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YOUNG WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

The Young Women's Christian Association, now well established in the majority of the women's and co-educational colleges of the country, had its rise in 1872 in the Normal University of Illinois. This society, as well as several similar organizations formed independently a year or two later, was founded as a result of the interest aroused by the growing work of the Young Men's Christian Association. The movement continued to spread, and a large number of associations grew up in the middle West.

In a few years it became evident that a general association would conduce to effective work, and State organizations began to be formed. The first of these was in Michigan in 1884. Two years later, the associations of nine States were similarly united. In 1886, the National Association was founded with headquarters at Chicago.

The years that followed have seen constant expansion of the association, with consequent changes in the organization and improvement of methods. The work which began for the colleges alone has been extended into highly specialized efforts for the mental, physical and social, as well as religious, benefit of young women in cities, and settlement work for factory girls. Almost every State has its Student Secretary, a college graduate, whose duty is to visit the colleges in her district and supervise their work. There is also a State Committee, which directs the affairs of both college and city associations. Four hundred and fifty-four student associations, with a membership of 25,776, are now affiliated with the American Committee of the Young Women's Christian Association. This body is in turn united with the World's Young Women's Christian Association and thus with the World's Student Christian Federation. There are also, in several large colleges in the East, associations not affiliated with the American Committee, because they have not adopted the required evangelical basis. Barnard, Radcliffe, and Mt. Holyoke are almost the only important Eastern colleges with affiliated associations. In aims and methods, however, all the associations are practically alike. The reason for such similarity is that delegates from all the colleges attend the summer conferences held every year by the American Committee. In this way, each association learns the methods generally in use and adopts them with the modifications necessary to its own conditions.

Thus all the associations are alike in many respects. All conduct Bible classes and religious meetings. All seek to arouse interest in missions, and all attempt to foster that spirit which must find expression in various forms of service.

The practical work, of course, varies with the situation and conditions of each college. In several cases, classes of all sorts for the

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COLUMBIA REGISTRATION.

The registration at Columbia up to and including September 30 is as follows. The fact that the date of opening has been set earlier this year than usual has made it impossible for many to register on time. A large increase in the figures is consequently looked for. This is the first year that an A.B. has been required for entrance to the Law School. At the end of last year the freshmen numbered 178. The fall to 105 is accounted for by the new requirement.

	TOTALS.
Columbia College	427
Freshmen Class	126
Law School	356
Freshman Class	105
Medicine	655
First-year Men	115
School of Applied Science	664
First-year Men	173
Graduate Faculties of Political Science, Pure Science, and Philosophy	348
Auditors	4

The total in Columbia College Corporation (excluding Barnard, Teachers College, and duplicates), 2,385.

BARNARD BEAR.

The first meeting of the Barnard Bear will be held Monday afternoon, October 5, at 4:30, in the Bulletin room. The business of the meeting will be the election of officers for the present year. Cards have been sent to the graduate members of the society.

ATHLETIC NEWS.

There will be a meeting of the Athletic Association on Monday, October 5 at 12:45 o'clock, in room 139. It is hoped that all former members of the Association and all students desiring to join will be on hand promptly, as there is a great deal of important business to be transacted. Certain arrangements which have been made for the regulation of tennis and basket ball are to be presented to the Association for discussion and vote. It is important that these matters be decided promptly in order that basket ball practice and the fall tennis tournament may be delayed no longer.

Further business to be transacted is the election of the fifth member of the tennis and basket ball Executive Committees and the election of the Chairman of the tennis Executive Committee.

It has been decided that the tennis courts and tennis balls are to be used only by members of the Athletic Association. All Barnard students and graduates are eligible to membership. The dues for this year will probably be greatly reduced, not amounting to more than seventy-five cents for the entire year.

All students wishing to join the Association will please put their names in Edith Handy's locker, number 142, Junior Study.

Notices for the fall tennis tournament have been posted in the studies. All entries must be made before Thursday, October 8.

THE ALICE FREEMAN PALMER FELLOWSHIP.

The President and Faculty of Wellesley College have the honor to announce that the trustees of Wellesley College have lately received the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000) to endow the Alice Freeman Palmer Fellowship.

The holder of the Fellowship must be a graduate of Wellesley or some other American college of approved standing, a young woman of good health, not more than twenty-six years of age at the time of appointment, unmarried throughout the whole of her tenure, and as free as possible from other responsibilities. The same person will not be eligible to the Fellowship for more than two years.

The Fellowship may be used for study abroad, for study at any American college or university, or privately for independent research. But several times during the period of tenure evidence must be furnished that the Fellowship is being used for purposes of serious study and not for general culture.

In accordance with these provisions, the President and faculty of Wellesley College request nomination for this Fellowship to be in the hands of the President not later than February 1, 1904. Further details as to application for the Fellowship may be obtained of the President after October 1, 1903.

Y. W. C. A. ENTERTAINMENT.

The Young Women's Christian Association entertained the Class of 1907 and other new students on Wednesday afternoon, September 30, in Earl Hall. After a brief reception there was a contest in recognizing advertisements. The illustrations from various advertisements were pasted on cardboard, numbered and placed around the rooms. The most successful in guessing what these cuts represented received a prize. This was a large Barnard banner, which was won by Miss Hecht, 1907. The booby prize, a small flag, was won by Alma Hays, 1907. After the contest, orange sherbet and cakes were served. The reception was largely attended, and proved successful in making the freshmen feel more at home in their new surroundings.

The Association will be at home in Earl Hall every Wednesday afternoon from three o'clock until five-thirty. All Barnard students are invited to drop in on these days.

NEW HISTORY COURSE.

A new course in the Philosophy of History has been announced for Saturdays from 9:30 to 11:15 in Room 417, Library. The course is known as Philosophy 27, and is given by Mr. Hughes. The first lecture took place on Saturday, October 3.

DORMITORY NOTES.

There are twenty-six Barnard students at the Teachers College Dormitory.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1903.

The name by which the new land across the street has been popularly known is, we find, erroneous. What we have been in the habit of calling West Field has been officially named and should hereafter be known as Milbank Quadrangle. To be sure this appellation has a somewhat formidable sound, and it may be difficult at first to renounce the simpler name, yet under the circumstances—because of the decree of the trustees and in view of what the name Milbank means to us—we should endeavor to forget West Field and remember only Milbank Quadrangle.

We regret to announce the resignation of Cecil Dorrian and Lily S. Murray, '05, from the Board of Editors. Faith Chipperfield, '06, has been elected Assistant Business Manager, and Frances Hope Purdon, '05, has been re-elected Associate Editor.

THE BARNARD CHORUS.

The Barnard Chorus has been one of the first clubs in the college to begin work this year. Mr. Hinrichs, the leader, has procured new music and hopes to have the chorus ready to sing in the Columbia Philharmonic concert this season. In former years the chorus has twice assisted at these musicales, and once gave a joint concert with Columbia from which a considerable sum of money was realized. It is hoped that as good work may be done this year as has been done in the past, but this will not be possible without the hearty support and cooperation of every girl who is interested in music.

FUNDAMENTAL PROBLEMS OF PHILOSOPHY.

The first of the series of lectures on the Fundamental Problems of Philosophy given September 28, by President Butler, was attended by a large audience.

The second lecture of the course, on September 29, was given by Professor Ormond of Princeton University. Those remaining are given in room 407 Schermerhorn, and are as follows:

Professor Ormond of Princeton University, "The Doctrine of Reality," October 5, 6, 12, 13, 19, 20, 26, 27; November 2. Professor Rogers of Butler College, "The Problem of Knowledge," November 9, 10, 16, 17. Mr. Henry Rutgers Marshall of New York City, "Consciousness," November 23, 24, 30; December 1, 7, 8. Professor Albee of Cornell University, "The Logic of Utilitarianism," December 14, 15; January 4, 5. Brother Chrysostom of Manhattan College, "The Individual," January 11, 12, 18, 19.

Among the lecturers for the second half-year will be Professors Royce and Münsterberg of Harvard University, and Professor Dewey of the University of Chicago. A detailed announcement of these lectures will be made later.

The lectures are open to the public, but tickets of admission are required. These may be procured without charge upon application to the Secretary of the University.

STUDENTS' EXCHANGE.

The Students' Exchange reports that up to this time it has been well supported by the college and has done a good business in the transfer of books. The exchange will be glad to assist any girls who may wish to do work in the line of embroideries, making fudge, jellies, cake, etc., or who may wish to do typewriting or clerical work. Those interested in this work may apply to the Committee, or notes may be left by the door of the office of the exchange. The committee consists of Jeannette Wick, '04, chairman, May Parker, '04, Lily Murray, '05, Alice Haskell, '06.

MEETING OF 1904.

At a meeting of the Class of 1904, on Thursday, October 1, Edith Van Ingen was appointed senior member of the Self-governing Committee, and Helen Erskine was made a member of the Committee on Class Songs.

CHAPEL.

There will be chapel as usual this year at 12:30 in the theatre, but no speakers are to be announced for the present. There will be outside speakers, however, from time to time.

1905 NOTES.

The President of 1905 has appointed Alice Smith the Junior member of the Self-government Committee.

The class of 1905 will entertain the class of 1907 Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the theatre.

DEUTSCHER KREIS.

There is to be a meeting of the Deutscher Kreis on Tuesday at 12:30 in the Thesis Room. Old members are particularly requested to attend, as the business on hand is the election of officers for the coming year.

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FIRST WOMAN PROFESSOR.

The Board of Trustees of Columbia have appointed Dr. Margaret E. Maltby adjunct Professor of Physics at Barnard, and this is the first time a professorship has been held by a woman. Dr. Maltby received her bachelor's degree from Oberlin College, where she was also made a Master of Arts. She then went to the Massachusetts Institute of Technology where she received the degree of Bachelor of Science in Physics; and she next went to Göttingen, where she pursued a two years' course and was made a Doctor of Philosophy. Then she spent a year in research with Nerush, the inventor of the Nerush Lamp, after which she was further honored by being the first woman appointed to a position at the Physikalisches Reichsanstalt at Charlottenberg as private research assistant to President Kohlrausch. Dr. Maltby then spent a year studying at Clark University. She taught in the high schools for four years, and for three years has been an instructor at Barnard.

ALUMNAE NOTES.

Miss Jeanette Bliss Gillespy, 1900, has resigned her position as instructor in English at Vassar, and on September 26 sailed to spend the winter in Italy. A collection of her poems, "The Eastward Road," has just been published.

Florence Cheesman, '03, is doing clerical work in the office of the Secretary of the University.

Ethel Wilcox, '03, is working under the Department of Sociology.

Gulielma Alsop, '03, will return this year for a course in physiology.

Margaret Jones, special, has announced her engagement to Leclaché Moen, Columbia 1903.

MANDOLIN CLUB NOTICE.

The Barnard Mandolin Club begins its work this week. The first meeting of the year will be held on Wednesday, October 7, at one o'clock, in Room 129. A large and prompt attendance is desired.

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maids employed in the college are formed and taught by the students. Dolls are dressed for Christmas and boxes sent to the settlements in the nearest city. Classes, Sunday-schools, and clubs of various kinds are carried on successfully, and an increasing amount of neighborhood work is being done. In some of the colleges, indeed, notably at Smith and Mt. Holyoke, the activities of the Association are so numerous and the duties of the officers so heavy that a General Secretary has been called to assist in the work. This young woman, often an alumna of the college, devotes her time to planning and helping to carry out the work of the association.

The reasons why a college Christian Association may be of great value to students are many. Among them may be mentioned the opening to the eyes of students the countless fields of religious and philanthropic work in which educated women are needed. Of almost equal importance are the experience in mapping out and executing plans and the training in the business-like methods which prevail at college. The influence of the association, therefore, is by no means confined to the four years' college course, but is extended over the whole life of the students.

JEAN WALLACE MILLER, '03.

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4:00—Junior reception to Freshmen. Theatre.

4:30—Lecture: "The Doctrine of Reality," by Professor Ormond, of Princeton. Room 407, Schermerhorn.

4:30—Meeting of Barnard Bear. Bulletin Room.

Tuesday, October 6, 1903.

12:30—Meeting of Deutscher Kreis, Thesis Room.

12:30—Chapel. Theatre.

4:30—Lecture: "The Doctrine of Reality," by Professor Ormond. Room 407, Schermerhorn.

Wednesday, October 7, 1903.

1:00—Meeting of the Mandolin Club. Room 139.

Thursday, October 8, 1903.**Friday, October 9, 1903.**

12:30—Chapel. Theatre.

4:00—Sophomore Mysteries. Theatre.

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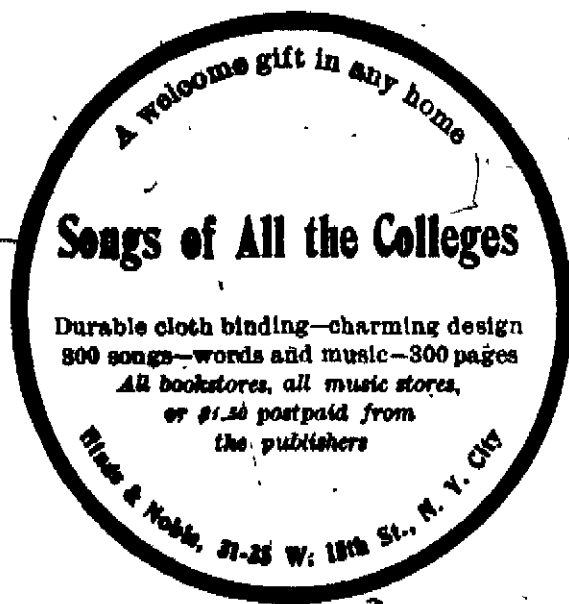
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