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BARNARD'S CAMPAIGN FOR SEVEN IN ONE OPENS

Barnard's United War Work Campaign opened auspiciously on Monday, with a big noon gathering in the Gym. Coming as it did, upon the heels of the armistice announcement, the meeting found Barnard more than ready to greet the Seven in One, particularly eager to show its appreciation of the splendid work which the Y.M.C.A., the Y.W.C.A., the Jewish Welfare Board, and the other associated bodies have done in this war.

Dean Gildersleeve introduced the speaker of the day, Dr. Harry E. Fosdick, of Union Theological Seminary, who has recently returned from a prolonged visit to the various American recreation centers at the front. Dr. Fosdick brought with him many vivid pictures of camp life, both the tearful and the sunny side of it, and pointed out most convincingly that it is the organizations backing this drive that have made life behind the lines livable for our boys, that have made it possible for our army to maintain its splendid morale. An army which returns better morally than it was when setting forth, will mean, he said, national improvement; an army which returns weakened morally, will mean national disaster. As a result of the efforts of our welfare workers across the water, we are able to look forward and to assure ourselves of a finer and better America.

Dr. Fosdick stressed the fact that now, particularly, in the months of monotonous waiting that loom ahead of us, we must not relax our efforts; we must continue to support with vigor all of those organizations which are doing and will continue to do so much to keep the lives of our men fine, and clean and manly.

We know that Barnard will do her best.

WIGS AND CUES POSTER CONTEST

Two tickets will be given for the best poster announcing the Fall Plays:

"The Golden Doom," by Lord Dunsany.

"The Squealer," by Mary Barber, '18.

"Helena's Husband," by Philip Moeller.

Barnard Canteen Benefit in Brinckerhoff Theatre.

December 6—Evening, 8:15 (Dancing).

December 7—Afternoon, 2:30.

December 7—Evening, 8:15.

COLLEGE CALENDAR

Friday, November 15th.

Mysteries (supper in Lunch Room 7:00 from 7 to 10 p. m.

Saturday, November 16th.

R. S. O. Dance in Gymnasium from 8-12 p. m.

Monday, November 18th.

Soph Show rehearsal in Theatre, 3-5.

Tuesday, November 19th.

1922 Class Meeting at 12 in room 304, Students Hall.

Rehearsal of Freshman-Sophomore Wedding at 12 in Theatre.

Math Club Meeting in Conference Room at 4 p. m.

Alumnae Gymnasium 7:30-10 p. m.

Wednesday, November 20th.

Orchestra rehearsal in Theatre 12-1.
Wedding of the Evens in Theatre at 3:30.

THE JUNIOR—FRESHMAN WEDDING

At last! The Flu is past! And the 1920-1922 Wedding will take place on Wednesday, November twentieth, at four o'clock, in the theatre. The Juniors will escort their Freshman sisters thither. The doors will close promptly at four.

WIGS AND CUES CAST

"Golden Doom"—Lord Dunsany

King—Louise Rissland, '22.

Chief Prophet—Elizabeth Armstrong, '20.

Second Prophet—Louise Schlichting, '22.

Boy—Luenna Von Eltz, '21.

Girl—Helen Shire, '21.

Chamberlain—Myra Kohnstamm, '19.

First Spy—Mimosa Pfaltz, '19.

Second Spy—Lillian Sternberg, '20.

First Sentry—Helen Krigsman, '20.

Second Sentry—Gertrude Geer, '19.

Stranger from Thessaly—Helen Jones, '21.

"Squealer"—Mary F. Barber, 1918

Margaret Kerrigan—Vera Klopman, '19.

Jim Kerrigan—Katherine H. Peters, '19.

Father Connor—Mary Jennings, '21.

Kelly—Erna Gunther, '19.

"Helena's Husband"—Philip Moeller

Menelaus—Francis Rule, '19.

Helena—Isabel Strang, '22.

Paris—Jane Hall, '20.

Analytikos—Dorothy Butler, '20.

Tsumu—Virginia Stuart, '21.

BARNARD PLAYS PROMINENT ROLE IN COLUMBIA CELEBRATION

Barnardites agree that military discipline is lots of fun, especially with a very handsome, very gallant, very young lieutenant in command. Both Faculty and Undergraduates submitted without a murmur to his orders as they marched four abreast, escorted by Lieutenant Schultz and his twelve worthy assistants to the Library steps Tuesday afternoon. Any Barnardite who has ever dreamt of movie fame will have the opportunity of seeing whether she photographs well. Watch the Pathe Weekly and Hearst's Pictorial. Photographers were very busy, although you may not have noticed it.

The ceremony on the Library steps was attended by President Butler, members of the Faculty in cap and gown, American and French officers, members of the S.A.T.C., the Signal Corps, sailors, and students of Barnard and Teachers College. The entire company stood at attention while the band played the Star Spangled Banner and the Marseillaise. President Butler then delivered a brief address to the soldiers and sailors, in which he emphasized their great responsibility in the work of reconstruction. Finally, soldiers and sailors marched up Broadway to one hundred and twentieth street, around to Amsterdam, down to one hundred and sixteenth street; and passed in review before President Butler and the American and French officers who were stationed on the Library steps. Barnard and Teachers College formed the rear guard, and by the time they passed the reviewing stand sixteen abreast, marched with as much military precision as the men. The girls were confused at first by such orders as "close up", "keep with your squad", "form platoons", and so forth, but it did not take them very long to "get on" to these mysterious terms.

When the parade was over, Barnard was escorted back to Milbank, and before the lieutenant gave the command to "disband" he took occasion to express his enjoyment of the afternoon's work, and said that he would be very glad to help at any parade in which Barnard might participate.

Barnard hopes that there will be another parade soon.

MYSTERIES

Don't miss mysteries! To-night.

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LOOKING AHEAD

The Great War is won: the four long years of waiting and suspense are over, and ahead of us once more stretches the broad road of life, cleared of obstructions. We know that new problems await us, but we know too that we can meet them bravely in the glorious strength of our unhampered freedom. To each of us these days of rejoicing mean much. In our homes, in our college work, in our activities in the outer world, peace brings a change. While we pause to celebrate, let us not forget the days that are to come. Let us be ready to take an active part in the period of reconstruction of which today is but the dawn.

HOLD YOUR LIBERTY BONDS

Hold fast to that which is good.
Keep your Liberty Bonds.

FURTHER CHANGES

BULLETIN comes once more before the college with a change of staff, and once more it asks the leniency of the Faculty and the student body, in its period of upheaval. With very great regret the board announces the resignation of its Editor-in-Chief, Rose Le Vino. The editors have enjoyed working with Miss Le Vino, and are extremely sorry to lose her from the board.

Four new members have been added to the editorial staff; and it is hoped that after this final adjustment, with the more tranquil conditions in college, due to the end of the influenza epidemic, and the beginning of world peace, BULLETIN will be able once again to enter upon an orderly and undisturbed career.

NEWS OF OTHER COLLEGES

Results of Fourth Liberty Loan

Vassar subscribed \$115,600—The students gave \$48,950 with the class of 1919 first, 1920 next, then 1922 and 1921.

Wellesley subscribed \$140,000—The students gave \$44,050 with 1920 first, then '21, '19 and '22.

Hunter College collected \$710,000—the class of 1920 getting the largest amount, and '21, '22 and '19 following.

Smith plans to offer several courses in response to the appeal of the government for mobilization and preparation of women of America. These courses will give fundamental training in special branches of war service. The first is to lay the foundation for the distinctly professional and practical part of nurses training. Since the nurses needed for the specialized fields are in addition to the 50,000 recently called for to meet the needs of the army as well as those for the civilian and reconstruction work of the Red Cross abroad, this co-operation of the colleges with the hospital training schools offers to those interested in this form of service an excellent opportunity to fill a very definite and pressing need of our army and country.

A TESTIMONIAL FOR THE CANTEEN

In view of the current demand for more workers at the canteen, the following extracts seem worthy of note. They are taken from a letter written to one of the girls who served at the canteen this summer, by an English sailor who had spent an evening there: "... If I land at New York next trip, I shall certainly visit the Columbia Boathouse, for I think last night was the most pleasant night I have spent in New York. It is excellent of the girls to have fitted up a canteen there. If you had all gone all around New York, you could not have found a more favorable place..."

ORAL EXAMINATIONS

Oral examinations in French, Italian, Spanish, German, whereby a student may satisfy the Modern Language requirement set forth on pp. 59-60 of the current Announcement of Barnard College, will be held in November.

Oral examinations in Romance Languages (French, Italian, Spanish) will consist of two parts:

(1) A short written examination was held on Monday, November 11, which all candidates who had not already passed the written test were required to attend.

(2) Oral tests, open only to students who have passed the written test, to be held during the week of November 18.

By Thursday, November 14, there will be posted on the Bulletin Board of the Romance Language Department:

(a) A list of students who have passed the written test and (b) an announcement of hours at which appointments for oral tests can be made. Each student should make her appointment **at once**.

Oral examination in German will consist of:

(1) A short written test on Monday, November 25, at 4.15 p. m., in Room 139, and

(2) Oral tests to be held on Tuesday, November 26, and Wednesday, November 27. Appointments for these tests should be made with Dr. Puckett, Room 114, at hours announced on the Bulletin Board of the German Department.

Students in the classes of 1920, 1921, 1922, who wish to offer the new requirements outlined on pp. 59-60 of the Announcement (i.e. take the oral test in only one language—French or German) and who have passed in 1 (a) of this requirement in either language, should take a supplementary test in 1 (b) of the requirement.

In French appointments for this supplementary test should be made with a representative of the Department at hours to be posted on the departmental Bulletin Board on November 14.

In German the supplementary test will be held in Room 104 on Monday, November 25, at 4.30 p. m.

Oral examinations are prescribed even though aural examinations were passed at entrance. Students who are at all doubtful as to the regulations under which their cases fall are requested to consult the Registrar at once in order that proper adjustment may be made of any individual case.

HOLD YOUR LIBERTY BONDS

Don't surrender your Liberty Bond, conditionally or unconditionally.

UNDER THE CLOCK and ELSEWHERE

Who would have thought that:—

At five-thirty A. M. a respectable, curl-papered middle-aged lady would stand alone at her window tearing up bits of paper and throwing them out into the street?

Or that

Perfectly unacquainted people would prance up and down Fifth Avenue tickling each other, (and even traffic policemen) with feather-dusters?

Or that

Nice old ladies would sport "To Hell With the Kaiser!" on their bonnets?

Or that

A group of college women would propel their Dean down Broadway?

Say did you see the slinking sleuth
That read each scrap of paper
On the seventh when they floated down
From every big skyscraper?

HITS FROM HISTORY

In a footnote referring to the feudal system, a history book says "The readings furnish many examples of disorder."

DID YOU KNOW

that
U. W. W. Drive
means
U. Will Work Drive?

ODE TO CONTRIBS

Contributor, contributor, thou hast deserted us.

We felt we couldn't let you go unless we raised a fuss.

O what has thus reduced you to this unprolific state?

How long, contributors, how long, will we be forced to wait?

We ask you, will you write it soon
Or will you hesitate?

MURMURS FROM MATH.

When you have a logarith'm
What on earth do you do with'm?

If you have a sine to square,
Are the corners here or there?

YE COLYUM'S CRY

We'd like to have a little spring
That spurts out brand new hunches
So when you press the button they'd
Come tumbling out in bunches.

I wish some kind inventor would
Have had consideration.

We'd not have had to write this if
He'd furnished inspiration.

Mournfully,
MAL.

WEEKLY REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON WOMEN'S WAR WORK

And now, though peace looms big in the offing, we must still bend our energies to war work. The greatest demand for volunteers, at the moment, is in connection with the United War Work drive, and there is no end to the number and kind of workers wanted. Please be generous with your time and energy in behalf of this urgent service.

Draft Boards continue to besiege us, clamoring for help and more help, volunteer, of course. We find it impossible to respond adequately. Here is a chance for everyone, not already busy to the utmost, to do a bit more.

We have had several calls for paid positions through the Red Cross, one for a stenographer, one for a manager of a Home Service branch, and here are two special calls for volunteers:

(1) The Food for France Fund wishes a full time stenographer, who will also act as private secretary.

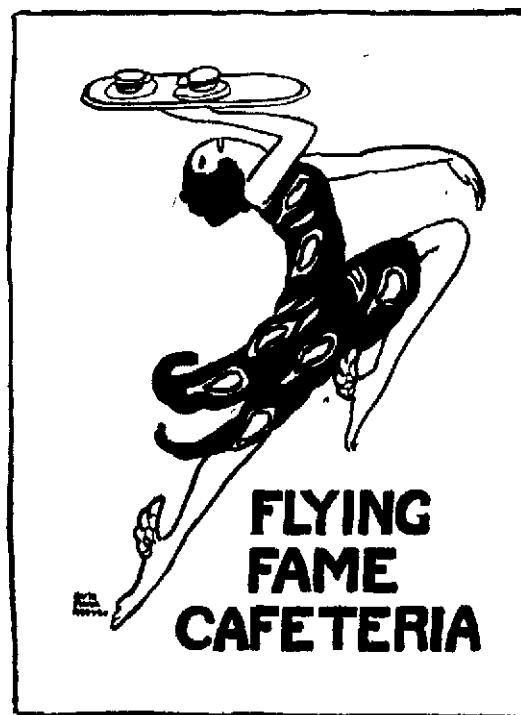
(2) The General War Time Commission of the Churches needs a volunteer, part time worker to read magazines and papers for material of importance, and to file such material.

Visitors this week numbered about seventy.

COMMITTEE ON WOMEN'S WAR WORK.

OUR OWN CELEBRATION

With New York City bubbling over with enthusiasm, Monday morning, Barnard found it quite beyond the realm of possibility to settle down to nine o'clock classes. Step-singing on the big stairway is very satisfying in normal times, but Monday demanded more, so with a whoop and a bound the girls gathered in Milbank set forth upon a wild snake dance through the Jungle and over the campus. More singing and a gay parade led by the Dean around the edge of the Quadrangle, put a happy end to our own celebration.



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BARNARD'S SOCIAL SEASON OPENS

This year the train of sociabilities which makes newcomers to Barnard feel at home, was a long time coming. The poor transfers, in particular, must have thought that they never would be gathered into Barnard—and all because of the "flu". The ball of social events, however, has started rolling at last, and, if we are to judge by the success of the Tea To Transfers, it will continue on its way with great gusto. Four o'clock on Wednesday afternoon found the Dean and thirty-odd beaming hostesses in the College Parlor, all ready for the festivity. Just as the samovar began sending up its cheerful stream of steam, the guests began to arrive, and the process continued until 1:15. We never imagined we had so many transfers—and such nice ones. We hope they like us as much as we like them. Barnard may be "not quite the same" as Welles or Vassar, etc., but it is a nice old place, and now, that the "flu" is no longer with us, we can demonstrate it to you, O Transfers!

This tea is the first of a series of teas, which are to be given by the Undergraduate Association in co-operation with the faculty. The faculty committee consists of Miss Gregory, Miss Eggleston, and Miss Lowndes, under the chairmanship of Miss Weeks. The plan is to promote general sociability between the faculty, alumnae, students, and friends of Barnard. At each tea there will always be some faculty present and also about thirty hostesses, chosen from the student body. By a process of rotation, the committee hopes to give to everybody, at least once, the joy of passing tea-cups about gracefully. If we can predict the success of this plan, on the strength of the Tea for Transfers, we should say that teas will be very popular at Barnard this year.

LEST YOU FORGET

Just as a sort of last, long, loving hint, we want to remind you of Saturday night. And we've news. The R.S.O. isn't going to do things by halves. Its final splurge is going to be a regular ante-bellum dance, with dance orders made by Barnard and sold in the main corridor of Students Hall on Thursday and Friday. So go to it. If you haven't gotten your ticket **do it now**. And get a dance order to help you remember what a good time you had helping to make the R.S.O. drive the big success it is to be.

A. A. NEWS

ATTENTION, JUNIORS AND SENIORS!

Do you realize that the inter-class basket ball tournament will soon be here and that you will not be among those present when it does come? Unless you can enter an eligible team you will not be permitted to play. To be eligible a player must attend a minimum number of three practices in two weeks. Up to date there have been four Seniors and three or four Juniors out. Figure it out yourselves and see where your class stands.

There is absolutely no excuse for such a poor showing. We went to considerable trouble to arrange an evening hour (Wednesdays at 7:30) primarily for upperclassmen and what was the result? A handful of girls responded, most of whom were underclassmen. Do you want to sit on the side lines and watch the Freshmen and Sophomores fight it out for the cup by themselves?

If the name given to these practice hours, i.e. "advanced basketball", has scared you away, we are extremely sorry. You need not be a Stanbrough or a Von Eitz to come to these practices.

To get down to plain facts, unless you wake up NOW and show some interest in basketball, 1919 and 1920 will be disgraced in the class tournament. You can play basketball early in the class spring but that is not having those two qualifications if you don't use them!

Consult your class managers about the schedule and playing rules.

- 1919—Mary Ann Miller
- 1920—L. Lisa Hill
- 1921—Adelle Stuckey
- 1922—Ruth H. Hill



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