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Late Returns Indicate **BCC Will Win SC Offices**

Races in Classes Hotly Contested

With less than five hundred of the three thousand ballots cast yet to be three thousand ballots cast yet to be counted, the Build City College party 840 Students slate is assured of the three major Student Council offices, president, vice-president and secretary.

The races in the classes, however, are exceedingly close. Margins of two or three votes separate many candidates on the three principal tickets, BCC, Progressive Student and United Action. A few ties exist.

As the returns were counted and the members of the parties realized the closeness of the fight, the BCC leaders declared they would contest every of fice lost by fifty votes or less. The PS party has also indicated that a recount will be demanded in the whole

Raisky Leads

William Rafsky '40 is leading the ticket with 1,896 votes for secretary of the council. Jack Fernbach '39, running for president, has 1,408 and Alan Otten '40 has 1,237 votes for secretary. The votes yet to be counted are not likely to shift the lead.

The lead in the '41 class, on the other hand, changes with each vote counted. Dick Siegal (BCC) leads still be under twenty-five years. Marvin Fuchs (PS) by three votes. Murray Rafsky (BCC) and Jack Cooperman (PS) are tied for uppe SC representative.

Frank Freiman (BCC) leads Max Goldman (BCC), running for vice-blanks there beginning tomorrow. president, leads Paul Graziano (PS)

Bernard Walpin and Joel Steigman ran unopposed for president and vicepresident of the '39 class respectively.

Robert Mangum (BCC) scems certain to win the '42 presidency, running almost one hundred votes ahead of his PS opponent, Stan Sadowsky. However, for vice-president, Miles Cahn (PS) is leading Lawrence Hass be open next Monday through Friday

\$113,400 Grant Textbooks From NYA Aids To The Campus:

840 College students are receiving aid sideration for the student body. It Of Androcles from a \$113,400 allotment from the is extremely laudable for us to be National Youth Administration for the interested in the dire evils of society 1938-1939 scholastic year, Aubrey at large, however, reform should start Williams, NYA administrator, an from some tangible point in our scholnounced last week. He also revealed astic life. Such a point could be free an increase over 1937-1938 in aid to textbooks. This issue must be rescollege students throughout the nation of 13.5 percent.

The procedure for students at the College who desire to enroll in NYA the part of the Student Council. was announced yesterday by Miss Fanny Berwanger of the Curator's Of-

Applicants must prove need and have C average or better in their studies. been accomplished? Why don't we Since the average required for entering the College is higher than C, this comes? What faculty aid has been does not apply to freshmen, Miss Berwanger said. Applicants must be tak- dual seeking information, I finally ing twelve or more credits this term. They must be American citizens or have filed Declarations of Intention, which are still valid and unexpired, before June 21, 1938. They must have passed their sixteenth birthday and they stated that they would allot no

Applications in 218

Those not at present on NYA should apply, after they have registered, for enrollment cards in 218 Main, where Lehrer (PS) for presidency of the they will be available beginning to-'40 class by about seventy votes. Al day. They can obtain application

> Students who are now doing NYA work should apply in 218 Main for mid-year supplementary applications, which are available beginning today. They are required to have maintained at least a C average last term and to be taking 12 or more credits this term.

All applications must be filed in the NYA Placement Office, 6 Harris, by Friday, February 10. The office will from 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.

Correspondence

Writer Offers Plan for Free

There can be no doubt in my mind that the matter of free textbooks for Mixed in Story CCNY should be one of prime con cued from its present position of being a political slogan warranting no legislative or executive measures on

To prove the lack of student action, only a few pointed questions need be asked: "What committee is now working on the problem? What has the thorn-in-paw tale would make a hear of the issue until election time enlisted in the fight?" As an indivimanaged to satisfy my curiousity on these points. It appears that some high educational board flatly refused to appropriate the necessar, funds for free textbooks. As a matter of fact, money at all. Unable to gain any headway, the free book committee then turned to other means to alleviate the condition. As a result, some provisions have been made to award scholarships for textbooks. A student must prove impecuniousity to be eligible for such a scholarship.

It must be evident that such a plan is entirely inadequate. Only a small fraction of the students can be accounted for under this method. There fore, I believe that suggestions are in order and I hope that mine will inspire further more complete, recommendations. My proposals are as fol-

painstaking committee whose exis- in big schools like Columbia in New York and California at Los (Continued on Page 2, Col. 2)

Beaver Five Travels West To Face Bradley Tech, Loyola

Faith, Humor

It isn't blasphemy these weeks at he Lafayette Theater; it's a matter of pure faith mixed with rich humor. The Negro cast in G. B. Shaw's Androcles and the Lion conveys the beauty of the spiritual—pure faith nixed with naive humor.

Students of early Christian tradiions who haven't yet seen the new sindrocles are due for a revelationand not of the supernatural sort What those players are doing with matyr laugh until he split the lion's

As a prologue to the glory of maryrdom. Androcles is shown in a scene of disaffection with his wife. Mrs. Androcles complains about the number of pets-probably not housebroken -that Andy keeps around the house. His animal-taming abilities are use ful however when an inflamed lion roars out of the thicket. Androcles performs the extraction without benefit of novocaine; the shrew is effectively tamed, and the lion waltzes gratefully and gracefully with his enefactor. All this in the prologue.

For two acts thereafter the Chrisians, including the devout Androcles discuss their impending martyrdom with something less than equanimity.

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'Campus' Issues Call For Candidates

There will be a meeting of all those linterested in joining the staff of The Campus, official undergraduate newspaper of the College, in 10 Main on Thursday, February 9, at 1 p.m.

Positions are open on the Associate News Board and the Sports Board. At the end of the training period, a test will be given and the candidates will be interviewed individually by the complete managing board, which then decides on the appointments.

Uptown Boatride Planned for May

An all-uptown day and night boatthe Saturday and Sunday dates.

The ticket sale will be limited in order to insure adequate room for capacity, are being considered.

Posts on the publicity, ticket and through. Just try." office committees are open. Appliants should see Bernard Walpin '39, chairman of the SC boatride committee, in 11 Mezzanine, any day after about the court. On the scoring end

in Texas. They have asked, "Should

country for Jewish refugees from

But it was clear from the coast-to-

coast returns that students as a whole

would like to see the United States

help oppressed German minorities in

some way, some suggesting the offer-

ing of homes in U. S. possessions.

'No country should turn away peo-

American Jewish students, congre-

YES, said

31.2 per cent.

.... 68.8 per cent.

Poll on Refugees

Angeles and in smaller schools like Luther in Iowa and Schreiner

Returns Feb. 8 To Meet Fordham In Garden

By Harold Mendelsohn

While ordinary mortals are still trying to have the Recorder open closed" classes, the College baskethall team is heading west to meet unbeaten Loyola of Chicago tomorrow and Bradley Tech, sensations of last year's Madison Square Garden tournament, on Saturday night in Peoria. Holman's boys will conclude their beween terms activity when they meet Fordham in the Garden, Wednesday evening, February 8.

Quintet Needs Fight

Beaver coach Nat Holman's quintet will need all the craft and fight they the Student Council, will be held had when they toppled the Oregon either May 20 or 21. A referendum giants. The Loyola situation seems to vill be conducted shortly to deter-deserve even more buildup than was mine the students' preference between given the Webfeet. Playing center for the Chicagoans is one Mike Novak who penetrates the stratosphere those participating. Only one boat for only three inches less than seven will be chartered. The Westchester feet. This 6' 9" hunk of basketball and Americana, both boats of large business just plants himself under the backboards and says: "Just try to get

So far this season Novak and his playmates have had no trouble at all in pushing their midwest opposition of this unbeaten streak has been Wibs Kautz who has averaged twenty points per game. Bradley Tech with a record of eight won and ten lost, to the Lavenders' five defeats and two victor ies, has merely a 6' 4" ceiling so our Austin, Texas, Feb. 1.—Campus interviewers have approached heroes' Big Boy Al Soupios, 6' 1', will students of every description, rich and poor, freshmen and seniors, only be at a three inch disadvantage.

Nat Holman's answer to the midvesterners will be just eleven men the United States offer a haven in this and all the smooth hipper-dipper passing attack, aggressiveness on the defense which have been drilled into College quintets for the twenty years that Nat has been coach on Convent Avenue. The starts will probably be the

usual first five: Co-captains Manny Jarmon and Lou Lefkowitz, Al Soupios, Babe Adler, and Dave Siperstein. Izzy Schnadow, Lou Daniels, Jack Carpien, Al Goldstein and Harvey Lozeman, who has just been promoted from the Jayvec, will be the reserves.

Wherein the Author Relates How He Succeeded in Passing Gargoyles Spanish 2 Without Having to Register for the Course

from my gray hairs, I suddenly realize the awful truth, that I have never deserved his horrible fate." For I ple was obviously the one that fell satisfactorily explained to the world did arrive in room 306 at 3 p.m., al- on Newton. Comprehending that, it next term, somehow or other I mixed how it came about that I received beit it was June 8. In five minutes, was no trick at all to derive and excredit for Spanish 2. I, who never I opened the test paper, and read that plain Newton's laws of motion, and tion with something else. For this took Spanish in my life.

have heard tales of how I studied for c implies d, where is e if f has gone ground, the heat produced would be weeks before the examination, of how down to Palm Beach for the winter?" I entered it with an informative cuff. Physics test questions have long lead, if each man weighed three hun-But I must now shamefully confess been noted for their obscurity, and dred pounds, and there were 6.167 e the cruel gaze of the tion vs. Arnold.

The Hell with the "Bull"

The scene is the Lincoln Corridor; letin. A student walks by: he sneers. It is myself, and I say: "The Hell date of the examination from The Campus." (I was young. What did I know of life?) But in reading The Campus I was day dreaming,

fateful first question, which was to insert the fact that, if the men climbed my second great erratum, I have no You shake your heads. I know, you be my undoing—"If a implies b, and twenty-seven miles, and fell to the

that these are lies, invented to save who shall point the finger of scorn men. I interpreted a as Area, b curve, c as Young's modulus, f as the rest of the examination. Suffice it to wanted was a reductio ad abundum, be allowed admittance. Noticeable world. And now it must be my pun- as the direction cosine of a skew awful truth in the case of Civiliza- coefficient to thermal increase and e say that I handled each question in crudely referred to as a "reduction." was the qualification, "If other nation was Appendix to the say that I handled each question in crudely referred to as a "reduction." was the qualification, "If other nation was a say that I handled each question in crudely referred to as a "reduction." as 2.71828? And so, I drew a few the usual way, and handed in what 1 This was a snap, and I rattled off tions help also." curves, commented aptly on the wave thought to be a very creditable paper. three and a half pages. The rest of corpuscular, and quantum theories of It was only after the test was over, they are distributing the Faculty Bula critical evaluation of Heisenberg's 12 exam. Exclusion Principle in its aspects on with the Faculty Bull. I will get the the elasticity of ether, and its implications in the interpretations of ther-

modynamic infinitesimats. When Is an Apple a Doctor

when the fatal time arrived. Thus it climb mountains, an an apple a day top of the paper, in red pencil was: was that I copied down for the date keeps the doctor away, can an apple "Interesting neo-realism. But cf. of the Physics 2 examination June 8 climb a mountain?" This, I don't Schulman for improvement." I went in room 306 at 3 p.m. instead of June 8 climb a mountain?" This, I don't Schulman for improvement that yet and told him that yet and the second state of June 1 mind admitting, was a sticker. But I up to the instructor and told him that yet and that I had could see what the examiners were it was all a mistake, and that I had

sufficient to vaporize sixteen tons of

Creditable Paper

During the test, an instructor anturned, marked. Dazed by my terrible discovery, I waited, and received Question II asked: "If all men can my paper. My mark was 84, and on

As I sit here flicking the dandruff | But, let not the verdict of the gen-after: the men climbing were doing no intention of cfing anything but

This wound healed with time, but

of the fellows who had also left, I ern 29.5; Far Western 23.2. Awaregradually gathered that it was not the ness of the problem and distribution Philo 4, but the Chem 59 test.

There it was, in black and white. "Describe the reduction of apyna-am-ino-beta-keto-but-ric acid." 1 was would we put them?" asked a Uni- Purchase of 'Mike' Describe the reduction of apyha-amstumped for about five minutes. And versity of Minnesota sophomore. I shall not bore my readers with the then it came to me that what was Others definitely believed to the paper was a pipe, and I handled that I found I had taken the Philo Question VIII, rather neatly. "What existential world, there was no such that particular section of the coun-printer. ther universe of discourse, you see.

> I call upon the world to judge me are pointed out by these sectional (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1) figures. (Continued on Page 2, Col. 1)

ple who bring so much with them, said an Illinois senior. "But where 80% of Seniors Pledge

Eighty percent of the members of

The final deadline for photographs has been set for Friday, February 10. Activity sheets are also obtainable up acids are produced by hydrolosis of gated in the East Central states, it to that date. Any submitted after that histidine? I explained that in the appears raised the "yes" answers in time should be sent directly to the

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Payments are now being accepted of the population along racial lines at any time and in any amount at the Mike office, 11 Mezzanine.

Gargoyles

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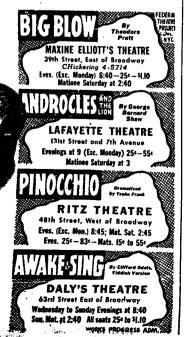
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