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## Forum Column

To the Editor.
Barnard Bulletin
Dear Madam:
I understand that the proposed award of a money prize to "the most unselfish girl" in the Senior Class
has been accepted by the college.' It has been accepted by the college. It
is undoubtedly pleasant to know is undoubtedly pleasant to kno think of Barnard. $=$ and are kind enough to wish to bestow financial gifts upon it. But it certainly does seem as if this money could be appropriated for a miore worthy purpose. Naturally it is not within the power of the administration to dictate in what manner a gift should be disposed of; nevertheless, when as is inevitable in this case. the presentation of an award will involve a miscarriage of justice. that award should be refused. How can a faculty committee determine which individual out of the more than two hundred members of the senior class i - most unselfish? In the first. place many members of the faculty never come into contact with certain o all unlikely that an obscure senior. who has not thrust herself into the limelight. would have the most purelimelight. would have the most pure-
1 y unselfish character. If this is goly unselfish character. into a recognition of service on the part of the undergraduate president. Who will
alwars be the obvious candidate. let always be the obvious ca
it be officially so called.

Aside from this unavoidable unfairness, a prize of this nature seems. utterly puerile and not consisten with the scholastic ideal of a col lege. Would it be possible to sugest tactfully to the donor a bette e for 'this fund?

Sincerely yours.
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S. J.. 1931.
FOBEL AW'ARD SCORED
BY•DEBATE AUDIENCE

## (Continued from page 1 )

norice of Pabbitt an the typical Columbia declared that Lewis' characters are drawn from the Mid dle West: hence. by none can they be called typical. The speake po cinted out that the terms of Nobel will have been modified, inasmuc as ton few idealists are writing to day. He cited as a previous de parture from the conditions of the will the award to. Bernard Shaw An. interpretation of the meaning of
the prize was offered. That there the prize was offered. That ther
mar be others equally. deserving o he award is true. Comparisons ar not intended. Howevet. since. Lewis affects the currents of internationial thought: he .may be considere worthy.
peakers for the negative whe ollowed discunsed the qualifications of three of the literati. believed by them more fis tô receive the prizefield of drama. Hilla Cather, noyelof drama. Willa Cather. nioyel
Lewis' 5 work was called im erimanent because of its excessive realism.
In the end. pointed out the las speaker for the affirmative. I.eyis may- be considered. idealistic-he wishes to reform all.-America. Sure i- no man was ever more hopeful The audience was referred to the Americana department of the
American Mercury for evidence of the existence of Babbitts and Dodsworths.
That the confusion between memref the Columbia team on the question of Lewis's realism resulted in a partial nullification of the
potency of their arguments was the comment of both Smith and the audience.
without inconsistenc: including gior pictures, would be as we see and appeal to its readers.

## College Clips

## Selling Education

Declaring that "our colleges are sffering from yielding too much to the demand for education. made by thousands of students whose onfy title to it is their ability to pay the bills." Walter Prichard Faton. author gnd. critic. asserted in the
Nequ York Cniversity Daily Nexus recently that even the colleges of high scholastic ranking are only about 50 per cent effective. because only 50 per cent of the students ought to be there.
large number of America colleges do not have a high schola ic rating. and cannot even make pretense of admitting gnly students apable of serious scholarships." He aid: "Many" State universities are in this plight. Such institutions offer numerous courses which. to a serious scholar. seem a rather ghasteducational ioke
icut Collegc Nea's.
Skirts and the Economist
"It has been observed." said Pro fessor Baker 'Brownell of Northwestern Cniversity. "that fashions in women's clothes are closely really, when skirts grow longer, an ally. When skirts grow longer. an economic depression skirts become shorter. bet ter times are coming."-Spotlight

An American Tragedy
"How many of the student- of odar. the leader, of tomorrow. bother to even scan the front page much less the editorials: A nonexaggerated picture of a majority of the students in college as they read their paper- would strike fear into the leader of today for the
cafety of tomorrow. While undercafety of tomorrow. While undermining influences are beeing revealed in the papers today. the college boy
cronses his lanky legs on top of a mall desk. leans back in a comfortable chair and with the aridity of a zealous student pursues the trial and tribulations of Orphan Annie. Buck Rogers, Moom Malling
or Iooie Dot Dope. His greateat or I-noie Dot Dope. His greatest
 eally inn't a bad a- all that. $\because$. $w$ : yurre preaching." Can rigient indifference:-The Tomahaak.

Sheep-Skins on the [p-and-Cp! A college degree hav betn e-ti-
mated to be worth $\$ 72.000$ br Dean Everett Liord of Boston Cniver ity: He claims that increased earning power feseifling fron hibheducation os refion sible for the high figure--uиp

## Gleanings

That publicity is absolutely esem tial to the welfare of a university it the opmion expressed by 151 out of 273. American and Canartian college and university' presidents and that publicity is desirable is the view of 79 of the remaining 86 in a recen arver:

A presentable appearance and the ability to participate in intelligent conversation are two of the most valuable assets that an applicam for a teaching position can have. Pr.C. dward ones, superintendent, 0 told the members of Kappa. Pjia told the members of Kappa- Plyit
Kappa. national honorary: edycational iraternity.
"There's entirely too muclr reading going on." Professor Mariex $S$ Allen of. Trinity sollege declarect reni" in a lecture on Oyer-read ing to a
75 women.

## HERE AND THERE ABOUT TOWN

## Second Balcony

Aucassin and Vicolette

## Booth Thicatre

On April sixteenth and seventeerith. a store of yari-colored re freshment is open to you. The Children of the King-Coit Schoo are offering ducassin ane story of iette." the middle-age love story of
Biol désire which we all rememher Figh désire which we all
Thin meann many things.
It means in the first place that group of the most edible delight are projected on a stage for your enjorment. If the children are a bit too prone to watching for ghat the audience thinks of them, a bi prolonged poses, yet there is nothing which they say or do that is not gracious. delicate. and akin to all wrt- of fluser or fees. Ther are like wind on! gur cheek
It means in the second place, that most ingenious stage ha been set thanks to Edith King. The trap pings consist of a prison, the castle Biancaire and it-woods and meadow: This seemingly stuperlous conglomeration has been re duced to a tins framed stage more dihe fairyland. than faryland itself. The eet consist of four tiers. arranged with uch consummate artis try that unles: one is a reviewer one forget - tage craft in utter ahandonment to these delights. The setting are of 'course based on the French illuminated manuscript
The the the
The sets are the background for ome of the be-t executed group pic tures that have been done in a long time. The poes of the ensemble particularls the curtain fall. conve all the tinted, raguely haded. lore viddle a smiate with The early and of Yuca in and Yicolette
IV hen we include the costumes in ur memories of those pictures the becone well nigh perfect. The col or-and the moden were in exqui-it tate recalling with di-tinctne Their NIV century progenitors. The completed the moreel of high deligacy which is now waiting for' you at the Booth.

## M. $B$

## Books

The (Gented Tradition at Ba ${ }^{-}$ Gcorgi Santayana. Four great force, mould uur modern life-Renaiaance. Reis,rmation. Revolution, and Romance. Santayana's beautiful prose in a ghorinic as ever: hia at tack on . Imerican humanism is rather whe tuff fur un now. but the
bowk i- worth reading if only for his book i- worth reading
lefense oi Romance.
Madenfaiselli Against the Horld -Titayana. I beautiful and excit ing Frenchwoman tells how she has dared to achieve the adxentures most of u- are content to dream of. She offer in the way of the bizare can natives of the Nell Helrides. a brigand chief in Corsica. the lepers is (raiara. Poland $s^{\circ}$ Chetto, and scores of other unusual people and hace:. Her general impression i that human beings are filthy. wicked and, cruel-thercomeluion "s an very original:' hut the esperiençes which huid it up are marvelousl Nid and"pictare. que.
The Doqs-Thou Nashion.-Rus sia-under the old regine and during the Revalution-as: the back ground of a grand dogestor:. The orss are more importanit than the ression the book-gives a virid in pression of both the beaity and sor ignest of various aspecte of Ris

Music
The Two B's
Serge Koussevitzky and the B1, on Symphony orchestra made thei adieu with an impressive progr.m Bach and Brahms, on Thurstiay night. April ninth.
The Brandenburg Concerto . in F major and a concerto for piano and orchestra, in D minn comprised the first part of the pro gram. 'Brahms first symphony com pleted the evening.
The Bach was beautiful. The or chestra sang with a ravishing tone and the solo wind instruments ${ }^{\circ}$ did all they could to enhance the deli cately fovely Brandénburg concerio Alexarder Borovsky; soloist of the Bach piano concerto gave an ex quisite performance. There is littl to say about the performance of the Bach that isn't completely admiring
Not so for the First Symphony It is painful to find the same conductor giving two suctrdifferent ren-ditions--different in quality-in the same evening. In the Bach, Kous sevitzky retained the clarity, sim plicity and the rugged polyphonic ine. But under the same baton Brahn's symphony became a chop pr. episodic. erratic, and very often especially in the slow movement. sentimental composition. We-don object to a conductor's inserting his own individuality in a compositich but we do object when this individ uality runs counter to the intention of the composer. The first more ment was sloppy technically, the at ack of the orchestra being uneven The conductor indulged in the mo xtreme changes of tempo-and cre ated climaxes where there wer nove. The second movement was mass of simpering ritards. And the last movement was broken up int immumerable sections, with the or chestra panting for breath (in one pot and falling asleep in another The best part of this movement wa the second enunciation-of the love Y horn theme. Mr. Koussefitzh has the signal honor of giving one of the worst performances of thi work that it has ever been our mis fortune to hear
M. R.

## Iturbi"s Farewell

Iturbi- final concert this season Carnegie Mall. April 7. was fing climax to his brilliant areer in this country. We deepl egret that it will be quite awhil before we again hear such sul perbly executed Chopin and such dazoling Debussy. His progran consisted of the Brahms' Vari ioms on a Theme by Händel. Becthoven sonata, some Chopin etudes. a few compositions of his compatriot. De Falla, and some Debussy

One feels that his interpret ion of Beethoven is a little romantic and lacks the depth understanding that distinguish Bauer's rendition of the classiciwork. ' The ' Brahms' was fine subdued. and evenly conceive but inferior in technical contr to the Chopin' and Debussy. Th fämiliar "Black Key" etude stiv ed añ audience which is alwa susceptible, to a good interpres tion "of. it: Two Mendelssol songs were"simply and charmin ly treated Biat the most impr sive feature of the recifal consi ed in the series of Ravel, Debus
and De Falla pieces that are di ways part of Iturbfs repertolis and bravara " of the thă nist and oravara" of the pianis
fornell Will Admit High School Juniors

Ham a Part of New Policy of Aid jing Exceptiomal Students to

Shorten Preliminaries
swall group of high school ants" of exceptionál "scholastic lity who have completed tifree (is) of high school work are be entered in Cornell College esmber, 1931, as fully classified hmen in a project being carried by the North Central Association colleges sand Secondary Schools, acording to the N. S.F A. Bulle-

The project is an attempt to arclerate the progress of the gifted sultent by saving one year in the naditional eight years of secondary school and college work in order that the student may have more time for in extensive education in a profersion. Annotincement of the project was made recently by Dr. H . 1. Burgstahler, president of Cornell c)llege.

## Basis of Selection

linterested students who rank in thic upper one-fourth of their classes may make application for consideration. From this number as many as 20 or 25 students may be accepted finally as members of the group. The final selection will be based on : (1) a battery of tests, including tests over the content of high school curreses, tests of special scholastic qutitude, a silent reading test, a percholugical examination and a personality schedule; (2) rating-on tratis included in regular admission Wenk-s-sent out by the office of data missions to all studefts making application for admisston to the college ; (3) estimates of the student's wecial maturity by those who know him intimately.
Appreval of the North Central Issuciation means that Cornell credits carned by these gifted students who may not have presented the convehtional high school certification of 15 units of work, will be Iully accepted on the same basis as thuse. presented by any Cornell student transferring to the undergradwate or graduate colleges of institutims accredited by this association. - S. S. F. A.

COLUMBIA: PROFESSORS EDIT WORKS OF MILTON

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[^0]Outside Work Hinders French Bridge Held In Honor of Officers

## L. Cougrienc Elected President

 Proceeds of Bridge to Go to Student Fellowship FundThe French Club was hostess a Bridge and Tea hel/ April. 10 in he Conference Room. This Bridge, he fifal: social event of the present eason of the Club, ivas planned in honor of the incoming officers of he Clubl who ivere elected on April: 7.
The new officers as announced in Friday's Bulletiin, are: President Loucienne Cougnenc; Vice President, Jeame Ossent; Secretary and Social Chairman, Beatrice Serge Treasurer, Alice Fisher. Of these, two have already held office in the Club: Miss Cougrienc is about to enter her second term of office as President and Miss Fisher has been e-elected to the position of Treas-

The proceeds of the Bridge are be added to the Intermational Student's. Fellowship Fund.

## Just try them...

 then leave them -tore-clerking Popular More students werte found to be engaged as clerks in stores than any other ${ }_{5}$ occupation, while restautant work, nursing, general office work, household and salesman positions followed in order. When asked what the workers wouild do with their extra time if they did not have to pay their own war, the largest number replied that they would go in for athletics. The next largest group declared that they would study more. while extra-curricular activities, reading; social life and recreation would claim the time of others.:
When asked what the disadrantages of working while in college were most of the workers replied "none." Rather than a disadvantage. they maintained that they counted it an advantage. Very few admitted that it was a curtailment of their social activities, but the majority said it was the only means by which ther would be able to enter any.:ocial life at all.-N.S. F. A.

2,266 Students Visit Tea
Room in:Space of 22 days
During the month of Warch the -1 fternom Tea" "yas open 22 days or 44 hoirs. In this brief time 2,266 students and others took adrantage of the comveriient and excellent sefrice:
I. J. Swan.

SOCIAL SCIENCE FORUM
Tuesday noon, in the Conter-
enge Room
Elections!

CLUBS COMPLETE NEXT SEMESTER'S ELECTIONS
Misses Conforte, Le Vine and Burn
ham Head Spenish, Newman ham.Head Spanish, Newman and Classical Groups

Thè amual Spring: club elections have been held this week. Though elected this term, the officers will not take up their various'duties unil next fall: These elections affect the whole college whether members of the variots organizations or not s the club presidents sit on RepSentative Assembly
Following is the list of the elec tions as known so far:

Spanish Club
President .......Virgínia Confo ice-president and Treasurer

Millicent Wood
Secretary: Lucienne Cougneinc 'ublicity Mgr, ...Dorothy Schmitt Newman Club
resident. . Mary LeVine, relected Vice-president. Florence Dickinson ecretary....' Marguerite Dressner Treasurer, ......... Mary McPike Classical Club Mary McPike $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & \text { land, that a Christian can disobey it } \\ & \text { on moral mround. But he may use } \\ & \text { all legal means to have it enfored }\end{aligned}\right.$
Alice Burnhat Alice Burnham all legal means: to have it enforced Evelyn Raskin or repealed, according to his conFlorence Pearl science.

Church's Attitude on Prohibition Discussed

Use of Wine not Opposed to Tenets of-Christian Religion, Says:

Prof. Raymond
"Abstinence from strong drin̄k hould be left to the individal conscience of a Chistian," de lared Proféssor Irving Wa Ray nond, in his talk concerning the tand of the Church and Prohibition, at St. Paul's. Chapel Service last Thursday noon.
The use of wine is in no way opposed to the tenets of the Christian religion, maintained the speaker. In fact, the Bible evinces instances where the use of wine is spoken of in approval.: The early Christians' attitude of inhibition was upheld on the grounds that drunkenness is sin ful in that "it leads to other vices
fur and misconduct reprehensible alike to Pagan and Christian."
Concluding, Professor Raymond said: "I cannot see, since Prohibition is the fundamental law of the

President
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Treasurer
$\square$ if you can

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Hebrew Congregation Announces Contest

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14. Judaism and Evglution
15. The Similatity oi Tewish and American Ideals.
16. The synagogue I Should Like whind.
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Participants cart sign up under he following organizations: Morartoard. Batnard Quarteriy. Bullem. Clubs 1 French. Newman. tic. 1. Wigs and Cues. and Glee Cluib. Those whe are not affiliated with any of these groups may sign atmer "Commuers." or "Dum

The pheste- will go up in Pamard Hallun April 1 S. Sigut quichily so that the twament can hegin immediately
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"College on Wheels" Planned This Summer

Eqrollment Already 859: Project Sponsored by Universities of

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