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(Editor's note: Due to the excessive number of editorials in this issue, it has been necessary to sacrifice a letter to the editor.)

## $972-536=426$

According to latest reports there are still 436 girls who have not gotten the measles. After an intensive drive of several weeks by Bulletin in cooperation with Student Council, there is still plenty of back scratching to be done.
Why is the ASU so opposed to this movement? Are they afraid of being called Red?
Maybe a more intimate relationship with the faculty will help.
Oxa more intimate relationship with the termites.
Girls who have the measles should try to spread it to Columbia. Spectator hasn't got the measies. What's the matter with Spectator?

Come on all you:
Motor Transport Workers-Will it be Diesels or Measles?

Speech students-Will it be nasals or masals?
Fifth columnists-Will it be muzzles or measles?
It's up to the +36 girls who haven't got the German measles to get them before Easter so we can have two weeks vacation. Deutschland Cber Measlini!

## A SHOT IN THE DARK

High Moon Over
Journalism
Dear Ratt:
1 have read your wonderful col umn for many issues now, and have grown to realise that you really are an understanking persom. It is because of thiis that I turn to you now. Ny romm, one of those gentle cell-like abodes in Hewitt, looks out over the broad vistas of the eastern part of this campus, and eventually to Journalism. Hefere once a month my whole being has been torn asunder. Because over this towering edifice comes the moon. Once a month. It never fails, except when it is raining. Please help me.

Yours Moon-trouble

## Moon Vice

## Dear Moon-trouble:

Needless to say we were very flattered by your charming letter. Your complaint however is not an unusual one. For many years our uncle who lives on the banks of the great Cobra-flow has told us that each month he was tormented by a gigantic moon, covered with red-glowing bats which rose over his chew-hut. For weeks he plotted and planned. He wove great nets to catch the bats, but to no avail $;$ he invented great magnets to disturb the progress of the moon, again to no avail. He knew that he could blind himself. But his mid-termshamas were due. What did he do? No, he didn'
-he just moved to the other side and let the moon shine with its red bats on his back. Why don't you try the Claremont side.

## Yours sincerely,

Ratt
Spring Love
Dear Watt:
The moment your letter came, I moved my room away from the sun and Columbia and over to the cold winds and shadowy Claremont. The winds had gone, and spring had come. In spite of the gloomy shadows I could see boys and girls-walking arm and arm through a split in the buildings. This is worse than a moon per month. What shall I do?

Yours Agonized
Spring Agony
Dear Spring Love:
Now you mustn't worry about your new room. A manifestation of seeming difficulties in getting acclimated is just a sign of an artistic temperment. We used to have an aunt that lived at 243 Casbah Corner, Little Africa, and her tenementsha faced up against a minaret and there was only a clearance of two inches between the two. Although she never saw the light of day she was always being annoyed by robbers who would wedge themselves between her housha and the tower making a disagreeable scraping noise. They came every night. Some-

## Library Litter

A new order has begun in Barnard Library as we noted the other day on our annual visit to Ellaweed. A suggestion that we have been offering for years has come to pass that only a few-people should read books and that those people should as librarians tell the rest of the people what is in the books. Imagine our surprise to find this system being used in Bahnahd.

The librarians are perhaps a bit too literal about this service as we noticed when one timorous freshnan cautiously asked for new feet for old and her feet were summarily yanked off by the librarian; new feet taken from the shelves and handed to her, but at least she got what she wanted- something rarely happening in libraries:

Another convincing demonstration of the value of the service occurred when a student said
"I fant an American mind", and the librarians carefully psychoanalyzed her for three seconds and decided that she already lad one.

At that moment there was quite a rush at the loan desk and several members of Bulletin staff came in Of course when the editor of Bulletin asked for shadow on the land,
we presumed that it was merely her usual propensity for darkened rooms at night but low and behold, the information service launched into an interesting and instructive disserta tion on sy(censored). Oh well, we thought it would be censored (didn't you pass frosh hygiene or what was the matter, Madame Edi tor?)

We were amazed to find the interest evinced by Bulletin staff in books. We were somewhat surprised when (we won't mention initials but the names are B. D. and B. G.) said simultanéously.
"What's wrong with marriage?"
Time wuz when such a question would have brought forth a book but instead the librarian Mis Drury Lane who has been mullin the matter over) gave a lengthy discussion on the evils of this institution (marriage not the library).
leople were being informed at the same time by the other librarian that if they wanted Waller's family, they should ask Waller about it.

We were so interested in this new development that we did not notice many new books.
times to steal tiles and sometimes to hide from the native police. She could never discourage them. What should she do? No, she moved over to the other side. We suggest you try the 116 th St. south end of Brooks Hall.
helpfully Watt

## Fraternity Rattles

Dear Ttii:
I did just what you told me to do. But I am still very unhappy They give big parties every night at the frat house and they are always throwing bottles. Some of them just fly across and come in my window. I hate going around with my face all cut up, and no sleep. Please help me,

Yours Desperate

## Don't Write Us Again

Dear Desperate Rattles:
We're very sorry. We once had a nephew who suffered from your trouble. He went to Collumbishaw College. His class mates murdered him. We are a bit worried about your future and suggest you go home for a long vacation. We regret to inform you that if you can't stand a few environmental irritations you are not college material. On second thought we suggest a quick safari to the Gobi Desert; it's safer than going home.

Yours Ttii

## filth column

(no capital allowed)
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nuw investigating red activitic the private colleges with the sp ial reference to the bed of 1 activities here at barnard called upon me as its agent vocateur. unfortunately, the is men here don't respond th ourt of sex appeal.
i was told that there is a n . cow agent at large and in effort to track her down all of complications ensued. ellt: ing the rear door of the smokin room, approved by the institut of propaganda analysis, i looker around, always keeping my thl in view. there were only a lot matches on strike.
following the party line. i wa led straight to the lion's dell there x.y.z. emerald, editor of the columbia expectorator, frankly told me that the shift of typewriters is to the left.
$i$ then went back to barnard order to follow the movement the two red administrators of the social-ist affairs office directel me to prof. schmontague, ai fectionately known as "schmonty". flashing my f (or) b (ig) (nterest) badge, i cornered hin with this question : what do yon think of cause and effect? with perverted eyes, he answered: the cause comes first. next week he will leave for siberia to cultivate the five-year plants.

## Sneaking Student Council Starts Secret Trials In Termite Putsch

giene lecture."
$\qquad$ +2: "Grandma called it college; we haven't any.' ' 43 "We"ll win Greek Games if we have to race that chariot around the Columbia track.' -44: "I knew I should have gone to Hunter!"
Chairman of Board of Senior Proctors: "All our smoking regulations gone to waste! Bar nard was bound to be consumed, by bites if not by flames."
Mr. Swan: "Even though we Mr. Swan: "Even though we
have lost the buildings, the land is at last well-fertilized."
Treasurer of Undergraduate Association: "Yesterday morning at 2 A.M. I was sitting at my desk balancing the books, preparatory to the auditor's visit (name of Monroe, young, etc.), when all of a sudden the ittle black figures got up and walked away. Termites! I'd been duped. Here I'd thought I was a treasurer and thought I was a treasurer and
I've been merely a Juggler of Termites. The profits had literally been eaten up!"
Editor of "Mortarboard"
'The deadline beat the termitc: Now if we can only get then to subscribe!"
Chairman of Interfaith Coun cil: "This is truly an interiaith crisis. It settles once and for all the controversy over which comes first, belief or action The timie for pure education at an end. The series of in terfaith luncheons will close at once and the Council will sponsor a series of interfaith Turk ish baths to rid the students of their personal termites."
President of Residence Halls "I wish to call the attention of all the resident students to the fact that Brooks and Hewitt Halls have Been demo the toimites. Tonight's house meeting will therefore take place on the empty lot, two feet in from the north corner. Chairman of College Teas: "We shall be delighted to hold a tea in honor of the termites. once they have given themselves up. The faculty will be invited. Distilled wood alcohol and nut and bolt cookies will be served."
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of the wellsprings of our na-
tonal life must be stopped. The pursurt of man is every woman' malenalalle right. It's unconstitu Honal. Lsolation breeds fru stratum and defeatism; to put it plainly it doesn't breed a all.
tatse in point. The lights in the Brouks Hall Entrance have recently taken to burning late into the night. This is obviously a Fascist maneuver to bring about a bottleneck in our na tional love life. In fact you can't eren neck. And keeping
the Venetian blinds up in the parlors is guing to drive sex underground.
My program is an all-out one

- a man for every woman, a soman for every man. That the way to build a greater nation, the democratic way, the A MERIC.AN WAY.
Yurrs fur all for love and love ior all.

My dear Madamn!
Tords camnot express my indignation. I should like to go on record as definitely support ing co-operation with the Soviet Union. The reasons for my belief are so evident to all intelligent people (And I class the 900 students of Barnard College in this category) that I shall not take up space reiterating them.

Yours disrespectfully, Gecil Rage Golan
Dear Madame,
A serious situation has come
to my attention, which calls, I believe, for immediate administrative action if serious gland ular troubles are not to develop
with the full onset of Spring.
Magnolias are blooming. We must all be forceful and lead with our gin if anything is to

Foundation garment, hat een antedated, Semor hỵuen ctures are superflum, an ard Hall on buynd man be ard Hall on bumene of all present Barnard Camp on ing but a sore on the cooperit tive Westchester landscape irls can't have a good tame.
Let's start the ball rolln, This calls for a cunted front on the part of all Campus organizations to bring the facts out into the open. Only a unated student spirit can get us anywhere.
On! Forward to bigger an better things.

Sincerely yours, Marcia Kahnelly 00

## Dear Madam

It has recently been brough
to my attention that there is
n insidious example of class distinction existing in Milbank Hall. I refer to the ups and owns problem-bluntly known as the elevator system. Elevaor, elevator, elevator. Why ry for elevator service when here is none? The minority ave all the privileges - th majority wear off approximate-
ly .000000001 inches of good protoplasm per day trudging vearily up and down stairs. This is a problem of consersa on of natural resources. Dem cracy must be preserved, ealth must be preserved, muscle must be preserved, profes ors are already.
Facts, facts, facts - where are the facts? And is there solution to this problem? Russia has found a solution-so have we. Fireman's poles! Can anyone suggest a better altern ative. Not only " would this rel olutionize methods of conveyance but think of what it would do for Barnard costume. The noble garment of the Motor Transport worker would finally come into its own. For the more delicate members of the aculty - well, great-grandma ooked pretty in pantalettes!

But how do we get up you say? Ah, we'have a capitalist in our midst, a reactionary member of the upper classes A true Marxian never worries about getting up until every hing is down, down, down.
Those interested in picketing on this question please meet with Jake of Jake on Jake at 6:30 Monday morning. Students unite! This is our fight!

Elevatingly yours,
Flossie,
The Fireman's Daughter

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The Teeth That Bit The Bulletin Lyon


## A Defunct Forum

Professor O. I. Savvytout
Colonel Charles A. Windbag
W. J. Blabberon
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WAR AND THE CIRCULATION OF TELEPHONE DIRECTORIES AMONG FARMING Savvytout will take the affirmative, Windbag will take the negative, and Blabberon will take the unless someone stops him.
The college is invited, but tea will be served only to Greek majors over 21 with experience in relin Suspense Course in "The Posing of Pertinent Questions in Regard to the Current Defense Pro gram" Course in "The Posing of Pertinent Questions in Regard to the Current Defense Pro-

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# Wither thou ghost, I ghost! Thy paper Shall be my paper 

The Toast of Ghosts


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(O. NASH)


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