy. a short business meeting.

"Campus-New York", is Address of Gasoline Tax Speech

An official communication from the House of Representatives in Washington, D. C., reached this paper yesterday addressed mere-"The Campus, New York, N. Y." The envelope contained a speech delivered by Congressman Harold McGugin on the cost of gasoline. It bore no reference to the College of the City of New York.

Lavender Swimmers Conquer Manhattan

Win Four of Six Events; Kramer Captures Two Firsts

The College swimming team won its second victory within a week when it overwhelmed Manhattan College by a 31-19 score at the Jaspers' pool Wednesday afternoon. The Lavender displayed a general balance of strength that enabled it to win four of the six events contested, in Ruling Requiring spite of the slow times registered in most of the races.

Harold Kramer, College star, continued his high-scoring ways by winning both th 100 yard free style and the 150 yard back stroke in addition to swimming the anchor leg on the victorious 200 yard relay team. His time in the back stroke, while much slower than his own College record was fast enough to set a new Manhattan pool standard of 1:58.2.

Manhattan pulled a surprise when it won the 200 yard breast stroke. Kenneth Degnan, Jasper freshman, sensation and former interscholastic title-holder, nosed out Eugene Sieprevious to the discussion, then Pro- gel in an exciting duel, the time being 2:48.. The only other Green ceedings to explain that a Board of victory came in the 50 yard sprint when Jim Murray won by a touch from Lou Abelson, Lavender captain.

Nat Snow was the other individual winner for the College, triumphing After a discussion on the matter, in the 440 yard free style. Snow, who neutrons would explain cosmic radia- in which the audience failed to dis- shows promise of developing into antion, the high density of certain stars, suade Professor Haley from his in- other Kramer, negotiated the quarter-

> The relay race evoked the most excitement of the entire meet. The College quartet composed of Captain Abelson, Anthony Huffert, Martin Rubin and Hal Kramer won the event in 1:47.8 but only through the extended efforts of Kramer. The tall Lavender ace, swam a speedy anchor leg to win by a good two yards.

Other point-scorers for the College were Joe Schubert, in the breast piling the highest foul average on stroke, Rubin in the quarter-mile, Sid the team. Speeches were made by Richman in the back stroke, and Coach Holman, Maxwell F. Marfluffert in the sprints. There was no diving.

NELSON COMPLETES STUDY ON TEACHING OF BIOLOGY

Dr. George E. Nelson, assistant librarian of the College, has just completed a study on the teaching of biology. Dr. Nelson conducted his researches in conjunction with Teacher's College of Columbia University from which he recently received his

A.S.C.E. Hears Subway Engineer

A. I. Raisman addressed the American Society of Civil Engineers of the topic of "Subway Design" yesPRICE FIVE CENTS

LAYENDER QUINTET TO MEET HOWARD U TOMORROW EVENING

HOWARD UNIVERSITY

Nat Holman's Charges Face Southern Negro Team in Charity Tussle

CONTEST ENDS CAREER OF FIVE VARSITY MEN

Davidoff, Siegal, Solomon, Halpern, Gitlitz Play Last Game Tomorrow

The Varsity basketball team, considered by Coach Nat Holman to be the second best five he has ever coached, will make its last appearance of the season tomorrow evening when it faces the crack colored quintet of Howard University of Washington, D. C. in a charity contest. The game will be played at Rockland Palace, 280 West 155 Street.

The game tomorrow will mark the last appearance in Lavender uniforms of honorary captain Joe Davidoff, Robbie Siegal, Al Solomon, Dave Halperin, and Harry Gitlitz.

Best Team in East The Varsity five has run up a record of fifteen victories in sixteen games, and has been generally acclaimed as the outstanding team in the East. The last team to experience as successful a season was the 1923 24 quintet, which lost but one game

The College is favored over Howard, but victory in this particular game is considered subordinate to the charity proceeds. Seventy percent of the gate will be donated to the negro unemployment relief fund and thirty percent to the Community Chest of Washington, D. C.

Team at Full Strength The team will be at full strength tomorrow evening with the reappearance in uniform of Lou Wishnevitz, whose illness caused him to be absent from the Rutgers game and to play only one quarter of the N. Y. U. encounter. His position had been filled capably by Danny Trupin.

Wishnevitz will work together with Mee Spahn, Mee Goldman, John White, and Davidoff. These five men have carried the brunt of the season's play, and have displayed a remarkable court coordination.

At a dinner tendered the team on Friday evening at the City College Club, Davidoff was awarded the annual George Cohen award for comceuse, member of the Board of Trustees, retiring Junior Varsity coach Mac Hodesblatt, Davidoff, and Spahn, who will lead the team next year.

A substitute Varsity quintet will play a charity game his evening in the Far Rockaway High School with a local team. Harry Gitlicz, Ai Solomon, Robbie Siegal, Julie Trupin, Jack Berenson, and Artie Kaufman will perform. Coach Holman will referee the contest.

A.I.C.E. Joins Unemployment Forum A mass meeting on unemployment in the chemical profession is to be held this evening at 8 p.m. at the Engineering Societies Auditorium, 29 West 29th Street. The meeting is to be held under the auspices of victory, the two teams will be again terday. The talk was preceded by local chapters of the scientific soccieties.

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OMORROW evening the College baskethall Washington, D. C. a. colored institution, in a charity basketball gamen at Rockland Palace. When this fact was made known last week we praised the move as a friend-ly, democratic, and administrative charitable gesture, and we, said that the game, deserved the united support, of the college, and the public. This position we still hold. But the metropolitan press seems to disagree with Hs. 14.61

During the winter, the New York newspapers! have given strong support to all sorts of charity sport contests-all worthy and deserving. The basketball carnival at Madison Square Garden, well publicized, proved a financial success. But now the College plays accolored university, and not one newspaper in New York City, outside of the colored press, has seen fit to print more than a few lines about the game. Some of the papers have disregarded it entirely. We have no doubt but that the vast majority of the sports-loving public in the city knows nothing about the contest,

We would be foolish to claim that a definite effort has been made to keep the details of this particular game out of the newspapers. But the fact that the publicity has been so meagre, is, were believe, indicative of a definite, deep-sensed, and traditional prejudice. It is a general sign, we believe, of a general artitude of intolerence based' on ignorance and a misguided, snobbish and cruel feeling of superiority. The incident, is only, a particular sign of an indictment that must be levelled at the ordinary newspaper's callous disregard of minority rights.

By all rights this game should have been publicized, not because the College happened to be involved, not because the charity angle was in volved, but because it offered an excellent and rare oportunity to meet our colored heighbors on a feeling of cordial equality, and because there, was a chance that it might destroy even to a slight degree the unreasoning seeds of harred and fear between the two races.

The opportunity is gone. But as far as we are concerned, tomorrow's game, is, a, hundredfold more important; than any of the games played thus far this year! And if the opportunity for the publicity is gone, the opportunity for tolerant kindness is always present.

COMMENDABLE

E take off our lasts to the thirty two faculty members who signed the protest against the monstrous conditions in Harlan and Bell counties. As citizens they are to be commended for protesting against gross violations of fundamental constitutional and humane laws. As educators-with a special and guiding task in community life they are to be commended stiff mote. andreseems about time for some of the people who sanctify the American Constitution to bring it to earth, examine its fundamental principles, and see that they are applied. We think it is tinfortunate that many who ask for nothing more than a strict observance of the fundamental code of the edunary should for some reason be stigmatized A mass metastical profession is to be

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green chemise in the other. Riding on Pater's back is Paul Verlaine who reads Slavonic poetry in a thin flutelike tone. A pink abdominal sympporter sis ! urapped around his waist and between the material

and the merhous flesh a squirtgun bruthdes (fine, beand eldthed in scarlet livery dances gleefully displaying a propost yourned spray by decked with daysies and solidified macaroni. Fairies playing silver flutes circle round them all.)

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One ought not to be writing Aldoves in the Sa-

ter is heard and Polonsky attired in a Gargoyle's face appears with Rabelais, James Doyle, Arthopilanes, and Dean Swift. They are all trothed in monks ar garments and carry redhot spiked pitchforks in their hands Above them hovers Lucifer, entirely made LUCIFER Of Collection broad

Powers, Thrones, Kingdoms and Dominations, within There walk the unmanned sons of female Art warm Singing their gelded songs and litanies: Come forth thou altar of words

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(Weeping) He, (She points to S. C.) came in the night like a yellow thick and deflowered me, He stole my (wails) O he put them in bondager, our arti

S. C. to water him with garage (Grovelling) Peace. (East Mun), I didn't know anyone knew, Anyway it wasn't me, it was my, grandmother, no, the Editor-of the Faculty Bulletin.

EDITOR OF FACULTY BULLETIN Anibia (Wrapped in ghostly garments he appears with the odor of the grave and rubbed garkic hanging in . a verbal balo ahout bim) are or total constitue add

S. Cr. House's 18 an Slavel (Shrieks) I take it back, I take/It back! (Hetsperose forth in a bronze enspidor Dangling Parliciples and Verbal Hodey.)

VERBAL HOOEY " Terratui

Friend we have lain in thy Jonah's belly thesen fourscore and seven columns. (Polonsky prods S. C. vigorously in the breeth pades S. G. sereams and falls fainting to the floor! " " and before many local off units PÖLONSKY, met a partier and the

So ya can't take it, can ya? (Ghorns of devils appear and/overable Walshoody) | Spoised for a moment, and sociating:) | ABIALLO HOOGO | Odown again | Odown a Cohen, have mercy on us

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" . . . had already written the poem about the bubbles seen of Calomite Tooth-paste Powder. poem to his acquaintances and

had heard their sheepish confessions that they did not understand it; he really did not care, but he had to lock distressed Now he was sitting under the light of a park lamp wondering whether the poem was too expression, however, and substituted the phrase "too rich in imagery; he felt convinced that he had not dabbed word upon word merely for beautiful sound. hese words only dimly painted idea, but at least the idea of the poem was inspired. He felt afraid at the word, and asked, inspired by what? . . . by bubbles? by gaudy balls adver-tising a tooth-paste with a cureall slogan? Yet he knew he had been inspired. He might imagine

seen bubbles in a laborators, a gloomy place cut by three cuboid beams of dust reflecting a par-ticle of light upon each particle of dust. Yet the thubbles had not been hazy, but clean and roundly floating, catching each bit of fire afrom the fitfully burning Bunsen allamps and dvansforming it from in mivsooty) glare into a softened elidight refracted; insepastel shades and brightened hues. An occain sional window or fixture instead mode having been trudely distorted, alhad been gracefully transformed within the delicate ethereal centers of ather bubbles. And then

dher and one of hear : he had already forgotten at what point in his musings he began to imagine these bubbles. Now he believed that he was actually seeing them before him. ghosts of departed personalities with all their happiness whirling before his eyes. Unconsciously he identified them with spatches of song that ran through his mind. When he saw the bubbles passing away, he felt embittered at their ephemeral nature, for he was already lost in their form and vision, feeling them his own ambitions and dreams

and for pen and if paper, and flung himself upon the turf. In the darkness his no hand glided over the page, felt b, words, and phrases form, with point added as if by an unseen guide that lifted his hand, held it

Saya us from becoming like youl a ban addauted row write it, in the darkness.

Struggle for International Organization

By Harry Elmer Barnes

(Written especially for The Camples !! !!) The interesting and versatile Russian Tsat/ Alexander I, was deeply oncerned with the cause of European peace. He was much influenced by

the Grant Design of Sully. As early as 1804, he sent to Pitt a somewhat preparting plant of the reconstruction of Europe after the defeat of Napoleon. During the next decade he came under the influence of Christian mystics, especially Frau von Krudener. His peace scheme took on a decidedly theological cast, and he proposed to found his plan for European peace upon the principles of the Christian religion. On September 26, 1815, he

"In the name of the Most Holy and Indivisible Trinity.

induced his allied monarchs to sign

the famous Holy Alliance, which

stated its basic conceptions as fol-

"Their Majesties, the Emperor of Austria, the King of Prussia, and the Emperor of Russia, having, in consequence of the great events which have marked the course of the three last years in Europe, and especially of the blessings which it has pleased Divine Providence to shower down upon those States which place their confidence and their hope on it alone, acquired the intimate conviction of the necessity of settling the rules to be observed by the Powers, in their reciprocal relations, upon the sublime truths which the Holy Religion of our Savior teaches : "They tolemake days clare that the present Act has no other, object then to publish in the face of the whole world, their fixed resolution, both in the administration of their respective States and in their political relations with every other Government, to take for their sole guide the precepts of that Holy Religion, namely, the precepts of Justice, Christian Charity, and Peace, which, far from being applicable only to private concerns, must have an immediate influence on the councils of princes, and guide all their steps, as being the only means of; consolidating human institutions and remedying their imperfections."

Alexander's plan was primarily a pious rhetorical gesture, not taken seriously by his fellow signers. In the meantime a much more realistic planwas being worked out, chiefly under the guidance of the British statesman, Lord Castlereagh, namely, the Concert of Europe. This grew out of the famous Quadruple Alliance of Russia, Prussia, Austria, and England, which had been initiated in 1814 and was formally renewed on November 20, 1815. This Alliance has been frequently confused with Alexander's noble but impracticable and generally ignored scheme. It provided for

the periodic assembling of the major European states (except France) to take common action against the threat from France, Gastlermagh: gave an excellent spill mandil flessinting of his motives and ideals in the following paragraph from a fletter which he wrote to Rose on December 28

moThe necessity for such a sys-my. tem of connexions may recur, but this necessity should no longer be problematical when it is acted upon. The immediate obspire the States of Europe, as long as we can, with a sense of the dangers which they have surmounted by their union, of the hazards they will incur by a re-laxation of vigilance, to make them feel that the existing concert is their only perfect security against the revolutionary embers (i. e., the sources of war, as then regarded) more or less existing in every state of Europe; and that their true wisdom is to keep down the patty contentions of ordinary times, and to stand together in support of the established principles of social

The Concert of Europe remained in more or less active force from 1816 until the Congress of London in 1913 which temporarily settled the issues growing out of the Balkan Wars. It was invoked particularly in the Congress of Paris in 1856, following the Crimean War, in the Congress of Berlin in 1878, for the settlement of the Russo-Turkish issues and allied problems, and in the Algeciras Congress of 1906 to settle Moroccan disputes. Sir" Edward Grey attempted to utilize it in 1914 to deal with the Austro-Serbian crisis, but his plan involved a situation which would have been manifestly unfair to Austria, and hence Austria and Germany refused to cooperate. The Concert of Europe, then, proved incapable of dealing with issues as complicated and form dable as the clash of the great systems of pre-War alliances.

Varsity Parkermen In Battery Drill

The varsity squad held its first outdoor practices of the season Wednesday and yesterday afternoons. About forty fielders and close to twenty battery men turned out.

Three-hour battery drills were held in the cage, each pitcher lobbing the ball up for about ten minutes. The freshman hurlers and catchers worked with the varsity squad.

Most of the veterans of last year's team attended the drills, the fielders taking regular turns at bat while some of the moundsmen tossed the ball in.

Another practice will be held in the stadium at 3 p/m. today, weather permitting.) The freshmen will work out at 4 p. m., but the battery men will drill with the Varsity.

PHYSICS SOCIETY HEARS GOLDSMITH ON "NUCLEI"

Mr. H. H. Goldsmith, of the Physics sics department, gave the first part of his lecture on "Atomic Nuclei" before the Physics Club yesterday in room 102 He described the develop ment of the study of atomic muclei, laying particular stress on the application of the scattering of alpha particles in the determination of huclear characteristics. The even I minute New Price Is Set For Lit Magazine

The thrifty burghers of the College are in for a surprise. Subscriptions to the Lavender, undergraduate literary publication, has been reduced from twenty-five cents to fifteen cents.

Seymour Bauman 234; business manager, announced that the large amount of advertising in the magazine has made possible a reduction in price. Newmanbscription tickets for the Lavender, which will probably appear, within the next few weeks, are to be printed Bearers of the old tickets will receive a refund of ten cents: about

The new Lavender represents am departure from all past issues. The magazine will have cardboard covers, a new format, and modern type. So many contributions have been received that the forty pages of the magazine, according to Abraham Polonsky 33, editor, will be chockfull of poetry, prose, and short stories.

Committee to See Students Students who were absent from one or more final examinations last term are advised to apply immediatety to the Faculty Committee on Course and Standing for permission to take the re-examinations given this spring.

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Prizes Awarded for Essays Written in Either English gori Germani i

As, a feature in the celebration of the George Washington Bicentennial Anniversary, an "Academic Prize Contest for American, and German Students" has been offered to all juniors, seniors, and graduate students in the colleges and universities of the United States and Germany.

The contest is under the auspices of German societies and individuals interested in the furthering of cultural relations between the two countries, but is open to students who have not included German in their curriculum, Among the sponsors, is Professor Edwin C. Roedder head of the German department.

Seven Topics,

To facilitate matters for students with no knowledge of German, the first four topics may be written in either language, and the last three only in English. These topics follow:

1. George Washington in the appraisal of German historians.

2. George Washington and the American Independence movement as reflected in the works of German

3. The German Press in Pennsylvania and the American Revolution. 1. Prussian-American diplomatic

relations (1776-1785). 5. Leaders of German origin participating in the American Indepen-

6. General Von Steuben's contribution to the American Revolution.

7. Pennsylvania-German settle ments as an economic factor in the Americani War for Independence.

Prizes Offered

The six money awards which are divided equally between the United States and Germany, offer two first prizes of \$300 each and two second prizes of \$200 each. Resides these, the George Washington Bicentennial Commission has promised three Washington medals. Announcement of the results will be made before December 31, 1932.

Manuscripts, from 3000 to 5000 words must be sent to Dr. Ernst Correl, Graduate School, 1901 F Street W., Washington, D. C., before October 10, 1932. Along with the name, address of the candidate and a certified statement of the student's academic standing, a motto or sign should be placed in an enclosed en-

W2HJ RETURNS TO AIR; CALLS FOR MEMBERS

Applications for membership in the Radio Club will be accepted by that group up to May 1 and students wishing to join the club are urged to apply at once. The Radio Club devotes the larger

part of its time to correspondence with other licensed stations in all parts of the world via its short wave transmitter, W2HJ returned to the air after a short periodication? od of inactivity, W2HJ has consist tently communicated with the Pacific coast, Canada, Costa Rica, the Panama Canal Zone, and England. The club is now utilizing a 75 watt transmitter operated on a 1200 volt gener-Vat Reasonable Erices

INSTRUCTOR WRITES BOOK

"Porto Rico - a Broken Pledge," by Bailey W. Dippie, an instructor in the Department of History, has recently been issued by the Vanguard in the Press, The book written in conjunction with his wife, Justine White Dippie, is an attempt to show how big business has entered the island, and betrayed and exploited the in-

terests of the islanders

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Considering Fascism in its relaion to the United States, Dr. Flumiani declared: "The United States can benefit by Fascist ideas. But people are afraid of the word 'Fascism.' People, if you expose the idea to them, will agree to its value immediately. There is a place, a convenient one, for Fascism in American life."

Dr. Fama appealed to the students o lead onward the movement for demodracy, with the guiding slogan, 'Give me liberty or give me death." Dr. Aaronson, chairman, made a

short introductory address. The Student Forum will hold a business meeting next Thursday. The room will be announced on the bullletin boards.

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Mott Addresses '83/Council Professor Lewis F. Mott addressed the first meeting of the council of the Class of '33 yesterday. Class com-What if they haven't, as they say, mittee chairmen were appointed.

Geology Club Hike The Geology Club will go on a like April 23,"in conjunction with the Evening Session Hiking Club. The like will be along the Aqueduct Trail. This like was decided upon at a neeting yesterday. A projected trip to Los Angeles was also discussed.

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FENCERS PREPARE FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Lavender Swordsmen Have Won Three Matches and Tied One

Riding on the crest of a wave of victories, the Lavender fencing team has turned its efforts toward preparation for making a grand stab at the Intercollegiate championships, In previous years the College contingent has finished well up in the final count ing, but has never yet scored top

This year the outlook is brighter than it has ever been before. If past performances are an indicator, the St. Nicks have potent possibilities for individual scoring in either Captain Mac Hammerschlag, Gerald Ehrlich or S. Thomson Stewart. These men have turned in consistently good exhibitions and with an ordinary a mount of good luck should give their opponents much trouble.

Three Won and One Tied

The record for the season of the team as a whole has been exceptionally good, and free of defeats despite the fact that each of the aggregations which was met had an impressive reputation for proficiency. Four teams have been faced, three of which were decisively beaten and one tied.

In the first meet, the strong Army squad was held to an 5-8 tie. Then the Hamilton College and Boston College teams were set back with one sided scores. Each successive match showed a great improvement in the Lavender representatives.

Then to cap the climax, last week the University of Pennsylvania fencers were defeated by an 11-6 score This victory for the College takes on a more impressive aspect when it is realized that the Philadelphians have never before been beaten on their own strips. It is these facts which make the outlook for bringing the championship to the College appear so favorable.

This Saturday the men will face the M. I. T. contingent. Unless something unforeseen occurs by the time the maten is run off, the St. Nicks should experience no more difficulty in disposing of the Engineers than it had in countering the best efforts of previous opponents.

Posts Open on Handbook

Applications for positions on the editorial staff of the Lavender Handbook, which is published annually by the Student Council, should be given to Emanuel S. Warshauer '32, president of the council, before next sterns, Schwartz College Entrants in I. C. 4-A Indoor Track Events

The College will have two representatives entered in the IC4A indoor track meet to be held Saturday night at the new Kingsbridge Field Artillery oval. Marvin Stern, who has been showing up well on the metropolitan indoor tracks this winter, is entered in the two-mile event. Joe Schwartz, short distance expert, will compete in the seventy yard sprints

First I.C.C. Meeting of Semester Today

Glass Urges Early Payment of All S. C. Fees by all Club Members

The Inter-Club Council will convene for the first time this semester today at 3:10 p. m. in room 302. Each club must appoint a member to be its official permanent representative to the Council, Benjamin Glass '32, chairman, announced last Wednesday.

Glass also requested that each club should see that all its members have subscribed for the Student Council student activity cards. The penalty for non-compliance with this ruling is the revocation of the room permits and closing of all rooms to the recalcitrant societies.

Although the final date for handing in the club fees has been set for March 3, clubs can still obtain the activity cards from Glass, who can be located at locker 346 on the balcony or at the Government office, and from Edward J. Halprin '83, chairman of the Student Council Membership Committee. All club fees are to be turned over to Halprin or

The Inter-Club Council intends to make a special drive this semester for a larger club representation than has been the rule during previous terms. According to the by-laws of the constitution of the Student Council, the Club Council has complete Prof. Haley Closes power over all the College clubs, along with the function of drawing up a calendar for all the organizations for the term. By the use of this power, if clubs cooperated, programs calculated to attract a great deal of attention could be prevented from occurring at the same time, as did the Menorah's presentation of Dr. Stephen S. Wise and the Disarmament Forum of the Social Problems Club and the International Relations Society last term,

Ira Gershwin '18, is the author of the lyries of the present musical comedy success "Of Thee I Sing."

OPERA

La Toza del Destino

It is no longer unfashionable to admire Verdi or to consider his works the most truly operatic of any composer. In the great field which lies between music and drama and constitues the land of opera, Wagner strayed in his works too much toward the musical side. His music in spite of intellectual determinations is in reality dramatic music with unimportant drama obtruding upon the sublime music. In modern times it is drama to the tune (or lack of it) of impossible music. With Verdi, however, both elements are of great importance and, in his later work, almost equally so. His, as all true opera, is an alloy in which neither the music nor the drama can be expected to equal the pure forms of the aesthetic and rational arts, but wherein a new experience more complete and varied gives us our most inclusive art form.

During the revaluations of Verdi which besieged Europe directly after the war and, like all important forces are just reaching America now, many

operas which were thought inferior were resuscitated, none with greater success, however, than "I a Forza del Destino." This opera, like all of its composer's middle period, is an uneven work containing, however, more masterly scenes than any between "Traviata" and "Aida." The entire second act is of such nature while the third act solo and duet are lyric inspirations indeed. The last act, however, is the greatest, there being little in all operatic literature to surpass more the custom to write stirring the duet in which the self restraint of a priest is gradually broken by the slurs of his avowed enemy. All these moments have been beautifully re- Professors Joins corded by the R. C. A. Victor Co,, who, with the aid of such artists as Rosa Ponselle, Giovanni Martinelli and Ezio Pinza and in cooperation with the Metropolitan Opera House Orchestra and Chorus, make available the leading parts in exact reproduction of a present Metropolitan performance. With the artists mentioned it may be said that their performance is as great as it ever was or ever will be given.

permission to meet. Nathan D. Lobell '34, president of

Outrage Protest

(Continued from Page 1) National Committee that Theodore Dreiser led a delegation of writers into Harlan and Bell counties last November and were later indicted for criminal syndicalism. A miners' relief expedition of writers under the JULIAN M. Moses and critic, was forcibly expelled from also signed the protest.

BOXERS END SEASON | Receptivity Ruined, Esthete Deplores; Robinson Replies, Revealing Remorse WITH VIOLET MEET

Campaign Closes With Match Tonight; Wrestlers to Meet Temple Tomorrow

The varsity boxing team faces the strongest opponent on its schedule when it meets N. Y. U. tonight at the School of Business gymnasium in the final meet of the season for the Layender. Tomorrow the college wrestlers journey to Philadelphia in an attempt to break its losing streak at the expense of the Temple University The boxing match is being staged

for charity, the proceeds going to the Mayor's Committee for the Relief of the Unemployed.

The Lavender is conceded an excellent chance of avenging last year's 5 1-2 to 2 1-2 defeat by the Violet. The boxers, in compiling the impressive record of six victories and one defeat, have proved to be one of the strongest teams developed at the College since the inception of the sport. N. Y U.'s only defeat this year has been at the hands of Temple.

Captain George Striker, undefeated for two years, will seek another victory tonight in the 145 pound class. Frank di Giacomo and Jack Diamond, two mainstays of the team, are both expected to win. Burdock Romano, Rosenthal, and Kreitner are others who are likely to see action

The wrestlers have a much more difficult task. To date the College has dropped five straight decisions and the prospects of breaking this streak are very dim. Captain Hy Finkelstein, 175 pound, who last week lost his first match in two years, Lou Mendell, 100 pounds, and Mike Kupperberg, heavyweight, seem to have the best chances of winning in their respective divisions.

S.P. Club Meeting

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building from 12 to 1 o'clock in an effort to see that the ruling was being complied with by the various clubs. He said that, because of the delay at the Problems club meeting he had not reached many clubs. Those meetings at which he found no faculty advisors, he explained, were ending already, and the Social Problems Club was the only one which he caused to be adjourned.

It was claimed by members of the Social Problems Club that other clubs, including the C. D. A., and the Chem Bia, and Dramatic Societies were meeting without faculty advisors present. The Student Forum, it was further declared, was permitted to hold a meeting in the Great Hall without a faculty member of professional rank attending. Professor Haley explained that the officers of the Student Forum had told him, the day before, of their inability to obtain Parks, both members of the relief the presence of a faculty member, and that he had given them special

the Problems Club, called the by-law "a clamp on all the student activities and killed by a deputized mine guard. and free speech, and I feel that the decision to enforce these by-laws is a direct outgrowth of recent obnoxious' student activity for the defense of Kentucky Miners, and against

ninder his music appreciation for the the new (Ring out the old, ring in rest of the term. So he decided that the new!) and all that, I decided I the matter called for action. And can hold my tongue no longer. I shall Mike is quick to act. So he wrote a letter to President Robinson about placed! it. Honest to God, I swear he did! (Doubters can meet me in The Campus office, where I will swear for anyone between 11 and 12 o'clock on Tuesdays and Thursdays and between on the President's official stationary. 12 and 1 on Mondays and Wednes-

Dear Robbie, he said, (only in more dignified fashion) I think those nasty old organ recital number cards ought to be replaced. I think they are a disgrace to the fair name of the College of the City, etc.) and furthernore I consider it a smirch upon our escutcheon — whatever that is. I have been silent so long, but I fear I

I shall speak. While Professor Baldglance, with the same cagle eye win was here I held my peace, for (right) with which he spots bulls' I thought he might have some sentieyes for dear old alma mater on the mental attachment to the dear old varsity rifle team. And Mike knew cards, the nasty old things. But now, immediately that that card would the old order having given away to speak: those cards ought to be re-Last Monday morning one of Uncle

Sam's Faithful Servants In Gray with a wart on his nose brought the following leter to Mike. It was typed "My dear Mr. Plishner: President

Robinson asks me to say, in answer to your letter of the 23d, that he will look into the matter of the number cards used at the organ recitals and have a new set ordered if necessary and if agreeable to Professor Heinroth. Sincerely, Adele Frank." (Sec-

DEBATING TEAM BOXERS RECEIVE **MEETS SYRACUSE** CLASS AWARDS

The varsity debating team will meet its second opponent of the season next Tuesday evening when it meets the forensic squad of Syracuse University in the Faculty room. The College debators will uphold the negative of the question, Resolved, "That Congress enact legislation for the rentralization of industry."

The College debators made a good showing against the Creighton University team when they met on February 19. The subject of debate was centralization of industry, with the College defending the negative.

Captain Harry Rothstein '32 and Harry Gershenson '33, veterans from last year's crack team, represented the College in the Creighton debate and most probably will repeat in the Syracuse meeting.

On the negative side of the problem the College debators took their stand on the three points that, centralization will inevitably lead to bureaucracy, that centralization is impractical, and that betterment of business conditions can be satisfactorily brought about by the use of existing bodies and laws. In the Syracuse debate the team probably will use the first two points, deleting the last one as unnecessary.

The debating team will meet the team of the University of Florida on Friday, March 11. The Lavender men will again uphold the negative of the Mentralized industry topic. On the same evening the J. V. team will meet Fordham, on the unemployment insurance topic.

Kentucky last month. Mr. Frank and Allan Taul were at the time beaten by self-termed "night-raiders." Harold Heckerson, playwright, and Doris delegation were jailed on charges of criminal syndicalism. It was while leading a group of miners to writers' relief trucks that Harry Sims, 19 year old mine organizer, was shot Faculty Protests

Acts of this sort, "involving the disregard of the most elementary decencies of human behavior" prompted the protest from the following members of the faculty:

Joseph Allen, John C. Benton, W. I. Brandt, A. W. Compton, H. A. Costa, J. V. Crowne, Theodore Goodman, Morton Gortschall, Oscar I. Janowsky, Jarvis Keiley, Oakley Johnson, Paul Klapper, Allen Marshall, Nelson P. Mead, M. Millhauser, Richard B. Morris, H. C. Newton, William Bradley Otis, H. A. Overstreet, Earle F. Palwer, Harold H. Rath, Donald A. Roberts, J. Saiw, P. Schapiro, Gustave P. Schulz, Bird Ctair, Holland Thompson, Joseph J. Tynan, M. G. Walten James A. Weiner, H. Lyle Winter, Joseph E. Wisan, and M. W. Zemansky.

Ernest Nagel '23, Irvin Edman and Walter C. Langsan '26, who are now teaching at Columbia and Sidney leadership of Waldo Frank, novelist Hook '23 at New York University,

retary to the President.) Tuesday morning a new set of cannot be silent any longer. I must, cards was to be seen on the platform

Four sets of numerals were carned by winners in a boxing intramural meet last Thursday in the small gym. The finals in the fifth were postponed until next Thursday because of insufficient time.

In the 115 pound class Gagliano echnical knockout, the only one of he day.

Cohen '35 drew a first round bye in the 125 pound class and then defeated Pollack '36 who had previously disposed of Rankow '35 in the first round. Cohen goes into the final match which is delayed until next week meeting Simkovsky '36 who defeated Novick '35 to gain a place in the finals.

Paskanzer '34 who last term drew with Alvaranza '34 in the 135 pound lass finals, managed to outpoint the latter to take the championship of that class and to net his numerals. Shulberg '35 won his numerals by defeating Schwartz '36 in the first round of the 145 pound class and then besting Greenwald '36 in the finals. Greenwald had won his first round match by a referee's decision over Marmor '35.

In the 160 pound class Mizmar '36 defeated Rafferty '35 in the first of the two bouts, Luskin '34 outpointing Lichtman '34 in one of the hardest fought bouts of the day. In the finals Luskin defeated Mitzman only after fighting an overtime

Next week, outside of the one remaining final bout, there will be no intramural activities. The intervening week is necesitated by the desire of Bernie Bloom '32, manager of inter-class athletics, to allow the class managers time to form class basketball intramural which is to take place

40 SOPHS BATTLE 500-FROSH SNAKE

Pants, Shirts, Buttons Fly as Reception Committee Greets Yearlings

Fighting desperately against overwhelming odds, forty foolhardy sophs secured a well earned draw against over five hundred frosh in twenty minutes of furious battling on the campus yesterday, at one p. m., during what was scheduled as a snake dance.

The freshmen, roused to a fighting pitch by the pep talks of their junior advisors, poured out on the campus, ready for the fray. They were received, graciously, by a small but valiant group of '35 men, who succeeded in smashing through the long, winding line of first year men.

After several minutes of this, with the newcomers giving vent to whoops of defiance, the class advisors led them down to the alcoves.

Here, about twenty valiant sophomores were drawn up in battle array, pehind two upturned tables lashed together, ready to greet the foe. They had taken the precaution of opening the window through which recalcitrant frosh were to be passed to the waiting reception committee.

When the men of '36 charged, the system worked like a charm. Man after man of the frosh was gaily tossed through the open window and just as gaily disrobed outside. Then the freshmen, seeing a way out, divided their forces and sent one half to take the enemy in the rear while the others continued the assault in front.

The stratagem succeeded and the mass of upperclassmen in the balcony seemed extremely amused at the ludicrous expressions on the sophomores' faces as they were seized and dragged backwards through the window. Once outside, they were swiftly divested of their trousers. The score of those undressed was, according to the most reliable estimates, was twelve sophomores against five fresh-

The one casualty was a sophomore who was stepped on and had his oreath knocked out in the wild frosh charge. Finally, the class of '36 obtained possession of the tables and triumphantly placed them in their alcove. The official decision, according to Albert Grossman '32 chairman of

the Frosh-Soph committee, was a draw because the sophs broke up the snake dance and the frosh captured 🛶 the tables.

A belated revenge was achieved by the sophomores when they recaptured their table after all the freshmen had left.

the following Thursday, March 17 in the Exercising hall,

The names of the members of the teams must be in the hands of Bloom by next Thursday, the manager an-

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