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PLAN FOR REVISION OF TEACHERS' SALARIES OFFERED BY PRESIDENT

Program, Explained Before State College Alumni in Syracuse, Substitutes Large Increment After First Three Years for Present Annual Increase

A proposal to tackle the whole problem of teachers' salaries from a new stand point was advanced by President A. R. Brubacher in an address before the State College Alumni remion at the Hotel Onondaga in Syracused during the forty-seventh annual meeting of the New York State Associated Academic Principals. Sixty-five men, most of them school administrators, heard the plan as outlined by Dr. Brubacher.

Stating that "school administrators must not be 'pollyannas' in facing present financial upheavals brought about by the world-wide depression,' he declared that the situation must be firmly faced. Teachers' salaries, he pointed out, form the hub of any discussion of school finance and taking this stand, he outlined a plan to effect a "tremendous relief for school bridgets, but at the same time project the schools from suffering."

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Briefly, his plan would entail a revision in the existing state legislation regarding teachers' salaries.

Under present laws, teachers get mandatory salary raises each year of the first eight years of their teaching. After that, though they may teach thirty years longer, many get no further recognition of increased ability in the form of higher salaries.

The President would substitute for this a plan whereby beginning teachers would teach for three years before they received any increase. For their fourth year, they would receive a larger increase than they now get annually. Increases would be given thereafter at intervals of longer than a year, over a period of time far beyond the present eight years.

The State college dinner was also addressed by other leaders in educational work in the state. Among them were Dr. George M. Wiley, assistant commissioner for secondary education; Dr. Arvie Eldred, executive secretary of the State Teachers' association; Professor John M. Sayles, head of the College education department; and Dr. Milton G. Nelson, professor of education.

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Edwin R. Van Kleeck, 27, superin-tendent of schools at Walden, was toastmaster, and Otto E. Huddle, supervising principal at Briarchiff Manor, was chairman in charge of arrangements. Donald E. Tower, 17, president of the almoni association, and director of curriculum at Bing hanton, and District Superintendent Harold P. Trench of Londonville, were checked to these positions for the coming year.

1935 CANDIDATES FOR DEBATE TEAM SPEAK WEDNESDAY

Sixteen students will try out for the freshman debate team. Weshies day, January 13 at 4 10 in Room 20. Each tryout will give an original speech of 4 minutes on the subject "Resolved: That President Hower should be reelected President for the Furted States."

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President A. R. Brubacher who outlined a plan for the re-vision of the present teachers' salary law at the annual Stati college alumni dinner conducted in Syracuse on December 29.

ENGLISH FACULTY TO BE SPONSORS OF LOUNGE TEA

The first of the teas to be sponsored by the English department will be conducted next Wednesday, January 13, in the Lounge of Richardson hall from 3:30 until 5:30 o'clock.

Donald C. Bryant, instructor in English, will represent the department as chairman. The other hosts and hostesses will be: Dr. Harry W. Hastings, chairman of the English department, and Mrs. Hastings; Misagnes E. Finterer, assistant professor of English; Miss Catherine W. Peltz, instructor in English; Miss Mary Osborne, instructor in English; Miss Mary Osborne, instructor in English; Miss fenglish in the Milne Junior High school.

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The student chairman is Ruth Ish crwood, '32.

Because of its large personnel, the Inglish department will sponsor a second tea the following week.

A copy of "Student Book of Verse," written by State college students and compiled and edited by Richmond H. Kirthand, professor of chicatron, will be given to some student. The collection includes sexural poants by Mrs. Emice Rice Messent, assistant professor of English.

FOR CLASS PLAYS

Elementary Dramatics Class Has January 19 as Date for Three Plays

MISS FUTTERER TO DIRECT

Entire Class Aids Preparation as Members for Casts and Committees

Admittance to the three plays which will be presented by the elementary dramatics class on Tuesday night, January 19, will be by presentation of the student tax ticket, the class committee amounted today. Reserved seats for students may be obtained for the payment of twenty-five cents. Miss Agues Finterer, as sistent professor of English, is coaching the the three plays to be given are: "The three plays to be given are: "The Dreamy Kid" by Engene O'Neill; "The Dear Departed", and "Fancy Free", both by Stanley Houghton.

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The cast for "The Dreamy Kid" will be Mammy Saunders. Helen Doberty, 31; her grandson, the Dreamy Kid, Donald Eddy, 31; Ceely Ann, Helen Doberty, 34; and Irene, Maybelle Matthews, 34.

The second play, "The Dear Departed", bas six characters; Mrs. Slater, Margaret Eirk, 33; Mrs. Iordan, Elizabeth Rasmussen, 34; Henry Slater, Bertram McNary, 31; Henry Slater, Bertram McNary, 31; Henry Slater, Bertram McNary, 31; and Me Merryweather, Herbert Rose, a special student "Francy Free" includes in the cast, Fancy, Marvella Ceble, 31; Delia, Lea Brach, 32; Ethelbert, Thomas Garret, 31; and Mired, Eon Interaham, 33.

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ALPHA PHI GAMMA ASKS JOURNALISTS TO LOUNGE PARTY

Alpha Phi Gamma, national honor ary journalistic fraterints, will conduct a social party for the members of the staffs of all the State college publications in the Lounge of Rich ardson hall on The sday night at 7 30. The committee in charge consists of Bessie Lesine, charman, Vera B Burns, and Michael R. Froblich, seniors. Refreshments will be served and entertainment will be provided under the direction of the committee.

SENIOR IS ENGAGED

Psi Gamma sorority announces the emagement of Marguerite Wilson, 32, to Robert Bullard, a graduate of Union college in 1980. Miss Wilson is one of the two undergraduate members of Omicron Xu, honorary bome economics society.

TAX TICKETS ASKED|ALUMNI VOICE SEVERE CRITICISM OF COLLEGE'S ATHLETIC POLICIES

Graduates of Recent Years, Led By Newcomb, Adopt Resolu-tions; "Bigger And Better" Opponents Are Demanded; Coach Baker to Reply Next Week

Severe criticism of the present athletic policy of State college was voiced at the annual banquet of the alumni at the Hotel Onondaga in Syracuse during the holiday season when resolutions were passed by the sixty-five men present demanding that the College teams "play more difficult and better known opponents and that this sentiment be made known through faculty authorities".

Advocates Change



Frederick W. Crum, '30 who as appointed Chairman of the raduate committee to investi-ate athletics at State college was appointed Chairman of the graduate committee to investi-gate athleties at State college-and the advisability of having a "home coming" weekend.

ALUMNI MEETING SUGGESTS CHANGE FOR HOME COMING

Whether or not a new method of welcoming the alumni for Anumi Day will be adopted is a question brought up at the second annual meting of the alumni, conducted in connection with the annual meting of the Associated Academic Principals in Sytacuse recently.

Bickering among the alumni as to the composition of the team which dayed the varsity, lack of desirable octal events, and small attendance vere among the reasons given for the limination of the annual brisketball ame in which the alumni meets the varsity. It was suggested that Columniation of the interest of some other college be played instead.

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It was suggested that Alumni Day be changed from its present date in lime to February or some date at which an important social function was scheduled, such as the clementary dramatics class plays.

Plans were nebulous, although the meeting moved to get in touch with alumni opinion through letters and the alumni quarterly. The game will not be alamboned this year, regardless of the changes adopted.

NAMED CHAIRMAN

Robert Robinson, vice president of the sophismore class, will be general chairman for the annual sophismore soirce, according to William Nelson, class president. Soirce will be in Yaril this year, Robinson announced.

Lawrence C. Newcomb, '31, former president of the senior class and a member of the men's varsity debate team for two years, introduced the resolution. He declared that the time had come for the College athletic policy to shift from a desire to play poor or meliocre teams in basketball and baseball and seek the advantageous publicity which would accrue from competition with colleges like Hamilton. St. Lawrence, Hobart, Union, and Rensselaer Polytechnic institute. Some of the teams on the present schedule were decried as unworthy of competition with the State team. "We don't care for a long list of victories over unknown opponents," he said. A resolution was also passed unani-

A resolution was also passed unani-mously to the effect that the ac-tion of the meeting be made known to the athletic council, the syndent council, and the editor-in-chief of the Xtws.

Speakers on the motion declared that Coach Rutherford R. Baker, State mentor, was not under fire, but that a change in policy bringing in better type competition was to be preferred to the present contests.

President V. R. Brubschert, Dr. Milton G. Nelson, Dr. Robert W. Frederick, Dr. Arthur K. Beik, and Protessor John M. Sayles, all members of the education department, heard the remarks without comment.

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Acting upon the demands of the mon Folwin R, Van Kleeck, '27, toastmaster, app inted a committee of five men to proceed with the movement. He named toeorge Schravone, '24, Francis Criffin, '26, Frederick Crumb, '35, Dr Milton G. Nelson, and Newcomb. The committee was instructed to report to the envention next year and was given authority to take whatever steps it considers advisable in bringing about the changes proposed. Canch Taker was not available as

Coach baker was not available as the Niws went to press, although his answer to the contemplated action will be published in the next issue of the Niws, tworge P. Rice, 32, editor, aurounced this morning.

Dr. Thompson Will Be Instructor At Cornell

Or, Harold W. Thompson, profes-sor of English and coach of delate, has been invited to teach at Cornell university, Ithaca, during the coming summer session, which opens July II and closes August 19.

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In Thompson will conduct two classes. He will give a course in American literature before the Civil War, which is similar to the first semester's study in the Fuslish 21 course which he conducts at State college. The other course which Derolloge The other course which Derolloge Theorem will teach is called modern American poetry. Both courses will carry credit for two hours.

Miller Gains Democratic Nomination For President After Lengthy Battle

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Prospects of a revival in the College alumni association appeared bright at a meeting of the men conducted recently in Syracuse. Long noted as being decidedly inactive in comparison with the associations of other colleges of the size of State, the alumni association came in for strong criticism at the hands of a group-led by graduates of recent years.

Two local points were the objects of the attack. The first was the basketball situation and the second was the general attitude of the alumni association.

The charge was made that the quality of competition which College athletic teams met was sacrificed to gain an impressive string of victories. It is obvious that State does not play well-known teams, but the News declines to take a positive editorial stand on this particular phase of the attack until word has been heard from Coach Rutherford Baker. It can say that in the past State teams have met teams of fine reputation and that while a local victory has not always resulted, the opposition always knew that it had played a good game. In 1928 a manager signed up the strong Dartmouth quintet, recognized that year as the eastern intercollegiate champions. A scrappy State team made athletic history here when it took the floor in a fighting mood and held the Dartmouth team on even terms, finally losing because it could not throw in reserves as frequently as could Dartmouth. It was a game that State students are proud to speak of when referring to outstanding athletic contests of their alma mater. It would seem, therefore, that really good teams can be scheduled if the desire is strong enough.

More at the meeting expressed very strongly the idea that they were tired of having State teams meet "seminaries, institutes, and unions" and called for a schedule with teams of good reputation and similar numbers, such has already had forense relations with three of these colleges.

such as Hamilton, Union, Hobart, and St. Lawrence, State has already had forensic relations with three of these colleges.

It is admitted that this College cannot always have a team as good as that which met Dartmouth, but then neither can Dartmouth duplicate its group annually. Vertation for the change of Almuni Day seemed well made. This College needs a stronger bond be twen the almoni and the undergraduate body. Under graduates want to be proud of their almuni and to lend their steps rt to almuni projects. They would like to expect the same of the almuni. With both groups will line, it would seem that lack of contret and inadequate organization of the almuni is the lattrice. It is with the idea of breaking down this obstacle that the men surgested temorins the date to a time when some important sold function will bring both broups together at exerts which will form a pleasant background mutually beneficial.

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EXIT: THE BUN TABLE

Discontinuation of the Young Women's Christian association bun table in the College cafeteria annex at the order of the faculty is received with surprise by the student association. Why has this action been taken? Who instigated it?

Answers to these questions were not readily forthcoming. As the News went to press, the president was
out of town and repeated telephone calls to the home of
Dr. C. Caroline Croasdale elicited no response. Members of the News board did obtain some information
from members of the faculty committee of which they
are members.

Two reasons were given. They are: the continuation of the present plan was not conducive to the best health interests of the student patrons, due to lack of variety in the ingredients sold; secondly, the table "took up too nuch room."

These reasons, if they are the only ones or even the chief reasons, are not sufficient to deprive an undergraduate organization of one of its chief sources of income. If sufficient variety was not served, that lack could have been remedied by a suggestion of the College dictician to the manager of the enterprise. It was no excuse for eliminating Y. W. control, for that organization and its representatives would have been amenable to reason and would have cooperated in every way.

The second reason may be answered in the same way. If the table is too large, as is alleged, a smaller one can easily be obtained. From all present indications, however, the rush is not so great as to need the extra square feet of space which the present table occupies. These two arguments are, in the face of present information in the hands of the News, utterly inadequate as an excuse for the removal of the Y. W. privilege.

HONOR IS QUESTIONED

The honor of the freshman class was questioned this week when the principal of Turin High school, whose team was a basketball opponent of the freshmen during the recess, declared that a victory had been won from his team because the freshmen had allowed a player not of their class to enter the game.

This is a serious charge with the honor of that class challenged. If the statement is true, then both the team and the coach are guilty of gross unfairness in athletic competition. If it is untrue, the columns of the News are at its disposal to answer the charges. The freshman class cannot afford to "win" games in which members of other classes do the playing, even in part.

BOOKS: Mr. Louis Untermeyer Operated Good Criticism Operated Good Criticism By G. P. R.

(All Books Reviewed For Sale in Co-op)

Modern American Poetry. Edited by Louis Unter-meyer. Harcourt Brace and Company. New York, 850 pages, \$3.50.

This most popular of modern authologies cor 730 poems and 153 poets in the latest and fourth ring of the fourth edition. Some of the material lished has not yet appeared in personal collections of authors. Its prose comments are a valuable fer for they are condensed critical essays written on can one write who its personally familiar with the and habits of his subjects. Schools, tendencies, movements are thoroughly analyzed.

Some of the better known writers whose works pear in this volume are: Dickinson, Frost, Robin Sandburg, Millay, Wylie, and Aiken.

Of the newer generation of coming poets who have nerited space, Untermeyer includes: Robinson Jeffers, angston Hughes, Archibald MacLeish, Merrill Moore, oseph March, Allen Tate, Hart Crane, and James

The publishers have declared that the anthology bridges the gap between 1830 to 1930. Actually, this is rather misleading, for 1860 is the earliest date included and the works appear in quantity only after 1911. In deed, Emily Dickinson is the main toot before 1890 This weakness in representation of earlier periods is the main lack of the volume.

There is also a certain amount of inconsistency in the quantical representation. For example, modest Mr. Untermeyer publishes thirteen points of his own composition along with the same number for Conrad Aiken and Edna St. Vincent Millay. Why?

Dr. Thompson regards the book very highly and plans to use it this animer when he gives a course in American poetry at the summer session at Cornell university.

The Best Known Werks of Owar Wilde, Complete in One Volume Includes Poems, Novels, Plays, Fesays, Fairy Tales, and Dialogues. Blue Ribbon Series New York City. 620 pages. \$100. Minost Exponic in its sensationalism, the best known of Osear Wilde's writings are given the public in this Eluc Ribbon Classic.

The selections are chosen to illustrate the almost in crossible literary versatility of our of the out tacking writers of modern literature. His sophisticated play-slelighted and annisod the London smart set; his beautiful fairy takes took the hearts of little children. He was a man who, like Beron, dominated British drawing rooms by the brilliance of his wit and conversation and the during of his active philosophy.

College Students Show Lack Of Interest In Education, Dr. E. D. Martin Declares

"Most people except College stu-dents are interested in education, Education gives enlightenment to people, rather than speed in increasing the pay envelope and decreasing working hours. A liberal education is one which frees the mind and people, rather than speed in increasing the pay envelope and decreasing working hours. A fiberal education is one which frees the mind and makes one one's own master. One thing that keeps Colleges from being liberal is that the presidents must be go-getters; they must sell education." These remarks were made Sunday night by Dr. Excrett Dean Martin, director of the Cooper Union Forum, New York city, in the third of the series of Norman Mendelssohn Open Forum lectures, conducted by the Jewish Community center. His topic was "The Meaning of a Liberal Education."
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"Americans have a resistance to en-lighterment, and perhaps too much speed and proficiency, he said. We are an emotional rather than a ra-tional people. We think more of good intentions than right thinking. We have put humanitarian sentiment in the place of reason. Our utilitar-ianism, this short cut to everything, stands in the way of a liberal educa-tion."

"It is the spirit of a College rather than a device of organization which makes it a University," said Dr. Mar-

tin.

"We give more attention to and are more interested in moving pictures and in "Legs" Diamond than in college professors. We do not realize how much richer our lives may be for four years of daily association with some of our college professors. We can read, but we read tabloids, and if there were anything worse than tabloids we would read that. The more moleminded any propaganda is, the more popular it is."

Martin referred to Aristotle's defi-nition of an educated person—one who can govern his own mind. The Greek had to learn to emancipate his mind from ignorance. He urged Americans to follow Aristotle's ad-vice.

"We try to excuse our failure to broaden our knowledge by making a virtue of gregariousness, but why do this when all the other animals are gregarious except cats," he concluded.

FRESHMAN TEAM RESUMES GAMES TOMORROW NIGHT

The freshman quintet will open the 1932 basketball program when they oppose the strong Mechanicville High five on the Page hall court tomorrow night. The contest will begin at 8:30 octobek.

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The 'freshmen celebrated the holiday season by defeating on successive nights both Lowville academy and Turin High school. The freshmen completely outclassed the Academy team and led at the half, 8:0. The Academy coach used ten players in an attempt to stop the visitors but the yearlings continued their scoring and won the game, 19:7.

At Turin the team engaged in a rather hectic encounter with the local team. Before the State men could accustom themselves to the small court, Turin had a twelve point lead. After a few minutes of play in the Second quarter, Turin still led 15:0. Sensational playing by Allard coupled with three foul shots by "Dave" Kronman brought a tie score 21:21 at the end of the third quarter. Then the frosh produced a skillful offense which resulted in nine points and victory. The final score was State frosh 30—Turin 27. and victory. The his frosh 30—Turin 27,

Simon, '32, Defends Levinstein In Robbery

The trial for the prosecution of Sanford Levinstein took an unexpected furn when Hon. Bernard Simon, Levinstein's lawyer, declared he would endeavor to prove that An drew Hritz was robbed by an un-known person, and not by Levinstein. District Autories Kenneth Miller, meanwhile stated that he would successfully exonerate the Albany Police Force by proving that Levinstein is the robber.

Dr. Stuart Gay, practising physician in Albany, took the stand to testify on the injuries received by Mr Hritz He treated the wounds the night of the crime and declared them to be contusions about the head.

Paul Harris To Speak In Student Assembly

A speech by Paul Harris and voting A speech be Paul Harris and coing-for "mests" is the program planned for the H o'clock assembly feday Mr Harris is a beturer for the Young Men's Christian association on international relations. He has studyed the conditions in various countries of therope, one of which was Russia which he visited this summer in the same parts with President Brubas her Mr Harits we some at the speakers at the V-M (-X-Y-W) (-X-Con-terence at kingston this fall.

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Library Students To Assist In Operation Of Book Wagon

In Operation Of Book Wagon
A group of State college co-eds, students in the Library school, will work during the winter months in issisting in the operation of a cook wagon to serve the students of Delmar, A truck will be quipped with shelves, desk, and cooks, and will make the rounds weekly.

Sixteen students will have opportunity to sign up for the work which will last for two months Time spent on this work will be leducted from the practice teaching of the students.

DRAMATICS CLASS TO PRESENT PLAY ON TUESDAY NIGHT

The advanced dramatics class will The advanced dramatics class will present a one-act play in the auditor ium of Page hall Thesday, January 12, at 7:30 oclook. The play, which is the first one to be presented after the Christmas vacation, is neither a farce, a tragedy or a concely. John Grosvenor, 33, director of the play said, It is a play concerned with the personal side of a stock market crash.

The cast includes: Mildred Quick, Frances Gaynor, and Ruth Brezer, seniors, and William Regam, 33. The committees are: Katherine Moore, '33, sets; Nils Clemens, '32, properties; Catherine Travers, '32, costumes and make up; Isab I Hewn, '33, advertising; Mildred Smith, '32, cleanup; and Marcia Gold, '33, konse

Pedagogue To Collect Write-ups Next Week

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The activity write ups of members of the senior class for the Pe-ka com will be collected this coming week accuss under the supervision of Louis-Ray, 32, who is on the literary state of the book. These write ups should include all extra curricular activities of the seniors throughout the four parts of tollege. Those who has existly list of activities will help by handra a note to that effect to the edge to whem they are assigned.

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WORLD QUESTIONS

Miss Gordon Reports Myskania Unique as Honor Society Among Colleges

Many national and international questions were discussed at the seventh annual convention of the National Student Federation of America, conducted at Toledo during the Christmas recess, according to Elizabeth Gordon, '33, representative of State college, Miss Gordon left for Toledo, December 26, and returned January 1. Accommodations for all delegates were provided at the Commodore Perry Hotel.

Miss Gordon attended many discussion groups, including several on student governments, "I found no other senior secret governing society, similar to Myskania," Miss Gordon said, "Most other colleges are governed by the student association, while the senior secret societies are purely honorary," she added.

A resolution was passed advocating governments, and on the propagation of student publications.

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A resolution was passed advocating cooperation of student publications with the college administration. The consensus of opinion was that there-should be less supervision on the part of the administration over the publi-cation. State college publications are much freer in this respect than many. A recommendation was made to-continue the debate program. A woman's debate team from Randolph Nacon, Virginia, will tom Europe this year. Two German speaking Amer-ican students will also tour Europe, debating in German speaking coun-tries. A great many more students signified their desire to discuss inter-national relation this year than in years past.

In the spring, the National Student Federation will conduct a nation wide K. S. F. A. day. Every student commodity of member colleges, will sponsor some money making project. This money will be turned over to the ways and means committee. During the past year this committee has been functioning on such a limited moone that staff members have had to provide their own traveling expenses. Officers for the coming year who

officers for the coming year who were elected are: Frances K. Nemack, University of Arizona, president; Edna Mae Coffey, Southern Methodist, Dallas, Texas; vice spresident; Selwyn Ives, University of Florida, treasurer; and Laurence Cook, Colgate university, regional representative for the New England district, including New York state, Edward R. Morrow, president of the federation for the last two years, has resigned to take up the post as executive secretary of an educational foundation. Mr. Morrow addressed the student body here last year.

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the student body here last year.

Miss Gordon said that about 230 students attended this conference most of whom were seniors. There were also about as many men as women who attended. The convention next year will be conducted at New Orleans.

SOPHOMORES HEAD LIST OF STUDENT TAX DELINOUENTS

Sophomores head the list of those not having paid their student tax, a survey by the student board of masser resealed today. The seniors are second, the puniors, third; and the freshmen last. The freshmen have the tast record for payments havening 200 students paid and be non-payed, the ophomore have 225 per land 143 for payers, the numer baye 110 paid and 103 non-payers, and the mathave 168 paid the tax and 122 toop payers.

A **- perial collection of tax will be induced in room 203 on Wednesday could these wishing to pay their ylerior the finance beard prepare-list of delinquents.

The student board of finance will be guing shirking on non-payers next week and the delinquent story participate in meall extra controllar actions.

WRITES ARTICLE

Miss. If then T. I is a more effect of the State College Cooper, the author of an article which appeared in the December issue of the National Asso-ciation of College Bookstores.

Her contribute a "Cheating the asta basket," de ds with the manage at of the student project box.

N. S. F. A. DISCUSSES Business Conditions Cause Necessity To Depart From Teaching Precedent

Changes that are affecting the business and economic life of the United States foreshadow a number of departures from precedent that must come in our schools, Frank C. Densberger, superintendent of schools at the Kenmore, New York, told a number of principals of large village and city high schools at their recent sectional meeting at Syracuse.

"It is evident," he said, "if we are to use modern machines to advantage, the opportunities open to boys and girls in the future will be different than they have been in the past. There are several responsibilities that this will being to the schools.

First, he claims, "some definite provision in our course of study needs to be formulated to acquaint pupils with the ever changing civilization in which they live," He believes that the social sciences must be taught more extensively and must be introduced at an early age.

"Scroudly," he continues, "we must more effectively organize the depart ments of vocational guidance," In this Mr. Densberger claims that there is a passibility of receiving adults for redirected program of education, "Tinally, during the confusion on caused by adjustment at the present time, there are difficulties that the schools may face in the problems of insance,"

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"We have heard a great deal about rechnological unemployment and the machine age. These, along with chain stores and business mergers, have so affected the opportunity for employment that those of its planning school programs and guidance for youth should examine carefully what these changes mean."

Pupils will lose respect for their instructors if they are given no mental background to understand the problems of today, Mr. Densberger tredicted.
"I can't help feeling this means something significant for us as teachers," he continued. "We've got to chase the changing course of civilization, introduce more sociology and economies. The schools will be held responsible more than ever, for people are back to the point of training for new things on a greater scale than ever.
"I think we'll have much more leisure time. I used to laugh at the idea of 30 hours as a working week. Now I'm convinced that we'll be lucky to have that if we keep everybacky at work."

Principal Laurence C. Johnson of Orchard Park, leading the discussion that followed, urged even wider emphasis of business subjects to meet the problem.

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Economic geography, commercia' law and business English in place of English classics study were his additional recommendations.

Sentences from his other suggestions on economic problems were:

"We must think a great deal about this problem of additional leisure. Young people aren't going to have as much money for commercial amusements, the movies and dances, as before, Will they hang around the street corners or can we give them something else?

"We must be more alert than ever these times in watching for undermonrishment among pupils."

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"As a profession we teachers are fairly secure but none of us have yet insisted on contribution of funds among our group to welfare work to the point where it hurts. There are bigger problems for us than increments and salary schedules.

"We must educate students to an economic understanding. What of the boy who planned to go to college, graduated this year, and is unable to inancially? He'll have to go to work on a farm or road job or something like that with nothing more useful than three years of Latin, French, geometry and the like."

19r. Avery W. Skinner of the state department of education spoke on improvement of instruction thru supervision, with disension led by William F. Hawley of Rochester. The other topic at the sectional meeting was "Organizing for Mastery in the High School" by Vernon G. Smith of Scarsdale, Hugh G. Stewart of Mount Vernon led discussion.

Y. M. C. A. CONDUCTS DRIVE TO COLLECT **MEMBERSHIP DUES**

The Young Men's Christian association this week is conducting its final drive to collect the money pledged to the organization last spring. The drive is under the chairmanship of William C. Nelson, '34, treasurer, Members of the faculty who pledged money will be solicited by members of the committee. About forty dollars will be collected from this source, it is expected.

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TO HISTORY STUDY	Faculty Contribution \$100 Student Contribution
A member of the State college fac- ulty. Miss Madeline Gilmour, instruc- tor in library science, is co-cellfor of Physicol High School History Study" published by the World Book Company of Yonkers with Miss Mice Material contained in the book has been tried out three times with six Javas of thirty students each in the I hurar Free analogue, where Miss Macinis was a teacher. At the same time Miss Gilmour was a librarian at the analogue He part has been the bibliographics and in an introductory (Brary, lesson, Vac pamphlet is distributed with each book. It contains an explanation and doscription of the historical units allocated in the rever design	E-DMATO EXPENDITIONS State College's representative at conference \$2. Freshman dinner \$28. Irreshman dinner \$26. Irreshman dinner \$26. Social activities \$10. State College's share in State and National councils \$2. Miscellameous \$10. Cutate expense \$10. \$113. Among the speakers that the organization has brought her this year Islanch and Kirls Page authority and characteristic stress Faul Harris who tall appear in assembly this not rance is brought her under the authority of the promoter of the All Page 20.
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WEDNESDAY TO BE DATE OF TRYOUTS

Tryonts for the plays to be given at French fête will be conducted in the auditorium of Page hall on Wednesday, January 13, from 3:15 to 5:03, Katherine Dooley, '32, president of French club, aunounced today. One of the plays, 'L'été de la Saint-Martin,' by Meilhae and Haléy, is a comedy with a cast consisting of an old man, a young man, a young girl and a housekeeper. The story concerns the old man's falling in love with his niece-in-law when she comes in disguise to win back his favor for his nephew, whom he had cut off because he married her.

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The other plays have not yet been decided upon, but two one-act plays will probably be chosen in a few days. Tryouts are open to everyone, Miss Dodley said.

The date of the French fête has been set for April 9.

Board Witheld Action Against Post Official

Detroit (1P) The Detroit Board of Education has voted down a re-quest for disciplinary action against a City college of Detroit professor, who is also an American Legion Post Commander, for opposing the estab-

who is also an American Legion Post Commander, for opposing the estal-ishment of a reserve officers training corps at City college.

On the contrary, the board passed a resolution uphobling the right of free speech. The professor was Dr. Walter G. Bereman, who was upheld in his contention against the corps by his own post of the American Legion. The Wayne County Legion council, however, asked the state council to revoke the post's charter.

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The board's resolution provided that "teachers may feel free to discuss and express their houest opinions, outside of the classroom, upon all subjects, including social, economic and political questions, without fear of official reprimand or coercion on the part of anyone connected with the Board of Education."

COURSE OFFERED

HISERT ANNOUNCES IN FRENCH PLAYS PROM CHAPERONES

Beby Lowell to Play at Dance; Kerbel to be Luncheon Toastmaster

Toastmaster

Dr. Donnal V. Smith, assistant professor of history; Miss Marion Kilpatrick, instructor in English; and Mr. Edward Cooper, instructor in commerce, will be the faculty chaperons for the annual junior prom to be at the Ten Eyek hotel Friday night, February 12, George Hisert, chairman of the faculty committee, announced today.

Chaperons for the luncheon on Saturday, February 13, at the De Witt Clinton hotel, will be Miss Annette Dolbin, instructor in French, and Dr. Smith, Bernard Kerbel will be toastmaster for the luncheon, Mary Trela, general chairman, announced.

Miss Marion Chesebrough, instructor in Latin, and Mr. Donald Bryant, instructor in English, will act as chaperons for the tea dance which will be at the De Witt Clinton Saturday afternoon, February 13, Ruth Reynolds is general chairman for the dance. Opportunity for students to sign up to attend the functions of the junior week-end will be given beginning in two weeks.

Bids and favors for the prom have been selected by the committee but will be kept secret until the time of the ilance. Laura Styn and Ralph Harris are chairmen of this committee.

tee.

Beby Lowell and his All-American recording orchestra will play for the prom. John Detlefson is general chairman.

Women Move To Oust Head Of Student Board

Hiram, O.—(II')—A belated but none the less vigorous "feminist movement" has been launched at Hiram college here and for the moment has taken as its objective the ousting of Richard Pichon as president of the student board, "Millions for defense," was Piction's quick comelack to the girls "but not one cent—not one cent."

TEACHER'S STATISTICS

English 19, a course in short story will be given next semester, although it is not announced in the College catalogue. The course is open to sophomores, juniors and seniors, and will be given on Tuesdays and Thursdays, at 1:30 o'clock, in room 20.

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Volunteers Suggest Student Delegate to Conference for Disarmament

Eighteen students were selected at the closing sessions of the Eleventh Quadrennial Student Volunteer con-vention conducted in Buffalo from December 30 to January 3, to appear before President Herbert Hoover to ask him to appoint a student as a member of the American delegation at the Geneva Disarmament Confer-ence scheduled to meet in February.

ence scheduled to meet in February. In advocating his proposal that a student be among the American delegation, Professor Ralph Harlow of Smith eollege, said there is not a single youth in that delegation and if there were, it would prove for the first time in history, that there is a student opinion in America that counts in the councils of the nation. The delegates will specify in their

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The delegates will specify in their petition to the President that a student be selected not merely as an observer at the conference but as a full-fledged member of the American delegation. The committee includes representatives from Yale, Cornell, Georgia, Texas, and California. They were elected by the three thousand students who represented more than six hundred colleges and universities from all sections of the United States and Canada who gathered in Buffalo for the convention.

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Since its organization in 1886, the Student Volunteer Movement has sent 12,535 of its members into foreign missionary service. In spirit and administration, the movement is definitely student; in purpose and program, it is distinctly missionary.

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About five hundred Japanese, Chinese, African, and Indian students attended the convention. Intimate interpretations of transitory stages through which these countries are passing were given by these natives, and by internationally known men who have made studies of conditions, Among these leaders, were Kirley Page, author on disarmament and peace; Dr. D. D. T. Jabavu, professor of language and literature in a university of South Africa; and Dr. John R. Mott, of the International Missionary Council.

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One of the features was a pageant, "Release", written, directed and en-acted by college students.

Laura Styn., '33, represented the Young Women's Christian association at the convention.

PRINCETON ACTORS LEFT UNDISMAYED BY TRAGIC THEFT

Montclair, N. J.—(11*)—How the theft of a truck load of the most important costumes used by the Princeton Triangle club produced the most hilarious performance of that group's "Spanish Blades" yet put on the stage was told by members of the audience who came from the show here during the holdidays holding their sides with mirth.

mirth.

Seven hundred and fifty patrons had gathered at the Mount Helgron school in Upper Montelair for the matine performance of the show when it was amounteed to them that the club's properties had been higacked. The audience refused to accept the suggestion that they go away and return for the evening performance, when it was hoped to have some kind of costumes and makeup ready for the cast.

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So the show "went on," and the result was ten times immier than it would normally have been the andience declared. The chorus 'girls' appeared in trousers, the leards of the leading "Ladic" phistened under the spetlight.

The audience showed uprogrious preference for a choins that looked like a cheer leader's squad exercising





Laura H. Styn, '33, who was the Y. W. C. A. delegate to the international Student Volunteer Movement convention in Buffalo December 30 to January 3.

DIRECTOR NAMES PLAY COMMITTEES **FOR JANUARY 19**

Helen Doherty, Maybelle Mathews, Geraldine Peters, Alma Rimkus, Helen Flanagan, Mary Day, Leora Geddes, Miriam Wood, Elizabeth Ar-nold, and Thomas Garrett, sopho-mores.

nold, and Thomas Garrett, sophomores.

Properties, Evelyn Greenberg, '33, chairman; Elma Albert, '32; William Reagan, Margaret Beik, juniors; Maridda Centner, Marie Benedict, Marcelle Geble, Ruth Clickner, Kathryn Cumcen. Geraldine Martin, Helen Kluge, Laura Vroman, Bertram McNary, Thelma Smith, Ruth Mellor, Esther Davies, Katherine Worden, Marion Kelly, Marian Pike, and Donald Eddly, sophomores.

Other committees are: advertising, Cecilia Fox, '33, and Evelyn Dudden, '34, chairmen; Mary Kosegarten, '32, Evelyn Esmay, and Benjamin Ingraham, juniors: Virginia Height, Richard Degnan, Marian Lloyd, Eleanor Waterbury, Anne McKee, Catherine Heffern, Celia Bishop, Mary Moore, Mary Walther, Mary Noonan, Marian Welch, and Kathlyn Lubking, sophomores.

Welch, and Kathlyn Lubking, sopho-mores.
House, Leitita Connelly, '34, chair-man; Osto Abrahamson, Hilda Book-heim, Kathryn Wilkins, Eleanor An-dre, Catherine Simmerer, Agues Stephens, Muriel Denton, Florence Ottoson, Margaret Halladay, Dors-thy Barker, Marion Blakely, Jane Pod-lewska, Roselyn Maurice, sopho-nores; and c-stumes, Helen Mahar, '34, chairman; Beatriee Coc, Julia Shields, Marie Hutt, Rita Brown rard, Catherine Lamison, soph-mores, und Buelah Keaves, special student. und Buelah Keays, special student.

Levinstein To Organize Freshman Tennis Team

Sanford Levinstein, '33, present in-transural tennis champion, has been appointed to organize the freshman tennis team, Coach Rutherford Baker amounced today. Levinstein has appointed Clifford Rall and Wilfred Albard to be tem-porary captain and manager of the team, Carleton Coulter, Sam Spec-tor, and Louis Bloomberg are pro-spective members of the freshman organization. organization.

Sixty-Nine Books Added To Library Recently, Miss Mary Cobb Announces

Sixty-nine new books have been added to the College library recently, Miss Mary E. Cobb, librarian, announced today. The new books include: Yale one-act plays, Baker; Holiday, Barry; Tomorrow and Tomorrow, Barry; Effective study habits, Bird; Synthetic inorganic chemistry, Blanchard; Handbook of chemical microscopy, Chamot; One-act plays, Clark; Condensed chemical dictionary; Life in the middle ages. Coulton; Crusades, Cox; Iccobound, Davis; Atlas of European history; Dow; Complete Sherlock Holmes, Doyle; Solid analytical geometry and determinants, Dresden; Bird in hand Drinkwater; William Morris, a critical study, Drinkwater; Camille, Dumas; Five plays, Dunsany; Relativity, Einstein; Jane Clegg, Ervine; Principles of accounting, Finney; Plays, Fitch; Entomology, Folsom; Man who married a dumb wife, France; Weather, Free; Cultural history of the modern age, Friedell.

Measurement of interests in relation to human adjustment, Fryer; Taming the criminal, Gillin; Waste, Granville-Barker; Image and other plays, Gregory; Introduction to methodally, Springer, Well of the saints, Synge; Well of the saints, Synge; Clarence, Tarkington; Outward bound, Vane; Landmarks in English industrial history, Warner; Schenectally, past and present, Westover; Jays, Houghton; Text book of physiciology for medical students and physicians, Howell; Rul; Stars in their courses, Jeans; Biological basis of human nature, Jennings; Mary goes first, Jones; Statistical method, Kelley; Craig's Wife, Kelly; Show off, Kelley; At home among the atoms, Kendall; Good gracions Amaibelle, Kummer; Selections, Locke; NOONTIME DANCING

NOONTIME DANCING WILL BE IN PAGE HALL GYMNASIUM

Social dancing at noontines has seen transferred to the gynnasium of 'age hall, Robert Floody, '32, chair-nam of the floor committee, an-ionneed today.

nonneed today.
Work has been started in the gym-uasium of Hawley hall for the new library which is being constructed in Hawley hall. Book stacks and an elevator shaft are being built in the gynnasium, so that it is now impos-sible to have dancing there, Flood, explained.

After conferences with President Brubacher, Dean Ama E. Pierce, and gymnasium instructors, arrange-nts were completed so that strelents a dance in outlines in the Pieze ball

gymnasium. Because of a gymnasium class at 12 35 o'clock in this gymnasium, it will be necessary for the dancing to regin promptly at 12 3 (o'clock, and (d) proceptly at 12 3 (o'clock, 14) o'dy

PREDICTS SUPERIOR RACE

New York (III) Speaking here recently, Dr. Louis Berman, medical sociologist, predicted the artificial development through glandular stimulation of a race of supermen who would attain 16 feet in height, require virtually no sleep and, at the will of the endocrimologist, by endowed with the mental capacities of geniuses.

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STEEFEL BROTHERS

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The official rushing period will begin Thursday, February 4, according to Marjoric Lockwood, '32, president of Intersorority Council.

The rush invitations will contain bids to a formal dinner on Thursday night, February 4, a tea, Friday, February 5, and a breakfast the next day. Official rushing will not begin until to o'clock, on Thursday, February 4, and must be done only in the sorority houses at the above functions, according to the rules of the council, as decided last year. ing to the rules cided last year.

Champ Clark Recalled As Youthful President

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Huntington, W. Va.— (IP)—Chicago university with its youthful
Robert M. Hutchins as president, and
Allegheny college with its 31-year-old
president, must not suppose that they
are the first higher educational institutions in the United States to have
youthful administrators.

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He also during his life practiced law in Kansay and managed a newspaper in Louisiana. He died in 1921.

Ohio Northern Students Win Victory Over Ban On Dancing

Ada, O.—(IP)—Student exponents of dancing at Ohio Northern university have won a partial victory in their campaign to overthrow an ancient ban on dancing at the school.

Fraternity brothers and sorority sisters, under rules amounced by university officials, now may dance to radio and phonograph music twice a week in fraternity and sorority houses off campus, and they may have three formal dances with orchestras in the coming year. Students recently declared war on the old ban, but were rebuffed by university officials.

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However, when it was announced that a meeting of the Board of Trustees would be held in January, University officials decided to canvass the 800 students and ascertain if they wanted to dance.

PROFESSOR WRITES LIBRARY ARTICLE IN STATE BULLETIN

Miss Martha C. Pritchard, professor of library science, has written an article which was published in a recent bulletin of the New York State Association of Elementary Principals. The title of Miss Pritchard's article is "First things first in a school library", in which she annunarizes the activities considered of first importance to the children by elementary school librarians who checked a list of activities of school librarians on which she had been working for some time. Ruth Knapp, 29, B.S. in library science, now school librarian at Clyde, New York, has also written an article for this issue. "How the librarian works with teachers." is the theme of Miss Knapp's article. The title of the bulletin, published by the association is "The Library in the Elementary School," and may be found in the library school.

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