

ACADEMY SCULPTURE PRIZE WON BY GORDON

Russian Jewish Student Gets Stewardson Award Over Ten Contestants



BERNARD GORDON

Bernard Gordon is the winner of the Edmund Stewardson prize of \$100 at the Academy of the Fine Arts, after a nervous three-day contest in which ten students of sculpture took part.

Under terms of the competition, the study was a full-length figure reproduced to size, between two feet six inches and three feet. The study had to be completed within eighteen hours, during three consecutive days, in six sessions of three hours each.

At 10 o'clock yesterday the ten contestants left the modeling room and the judges were admitted. Until that time none but the artists and their model were permitted in the room.

The judges were Hermon A. MacNeil, of New York; Albert Laessle, of Germantown; and Edward Berge, of Baltimore. They spent nearly an hour in making decision, during which time the artists and their friends were excitedly awaiting the report.

Other contestants were Mrs. Sara E. Langley, Miss Gladys Edgerly, Miss Sarah Richardson, Miss Margaret Conner, Raphael Sabatini, Dominic D. Imperio, Frank Stamato, Walter Shank and Herman Frank.

This is the seventeenth year for the awarding of the Stewardson prize. The winner of the prize is not eligible to contest a second year. It is the most important sculpture award in the academy schools for sculpture.

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Butler was originally spread on bread with the thumb.

Muffs were first used by doctors in order to keep their fingers soft.

A shawl of herings is often five or six miles in length and two or three miles in breadth.

No fewer than 250 of the members of the new British House of Commons saw service in the war.

M. Venizelos, the celebrated statesman of Greece, can write with both hands with equal facility.

Tokio has more than 800 public bathing establishments, which are used by some 300,000 persons daily.

"Taffetas," the stiff silken material of which women's dresses are made, gets its name from a street in Bagdad.

Throughout the British empire the naval salute of the King is twenty-one guns, excepting in India, where it is 21 guns.

Glasgow once experienced a strike of grave-diggers, who demanded an increase in pay, shorter hours, and six days' holiday in the year. They picketed the cemeteries and stopped the funerals, until finally the authorities yielded to their demands.

As his contribution to the war cause a barber of Brighton, England, gave 70,000 free shaves and haircuts to soldiers in the local hospitals.

One of the most curious boundaries in Europe is between Italy and Switzerland. In one place it consists of a high barrier of wire netting hung with bells.

In the English village of Westbeate, Kent, bread and cheese and beer are provided free to every person who attends in the parish for the three nights previous to the first Saturday before the Midsummer Day.

FRESHMAN WINS DEBATE T. J. Murphy, of Wharton School, Takes University Honors

T. J. Murphy, a Wharton School freshman, was the winner of the Frazier Prize debate held last night in the rooms of the Philomathean Society at the University of Pennsylvania.

Murphy is a graduate of Brooklyn High School and won honors as a debator there. His victory last night is considered remarkable, as few members of the first year class have ever won this honor. Second place was won by E. G. Harrison, a junior in the college and C. C. Parlin, a Wharton School senior.

This debate is the last of a series of preliminary debates for the picking of the valedictorian. The next who will represent Pennsylvania in the triangular debate with Cornell and Columbia are: Affirmative team, F. G. Harrison, S. M. Holbrook, W. S. Seller and N. Campbell; Negative, T. J. Murphy, H. Hart, C. C. Parlin and N. G. Bowdler.

The judges last night were John Dolman, head of the public speaking department of the college and John H. Hart, Jr., of the Christian Association.

And So They Were Married

By HAZEL DEYO BATCHELOR

"BUT I do mean it," Ruth's tone was earnest, so earnest that Scott stared at her in surprise.

"You mean that you actually want to pay that much for a hat? Why, I think it's absurd. How could a woman's hat cost that much? It's all out of proportion."

"The trouble is, Scott," said Ruth earnestly, speaking out of the knowledge that every woman has about the cost of clothes, "you don't know anything about women's clothes at all."

"But how could a hat cost that much? The material couldn't possibly be worth more than 15."

"There's generally about \$5 worth of material and \$15 worth of trim," she said, looking at him. "If you understood you would see what I mean. Women's clothes are never bought for what they ought to cost as far as material goes. For that matter neither are men's."

Scott changed his tactics immediately. "Well, girl, I want to be frank and we couldn't afford things like that, much as I'd like to give them to you." His face had flushed a deep red. It takes courage for a man to tell the woman he loves that he simply hasn't got the money to buy her something she wants.

For the time being Scott ceased to be the hero and was simply a man who, in the eyes of his wife, was not a success. Ruth had the same unspoken feeling that she had when Scott had been ill and helpless and she had taken care of him. It was a humiliating little feeling, unworthy of two persons who loved each other enough to ignore trivialities.

"All right, it doesn't matter anyway," Ruth said calmly, thinking of the hat that she had bought and charged to her mother.

"But it does matter. If you need a hat I want you to get it, but can't it be something a little less expensive?"

"No, I don't want to wear anything cheap. I'd rather go without." This was unworthy of Ruth, too, and Scott's silence spoke for her.

"I didn't mean it, I didn't mean it," she cried, running toward him. "I don't see why I say such beastly horrible things. I'm not fit to be married to a man like you."

"I had more so that I could buy you everything you want," he whispered. "I don't want anything," said Ruth. But she did, and even then she knew that the old feeling of having to take a back seat where all her old friends were concerned, of having to wear cheap clothes and sinking into hopeless mediocrity would come back as soon as her reason reassured itself.

The next afternoon Fleta Sears ran in to her room. "I just wanted to tell you that the next meeting is Saturday, and I didn't want you to forget."

"Oh, do you?" said Ruth with the feeling that she ought in some way to apologize for something. There were so many things that the place needed, and it felt far short of what Ruth knew it ought to be.

"Indeed I do," said Fleta, who gently liked Ruth and wanted to be nice. "That old piece of mahogany over there is charming."

"That was a wedding present," said Ruth quickly. She would have been far better contented if Fleta had seen her to come to the door. They had bought themselves. But she was genuinely proud of the bedroom and she knew when she took Fleta in there that any praise she gave must be necessary for her.

Ruth sprang up. "I want you to meet my husband, Miss Sears," as she turned from Scott's kiss.

Fleta extended a gracious hand and they chatted a few minutes before Fleta took her departure. Ruth hurried back to Scott eagerly.

"Isn't she charming? Don't you like her, dear? There's so much to her."

"She seemed nice, but she's a lot older than you."

"You never rave about any of my friends, do you?" and Ruth escaped from his arms and evaded his kiss.

Scott followed her into the kitchen, where she was stirring something at the stove. "See here, young lady, you're not going to be cross with your poor, tired husband, are you?"

But Ruth was cross, so cross that she blurted out something without thinking. "Oh, it doesn't matter," she said, lightly. "By the way, Scott, I got that hat I liked so much when I was downtown today. The \$22 one, you know."

"The next chapter, a conversation on the question of debts."

His Two Legs Worth \$75,000 Cleveland, O., March 13.—All records for personal injury damages in Ohio courts were broken yesterday when a jury in Common Pleas Court awarded Victor D. Miller, of this city, \$75,000 against the Pennsylvania Railroad and the Toledo, Columbus and Ohio Railroad, a subsidiary line, for the loss of both legs. Mr. Miller sued for \$100,000.

WANAMAKER'S WANAMAKER'S Down Stairs Store —at Wanamaker's March 13, 1919.



Men's Suspenders 55c They are of strong elastic webbing in gray, tan, lavender and white leather ends. (Gallery, Market) St. Patrick's Day Gaeti The good old 'yon saint of Ireland, for why every one seems to have good word and a warm feeling bids fair to receive more than his usual share of hospitality this year.

Suits on Sports Lines Are Made of Spring Tweeds They're in the light mixtures in varying shades of tan, gray and brown that seem the springiest of all materials. Some have collars that button high or can be worn open at the throat. Others have jackets cut on the lines of an English army officer's coat, with big pockets and a flare. The suits are in several weights and the jackets are lined with plain peau de cygne or with striped silks, \$22.50 and \$27.

Blue Serges Arrive in Numbers The suit that is sketched is one of the new ones. The jacket is cut on box lines whose straightness is somewhat relieved by the belt. A border of heavy stitching in black or gray finishes it, the collar is of creamy pounce and the lining is of peau de cygne, \$24. Scores of other serges in navy, Pekin and rook, principal are ready in all their spring freshness, at \$23.50 to \$37.50.

No Lack of Lovely Wraps Not in many years have wraps been so graceful and so universally becoming. There is no harshness to their lines and even materials seem softer. The youthful cape that is sketched is an excellent example of it. It is of fine suede velour cut very full, with a gathered collar and is softly lined with figured silk. It may be had in Pekin, taupe and tan at \$22.50.

Surplice fronts, fringes and tasseled throw collars, other pleasant points on the new capes. The price range is wide, \$13.75 to \$135—so there should be no difficulty in being suited. These charming things. Serge, in particular, is being asked for by many women. Capes of it have a dash and charm that is individual. \$14.75 to \$69.75. (Market)

'I've Looked All Over Town for tailored waists with detachable collars, a woman told us today, and then chose some from the many files that are here. Here are waists of —white madras at \$2.50. —soft handkerchief linen and firmly even corded madras at \$3.50. —a pretty figured and corded madras \$3.75. —heavy white linen at \$4.50. All are made like men's shirts with the detachable collars and turnback cuffs. Convertible Collar louses One of white linene is \$1.75. Striped crepe de chine in pretty stripes is \$3.75. (Market)

Women's Sweaters Half Price at \$2.90 Shetland knit coat sweaters with brushed wool collars and cuffs and long belts. In rose, salmon, purple, Belgian blue, brown, green, lavender and white. (Central) Back Petticoats in Extra Sizes There are two models: one is of lustrous black cotton material with an attractive flounce and the price is \$2.50; the second at \$2 is of black sateen with gathered flounce and a narrow accordion-plated ruffle at the foot. (Central)

La Camille Corsets at Nearly Half Price Surely nothing is more essential the new costume than a good-fitting corset, and these four front-cup models are all special. There Are Thee at \$3.50 The first is for the heavy figure. It is made of firm white coutil, very heavily boned throughout with tremely long skirt. The second is for the average to full figure, is of good quality batiste with a somewhat shorter skirt than the first, has a free hip with an elastic gore at the bottom follow an easy sitting posture. The third is for the slight to the average figure, is made of white silk-figured poplin, topless, with medm length skirt and elastic gores over the hips. At \$3 there is a corset of pink-gauze coutil, with low bust and short skirt. It is well boned in the bck with free hip and is for slight figures. All have the comfortable "ventil" backs. (Central)

500 Pair of Half-Sash Marquissett Curtains —fresh and new, have hemstitched edges, are in white, cream and ecru color, and are special at 75c a pair. (Central) New Rugs for Housecleaning Time Colonial rag rugs are in a good assortment of sizes. 24x36 inches, 75c 4x7 feet, \$3.75 25x50 inches, \$1 6x9 feet, \$6.50 27x54 inches, \$1.25 8x10 feet, \$9.50 30x60 inches, \$1.50 9x12 feet, \$11.50 36x72 inches, \$2 12x15 feet, \$20 12x18 feet, \$25 Fiber rugs, good looking and durable, are special. 27x54 inches, \$2.75 36x72 inches, \$4 4.8x7.6 feet, \$6.50 6x9 feet, \$9.50 6x12 feet, \$12.50 8.3x10.6 feet, \$14 9x12 feet, \$15 9x15 feet, \$21.50 (Cheesnut)

Longer Gloves Are Being Asked for Women find these six- and eight-button lengths are best for wearing with the new dolmans and capes. —Washable white doe - finish gloves in six-button length slip-on style have black stitched backs, \$2.35. —Eight-button white French kid-skin gloves have self or two-tone embroidered backs, with three pearl clasps at the wrists, \$3.50. Also in black with self or white embroidery. —Washable tan capeskin with two-tone embroidered backs, or gray with spear-point backs. Are in six-button length with a tab that serves as fastening at the wrist, \$2.50. (Central)

Every Little Girl Wants a New Silk Dress A silk dress for spring is an institution in many families and young daughters look forward to it. Taffetas are rustling their crisp folds in the Store for Junior Girls. Here are frocks smocked with colored wools, frocks with high waists and frocks with youthful round necks and pointed Pierrot frills. They're as fresh and springlike as a tulip and may be had in navy and Copenhagen blues, tan, rose, green and brown in sizes for girls of 12 to 16 years. \$15 to \$22.50. (Central)

Girls' Jean Bloomers Girls of six to fourteen wear these underneath their white regulation dresses instead of petticoats. These have elastic at the waist and knees and are of good white material. Excellent at \$1.50. (Junior Store, Central)

A Sale of Gingham Frocks for Little Girls \$1.25 Here are all sorts of pretty checks and stripes, and even plaids, trimmed with plain material. The gingham is of good quality and will stand much wear and washing. The frocks are made in pretty ways with high waists and all sorts of odd little pockets. For children of 2 to 6 years. (Central)

Spring Shoes March Straight toward the long, plain last and high, curved heel in women's shoes. New this season are: Black calfskin ties at \$5.25; black calfskin pumps at \$5.40; black patent leather ties at \$5.25; black patent leather pumps at \$5.40. Spats to wear with the pumps and ties are \$1.50 to \$2.50. Among the high shoes for women there are gray kid-skin shoes with cloth tops to match, high curved heels and wadded soles, special at \$5.50; brown or black kid-skin high-cut lace shoes, have plain toes, wadded soles and high curved heels, \$5.75. (Cheesnut)

THE WOMAN'S EXCHANGE

Motion-Picture Operators To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—If possible kindly print in your column if there is any motion-picture operators' school in Philadelphia and the address.

There is no motion-picture operators' school in Philadelphia now. The best way for you to learn the business would be to get a position in a moving-picture establishment, where you might have an opportunity to study the process.

That Income Tax To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—I never earned more than \$1000 except in 1918, and I have been put in third class in the draft for the support of my mother and father. Must I pay income tax for last year?

You are allowed \$2000 expense for those dependent on you for support. If your income exceeds a thousand dollars plus this amount allowed, then you must pay the tax.

No Crown Worn in Italy To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—I am a steady reader of your column, and want to ask you a few questions. While at our supper table we were discussing about the crown of the Queen of Italy. We would like to know about how much it is worth and when and where she wears it.

There is no official crown worn by the royalty of Italy. The famous iron crown of Lombardy, which dates from the middle of the fourth century, is treasured in an Italian cathedral, and is the oldest and most sacred of all crowns of Europe. However, the present King, like his two predecessors, has never been crowned, and never will be. The crown is made of large gold plaques hinged together and richly jeweled and enameled. It is held as a very sacred relic, for inside the gold is a narrow iron band, which tradition says is the hat that fastened the feet of Christ at the cross. The crown is held at being too sacred to use.

A Little Theatre Party To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—If a young lady had two theatre tickets presented to her, would it be proper for her to ask a young man to accompany her? What would be a good way to ask him?

Very sorry Chick, but I can't answer your first question. It would be proper for you to ask a young man to help you enjoy the tickets. Simply tell him the truth, and by telephone or in a note. Say that some one has presented you with passes for a certain evening, and you would like to come with him, if he has no other engagement.

Duties of Probation Officer To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—May I trouble you to outline the duties of probation officer connected with the Municipal Court?

There are two chief lines of work for the probation officer. One of these is to thoroughly investigate a case before it is brought up before the judge, so that he may have all the facts at hand, and the other is to follow up cases that have been tried and the defendant out on probation. Judgment is suspended when a case is put on probation, and it is the duty of the officer to make visits to the woman or child in question, in order to be able to make reports to the court as to whether or not the conditions of the probation are being observed.

"And So They Were Married" To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—Will you please tell me how I can get the story of "And So They Were Married" by Hazel Deyo Batchelor. I am reading her story, "And So They Were Married."

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The Question Corner

Today's Inquiries 1. Suggest a new costume for the St. Patrick's day party.

2. There are Mrs. J. J. Hill and Mrs. J. J. Hill. In what book did these girls become known to me?

3. How much does a game of butter send in spoonfuls?

Yesterday's Answers 1. The members of the American expeditionary forces have "adopted" the French, near and distant, for the various companies, regiments.

2. There are ninety medical colleges in America. Out of these sixty have opened their doors to women.

3. It is not correct to wear dark gloves to a party. White gloves should be worn.

4. After running in drawing string tack it is anoxious in the center. Then draw the string through the hole.

5. The story of "A Maid and Two Men" has never been published in book form, but was published for the first time on the woman's page by Hazel Deyo Batchelor. You could read it by getting the back numbers of the story.

6. The story of "And So They Were Married" began on August 19, 1918, and was ended November 8, 1918. The story, "And So They Were Married," running on the woman's page at the present time, is a sequel to this. "And So They Were Married" began on November 12. You could get the back copies of the paper at the office here.

Likes Mrs. Wilson's Articles To the Editor of Woman's Page: Dear Madam—I want several copies of "answers a mother whose small son is apt to make her a bit annoyed before guests" by Mrs. M. A. Wilson. How can I get these, and has Mrs. Wilson written other articles along the same line? You will oblige me greatly if you give me this information.

The article you speak of appeared on March 6, and you can obtain copies of the paper by sending the order and stamps to cover same to the circulation department, Evening Public Ledger. From time to time Mrs. Wilson has written articles such as this to which you refer, but most of her articles have to do with the "science of good meals." I am glad you enjoyed the article and agree with you in thinking it very worth while.

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