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# The Campus

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"What this country needs  
is a good poem." — Her-  
bert Hoover.

"Gorillas never kill their  
wives." — Arthur Bris-

### Fellow, Tutor Dismissed In New 'Rotation' Policy

Vreeland, Rosenthal of Hygiene, Chemistry Departments  
Given Notice After Eight and Five Years of Service  
Characterized as "Good" by Department Heads

By Sidney Mirkin

With the inauguration of a new policy of "rotation" by the administration, Albert Vreeland, a tutor in the Hygiene Department, and Robert Rosenthal, a fellow in the Department of Chemistry received notices of dismissal.

Vreeland, who has served in the Hygiene Department for seven years, received his notice two weeks after the Board of Higher Education had passed a resolution urging the retention of tutors who have served more than three years. Vreeland has received regular yearly increments in pay and is now the senior tutor in his department. He has also received letters of recommendation from Professor Wohl, head of the Hygiene Department. In a conversation with Vreeland, Professor Wohl told him that his dismissal was a part of the rotation policy and that since he was the senior tutor and had served longer than the others, he would be the first to go.

#### Moody's Reason

Rosenthal, who served as a fellow for five years and had received yearly pay increases until his salary reached the maximum of \$1,200, received the notification that he was not to be re-appointed on May 27. Professor Moody gave the rotation policy as the reason for Rosenthal's dismissal. In March 1934, Professor Moody had sent Rosenthal a letter in which he stated, "Your work in this department for the past three years has been satisfactory."

Last summer, Rosenthal was in complete charge of the Chemistry 2 course and gave the lectures in that subject. He had expected to hold the same position this summer.

Rosenthal has received his Master's degree and has completed all but two of the requirements for his Ph. D. He has been awarded membership in two

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### Ouster Movement News to Rattner, Legion Leader

Dr. Irving N. Rattner, past commander of the City College post of the American Legion, declared that it was news to him when informed last Friday that there is a movement on foot to oust him from the post. He said he would make it a point to be present at the next meeting of the legion.

In answer to the charge that the pamphlet he has just published on "Americanism" is not representative of rank and file members of the legion, Dr. Rattner insisted that it was absolutely in sympathy with the feelings of the average Legionnaire. Dr. Rattner's publication emphasizes loyalty and allegiance to the flag and the constitution which, Dr. Rattner indicated are not the theme of the Baldrige pamphlet which has been rejected by the Legion county committee. In contrast to the Baldrige leaflet, Dr. Rattner's has no red eagle or torch held aloft in a left hand but has substituted gold for red in the conventional American color scheme. The booklet is being investigated by the county Americanism committee. Dr. Rattner believes that it will be adopted for national circulation.

Dr. Rattner's pamphlet drew attention when it was published as it places limits on the freedom of speech the Baldrige definition of "Americanism" sets forth.

### 1500 Graduate On Wednesday

Commencement exercises will be held on Wednesday evening, June 17, at 8:30 p.m. in Lewisohn Stadium, according to an announcement by Julian Lavitt '36 and Joseph Klausner '36, co-chairmen of the Senior Commencement Committee. Over 1500 undergraduates are candidates for the arts, science, business and engineering degrees.

Following the custom of former years, seniors will bid adieu to the College in a series of special Senior Week social functions running throughout the week. The period will be concluded on Friday evening with a grand farewell dance at the Hotel Astor.

On Tuesday, June 16, the traditional numeral lights ceremonies will take place on St. Nicholas Terrace. Because of the unseemly appearance of the campus, the celebration will not be held between the arches on Convent Avenue as usual. A public address system will be installed for the dance music and burning of senior books.

The most popular of Senior Week activities, Class Nite, will be staged Thursday evening at the Pauline Edwards Theatre. E. Lawrence Goodman, chairman of the Dramatic Society, is in charge of the committee.

Contrary to the policy of past Senior Weeks, the farewell dance has been switched from the College gym to a downtown hotel. A capacity crowd is expected at the grand ballroom of the Astor.

Class Nite, another coed affair, will consist of a novelty program. Songs, skits, dances and other diversions will be featured. Stars of past Varsity Shows will entertain.

The numerals, "1936" will burn brightly the night of June 16. This dance always attracts the neighbors of Convent Avenue

### Senior to Publish Book on Liberalism

A slight, precise, rather scholarly looking young man is Hirsch Lazaar Silverman, upper senior 2. About two weeks before he attains his majority and a week and a half before he receives his diploma, Mr. Silverman will have had printed by the Century Publishing Company his "Random Thoughts"—a study of "Liberalism in Life and Philosophy."

The book, which will be 136 pages long with a preface by Professor Morris Raphael Cohen, was accepted, the youthful author has been informed, because of "its message to twentieth century youth that they can well follow," and because it was written "in poetical and philosophical language that is interesting in itself."

#### Faculty Support

From the start, Silverman had been assured the active backing of prominent members of the faculty. Besides the help of Professor Cohen and Professor Harry Austryn Wolfson of Harvard

University, he has received the support of Dean Morton D. Gottschall, to whom the book is dedicated, and Dean Paul Klapper. It was Dr. Klapper who actually sponsored the young philosopher, and tried to secure publication of his first work. "Anyone who reads a random page or two of your book cannot escape a conclusion that you believe that philosophy is song, and poetry is music," Dr. Klapper said.

#### No Central Theme

"Random Thoughts" is just what the title indicates. It has no central theme. The author merely gives expression to his views on such topics as man and God, moral laws, college, life's problems, the isms, true and false life and religion.

For example: "Life is greater even than a philosophy of life, and the best life is one rich and varied in content, ripe with action and thought, adventure and contemplation and responsibility.

### GROUPS TO SELECT EDITOR OF CAMPUS

Meeting to Discuss Methods  
Of Electing Editor and  
Business Manager

The Campus Association will meet on Tuesday, June 16, for the purpose of electing a new editor and business manager. The members will meet at the offices of Mr. Louis Ogust, president of the association, at 114 Liberty Street.

At this meeting, a committee of Campus staff men will confer with the Association members. A proposal for changing the method of election of editor and business manager will be discussed. The new plan seeks to give the staff members greater participation in making these selections than they have at present.

Today's issue of The Campus is the final one of the current semester.

### Mass Demonstration Called by AYC Unites Student Organizations

While armed soldiers marched in unison along Riverside Drive in commemoration of Memorial Day, 15,000 young men and women of all ages whose plea was, "Honor the Dead! Fight Against War!" celebrated United Youth day Saturday by parading from Madison Square to Houston and Wooster Streets. Trade unions, unemployed groups, children's organizations, settlement houses, and political, fraternal, religious, and student organizations of diverse shades of opinion united in the demonstration for "Peace, Freedom, and Progress" called by the American Youth Congress.

Under the banner of the American Student Union, over 250 students of the College marched together with Hunter, Brooklyn, and NYU. Slogans called for the ousting of President Robinson, the reinstatement of Morris U. Schappes, and the abolition of the ROTC. The parade, scheduled to start at 11 a.m., began to move at 12:40. The groups marched east on 23 Street to Second Avenue, then south to East Houston Street, and west to Wooster Street.

Behind four youthful army and navy veterans carrying two American flags was an open touring car draped with an

American flag on which lay a wreath bearing the motto of the American Youth Congress, "Peace, Freedom, Progress." Veterans of Futurk Wars, American League Against War and Fascism, Young Communist League, Young People's Socialist League, YMCA, and International Workers Order had prominent delegations. The Douglas Society of the College marched with the Harlem youth contingent. High school chapters of the American Student Union were almost as large as the college sections.

On Houston Street in the Italian quarter, mentions of the parade were twice attacked with barrages of eggs, tomatoes, bags of water, and fists. Police prevented serious injury or disorder, and throughout the parade not one group broke its ranks.

After the parade, the Rev. Hermann F. Reising of the American League Against War and Fascism and other speakers addressed the gathering in a vacant lot. Speeches called for the passage of the Benson-Amlic American Youth Act providing jobs and equal educational opportunities for all youth, for a united front against war and fascism, and against militarization of youth.

### DR. ROBINSON SIGNS PALESTINE PETITION

Petition Asks English Prime  
Minister to Establish  
Jews in Palestine

President Frederick B. Robinson has signaled a petition, addressed to Prime Minister Baldwin, expressing the hope that England would establish a free Jewish nation in Palestine.

The petition, which has been presented to Sir Ronald Lindsay, the British Ambassador, bears the signatures of prominent Americans, including Dr. Parkes Cadman, George Gordon Battle, and Dr. John Haynes Holes.

"Great Britain has it within her power," declares the petition, "to throw open the gates of Palestine and let in the victimized and persecuted Jews, escaping from the European holocaust."

### Eisner Hints Schappes to Stay

### 15,000 March on Youth Day

### Head of Board Expects Tutor's Recommendation

### Believes President Will be Influenced by Board's Tenure Resolution

### MEETING JUNE 16 MAY DECIDE CASE

"A fair interpretation of the Board of Higher Education's resolution will lead to President Robinson's recommending Schappes for reappointment," Mark Eisner, chairman of the Board of Higher Education declared last Friday.

The resolution to which Eisner referred was passed by the Board, May 1, and declared it "a wise and proper policy to continue in their position tutors classed as probationary or temporary who have served more than three years unless there exist strong compelling reasons based on teacher-qualification, for their separation from the service."

Allusions to a "high authority" who had declared Schappes would stay were contained in an article in the World-Telegram published last Thursday. Asked if he were the "authority" referred to in the Telegram, Mr. Eisner declared, "I can only say that I have not yet had any interview with reporters from that paper."

No Recommendations Received  
No communications for reappointment next semester or this summer have as yet been received by the Board. The Board cannot take action on the Schappes case until President Robinson presents the recommendations. Department heads submitted their recommendations to the president almost two months ago.

The final meeting of the Board will take place Tuesday, June 16, at the 23 Street Branch of the College. All appointments for next semester will be made, it is believed, at this meeting.

Protest against the removal of Morris Schappes has steadily mounted since Professor Horne, head of the English department, told the instructor that he would not be recommended for reappointment next semester. Protest was manifested in the shape of a five-hour sit-down siege before President Robinson's office, a mock funeral, a mock trial, and frequent mass meetings.

### '28 Lends Support To M. Schappes

The class of '28 passed a resolution last Thursday praising Morris U. Schappes and calling on the Board of Higher Education to reappoint the tutor next semester. Schappes is a member of the '28 class.

The resolution was passed after the class had heard a report from a committee which consulted with President Robinson for several hours two weeks ago.

At the same meeting, the class set up a permanent committee to work with similar groups from other graduate classes with a view to further coordination of alumni activities. A similar committee had already been formed by the class of '38.

All members of the '28 class who desire to participate more fully in the class' activities were urged to communicate with H. Sorokoff '28, at 836 Montgomery Avenue, Brooklyn.

The class of '28 will hold a dinner-dance next fall.

### WHY DELAY?

Fifty-eight days have passed since department heads submitted recommendations to the president for next year's appointments.

Thirty-eight days have passed since Morris U. Schappes was informed he would not be recommended for re-appointment.

To date, the president has not forwarded these recommendations. The Board can take no action on the Schappes case until the president submits the recommendations.

When will these recommendations be sent?

### TU Publishes Section Book

Over 200 of the 500 members of the College Section of the Teacher's Union attended the final meeting of the year on Thursday evening, May 28. A complete summary of the year's work was presented by the committee chairmen and by the secretary, Arnold Shukotoff. After a report on the McNaboe Resolution authorizing an investigation of communism in the schools, a committee was appointed to arrange a state-wide conference next fall for the purpose of turning the investigation into channels more in keeping with the interests of teachers and students.

#### Booklets Distributed

At the meeting, the College Section booklet, called "The College Teacher and the Trade Union," was distributed. This thirty-two page booklet discusses the general problems of college teachers—their lack of economic security, the dangers to their academic freedom, and their lack of organization. Under the consideration of specific problems, a great deal of space is devoted to conditions and recent events at City College. Copies of the booklet can be obtained from any union member.

#### Joint Meetings

The Columbia and NYU chapters decided to hold joint meetings during the summer and to concentrate on recruiting out-of-town teachers who will be attending summer sessions in New York. Other chapters are likewise making plans for the summer. The College chapter plans to hold meetings and to carry on intensive work throughout the summer.

### MOONLIGHT SAIL

Prices for the '37 House Plan Showboat Sail on Saturday evening, June 13, were raised to \$2.00 a couple yesterday, according to an announcement by the committee. Tickets will be on sale during the first few days of examination week in the Microcosm office, room 424.

Julie Wintz and his radio orchestra will provide the dance music. The program will include wandering troubadours and serenaders.

The ride will be held on the S.S. Robert Fulton which will leave West 42 Street at 8:30 p.m. Saturday.

By Kit 10





## Molloy Receives Naumberg Prize For Oxford Trip

Soph Chosen from Group Of Thirty for One Year Stay in England

By Henry Maas

It is a happy tale to pull a winning nag or to shoot evelen or to crack the Irish sweepstakes. But it is an even happier tale to knock down the Naumberg Scholarship of one thousand dollars toward tuition at some continent university, because you know you have done some work and the winning isn't luck and the happiness is deeper and more lasting. Robert Molloy '38 knows that happiness. Academic proficiency plus a pleasant personality, and there you have it.

First there were thirty on Dean Gottschall's fence. He knocked off twenty and then there were ten. Ten anxious sophomores awaited the president one fine Tuesday some weeks back. One by one Dean Gottschall led them under the blue ceiling of the president's sanctum, silently over the deep cushioned carpet. Then slowly came the words,

"And what would you do if you won your junior year abroad?"

Some stammered, some whispered what they long had dreamed and some just didn't know. Oh, to be in England now that April's there. . . Paris in the spring—or at any other season, for that matter. . . Molloy picked Oxford and won.

Robert Molloy hails from below the Mason and Dixon line. He's a history major, headed for the bar. Also, an ROTC man. He believes in hard work because "after all, we do come here to learn."

Dean Gottschall tells us that he pulled an A in every class last term. Molloy will be up among the constellations one of these bright nights.

# The Semester in Review

## Robinson - Student Conflict Marks News Development of Semester

By Leonard L. Beier

"Conflicts between the undergraduate body and resident Frederick B. Robinson and student opposition to war and fascism and their manifestations appear as the dominating forces underlying the news developments of the closing semester." The Campus wrote on May 31, 1935. Today, a little more than a year later, the same thing holds true.

Before the February term had even opened, events got off to a flying start with the publication of the Associate Alumni reports on the administration of Dr. Robinson in the College. By a 519 to 217 vote the group, meeting on January 27, accepted the majority report, signed by twelve of the seventeen investigating committee members, which condemned President Robinson as "lacking the human qualities necessary to achieve the widespread confidence of his faculty and his student body to provide genuinely inspired, resourceful and socially imaginative leadership." The minority report upheld Dr. Robinson's regime in office. On February 19, the City College Administrative Committee of the Board of Higher Education began its own query into the affair.

### Lavitt Heads Student Council

The Student Council, which was headed by Julian Lavitt, Herbert Robinson and Victor Axelroad, also investigated the College administration and arrived at the same conclusions as the Associate Alumni majority committee. "We do not believe that the present student-faculty discord can be eliminated or diminished as long as Frederick B. Robinson is president," the council wrote. A suggestion by the council for a referendum among the undergraduates—and later a referendum on whether a referendum should be held—was vetoed by Charles H. Tuttle, chairman of the Board of Higher Education's investigating group as "gross insubordination and a serious breach of

discipline."

"Oust Robinson"—"Keep Schappes"

The "Oust Robinson" slogan was supplemented on April 23 by a "Keep Schappes" legend. After a long period of service in various teacher and student organizations, Morris U. Schappes, tutor in the English department, was notified by Professor Charles F. Horne, chairman of the department, that he was not recommending his reappointment for the Fall semester because his efficiency as a teacher was not "sufficiently notable." Immediately a storm of controversy broke out in which students cited the Schappes incident as "another case of President Robinson's reactionary administration." Undergraduate protest took on a novel form with a "sit-down demonstration" in the Hall of Patriots in front of the president's office. Although Dr. Robinson stated that he was not free to discuss faculty matters with students, the College Administrative Committee of the Board of Higher Education passed a resolution affirming the principle that three years' service gives tenure. Mr. Schappes had been a member of the staff for eight years. The paths of Dr. Robinson and Mr. Schappes again crossed each other when the seniors voted the former the "biggest politician" and the "one who did the most harm to the College" and the latter the "most respected" of the instructional staff.

### 3,500 Students In Anti-War Strike

The fight against war manifested itself most prominently in the third annual "anti-war strike" on April 22 in which 3,500 College students participated. Students in the Great Hall meeting, which was sanctioned by Dean of Men, John Roscoe Turner, heard speeches by Mr. Schappes and other undergraduates and took the Oxford Oath binding them not to support the United States in any war it might undertake. The same opposition to war appeared on "Jingo Day" when the annual review of the ROTC unit of the College was held in Lewisohn Stadium. The Student Council sponsored a counter-peace demonstration on the campus and later in the Great Hall where Professor Morris Raphael Cohen addressed the students.

Organization of ASU Chapter  
Organization of the College chapter of the American Student Union went ahead rapidly despite the failure of the Board of Higher Education to act on the matter as yet. During the term the ASU played leading roles in the oust-Robinson movement, the April 22 anti-war strike, the fight to retain Mr. Schappes and the counter-demonstration on "Jingo Day." The recent Student Council and class elections in which seventeen of the eighteen candidates running on an American Stu-

dent Union ticket gained office were interpreted as a sweeping vote of approval for the ASU and its principles. Next semester's council will have Herbert Robinson as president, Louis Burnham as vice-president and Aaron Soltes as secretary.

### Skene Bans Circulation

The Campus itself had a hectic time of it this semester. The term had no sooner got under way before Dean Frederick Skene banned the circulation of the paper in the School of Technology, allegedly because of its oust-Robinson editorial policy. After a week or so of agitation, Dr. Skene reported to Dean Turner that he found The Campus "more temperate" and it was allowed to circulate in the Tech building. Later in the term, Louis A. Ogust, president of the Campus Association, suspended the paper after the staff had refused to accept his nomination for acting-editor. By the time two issues of the Student had appeared under Student Council sponsorship, the association had met and accepted the editorial staff's recommendation for acting-editor, Gabriel Wilner.

### Miscellaneous News Events

Other major-minor news events: the Dramatic Societies' "A-Men," "Waiting for Lefty" and "For People Who Think"; incorporation of the House Plan; the fight against the Nunan-Devaney Bill; and, in the way of lighter touches, the formation of the Association of Foreign Correspondents of Future Wars and also the Metropolitan Correspondents Association.

## Theatre Group Presents Play By Pirandello

"Six Characters in Search Of an Author" Presented By House Plan Group

By Willis T. Collins

"Six Characters in Search of an Author," as the House Plan's Theatre Workshop produced it and, principally, as Luigi Pirandello wrote it, is intended for neither common entertainment nor understanding. To the younger element in last week's audiences, the play was probably bewildering and even uninteresting.

Although the cast acquitted itself admirably enough in the difficult piece, it seems to this reviewer that the Theatre Workshop would have been wiser in choosing for its first attempt a simpler and more familiar work. That "Journey's End," or "Hotel Universe" or any of the other amateur standbys would have been received more favorably there is no doubt.

As staged by Dr. Richard Ceough of the Public Speaking Department "Six Characters in Search of an Author" was chiefly distinguished by superlative acting. The fire of Carol Grosset's performance as the step-daughter lent warmth and verve to the entire production.

George Kuehn, portraying the role of the father, essayed a difficult part in creditable style, but, after during the evening, was guilty of overacting. William Mearns, as the director, was the most convincing actor on the stage.

## • Correspondence

I am sorry that I cannot subscribe to the unanimous resolution of the Class of 1904, which you recently sent me.

First, the resolution approves what it describes as a "policy of the Board of Higher Education." As you know, I am a professor at the College, and as such I feel that any comments I may have to make upon policies of the Board of Higher Education should be made through proper official channels.

Second, you call upon the Board to "eliminate" certain unnamed "individuals." I cannot join with you in this request until you tell me who the individuals are and what they are guilty of. But if you are ready to do that, you do not need hearing for your complaint before the proper authorities.

The event will, I hope, prove the baselessness of my suspicion, that the Class of 1904 has really no tenable ground of complaint against anybody, but that it is seeking, for ends which it has not the courage to avow, to terrorize teachers whom it has not the courage to name, into conformity with standards of "decorum" and loyalty" which it has not the courage to define.

Sincerely yours,

Arthur Dickson '09

May 27, 1936

To the Editor of the Campus:

In your editorial entitled "Fighting Militarism" you ask me certain questions. Let me answer them.

You ask, in the first place, "Would Prof. Cohen have us drop the campaign against ROTC, because it causes displeasure to the militarists and to a misinformed section of the population?" My letter, as well as my address, clearly shows that I do believe in conducting the campaign against ROTC in a proper and effective manner, that would inform rather than antagonize the public.

Your second question is "Does Prof. Cohen believe that the organized advocates of preparedness, those who profit from war, can be persuaded to join our

fight for peace?" My answer is that most of them probably cannot be persuaded but that they certainly will not be persuaded by silly demonstrations. Such issues are finally decided not by the relatively few militarists or the perhaps even fewer pacifists, but by the great majority who have not yet enrolled in either camps. Obviously this majority will not be persuaded by childish parades and shouting. On the contrary, it is quite obvious that the public gets disgusted with such disorderly conduct; and if students continue to make nuisances of themselves, they will not thereby force their views upon the majority.

Third: "Does Prof. Cohen believe that the anti-war movement would have attained its present strength, had it confined itself to the limits of technical 'legality'?"

My answer is to point to the obvious fact that the really substantial gain for the cause of anti-militarism, to wit, the abolition of the compulsory feature, was the result of keeping within the law, and that all the illegal acts in the last few years have in fact been utterly barren of real achievements. You speak in ignorance of our College history when you assert that the militancy of previous Jingo Day demonstrations forced the legalization of the meeting this year. Students had legal meetings against militarism, some of which I had the honor of addressing, before the present mania for disorder arose; and those meetings were much more effective.

It is nothing less than ridiculous to suppose that a small minority of students can by illegal and disorderly conduct view the support of the great majority of the public. Such antics are rather bound to exhaust the patience and good will of the public and to deprive those who recklessly follow that way the opportunity of a college education. For no college or other organized institution can continue to function if it allows its laws to be violated with impunity.

Sincerely yours,

Morris R. Cohen

## SENIORS - - -



TODAY IS THE LAST DAY TO PAY UP FOR THE 1936 MICROCOSM. FAILURE TO DO SO WILL RESULT IN THE WITHHOLDING OF YOUR DIPLOMA. PAYMENTS WILL BE ACCEPTED ALL DAY IN ROOM 424.

THE MICROCOSM BOARD

# The Campus Sports

NEW YORK, N. Y., TUESDAY, JUNE 2, 1936

## Beaver Runners End Successful Track Season

Cap. Vic Cohen, Lou Black And Mel Joffey Star in Individual Events

By Sidney Mirkin

A triumvirate of veteran performers aided the Beaver track and field squad in completing its most successful season in the past few years. Vic Cohen, Lou Black and Mel Joffey swept their individual events in the three dual meets the College engaged in and enabled the team to score victories over Rensselaer Polytech and St. John's.

Cohen, captain of the team and high jumper extraordinary, added the metropolitan intercollegiate crown to his laurels. Last Saturday at the I.C. 4A meet, however, he could do no better than 6 feet and was tied for fourth place. Black, star weight man, was the high point scorer of the season for the Beavers. He captured first places in the shot-put, discus and javelin throw in all the dual meets. Considering the fact that Black was forced to forego many of the daily practice sessions on account of the fact that he works after school, his performances during the season were really below his potential strength.

Joffey, who specializes in the 100 yard dash, showed fine form throughout the season and in the Fordham meet, was clocked in ten seconds for the dash. Other Beaver stalwarts were Walter Warnick, hurdler, Irv Mauer, who forsook the weight events for the broad jump and Joel Greenberg, quarter-miler.

The freshman squad has developed several promising recruits for the varsity team. Oscar Gershenzweit, 220 and 440 yard runner should be a welcome addition to Coach MacKenzie's crews. James Clancy, burly shot-putter Leo Wechsler, half miler, and George Gittens will probably perform varsity uniforms next season.

## 'D F Wins Meet, Tallying 24 Points

The Greeks took over Lewisohn stadium last Thursday and tried to find out just which of the frats had the best men. After the dust had settled, and totals on seven events were compiled, it was discovered that the Tau Phi had inherited the tradition of Mt. Olympus by scoring 24 points the Delta Alphas three tallies be-

he shouts of "ringer," Roy Ilowit was shot put with a heave of 43 1/8 inches. Tallemand, Delta Kappa Epsilon turned in the best time of the year in the 100 yard dash in 10

seconds, who had been training for the half mile for Tau Delta Phi in 31 minutes 31 seconds.

## Profiles

Young Gene Luongo, center on the basketball team, is five feet 10 inches tall, and scarlet tresses . . . also which faintly resembles a . . . suffered a disillusionment and at an early age . . . ten months . . . and took up basketball . . . forget it all . . . Gene is a . . . or something . . . last year for some Student Council . . . still doesn't know what? . . . idiosyncrasy—going around in a derby on . . . hobby, working—and related sports . . . best pal was Oscar Cyrano . . . now graduated . . . the boys of their time measuring noses.

Morton Paul

## Sport Slants

An apology is really in order . . . this column, under the editorship of Irv Feingold, has been almost an attempt to out-tattle The Tattler all term . . . with no reflection on Mr. Feingold, this shouldn't have been the case . . . but it's too late to change now, so we continue in the best Feingold tradition . . .

Rumors have it, that Sid Lind, the breast-stroking swimming manager, has gone in for rabbit punching in a big way with a little powderpuff named Bunny . . . and speaking of Bunnies, "Flash" Raskin trained for his victory in the IFC half-mile on a greyhound pacing track in Woodside . . . Jack Cohen (the ugly guy) played ice-hockey on the Curb Exchange team for two years under the name of Burke . . . with that nose . . .

Reverberations of Irv Parker's "going native" with a queen called Isabelle last summer are still reaching us . . . Barry "The Man's Man" Shandler claims that Irv Nachbar is no competition . . . but our Kingsbridge operative reports that the Lasoff dame was in Poe Park three times last week with Nachbar . . .

Phil Minoff, Mortie Clurman, and Henry Foner did excellent work on The Campus sports staff this semester . . . Minoff is the black eye boy . . . Clurman, the Morton Paul of those swell "Profiles" . . . and Foner, conscientious as hell, but The Campus is sure to spoil him . . . Al Sussman, editor of Lavender-Cionian, refused a Trotskyite advertisement for the magazine because he is a blue-blooded Stalinite . . .

We hear that Seymour Moses is being sent an iron wedding ring by Il Duce for his services to Italian translators in City College . . . J. P. Cutie is also getting an honorary membership in the Fascist youth legion for children from two-to-four . . .

The aforementioned Mr. Feingold

## Averages

Following are the batting averages of members of the Varsity nine for the 1936 baseball season:

	Position	Batting Mark
Nat Gainen	2B.	.391
Jackson Gainen	C.F.; 3B.	.383
Lou Hall	P.; R.F.	.381
Dave Novack	C.F.	.380
Danny Frank	S.S.	.369
L. Hubschman	R.F.; 1B.	.360
Les Rosenblum	L.F.	.282
Chris Michel	C.	.281
Herb Wittkin	3B.	.263
Lew Haneles	1B.; O.F.	.262

will not be back in school next term . . . a distinct loss to fourth-floor night life . . . when "Tim" McCoy handed in his baseball uniform, he tried to hook a sweatshirt . . . Irv Spanier retaliated by snitching Mac's Latin book . . . now things are at an impasse . . . who is the mysterious Vicki that Gil R. Kahn meets on Saturday nights . . . the Varsity Club elected Jerry Horne "historian" . . . but the Big Bugle promises not to give up his love life . . .

Arky Soltes, the jayvee speedballer, has been voted runner up honors for Lewisohn Stadium wolfing . . . Mel Levy, somewhat neglected by The Campus, did a swell job with the J.V. this year . . . what government teacher has what Campus sports-editor on the grid-  
dle? . . .

JEETER

## In The Gym

Three more championships were decided last Thursday to conclude the most successful semester in the history of Intramural athletics at the College . . . Bernie Mazel '36 won the handball crown . . . This makes it two in a row for him . . . '39 ended the class wars by defeating '40 in the final hard ball baseball game, 7-5 . . . The sophomores scored all seven of their runs in the last inning . . . Mr. Bousin of the Math Department organized one of his classes into a soft ball team . . . The team won the championship by defeating the Shepherd '39ers, 1-0 . . . The Intramural Board wishes to thank Mr. Frankel of the Hygiene Department for his aid . . . The Board expects to formulate some kind of individual all-around competition over the summer . . . Until September . . .

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## Netmen Drop Lone Contest

By Melvin J. Lasky

Just about this time every year, the old Brooklyn Dodger cry is taken up: Watch us next year! But to dismiss the tennis team's spirited reminder as one would the perennial platitude of, say, the lacrosse team would be palpably unfair, for at last tennis at the College has shown signs of moving out of the orbit of the traditional NYU jinx.

The Violets for the second consecutive year administered the lone defeat of the season to the Beavers by a 7-2 count. The match this year, however, was much closer than the score

would indicate. Only sloppy performances in the lower singles and the doubles ruined the Lavender chances of adding the three necessary tallies to the pair registered by Fred Neubling and Captain Bernie Freedman.

But the other singles men, who are to return next year—the above two are seniors—turned in impressive performances in the last two engagements against St. Johns and Moravian. And Jesse Greenberg, stellar No. 3 man, who is to lead the Beavers next spring, will find for the nucleus of the squad a green group, but a promising one nevertheless.

Dave Linchetz may return; Sid Weiss, John Amsfield, Abe Siegal, John Schmidt are certain to be back.

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### Two Teachers Given Notice Of Dismissal

(Continued from Page 1, Column 1) honorary graduate fraternities, Sigma Psi and Phi Lambda Upsilon. Together with Professor Harrow and Mr. Mayur of the Chemistry Department he was author of an article which appeared in "Industrial and Engineering Chemistry." He was also co-author with Mr. Brescia of an article which appeared in the "Journal of Chemical Education." In two city wide examinations conducted by the Board of Education, Rosenthal received the highest marks.

In a letter in the possession of Mr. Rosenthal, Professor Harrow wrote, "I would like to testify very impartially that Mr. Rosenthal is an earnest and efficient scholar in his field and an extremely well liked and efficient teacher in the classroom. His personality is of the type that I would like to have in people associated with me in my own department."

**Thoroughly Competent**  
Professor Stevenson, in a letter to the Committee on Law of the Board of Education, stated, "As a matter of actual record, Mr. Rosenthal has given perfect satisfaction as a teacher of chemistry here at City College." Mr. Rosenthal is also in possession of a letter from his research supervisor at Columbia University which asserts that he is thoroughly competent.

Commenting on the two notices of dismissal, the Union Teacher, publication of the Teachers Union, stated yesterday, "The actions of the President and of at least one Head of a department certainly are in violation, both of the Feld-McGrath Tenure Law which is still on the statute books and the Board resolution of May 7. "The article further declared, "We urge the Board to request the President to submit his recommendations at once, and to insist that the recommendations be made in accordance with the May 7 resolution."

### Robinson Declines To Discuss Story About Schappes

President Robinson refused yesterday to discuss last Thursday's story in the New York World-Telegram which stated, "on high authority," that the president would recommend Schappes for reappointment next semester.

At the same time, the president stated, "I am not going to discuss the status of any person in the College with anyone but that person. It's not ethical."

The Telegram story expressed the view that the president's recommendation of Schappes would come as a result of a resolution by the Board of Higher Education which urged the "continuance in their positions" of tutors who had been in service for more than three years unless their were strong reasons, based on "teacher qualification" for their dismissal from the service.

Mark Eisner, chairman of the Board of Higher Education, whom many surmised to be the unnamed "authority" referred to in the story, stated that he had not been interviewed as yet by the World-Telegram.

President Robinson has consistently refused to make any statements to the students as to his intentions in the Schappes case. A student committee headed by Charles Saphirstein '36, was told by the President last April, "It is none of your business. It is presumptuous of you to stick your nose into business that does not concern you."

### NEW MERCURY EDITOR

Ezra Goodman '37 was elected editor of Mercury and Arthur Refowitz '37 was elected business manager of the college humor magazine last week. The elections were announced by Philip Reeckert, president of The Mercury Association. "Next term, the Merc will have a new editor," the new editor declared in a statement issued yesterday. "This position is more and better stories, cartoons and other features. Men are not to be tipped and circumstances." was the

### Reviewer Discusses Personalities In Campus Scoops of Past Term

The past year has produced the usual quota of scoops for The Campus, and with them the rise to fame of persons involved in the stories. New names and many of the old ones have hit the front page with unfailing regularity and thus they are entitled to mention in the Campus Hall of Fame.

**Morris U. Schappes:** Red-headed, bespectacled English tutor... Leader in all liberal staff movements. Exact... Requires correctness to the nth of a degree... Seldom smiles... Minor impediment of speech despite frequent Great Hall talks... Press agent for anti-Fascist Association... Also sub-press agent... Materialist in literature... Flavors lectures with social and economic references...

**Mark Eisner, chairman of the Board of Higher Education:** Tall, impressive, dignified... Easy to approach... Sense of humor... Typical, well-to-do attorney... Just answers questions... Won't ramble endlessly as other people we know... Knows how to handle the newspaper boys... No mean trick in itself...

**Charles H. Tuttle, head of the City College administrative committee:** Also red-headed... But different shade than Mr. Schappes... Lives next door to College... Has pesty secretary... Also pretty daughter... Tactful in College matters... Spokesman of committee... Former United States District Attorney...

Dr. Irving N. Rattner, past commander of the College post of the American Legion: Talkative... Sometimes says wrong things... As he has no doubt found out... Achieved fame after publicity in The Campus... Fellow-legionnaire Norman L. Marks got job for same reason... Prolific writer too... On Americanism and stuff...

### BAND REFORMS

Reforms in the method of deciding what members of the College band shall receive awards were drawn up last week by Colonel Oliver P. Robinson and several members of the band.

The proposed changes will give the members of the band a greater voice in the selection of the award recipients than heretofore.

The band will vote on the proposals and will choose a student leader and drum major at its first rehearsal of the fall semester.

### Groups Elect AYC Delegates

Delegates to the third American Youth Congress at Cleveland on July 3 and 4 have been elected by the Student Council, American Student Union, Politics Club, Society for Student Liberties, Ed. Club, Douglass Society, and Baskerville Society. Several other groups are expected to take action by the end of the week. A lack of funds, however, may prevent many delegates from being sent.

The Cleveland Congress is regarded by its sponsors as the culmination of the past year's activities in most of which the College participated. At a conference to discuss the operation of NYA in New York City, held on February 15, Gerald Gross '37 and William Spinrad '39 were elected to represent the College on the permanent Youth Problems Commission established. Forty organizations on the campus sent delegates to the State Youth Congress early this month. Saturday's United Youth Day Parade was the most recent activity of the Youth Congress movement.

Herbert Robinson '37 and Louis Burnham '37 were selected as the Student Council delegates, at last year's Congress, Robert Brown '36, then President of the Council, was elected to the National Council of the AYC.

### Senior to Publish Book on Liberalisms Play Pirandello

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believed that "the court should be more flexible for our dynamic society."

Colleges, he declared "could be placed in two categories: the workhouse and the social club. He supposed the College was a happy medium.

Although Soviet Russia was on the right road he felt it not taking the correct steps to achieve its end. He suggested "more common sense and less nonsense."

Previously, his writing had been confined to the associate editorship of high school year book. If he does not win a law scholarship, he will do graduate work at Columbia or Mount

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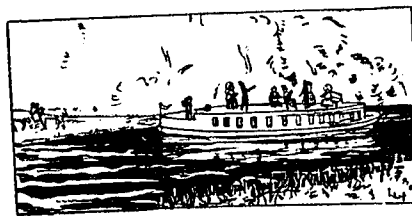
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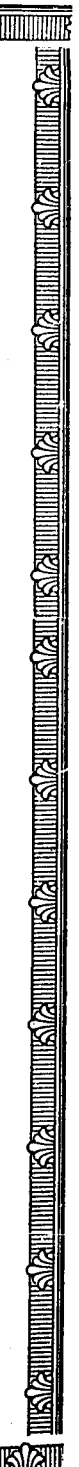
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