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# 200 Adopt Count Carlo Sfor To Speak Today Anti-War Charter

Selsam Warns **Against Violations** Of Academic Freedom

Viout 200 students attended the All-University Peace Conscrence held at Columbia on Satorday, to discuss the means of keeping America out of war, and preserving the democratic rights students in universities and conscript camps. A committee Dr. Reese that was adopted in the 10 resolutions and charter approved at the meeting.

Professor Howard Selsam of Brooklyn College, speaking on defense of university education, said, "We must fight for what we have, we must be constantly struggling, or we will soon be regulated students in a co-ordinated university." He said that whereas people have the right to believe in aid to Britain, they do not have the right to destroy American democracy for the aid of Britain.

#### Last War's Deaths In View

America Out of War," Dr. Annette Rubinstein, principal of Rodied in the last war did die in vain. She stated that people don't Medieval Studies, the depart have to be convinced that they don't want to go to war; the danger rests with those who say, "What can we do about it?" "But," she said, "we are the 93 per cent of the people who don't want to go to war." She said that Wilson never asked for an H.R. 1776, because forces were not as strong then.

Jack McMichael, chairman or the American Youth Congress, cited the undemocratic tendencies of the faculties of many leading universities. He stated that students must emulate the students of China, in defending their democratic rights against the "reactionary attack" of war.

### Dancers Chosen To Participate In Greek Games

18 sophomores and 28 freshmen will be given in two sections, the have been chosen to dance in the first from 6 to 7:30, and the sec-1941 Greek Games on Saturday, and from 9 to 10:30. April 5.

The sophomore dancers are Sherley Aranow, Marie Louise Bouvier, Joan Borgenicht, Datha Clapper, Eugenia Earle, Mar-Jone Ellers, Elsie Friemus, Phyllis Higmoe, Rena Libera, Martha Lavesay, Muriel Margolin, Beryl Monsky, Natalie Neill, Ann Singley. Pat Vans Agnew, and Julia Shedleskey.

The ireshmen who will dance to her by Wednesday. e l leanor Bankoff, Elizabeth

### Count Carlo Sforza

"The Present War and the Future of Europe" will be the subject of Count Carlo Sforza's address before an all college assembly today at 1:10 in the gymnasium.

His discussion will center about his personal experiences in Europe as an Italian diplomat and as leader of the democratic opposition to the Fascists, and his escape to the United States from German-occupied France in 1940.

# To Lecture On Concert

Pius X Choir To Give Program Of Medieval Music

thority on medieval music, will erary staff of Mortarboard. She assistant on Mortarboard. She give a preview lecture on a con- was Greek Games business manacert of Gregorian compositions, ger. delegate-at-large to the Rep- munity Chest Committee. As a to be given by the Choir of the resentative Assembly during her freshman, she was a member of Pius X School of Liturgical Mu- sophomore year and an A.A. ban- the Bulletin News Board. sic of Manhattanville College, on quet waitress in her freshman Friday, March 21, at 4 p.m. in the vear. . The speaker on "How to Keep College Parlor. Dr. Reese will play phonograph records.

The concert will take place on bert Louis Stevenson School, said Wednesday, March 26 in St that we realize that those who Paul's Chapel at 8:30 under the auspices of the Committee or ment of Music and St. Paul's Chapel, and is sponsored by Dean Gildersleeve.

> An article on page 2 by Mari lou Crescenzo '41, a member of the Medieval Studies group, and Paula Thibault '37, winner of the 1937 George Welwood Murray Fellowship, explains the program of the concert. Gregorian chant and sacred music will be the main features of the program.

> Other musical events on the Columbia campus during the Lenten season include a service of Liturgical Music tomorrow at 5:15 p.m. at St. Paul's chapel. Motets by Italian composers of the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries, by Johannes Brahms, and by contemporary American composers will be sing by the Chapel Choir.

of St. Paul's will perform Bach's After a five week trial period, Mass in B Minor. The program

### Request Seniors To Order Stockings

Seniors, who have not already for their stocking orders for graduation. Cards for this pur-Pipe, Grace Quinlan, Barbara pose may be obtained from Mar-rative? jorie Lawson '41 through Stu-

Chan MacGillicodinkiecleugh are the Barnard Department of Psy-scarcely know the value of what Continued on Page 4, Column 1) long, and in all sizes.

# Milnes; Madden Is Dorm Head Nominate Bayer,

Devonshire For

Doris Bayer '42 and Jane Devmshire '42 have been nominated for the office of Honor Board chairman for the coming year. and Friday on Jake.

The slate of Miss Bayer, Miss on March 31. Devonshire and Zenia Sachs, was presented by Honor Board and Student Council to Representative Assembly yesterday and accepted without addition. Miss Sachs declined the nomination.

#### Doris Bayer

### / Jane Devonshire

member of the Junior show cast. year.

### Name Barrett, Sachs Candidates Honor Board Head For Editorship

Elect McQuiston, McKenzie,

Grace Barrett '42 and Zenia Sachs '42 were nominated for the editorship of Bulletin vesterday. Representative Assembly and Bulletin staff will elect the Voting will take place Thursday new editor at the regular meeting of Representative Assembly

> The candidates will write tryout editorials in the next 3 issues of Bulletin.

#### Grace Barrett

Grace Barrett is a member of the Editorial Board and editor of the 1942 Mortarboard. Last vear. Miss Barrett was a mem-Doris Bayer, present treasurer ber of the Associate Editorial of the Undergraduate Associa- Board and the About Town staff Dr. Gustav Reese, noted au-tion, is also a member of the lit-of Bulletin, as well as a general was also a member of the Com-

#### Zenia Sachs

Zenia Sachs is a member of the Editorial Board, an associate edi-Jane Devonshire has been an tor of Mortarboard, and publicity Honor Board representative for manager for the Barnard Comthree years and is at present a mittee of the British War Relief member of Representative As-Society. She was a delegate to sembly. She served on the Social Representative Assembly, Bulle-Service and Spring Dance com- tin Board chairman, and Committees in her freshman year, and munity Chest chairman last year participated in Greek Games ath- Miss Sachs was a member of letics for two years. She is a News Board in her freshman

### Dr. Robertson Commends Miss Highsmith's Fantasy

Quarterly Stories Are Reviewed; Poem Is "Welcome Experiment"

By Dr. David A. Robertson, Jr. Before us is the Barnard Quarterly for Spring.

To Miss Highsmith we are indebted for something beyond mere fancy. Her "Legend of the Convent of Saint if the people of democracies take

Mr. T. H. White, who discovered that King. Arthur in his youth den to tell who he really was.

nuts, footballers, malted milks.

dent Mail, and must be returned too close to revealing little Mary's the . . . But there. It is forbid- (Continued on Page 3,\* Col. 1) they have.

was known as Wart. One notices . Miss Baff's "Emily in the Gar-side," said Oliver La Farge, noted a like facility in translation of old den" leaves a pleasantly unseason- anthropologist and writer, in an On April 20, the Chapel Chorus legends into acceptable modern at impression on readers (I have address given to IRC last Friday. terms: furnaces, Spanish pea-tried it on several) who do not pause to wonder about "melon process by which he came to be-Startling indeed are Miss High- juice stirred in a copper vat" or lieve that the two remaining demsmith's revelations concerning curds of a Cheddar cheese Pour-locracies, the United States, and pre-Baconian experimental sci-ling from shells on a silver-green Great Britain, must stick together ence and other phases of fifteen-|seaweed mat." Reading aloud, I to stop the spread of "an endless th-century conventual study. We found very interesting the ten- destruction, an endless 'thou shalt shall look forward to reports of sions imposed by the strongly not'," beginning with an "inkfurther research, possibly even dactylic initial movement, the ac-|spot" in Italy and penetrating into the legend of Saint Fother-centual requirements of the through most of Europe. When ingay (or Bhoddurrinnei, as the rhyme words (ten of eleven are they saw democracies going down Professor Dinsmoor done so, are asked to fill out cards Gaelic Acta SS. would have it) monosyllabic), and the stresses one by one, the American people itself. Need I say that the sket- suggested by ordinary meaning began to realize that "This was ches add to the value of this nar- and sound. Experiment in form not just another nasty job in Euis welcome. Here, by the way, is rope," continued Mr. La Farge. Miss Highsmith came perhaps "brat" meaning something else. | Speaking of the freedom of life

# Sigerist Is Forum Speaker

### Adjustment Of Man To Social World Is Goal Of Medicine

no man should be allowed to die or to suffer from such primitive ailments as hunger, cold, or preventable diseases" were the words with which Dr. Henry Sigerist closed his address on "Medicine 151 by the class of '44; the dorm and Society," at the sixth De- election totalled 200. fense Forum which took place in Comments On Elections Brinckerhoff Theatre last Thurs-

Declaring that medicine's goal is not only to restore a sick organ but also to keep man adjusted to society, Dr. Sigerist traced the history of medical science from the point of view of the two parties involved, the physician and the batient, or the corps of physicians on the one hand and society on the other.

"Now some diseases have been pushed from the higher income groups to the lower. The prevalence of tuberculosis, among the Negroes, for example, is not racial, it's economic."

Quoting figures to show the prevalence of mental and venereal diseases, of the cases of premature deaths and of the young women that die in childbirth, Dr. Sigerist said, "We have made progress but not as much as should have been made."

### LaFarge Talks On Democracy

"Democracy can survive only Fotheringay" should be classed rather with the work of it as a positive, aggressive doctrine . . . Democracies and dictatorships cannot live side by

Mr. La Farge summarized the

"Well-Ordered Mind" is the under the American system, Mr. true name when she mentioned title of Miss Ackermann's inter- La Farge warned, "We have an The stockings are being sold the MacGillicodinkiecleugh tar- view with Professor, Holling- elbow room . . . to which the peo-Bond, Dorothy Carroll, Mildred at \$.79 a pair, and are obtainable tan. Surely among the sects of worth, distinguished Chairman of ple are so accustomed that they

### Choose Ackermann '41 Alumnae Head For Five Years

Joann McQuiston, Mary Milnes, and Charlotte McKenzie were elected presidents of the senior, junior, and sophomore classes respectively for the academic year 1940-1941. Marjorie Madden was elected president of the residence halls; and Jean "In a civilized society, I think, Ackermann was chosen alumnae president and Alice Drury alumnae vice-president for the class of

> Last Thursday and Friday a total of 155 votes were cast by '42, 143 by the class of '43, and

At present secretary for the junior class, Joann McQuiston is also delegate-at-large to Representative Assembly and a member of the Junior Show Social Committee. In her freshman year she was class president.

Miss McQuiston, who received news of her election at the Johnson Hall Infirmary, declared that 🕟 it was "all too wonderful," and that she would do her best.

Mary Milnes, who said that she was "unexpectedly thrilled' and that she "hoped to credit the office," is the present vice-president of the sophomore class, games manager for the Athletic Association, and\a member of the Senior Week Party Commit-

When Charlotte McKenzie was informed of her election, she declared: "I'm so happy that I don't know what to say!" She is at present freshman chairman of Greek Games.

Marjorie Madden was treasurer of the sophomore class last year, vice-president of Wigs and Cues, and delegate-at-large to Representative Assembly.

### Alumnae Officers

Jean Ackermann, who was editor of last year's Mortarboard, is now chairman of Senior Week and a member of Bulletin's editorial board.

Senior president Alice Drury was vice-president of her sophomore class, and has served on numerous school committees, including the Eligibility, Budget, Library, Social and Camp committees. Last year she was treasurer of the residence halls and delegate-at-large to Representative Assembly.

# To Address Club

Professor William B. Dinsmoor, chairman of the department of fine arts and archeology at Columbia, will speak on "Summer in Athens: 1939" in 304 Barnard today at 4. The college is invited and tea will be served at 5.

tive things.

Thought For Today

derful idea. And we like construc-

We don't usually mind anything

the World-Telegram does, Why we

even like its weather stofies about

Dabs. Yes, Dabs. But when they

put, on the second page, in the im-

portant outside column, a little tid-

bit, like this, we feel as though we

have a right to rise up in arms, and

in a querulous voice to demand, with

FRANKFORT, Mr.-Mrs. Celina Donlin

is the owner of an egg-bush-a common

shrub which she made to look as if

covered by white flowers, by sticking

Oh well. If the World-Telegram

And then there was the time we

asked the head of the English depart-

ment if she had read a Galsworthy

If you would like to give an added

fillip to your romances of the mo-

ment (all right, your romances don't

need a fillip, but maybe one of your

friends' might) don't forget that

Spring will be official at 7:21 P.M.

on Thursday, the 20 of March. And

of course you know the tradition

for the first day of spring-wear a

spray of lily of the valley, cross your

fingers, and love, happiness, and

men will come a running. Yes, a

Just by the way, you understand.

Senior Party to the College, on May

29, will be open to all students, their

running. (We've tried it).

By The Way

righteous indignation, "why?"

blown eggshells on the twigs.

can do it, so can we.

novel . . .

Fillipantly

Egg-Bush Dressed Up

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### We May Cry "Peace"

A cynic might find the disturbances that habitually accompany arrangements for an all-campus peace assembly amusing. This year's April 18 meeting has gotten off to a flying start with a series of letters to the editor of this paper which necessitated the sacrifice of an editorial last issue and a good portion of About Town this issue.

Bulletin willingly sacrifices space to its readers' opinions. We hope that printing the answers to Miss Vernon's letter has clarified the purposes of the Foreign Policy Forum to be held on April 18. Miss Vernon was obviously-misguided in some of her opinions; we hope that students who were similarly misguided in their impressions of the forum have a clear cut picture of its purposes now.

We whole-heartedly endorse the April 18 meeting. It seems especially important to us in these times that students be given the opportunity of hearing an intelligent discussion of the foreign policy of the United States as well as of reaffirming their belief that only a truly democratic peace can be a lasting peace.

A totalitarian regime is dependent on war. The rulers of a totalitarian state must foster hatred of other nations among its people in order to survive. We, on the other hand, in a democratic country, are supposedly striving for friendship and equality among nations. There is time to cry "Peace, Peace!" In fact, the cause of democracy is lost if thinking people do not have a positive opinion on a just settlement of the world's conflicts.

### 334 - 0 = 334

All of which means that none of the 334 non-voters to whom we addressed our last editorial have responded to our request for suggestions for improving undergraduate elections. We're still waiting.

### Ersatz

riders.

Us Moderns -

Us Moderns aren't really such a hard and callous rate, despite our critics. Take the following case in point. A kerchiefed young girl and bareheaded youth got on the crowded subway. He was earnestly reading to her, poetry, I guessed, from his rapt expression. The girl found a seat. The boy kept on reading, quite oblivious of the stupid stares and silly giggles of the open-mouthed

After a minute, the girl motioned to him that she couldn't hear him above the subway roar. So he unconcernedly squatted down (as in the lowest position of knee-bending) and continued right on reading, keeping his balance beautifully, and with a beautiful naive lack of self-consciousness. It did our old worldly heart good. And we bet he didn't lose the rhythm, either. Ah us. O mores . . .

### Let Not Your Right Hand \

We have at last unearthed a constructive form of doodling. For years we have been fretting about the wasted hours we have put into such trivia as profiles of James Stewart, O filling, headless ducks and tailless horses, and the initials of That Yale Man. But all this frittering is past. In those dull moments between notejotting, we are now learning to write with our left hand!

It is really a fascinating pastime, and we feel that we are just about old enough so that it won't cause any personality disturbance, as ambidextrality sometimes does in children. So we heartily recommend the practice. Can't tell when it might come in handy (we really can't-to families, and friends. Step Singing, be honest with you—) but it's a won- too. More about these next time.

# Medieval Chant Authoritatively Interpreted By Pius X Choir

By Paula Thibault '37, Marilou Crescenzo '41 The Choir of the Pius X School are probably the most authoritative interpreters of Gregorian chant in the United States. The music they sing, the Gregorian or "plain" chant, is the official liturgical music of the Roman Catholic Church. This strange, serene, "floating" music is a unison chant, closely adhering to the text of the Latin liturgical office. As a rule it lacks any regularly recurring beat, since it derives its rhythm

from that of the Latin word. Because of the absolute freedom of this rhythm, the conductor cannot tenth century led to the corruption employ ordinary methods. Instead, he makes use of the ancient system called chironomy, which aims to reproduce visually the lines and movements of the melody by corresponding, flowing motions of the hand. The action is extremely graceful.

'The chant is named after Gregory I, who is represented in the art of the Middle Ages with a dove whispering the divinely inspired melodies into his ear. His real role in clear to scholars, but he was probably the first to unify the various oral traditions originally deriving from Oriental chanting and Jewish psalmody. Throughout the Middle Ages, emissaries carried precious manuscripts from the official Roman center to foreign monasteries in order to teach the correct method of the chant. These emissaries were dependent on their previous knowledge of the music to interpret the the so-called "neumes" were nothing more than a picture of the melody, a rendition.

sort of immobile chironomy.

The rise of polyphony after the of the already ancient oral tradition. In the middle of the nineteenth century, however, under the leadership of Dom Pothier and Dom Mocquereau, the Benedictine monks of Solesmes began a painstaking effort to rediscover the secret of the neumes. Their work obtained the sanction of the Papacy when Pope Pius X recommended the revival of this traditional form,

Dom Mocquereau himself taught the history of the music is not quite at the Pius X School soon after its establishment in 1920, and Mother Georgia Stevens, its director, is thoroughly grounded in the Solesmes method. The meticulous purity of the choir's interpretation, their assimilation to the spirit of music so different from that of today, have been praised by religious and musical authorities alike. Mr. Ofin Downes, eminent music critic of the New York Times has commended their "fine instinct for the curve and notations in their manuscripts, since flow of a musical line" and the almost unwordly impersonality of their

# By Jean Ackermann About Town

### "The Talley Method"-Henry Miller's Theatre

by the celebrated Dr. Talley, is to be sure and kind in the office with those under one's care, intolerant and cold in the living room with those who do not hold the same point of view. In the character of the doctor, S. N. Behrman has contrived the most successful part of his play. The doctor's inability to come out of his reserve is almost pitiable. The scene in which he, a neglectful father trying to renew acquaintance with his son, peremptorily calls the boy to him, is a high point in the play. "Let's have a heart to heart talk", he roars at

Ths scene, and Hiram Sherman in the role of the young man accumulating college degrees while he waits in attendance on a scornful lady love, give "The

The Talley method, as practised Talley Method' its few moments of life. There is an assortmerof people in the play; a passiciate member of the America-Youth Congress, a poetic refugee. a young boy who has not 🕫 found his aim in life-beyond 👵 unseen fan dancer-and a portess symbolizing tolerance and striving for understanding, attractively impersonated by Ira Various ingredients Claire. thrown together and not mixe. various people tossed into a drawing room talking at great literary length and arriving nowhere these make up "The Talley Method". No doubt Behrman has an idea which on paper would make absorbing reading. For the stage, it will be hoped that next time he will try another method of writing plays.

Ŗ.D.H.

### BRITISH PROPAGANDA FILMS

Millin Theatre presented films home consumption and for national defense. Each picture was somewhat like a fable; with plot, narration, and a moral.

In the reel labelled, Spring Offensite, we were taken of all places to a farm district, East Angelia, and shown how land was reclaimed and many improvements made-through government cooperation—to increase productivity. The moral was: When the war is over, the city population must not neglect the country as they have done in the

Another film treated of life among evacuated children in the country. The education of these children is framed upon the most progressive models, and their health is exceptionally well taken care of considering the war conditions.

To some, the film on preparedness jobs is perhaps the most significant. In it, we find a middleaged, middle-class Englishman decide to give up his office job and make his hobby, engineering, assist the national effort. He goes to a defense school, where he earns a living while training. The songs he sings is indicative of the New England, "Don't look over your shoulder, look ahead," which earns him an approving pat on his shoulder from good old Ernie Bevin. And when Mr. Everyman comes home in sacrifice of one party? C.P.G.

On Monday night, the Mc- a worker's cap and his wife looks aghast, he cries "Ti from Great Britain, made for blazes with the neighbors, I'm a British worker now." The moral intended in this picture for the British Public is ob-

> The most tragic of the series was the one of Dunkirk. The very quietness of the tone intensified the pathos as no amount of hysteria and bosombeating could.

> Even the very enlightening film on British Colonial administration in Africa had a moral "When we lay down our colonial responsibility," declares Malcolm MacDonald, at the end, "we hope to have left Africa far better than when we assumed-it." Indication of a cooperative world and the end of empires if Britain wins? We certainly felt that note throughout. Perhaps the best work the British are doing is training native doctors and agricultural scientists to help their own people conquer disease and increase livelihood.

That the British have done much for Africa, judging by our standards of good, seems definite. That it was to their self-interest to do so is also clear. We were left with the perplexing thought: Isn't improvement which is co-incidental with self-interest just as valuable as improvement which is based upon complete

# To The Editor.

Dear Miss Lyons:

I would like to suggest that 'the reply the ASU made to Miss Vernon's letter was far more damaging to the ASU than all her irresponsible charges.

Those people who are taking an altruistic position in this world crisis (and I am not one-my stand is on American safety and self-interest) cannot but include Russia among the totalitarian countries. They are opposed to all brands of aggression and oppression whether they be red fascism or brown bolshevism. They would find it impossible to cooperate with the Soviet Union, which has done its best to disrupt the progressive movements and provoke internal dissension in all the democratic countries, especially in Finland and France,

That Russia is Germany's partner, supplying her with materials and sharing in the loot, is undeniable. Russia is not opposing fascism in Europe, and her Far-Eastern policy is not determined by love of China so much as fear of Japan. This creates a dilemma for the ASU. This organization was willing to cooperate with the Tory appeasing Chamberlain-Daladier Governments for democracy, but it ignores the economic and social changes occurring in England (too quickly is" our own reactionaries). If it were admitted that the fight against fascism has shifted from Moscow to Washington and Letter don, Russia's position would be indefensible (which it is, speaking from the interest of democra-

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### To The Editor . . .

(Centinued from Page 2, Col. 5)

The ASU pursues a consistently anti-Fascist policy." But the face of foreign aggression. many of us see no difference beween Russia and Germany except that Germany is more powerin and therefore an immediate threat to our security. "The dif-Miss Vernon is that we oppose all brands of fascism." The difme is that I add Russia to the

leader, Nehru, "Towards Freedom," to all who cannot see the difference between British impetialism and Nazism. Nehru shows most clearly that the obstacles to Hindu independence lie as much in the faults of the Indian nation as in the British Torics. It is impossible to counteract the effects of the many thousand-year-old caste system and the traditional Hindu-Moslem feuding in one generation. Nehru states that the only hope for independence lies in the victory of the British progressives, and he expressly warns that India can no longer trust Russia. His chapters on his disillusionment with Russia would make good reading for the ASU, which has condoned officially the Russian invasion of Finland and never repudiated the Nazi-Soviet pact. (Consistently against fascism?)

I wish to point out that the Roosevelt foreign policy is one of national defense and American security first. It is not a crusading policy. Roosevelt evidently believes that by giving Britain the weapons to fight Hitler now, America can avoid having ever to fight Hitler later, alone. Also, the present administration is against intervening in the internal affairs of other countries. We fear the military might and the minilistic philosophy behind Germany's crusading expansion. If Germany were Nazi within her own borders, I don't believe we would have any right legally to interfere.

If I wished to be unkind, would suggest that Russia would like to get America into a war with Japan and keep Britain fighting Hitler. The ASU then would have us risk war in the Far East, but not in Europe. If we risk war by aiding Britain, we risk war by aiding China The ASU can't have its arguments both ways. I might point out that the China war is not

### Dr. Robertson Reviews Quarterly

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 4)

The reviews and drawings de- ideals and processes. Stree mention, at least. Better have a book.

|angel-pure. China was in a state of civil war when Japan intervened. The country united in But anyone who has been reading the papers sees that this internal struggle is not dead.

Do Laccuse the ASU of being Communist-dominated? Certainference between the ASU and ly not. But I would venture to prophesy that if Russia should find Nazi Balkan penetration too fercice between the ASU and dangerous and intervene, the ASU would change its policy and suddenly find the Roosevelt and A. for India, I recommend the Churchill administrations on the latest book of the Hindu radical side of peace and democracy or stands for.

> Sincerely yours. C. P. Golann

Dear Miss Lyons:

In the letter published in the Friday Bulletin Mr. Furie asks that those who do not believe the ASU program to be "a just, reasonably conceived plan to further peace and democracy in the world" to state their reasons for their stand. I emphatically do not agree and should like to take this opportunity to give my reasons why.

Mr. Furie advocates collabor ation with the Soviet Union, China, and the Latin-American countries, on the grounds that this would be an aid in resisting fascist penetration and in securing peace in the Far East. Now no one would oppose collaboration with China and the Latin America countries in the interests of democracy, but Russia's devotion to the cause of democracy is dubious, to say the least. Tyranny and oppression reign as vigorously within the U.S.S.R. as in any To The Editor fascist-ruled country. Russia's Barnard Bulletin pact with Fascist Germany con- Dear Madam: tributed to the outbreak of the In reply to Miss Ranney's dresser. It was a memorable one, my opinion, Hitler would not have "Junior Fifth Column", I should foreign policy

border. If the United States policies. grievous mistake and weakening umbia Student Boards.

the democratic cause. bi the brief meeting in Spring chief sufferer at Britain's hands, ica Out of War."

> Sincerely yours, Elizabeth Koenig '41 (Continued on Page 4, Col. 5)

### Dr. Smith Locates Freshman Accents On Radio Broadcast



By Sue Whitsett

ter they had read their Mary,

merry and marrys and water,

wash. Washingtons except for

Miss Porcher, who proved a ton-

gue twister. He finally nabbed

her not farther south than Lynch-

burg, Va., but she retaliated by

saying that Florida and Georgia

were the chief influences in her

The program is cleverly organ-

ized with a guest Rex Cole Jury,

which tries to place the unidenti-

fied Miss X; a group from differ-

ent localities in which the Bar-

nard freshmen played a part; and

another group which Dr. Smith

places in thirty seconds. This

week Miss X was a very attrac-

tive blonde in a very attractive

mink coat. The jury which was

from Ohio, Nova Scotia, Mas-

sachusetts, and Louisiana placed

her as coming from the south, but

we will have to wait until next

week to know where she is from.

almost traced to their street num-

ber on Lexington Avenue by the

smooth speech sleuth, read an

intriguing skit concerning "les

affaires de manicurist" and hair-

A very charming young couple,

speech pattern.

Dr. Henry Lee Smith, now of Brown University and sonal property and it should be formerly of the Riverside Building, was his usual gay whatever the Soviet Union and nonchalant self last Wednesday on the Rex Cole broadcast, when he zoomed+ program. He placed them all af-

through bi-labials, glottal catches, and innumerable phonetic distinctions to spot correctly almost all of the different home towns represented.

While his colleague, Mr. Dreiser, was lurking through the audience picking unusual locales, our attention was distracted by three bouncing young individuals, by name, William, William, and Francis respectively. These exuberant representatives of American manhood spent their time leaping off the stage, hiding under the seats, and lastly getting us, the poor unsuspecting audience, carefully to print out | for them requests for thirty seats to the next program. We fear for the next "Where Are You From?", and suggest everyone listen in if they want to hear unusual sound effects.

Dr. Smith's savoir faire was almost equalled by the four freshmen, Joan Carey, Charlotte Mc-Kenzie, Jeanette Zang and Nananne Porcher, who were on the

present war by obviating the dan-comment upon my "unfortunate" because according to Dr. Smith, ger of a two front war which, in reference to the A.S.U. as the the husband got the last word. risked. Is opening the way for like her to observe that the exwar on democratic Jountries and pression is not original, as evithen sharing in the spoils in the denced by the quotation marks form of Polish Lithuanian, Es- around it, and the phrase, "as it tonian, Latvian, Finnish and was recently termed." Actually, Rumanian territory a democratic this is the name of a booklet recently published by the National The Soviet Union, it is true, Foundation for American Youth, has aided China against Japan, a group under the leadership of but only because it is to her in-Gene Tunney which broke away terest to check the expanse of a last year from the A.S.U. because powerful nation so near her own it refused to accept its Leftist

were to base her foreign policy I regret that my use of the on cooperation with a country phrase "befuddled thinking" was which has so obviously been misconstrued. It was intended guided by expediency and self- as no reflection on the calibre or interest, we would be making a intentions of the Barnard or Col-

However, the title "Peace Moreover, Mr. Furie seems to Rally" is confusing. There is see no difference between the no one who is not willing to hear chology. How fortunate that Fascism of National Socialism all points of view on the means Montrose is not so far "in up- and his so-called fascism of the of achieving ultimate world peace. state New York" that Professor British Empire. Admitted that Is this the Assembly's purpose? Hollingworth can not exercise his the British Empire is not a per- But hitherto, all gatherings with versatility both there and here! fect institution, that it has per- the word "peace" in their titles Three other stories appear, petrated many wrongs and cruel- have concerned only immediate Miss Freund's "Genuine Harris ties, democraic institutions still peace. Even the Peace Conference Tweed' is about fruitless re- have more chance of flourishing sponsored by the Committee of sentment of divided affection. In under its sway than under that One Hundred last Saturday still "Sensitivity" Miss Gonzales tells of the Third Reich. In India, clung to the slogan, "Keep Amer-

between a Columbia undergrad- Gandhi himself has come out for Now, I think it is fruitless to thate and a girl who never had support of England's cause and a talk of this kind of "peace" in even seen the green gate. Given British victory. Would Mr. Furic 1941 when it is so obvious that drink, the girl's father was, like to see the British Empire in the United States government has Distressingly enough, so was the Herr Hitler's hands? For these no thought of peace, and cannot tather of Kiss and Sis in Miss reasons I oppose the policy of the have until the Axis powers are Cannon's "The Sisters." Could ASU and I feel that American defeated. We are engaged in one Jenny Wren, the doll's dressmak- aid to Britain is the best guaran- of the greatest undeclared wars tee for the safety of democratic in history. Frankly, I am proud of having "jumped on the band wagon" which the Misses Bruns,

### Ask Students Not To Litter Library

books and belongings on the li-be left lying around unguarded. brary tables and marking them "Please do not disturb" seems to be increasing rapidly lately. On Thursday morning, March 13th thirteen of the library tables each had one or two piles of books and a camera in one instance. Some of these books etc. have been left on the tables and not removed for several days.

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safely locked up. Notebooks especially which mean much to the owner and represent a great deal The habit of leaving personal of time and work, should never

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### Notices . . .

#### Senior Week

Seniors are asked to sign up for Senior Week by the end of March, if possible. Later signups will be permitted, but it would help the committee to have all names in by that time.

#### Glee Club

The Glee Club will meet in 408B from 7:30 to 9 this evening and at John Jay tomorrow night at the same time.

#### Friendship House Drive

Information concerning the Friendship House drive will be given in the Conference Room 12 to 12:30 today, tomorrow, and Thursday.

#### Wigs And Cues

Wigs and Cues will hold a re- nounced. quired meeting in the clubroom at 12 noon.

#### Junior Show

afternoon. Tomorrow there will ance, be an acting rehearsal from 3 to 6 in the Conference Room.

#### G.G. Entrance

Entrance presentation will take place in the gym at 12 to 12:30 tomorrow.

#### Diet And Canteen

The Diet and Canteen group will meet in 304 Barnard from 5 to 7 Wednesday evening.

#### University Christian Assoc.

sociation will hold Open House night, April 18, in Brooks Hall. from 4 to 6 at Earl Hall on Thursday, March 30.

### Barnard A.S.U.

The A.S.U. will hold a meeting in the Conference Room from 4 to 6 Thursday afternoon.

### Volleyball Movies

A motion picture on volleyball will be shown in 304B from 4:15 to Thursday afternoon.

### Entrance Rehearsal

There will be a combined Entrance rehearsal in the gym from 4 to 6 Friday afternoon.

### **Dancers Rehearse** For Greek Games

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 1)

Eleanor Dun, Virginia Fuldner, Gloria Glaston, Jane Griffiths, Dorothy Fagan, Jean · Gimbert, Bertha Guilhempe, Mavise Havden, Patty Havill, Evinda Henrickson, Doris Jorgenson, Virginia Meyer, Jeanne Mitchell, Natania Neumann, Johanna Oehring, Frances Philpotts, Rolande Redon, Anne Sirch, Lisbet Stumpp, Maja Tscherngjakow, Beverly Vernon, Jeanne Walsh. and Monica Wvatt.

Ann Pope is chairman of the Sophomore Greek Games Dance Committee, while Patty Havill is in charge of the freshman dance committee.

The freshman dance rehearsal with the orchestra is scheduled for Monday, March 31, from 5:30 to 8:30, while the sophomore dancers will rehearse with the orchestra on Tuesday, April 1. from 5:30 to 8:30.

#### '41 Alumnae Head



**JEAN ACKERMANN** 

### Cast First Act Of Junior Show

The final casting for the first act of Junior Show Grandma Called It College, has been an-

The first scene—(Act I is divided into three scenes) - includes Joann McQuiston, Kay Bruns, Yvonne Coutant, Barbara There will be a Junior Show re- Heinzen, Clytia Capraro and Jean hearsal in the Theatre at 5 this McDonald, in order of appear-

> In the second scene, also in the order of appearance, are Mabel Schubert, Doris Bayer, Edith Meyer, Jane Devonshire, Jean Buckingham, Janet Quinn, June Amsden, Mary Ann Williams, Marjorie Barr, Lillian Kates, Mabel Campbell, and Elizabeth Lewis.

> The third scene, which is the last in Act I, includes Rosemary Graff, Florence Haslam, Betty Hanf, Joan Rosenfeld and Grace Barrett.

The Central Committee has announced that a dance will fol-The University Christian As-low the performance on Friday

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### **Downes To Address** Joint Meeting

Olin Downes, music critic for The New York Times since 1924, will speak at a joint meeting of the Music Club and the William Allen White Committee next Monday, March 24, at 4 in the College Parlor.

Mr. Downes, who is well known as a lecturer on music and a contributor to the Musical Quarterly, will discuss the present world crisis and its relation to music. The lecture is open to the whole

college.

#### Saminsky to Speak At Luncheon Today

Lazare Saminsky, Russian-born composer, musicologist and conductor, will speak at a luncheon to be held in the Earl Hall Dodge Room today from 12 to 2 for Barnard Menorah and the Columbia Jewish Students Society.

At present he is a member of the executive board of the League of Composers and director of music at Temple Emanuel of this city.

### To The Editor:

(Continued from Page 3, Col. 3) I think, along with this country's of civilization, morality, progress until it is too late." and democratic principles.

Let us not forget Hitler's

boast in "Mein Kampf": "Each country will imagine that it alone will escape. I shall not even need Hughes and Stewart deplore, for to destroy them one by one, Sel. fishness and lack of foresight will leaders, that it is the band wagon prevent each one from fighting

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