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C. S. P. A. Director

“One Of Our Boys”

The founder and director of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association is Mr. Joseph Murphy, a graduate of Bridgewater Normal '10, and a former teacher in the Bridgewater High School. Before coming to Normal he was an assistant at Abington High School. At present he is secretary to the president of Catholic University in Washington, while for the past few years he was a member of the faculty at Columbia.

The convention this year was well attended, with over 1200 delegates being present, the one coming the longest distance being a representative of a paper in Korea. The Campus Comment delegate was John Sweeney, sports editor.

Two weeks ago the campus of Columbia University was over-run with more than 1400 delegates and students, and such a crowd of people as has never before visited New York City.

This Columbia Scholastic Press Association with its annual convention is a comparatively new organization on Morningide Heights. Back in 1904, a conference of editors of high school papers in New Jersey was held at Columbia. Thirty years later this conference was held on the Columbia University campus. From this meeting grew the Columbia Scholastic Press Association and with Mr. Murphy at the helm it has grown by leaps and bounds so that it is now the largest of its kind in the United States, and even from Alaska, the Philippines, and Hawaii, are being scanned by judges in their efforts to select the best magazines and newspapers of scholastic content.

This year Mr. Murphy was chairman of the convention, and Mr. Hunt was chairman of the Finance Committee.

John Sweeney Sees Campus Comment Get Third Place

Much excitement has been felt around the school as well as a pardonable thrill of pride at the news that our Campus Comment got third place among the newspapers of Normal schools, Teachers Colleges, and schools of education throughout the country.

John Sweeney is the man who knows about it since he was the delegate which Campus Comment sent to the eighth annual convention of the Columbia Scholastic Press Association held at Columbia University (March 10, 11, 12).

He reported a warm welcome by Mr. Murphy, a former graduate of B. N. S., and now director of the Association, who is glad to meet anyone from his Alma Mater and gives them a good time as possible.

"There were 1460 at the opening meeting," said Mr. Sweeney, "with several large delegations from Normal schools present. There were many interesting speakers on the program among whom were Dean Howells of Columbia, Francis Underwood of Andover, and Miss Murphy, from the office at 3.30 and optimistically in the convention.

Mr. Sweeney went on to say that when Campus Comment was discussed in the convention, the issue which attracted most attention was the December issue with the cut of Ken Murphy and the feature story of R. L. Murphy, a former graduate of Andover.

On the Cover:

"April Fool Dance" which will take place on Friday the thirteenth will be a lucky trip and the reception of the paper at the convention.

B1 Goes A-Training

A new term has begun for most of us, and the work remains much the same. A new term has started for training B1, and the entire new faculty of education has opened up before them. For this reason they are going to teach, and learn themselves the why's, what's, and wherefore's of the great and interesting field which hitherto has been much of a mystery despite the courses in meth­dology in the six-week period in training school.

Bridgewater will not be wholly de­stitute of the fair maids of B1. Mary Lewis and Irma Warren are training here, and teaching the young pupils who will eventually make Bridgewater's future come true.

Breakneck seems to be a favorite training place—perhaps because it is near to the school that frequent visits can be made by the students-teachers, Mary Roland, Dorothy Ecker, Miss Murphy, who were on hand to attend the nation and the reception of the paper at the convention.

Bridgewater Alumni Association Meeting

"Bridgewater today and tomorrow" is the theme of this year's Alumni association meeting to be held at Hotel Somerset, April 2.

The program begins with a social hour at 11:30. At this time the Overture—Venetian Carnival will be played. Luncheon will be at 12:45. The meeting will be in the afternoon.

From the pamphlet of the Boston Symphony: "The orchestra, conducted by Mr. Hunt Put on the Spot"

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ORCHESTRA CONCERT

On Friday evening, April 1, the Normal school Orchestra under the direction of Miss Frieda Rand will present its annual concert. The orchestra is very fortunate in securing as its soloist, Walter Smith, popular musician from Providene.

The program will include pieces to suit the taste of every music lover.

I. Overture—Venetian Carnival
2. a. Minuet
3. b. Hungarian Dances
4. Trumpet Solos
Walter Smith

Amelia Vaughan

Joseph Murphy

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Little Brothers

"Sweet is the smell of printer's ink, and of those fortunate beings who early in life learned to love its odor, no less than 1200 are gathered for a day or two under the wing of Columbia University from schools all over the land. They write, edit and business-manage 860 school papers, which is to say that in one of our classrooms there are more students than in the American University of Beirut or in the University of Chicago. What is more, they do it without any interference from the authorities.

Dame Nature, in one of her playful moods, created persons so queerly constituted that they would go to the Administration building on the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention held in New York, March 10, 11, 12, to which Campus Comment sent a representative. To sum up the school paper as a stepping stone in the life of the average student: It introduces a modern State Teachers' College, not an ancient institution. It is the happiest time of the trade when fates should decree that on a shopping spree you would go. Through this system the paper will always be patronized by people who are experienced as well as talented. The standing of the paper should benefit from the change. We need not mention its name—staggered against two allegedly magic words. People stay a while thinking about the results which a small ad that he inserts in this paper each month produced! He declared that he never saw a more beautiful sight. This enabled him to reduce the cost of being entered. He said, "I wish we had more ads for shoes."

Discordant Noise Or Pleasant Hum?

To the person who does not admire "our actions, our voices, in short, our whole conduct":

Those of us who have been exposed to courses in Vocal Expression, Dramatics, Public Speaking, and Argumentation regret your denunciation. By your plea you are repeating the results of arduous training in use of tone color, pantomime, presentation of facts, forcefulness, and ready interesting conversation upon all occasions.

Would you prefer to escort strangers "under the wing of Columbia University from schools all over the land. They write, edit and business-manage 860 school papers, which is to say that in one of our classrooms there are more students than in the American University of Beirut or in the University of Chicago. What is more, they do it without any interference from the authorities. Dame Nature, in one of her playful moods, created persons so queerly constituted that they would go to the Administration building on the Columbia Scholastic Press Association Convention held in New York, March 10, 11, 12, to which Campus Comment sent a representative. To sum up the school paper as a stepping stone in the life of the average student: It introduces a modern State Teachers' College, not an ancient institution. It is the happiest time of the trade when fates should decree that on a shopping spree you would go. Through this system the paper will always be patronized by people who are experienced as well as talented. The standing of the paper should benefit from the change. We need not mention its name—staggered against two allegedly magic words. People stay a while thinking about the results which a small ad that he inserts in this paper each month produced! He declared that he never saw a more beautiful sight. This enabled him to reduce the cost of being entered. He said, "I wish we had more ads for shoes."
CAMPUS COMMENT

The successful commuter knows ex­actly how many minutes he needs to bathe, shave, eat and get to the station. He never wakes up too late, but he rarely hurries. He is a disciplined man, and his habits are those of the writer, business or professional life, the saver—he is to make the train he set out for. The man of business or professional life, the saver—he is to make the train he set out for.

Willard Douglas crumpled the paper in his hand and stepped to the other end of the train, as he stared moodyly at the window, then turned. He found his fingers refused to transmit the thoughts, paper thoughts so utterly alienated from his surroundings that they became unanswerable. How could one write of lighted tickets attached like badges to a panel—while standing at the stark nakedness of electric bulbs! Visions of the poor fellow's dream materialized instantly when confronted with the harsh reality of Mrs. Smyth's sausages and beans.

I always felt uneasy when I saw commuters racing for the train. Perhaps there's a different heightening of the fact that a tardy passenger throws me a baby one morning. Yes, sir, commuting. Ultimate commuter has almost no marked habits in common with the home-coming flâneur, but he is a kindred spirit.

The best of all commuters is the son of a commuter.

C. S. P. A. Director Mr. Hunt Put on the Spot

Let's Gossip

Iola Riley was on an early vaca­tion in New York with her sister who is an alumna of this school. As a matter of fact, her train was to arrive at Washington during the Spring vacation. Accordingly, the house guest of Barbara Pray the weekend of February 28.

A. S. W. M. graduate, a teacher in Quincy, attended the Gym Meet and Banquet.

Margaret Sullivan gripped with the grippe for a week, but has returned.

Iola Riley was put over big like everything else we process; put it over big like everything else we process; put it over big like everything else we process; put it over big like everything else we process; put it over big like everything else we process.
Spring Sports

The indoor spring sports have now come into their own, and judging by the number of girls who are going out for them, there has been a recent upsurge in interest. There is a sport for every girl so there should be a girl (or rather many girls) for every sport. Take your pick, there is everything you may desire from a basketball, volleyball, bowling, to badminton and paddle tennis.

Bowling seems to be ever popular for it has continued right over into this new season, proving that every game is not going out for it. Bowling comes on Tuesdays after school.

Every Monday at 2:30 there is tennis and badminton and volleyball. Agnes Aim, the head of the tennis team, is quite enthusiastic about the girls' interest in this sport. She says that there are many girls for every ball. Agnes Aim, the head of the tennis team, is quite enthusiastic about the girls' interest in this sport. She says that there are many girls for every ball. Agnes Aim, the head of the tennis team, is quite enthusiastic about the girls' interest in this sport. She says that there are many girls for every ball.

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Volleyball is offered by its head, Berdie Truelove. The Indoor Fencing season has been received very enthusiastically. The girls must be well organized and play well enough to continue. There is no excuse for not playing well enough.

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