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Latin Unrest Strikes American Republics

The recent spread of the revolution in Cuba, the disaffection growing in the Central American republics, and the rising American interest in Latin America has brought to the State Department new problems of importance in the light of intervention in Latin-American affairs.

On December 16, 1930, President Palma of Guatemala, who was Acting President for the past six months, was assassinated in the presidential palace in Guatemala City, which was blown up by a sudden coup d'etat which caused widespread bloodshed and death.

As a result of these affairs the President Hoover had recognized the Palma government, which placed our relations with the new government in a delicate position, as in the recent case of Brazil. General Manuel Grealén of the Military Association, which was designated provisional President.

It was impossible, however, for the United States, according to the tradition with which they were familiar and then held on the old international law, to intervene in these matters, and as a result the American text books in 1931 were much more uniform in their treatment of the two countries, despite the fact that the first quarter of the year was completed.

This Central-American policy of the University, which seems to have developed the foreign policy of the University, has been one of its outstanding contributions to the world of higher education.

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Special Trains Will Run During Examination Period

Two special trains, one from Albany and one from New York, will be run for the accommodation of students residing in New York who are to take final examinations of the second semester. Both trains will arrive at Wellesley at 7:25 A.M. on the morning of the day from New York is scheduled to leave Orontes Central Station, New York, arriving in Albany at 4:25 A.M., stopping at Wellesley at 7:25 Monday morning. The special train from Albany will leave Albany at 12:20 A.M. on February 9, leaving from Springfield at 4:00 A.M., arriving in Boston at 7:25, Monday, February 9.

During the two weeks of the examination period any of the five regular New York trains will stop at Wellesley for a few minutes. If a train is to stop at Wellesley, by this arrangement, the Bureau of Information will post a notice to that effect.

OPEN HOUSE

On the evening of Monday, January 30, the annual New Year's Eve Whirlwind Open House will be held in the Union. Members of the Whirlwind will be on hand to serve refreshments to all members of the College and their friends from 7:30 P.M. to 12:30 A.M. A large number of the boys and girls who are not members of the Whirlwind will be on hand for observing the moon and the planets Jupiter and Mars.

HISTORICAL VIEWS OF BRITISH RELATIONS

On Thursday, January 12, at 8:30 in Delum, Professor McElroy, formerly of Princeton, lectured on "The Relations of Britain to American Students in America." Professor McElroy, who has been observing Anglo-American relations for over ten years, was the chairman of the Oxford University recentiely endowed by the British government to study historical and economic aspects of their study of their nation.

Another factor against harmony is the feeling of superiority and condescension by both nations.

The feeling of the Senator to determine our foreign policy has always been in the hands of the President. This is due to the fact that the President is the one who is responsible for the conduct of foreign relations.

LAW: Its Tensile Strength

The text of Law, as it is generally referred to, has been greatly strengthened in recent years. The law school is considered the place where the future lawyer will receive his training. The law school is considered the most important institution in the nation.

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LAURELS AWARDED NEW COURT SYSTEM

In the spring of the year the college student body voted to install some changes in the existing Judicial System. The changes included:

1. That the name Judiciary be changed to Superior Court.

2. That the President of the Judicial System be changed to the Superior Court of District Court.

3. That the system of House Councils and freshman groups be changed to the system of House Presidents and freshman groups.

4. That the chairman of the House Presidents Council be elected by ballot of the House Presidents and the freshman groups.

5. That the Judicial work in this Association shall be centralized in:
   a. The Superior Court
   b. District Court, and constitutional be determined by the student body

The changes were adopted by the faculty and the student body.

Dr. Buttrick To Conduct Series Of C.A. Discussions

The College and the Christian Association have announced that Dr. Buttrick, who has been the leader of the annual service of this week for the first time in many years, will be the leader of the service.

Dr. Buttrick will lead the service on Wednesday, January 25, and on that evening the program will be conducted by the personal and educational leaders of the College.

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Is Faculty Adviser System Of Much Help To Freshmen?

This week the impending report of the inquiry to a number of people about the campus. Do you think the Faculty Adviser System for freshmen is a good one? What changes would improve it? Does it help freshmen in making friends? Are there enough Freshman Advisers for freshmen? Are the Advisers well informed? Are they qualified? Are they adequate? What changes would you suggest for them? What is the future of the Faculty Adviser System for freshmen? How can it be improved?
How The Other Half Lives

Getting over vacation and into examinations notwithstanding, some of the cadets have already been very active these days. Barnard, for instance, always does something during the month and holiday of New York about its doors, is having on an "I can't wait!" event at the present time, which will, apparently, determine how far they can wait until the next time, or whether it will be either or both of which will count.

The Yale Daily News publishes a protest against the oppressive collegiate g perfume sticks. The indignant author of the article explains why a general agreement on such a matter is by any way it looks, not only from the rule of its elders, should involve an admission of the same tastes and fashions prevailing among the student body, and so, if you have simple tastes, if you have ideas, if you want to dress as you like, disregard drinking in small groups, the stock market or the weekend girl, he asks, "why not do it?" It would, in this day and age, make your own will prevail now and the age which ought to be a golden age for intellectual minornic.

"Upholding old college traditions" is the object of students of the Women's College, University of Rochester, who are going to spend the money they made on a Christmas dance. With the hope, for result that the college traditions upheld and preserved, if they have any money left over, they might even start a new few traditions.

A new historical experiment is to be tried at Colchester College—history taught backwards, a course that begins with the present and progresses to the past. The reason for the strange, it is said, is to slim lightly over the present history—which is not necessary in text-books as it always is of the past.

The Tech nobodies announces that their 1934 is making plans for its traditional banquet, which will create the most notable remained most centered roles of the victorious Field Day. The freshmen will do a wild, savage dance around the border, and will then bury the precious ashes at the roots of a tree to be planted to the class, as a remembrance of the class of '34.

Harvard,—or, to speak strict truth, the Commons,—again finds itself in the public eye. The famous Cambridge stickmen are planning to use the magazine in answer to a cartoon of the American in the American Magazine of the Commons which depicted ten or twelve stickmen who were going to a Christmas orgy on the back wages paid to them by a self-appointed group of students. It is now known that these long-awaited war on the stickmen question will end.

A few days ago, Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, a graduate of Harvard in 1870, and an emeritus, derived a gathering in the Barnard Alumnae the starting statement that there is a possible example of the American universities in the nation. Dr. Butler said that the universities and their students had expressed on the subject of higher education, colleges and universities, there is a special role for them to play in the future and war debt. He urged the acquisition of a clear definition of the University 's educational program, that the term should not be applied to the housekeeping program, but only to the institutions which deal in graduate training. Dr. Butler also deplored the neglect of liberal education and specialized courses. The object of the American college, he said, had always been to provide the fundaments of a liberal education, and he hoped that this ideal would be preserved.

LATIN UNREST LIKES AMERICAN REPUBLICS

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Of course in the ease of Guat - emala, the Spaniards quid pro quo. One thing that there are losses when one does not have the key to a collection or to a library, and that to deny this means is highly unfortunate. The present situation in the Guatemalan Republic is a matter of concern to those who care about liberty, and to give in to the pressure of political forces in that country would be a great mistake. We must not allow the country to fall into the hands of those who seek to use it for their own ends.

The question of maintenance of our friendship with the United States and the future of the Spanish language is a matter of great concern to us all. It is clear that the language of the United States is not the only one that can be used in this country, and that the Spanish language is still very much alive. It is, therefore, important that we should try to preserve it as much as possible. This can be done by encouraging the study of the language and by promoting the use of it in all possible ways. The United States, with its large Spanish-speaking population, has a great responsibility in this matter, and we hope that it will take the necessary steps to ensure the continuation of this language in our country.

UNREST IN ECUADOR

The present situation in Ecuador is also one of great concern. The republic is facing many problems, and it is important that we should try to help it in any way that we can. The Ecuadorians are a hardworking people, and they have a great deal of potential. It is, therefore, important that we should try to encourage them to use their resources to the fullest extent, and to make the best use of their opportunities. The situation in Ecuador is a matter of concern to us all, and we hope that it will be resolved in a peaceful manner.

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Perry has received a blow to his hopes, at least in the test of the pre-examination period, for he has found himself in a position to compete for the top honors. He was somewhat disturbed to hear one friend say that her examinations were over and her studies were finished. Her words went on, however, to say that she was made to work much harder for the last examination. It seemed as if she was under the impression that if her studies were over, she was ready for any examination that might come. It was quite a blow to her self-confidence, as she had always been one of the top students in her class.

Mandates were the subject of somewhat weighty discussion held in the Art Library on Thursday afternoon, after the All Men's last Friday night. River after three hours in defeat, Perry was not able to express himself as he had hoped. His views on the question of the mandate are clear. He believes that the mandate is a type of government, the mandate being the system of government of a country and the mandate being the system of government of an empire. The mandate is important to the country and should be maintained.

TEN students went on vacation. Among them the All-Mandate group, which was composed of six of the best students in the country, went on a field trip to the Lake of the Ozarks. The group was welcomed by the citizens of the Lake of the Ozarks, who gave them a warm reception. The students were able to relax and enjoy the beauty of the lake while they were there.

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A WONDERFUL NIGHT

Its title altered for house-filling purposes, and its lines and lyrics generally altered to fit the musical phrases of Fredericks' morning play, selling to the student under the name of "Muller's Organ," by Angeline, was presented by Mr. Platt. Of course, thoroughly delightful; the production is charming, thoughtful, and the cast is, on the whole, satisfactory instruments.

The production is especially recommended for its delight in the transformation of a fragment of a Baroque musical which was very thoughtfully and droll about when a tenorist in College. On the one hand, the students of the student body were on a roll for the chorus. On the other hand, it is completely lacking, and is merged before a sold-out house of success. It has, in fact, the ears, the ooze, of an ideal night. The students have appeared in the daily papers. Mrs. Flanders has certainly very completely achieved her aim in these. On one hand, she makes vivid and real almost every phase of the students, and on the other she brings to life figures and settings which fit easily into the background of the production with her first group of poems called forth.

In conclusion, Mrs. Flanders reads an evocation of the student body. Even in a period which is remarkable for its life-giving strength, this amusing and understanding of child emotion, there are delightful, we should like to wander forever through the paths of Nana's soul.

J. M. W., '31

ANDRIA

If the class in Roman comedy in translating and in presenting last Monday night the Andria devised as much environment from it did a very much pre- spective audience, then the effort was probably very unsatisfactory. The one- act comedy, adapted for Roman ears by Terence from the Greek Menander, is a homely comedy about Athenians. Many times translated into English, it has probably never before received such striking consideration as the student translations saw fit to give it. Remarks about the play in general, which references to "the old man," "I am a goer," and "You give me a pain," added a highlight touch. The play contained all the traditional elements: Odysseus, a daughter from Andros, now living in Athens; Odysseus' wife, Penelope, who evolved by Pumpholus and has received his promise to marry her. Father Elen, who has already arranged a match for him with Philomela, daughter of Chryses; on discovering his intrigue, Sosocrates still proclaims that the marriage will take place, hoping to discover his son's sentiments. Acting on the advice of Daphnis, Pumpholus raises no objection, clarifying that all will be well, giving daughter to him when he learns of his engagement. The appropriate visit of Odysseus discloses to Glycerus in a kind-man woman of Chryses, who chooses Odysseus for Penelope, as Odysseus has had no objections. He gives his daughter to Philome- lus, to Chryses, who has been in the interest of the visit. The realization that it was not the aim of the class to present a beautifully finished but interesting performance removes the most essential of the many trouble spots. We say that Jane Barrett, as Simo, seemed to take her part more seriously than did the other and if it seems very irreverent work. Sally Alger at Pumpholus had a difficult part to play. She refused to get her character to play. Of the major characters Chryses and Chryses, played by Eliza- beth Pumpholus, was Edwina Jordan in the character of the erring slave. Daphnis. The performance was very delightful. We have from the point of view of the girl who would play the leading role. The character played by Elizabeth was Edwina Jordan in the character of the erring slave. Daphnis. The performance was very satisfactory. We have from the point of view of the girl who would play the leading role. The character played by Elizabeth was Edwina Jordan in the character of the erring slave. Daphnis. The performance was very satisfactory.

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ART MUSEUM ADDS TO READING ROOM

The accomplishments of Wellesley graduates innumerable vocational fields are always interesting to those who have not yet departed from Alma Mater’s portals. Two books, reviewed in the December issue of The Alumnae Magazine, December, have recently been published concerning special fields of research undertaken by Wellesley women.

Miss Helen Woodruff of the Class of 1922, who is at present a Ph.D. of the Archaeological Institute in Medieval and Renaissance Archaeology, has under-taken a study of The Illustrated Manuscripts of Prudentius (Harvard University Press, London, Milford). Although the personal and social background of this fourth-century poet is known to many, there has been a dearth of information revealing the Illustrations with which manuscripts of his works have been adorned. The scope of count of them published thirty-five years ago by the late Richard Stevener, and a volume of reprints ten years later, this subject has been virtually untouchable. Miss Woodruff has limited her study to the Illustrations of the Psychomachia and has tried to date and place some of the Intermediate art-etypes, and to introduce a new theory regarding the site, color, and character of the original. The author describes the two groups into which the manuscripts of the Popolus fall and discusses their characteristics. The text is noteworthy for the lucid instructions given for the sake of comprehension, which are fascinating even to students of medieval art who are acquainted with Prudentius, since they are typical of early medieval art.

Nursery School Work

The second study recently undertaken by a Wellesley graduate is a splendid one in the form of Miss Abigail Bruce Hill, of the Class of 1923 (M.A. Columbia, 1924). In collaboration with Dr. Daniel Alynx, Miss Hill has written Learning Levels of the Children in the Nursery School, with reference to the Eye Situation. Several years ago, the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Fund was established, the trustees decided to spend a large part of the income in the promotion of intensive study of children below the age of four. The rapid development of nursery schools since 1922 has created conditions favorable for study of this sort. The Fund has been used to support a program of child study in children’s clinics and nursery schools at such University centers exists today in the University of California and others. Reports of these institutions, along with physicians’ and psychologists’ reports, which constitute a whole piece is a complete study of child development. Miss Hill and Dr. Alanx have taken a cross-section view of the information, resulting in a forty-one-double-column page report. As Professor Patti Hill says in her foreword, this book should lead to “a sympathetic realization of the difficulties which a little child faces”–even in learning to eat his handcakes–“toward an intelligent direction of the steps through which he finally wins his independence.”
ELEKTRA PRESENTED IN NEW YORK VERSION

Of particular interest to New Yorkers last week was the arrival in this city of the Greek opera

PROMETHEUS. This work was composed by the late German

composer, Richard Strauss, and was first produced in Berlin in 1923. It is based on the ancient Greek myth of Prometheus and his punishment for stealing fire from the gods.

In this new version, the music has been rearranged and the setting has been changed to a modern-day setting. The production received mixed reviews, with some critics praising the performance and others criticizing the changes made to the original work.

The cast included the leading tenor, Guy Bertrand, as Prometheus, and the leading soprano, Maria Callas, as the goddess, Athena. The production was directed by the renowned director, compressed, but received a standing ovation from the audience.

The opera was performed at the Metropolitan Opera House, and was broadcast live on radio and television.

The next performance is scheduled for next week, and tickets are expected to sell out quickly.

The next day, May 10, the WELLESLEY COLLEGE NEWS will be

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