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YOUR JOB—WHAT?

The little-known father of the well-known B. Franklin is sometimes credited with having been a pioneer in the field of vocational guidance, simply because he took small Benjamin by the hand and conducted him through the various industrial establishments of the village of Boston with the idea of giving the lad a first-hand acquaintance with many trades before he asked him to make the decision that would shape his destiny in future years.

Coming to the present century, there have been many advocates of the project of acquainting college students with their possibilities in the various vocations. This work has not been left entirely to the teaching profession, for more and more professional and business men have assisted in bringing before the American undergraduate the work that they themselves were absorbed with and which later "twice blessed" them by the returns accruing from their own chosen occupations.

Few realize that vocational guidance as a definite school project began but seventeen years ago. With its beginning in a night school for immigrants in 1908, the Vocational Bureau of Boston extended its services to the public schools and to Harvard University. Through the president of Harvard, Dr. Charles W. Eliot, the guidance of youth received a great impetus.

Penn State has fallen in line with other leading colleges and universities of the country and is attempting to bring to its women students a survey of many vocations by means of a biennial conference. The first session of a two-day conclave begins this morning and several well-known women, prominent in their respective professions, have been engaged to speak in the hope that every woman student here may find on the program at least one topic that arouses her interest.

But job-analysis is only one side of the picture. The other is self-analysis or an impersonal view of one's abilities and inclinations, a process which requires just as much investigation and thought as the fine details of a vocation. If a third is added to these two requirements, it would be in the words of a well-known lecturer who said recently, "Tell your students that the first essential to success in work, the second is work, the third is work and the last is work."

JAZZ MUSIC

Jazz music, with the possible exception of the Eighteenth Amendment, has been the most consistently popular subject for discussion since the signing of the Armistice. At times it has been temporarily overshadowed in prominence by such minor considerations as the World Court, Muscle Shoals, the oil scandal, a presidential election and the cross-word puzzle, but jazz still holds its position as the most convenient figure either for glorification or disfiguration.

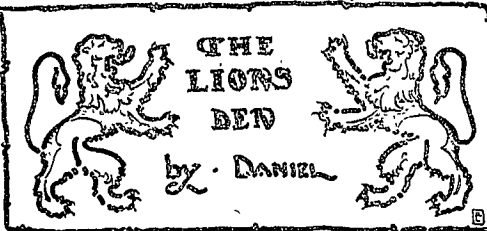
College men, admittedly among the most confirmed benchmen of the new music, may find it decidedly to their advantage, however, to survey their position, for it is distinctly possible that they are denying themselves real pleasures by their complete discard of the classics in favor of the newer forms.

Theoretically and in keeping with their boasted policy of indifference, students are tolerant, in practice, they are intolerant. Jazz is easy to appreciate, a thing of certain but passing enjoyment. The classics are generally more difficult to appreciate, but once understood they are a lasting pleasure. What better combination could be found? Moderation should be the object of all discerning, well-educated men. That they should fail to exercise it in their craving for jazz music is hardly explainable.

HA-HA

Cambridge is a quiet, unassuming little village in Massachusetts and although it was prominent in the American revolution, this has been overshadowed, according to the modern college student, by the fact that it now harbors Harvard, the Lampoon and the Advocate. Following the announcement that the Lampoon, Harvard's comic, had been suppressed because of the "unpatriotic display of the American flag and the publishing of an obscene picture" comes the news that the Advocate was also withheld from the mails pending an investigation.

And while these naughty Harvard editors fight back and forth with the postal authorities and the police, the coffers of the Lampoon and Advocate continue to be filled with "hookleg" prices obtained from the sale of these undesirables. We might suggest to some of the campus publications that if their treasury is at low ebb, they should instruct their editors to print an edition that is certain to be suppressed. It is to laugh.



PI A LA DANIEL

Just to show his trade what would happen to this paper without the skill and industry of his staff, Daniel scopped up a little article from the front page of one of the whole sheet papers, before he passed this technically it is known as a "copy" and is called a "cut" or "mag."

It is a little article about the necessity of the United States to send messengers abroad, and it is a little article about the necessity of the United States to send messengers abroad, and it is a little article about the necessity of the United States to send messengers abroad.

Enclosed in the envelope is a further list of the names of those who will give the address at the same school, but which is being sent by the Vocational Conference in connection with its events, the Intercollegiate Business Managers' meeting.

The COLLEGIAN once had a copy of the paper which was published by the Frank Mayer Experiment, an old newspaper. One of its offices is a school in Pennsylvania and all the work of this office is done by the hand of a young man named Frank Mayer.

A LIST OF MUTILS

A howler for two well read up a pile of letters building upon some who babbled and without much and had face or have the color.

A LIT TIPHERK

A Pittsburgh letter to Penn State. It is a letter to the editor. It is a letter to the editor. It is a letter to the editor.

E. C. THOMPSON WILL TALK AT MEETING OF LIEBIG CHEMICAL CLUB

Mr. E. C. Thompson, chief chemist of the Liebig Chemical Society, will speak before the next meeting of the Liebig Chemical Society on Monday, May 11, at 8 o'clock, at the old Hotel building on Fifth Street.

Wrigley's Gum advertisement: 'after every meal'. Take care of your teeth! Use Wrigley's regularly. It removes food particles from the crevices. Strengthens the gums. Combats acid mouth. Refreshing and beneficial!

Coca-Cola advertisement: Drink Coca-Cola. 6,000,000 drinks a day. The classic refreshment. A million uses and counting.

EXAM CONFLICTS

Table of exam conflicts with columns for course name, date, and time. Includes courses like Agri 1, Agri 2, Chem 1, etc.

ARCHITECTS ARE GIVEN NATIONAL RECOGNITION

Recognition of printing one of the leading departments of architecture in the United States came to Penn State when it was learned that the College had been admitted to membership in the Association of College Schools of Architecture.

There are some fifty departments of architecture in American colleges but only twenty-one have been admitted to the organization. In addition to Penn State, some of the eastern members include the University of Pennsylvania, Yale, Harvard, Cornell, Columbia, Syracuse, Carnegie Tech and Massachusetts Institute of Technology.

Did YOU Know--

That the college of 1881 was 'Yeh Hee Loo Rah' in 'Yah Boom Rah'? That the Army was built at a cost of \$20,000?

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- WORLD LEADERS INITIATED BY LOCAL SCABBARD AND BLADE. Additional honors were given to members...

The Ideal Gift FOR Mother's Day

Art Style Chocolates advertisement: The Wonder Box \$1.50 a pound. Delivered in Town, Mailed out of Town. Rexall Drug Store.

State Shirt Shop

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