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Continue Religious Parley

Berle To Speak At Closing Dinner Thursday

Columbia's first university-wide religious conference, the Columbia University Conference on Religion in the Modern World continues today, tomorrow and Thursday with a series of inter-faith luncheons, discussions, and lectures.

Contrary to previous announcements, the principal speaker at the closing dinner in the Men's Faculty Club Thursday evening will be Adolph A. Berle, Assistant Secretary of State, and Professor of Law at Columbia.

For Barnard students highlight of the conference program for the next three days will be the regular college tea tomorrow afternoon when President Henry Sloane Coffin of Union Theological Seminary will speak on "Religious Discipline for our Time". Earlier in the afternoon, at 12:20, Father W. E. Orchard, British Theologian, and Rabbi Robert Gordis, Temple Beth-El, Rockaway, will address the Inter-faith luncheon in Earl Hall.

Niebuhr To Speak

Professor Reinhold Niebuhr of Union Theological Seminary will speak on "Christian Insight in World Chaos" this afternoon at 4 o'clock in Earl Hall Auditorium.

This evening at 8 o'clock, the Jewish Graduate Society will sponsor a meeting in Earl Hall, at which Dr. Samuel Golden-son, Rabbi of Temple Emanuel, will speak on "Why Should Religion be Organized?"

A symposium on "The Bible in Personal Living" sponsored by the Protestant clubs will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock in the Dodge Room of Earl Hall.

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler is honorary chairman of the conference. Barnard is represented on the conference committee by Professor Wilhelm Braun, Flora Bridges '42, Elaine Donovan '42, Charlotte Gabor '42, Dean Virginia C. Gildersleeve, Dr. Christina P. Grant, Barbara Heinzen '42, Miss Martha Maack, Professor George Mullins, Enid Pugh '42, and Gertrude Schaffer '42.

Announce Exams For Summer Positions

Examinations for teachers of swimming, health education and for pianists in the summer playgrounds will be given by the New York City Board of Education, Miss Katharine S. Doty, Assistant to the Dean, has announced.

Applications for the examinations must be filed by February 16. For further details students should consult the Occupation Bureau.

Accelerated Curriculum Pleases New Freshmen

Present Poll Today To Test Student Reaction To New Program

by Beatrice Naegeli

As part of the plan for an accelerated curriculum inaugurated because of the war, an unusually large group of February freshmen has been admitted. These 14 girls, from a group of 27 new students, are mainly local high school graduates but include two refugees from Yugoslavia and a native of California.

The new freshmen are divided in opinion as to whether they will pursue the newly-inaugurated emergency three-year course, but in general they appreciate the half-year advantage gained by entering college at this time.

In line with the change in policy due to the national defense program, a poll will be taken at today's assembly to determine student opinion concerning acceleration of the college curriculum. Students will also be asked if they are willing to continue school during the summer and whether they approve of granting academic credit for defense courses.

As newcomers, Ljubica Tchok and Stasa Furlan have the greatest claim to fame. Reaching United States via Greece, Turkey, Palestine, Cairo, Cape-town and Trinidad, was, according to Ljubica's vivid memory, no luxury trip.

She is lonely now but knows she will enjoy college when she gets accustomed to the system in use here. When asked her opinion of admitting students in February and the encouragement of a three-year course, she declared hearty support of both.

More typical frosh are Barbara Beckwith, former resident of California but commuting to college now from Croton-on-Hudson, and Dale Elene, Hastings-on-Hudson student. Both confessed they did not know this was the first time new freshmen were admitted in February, but when the proposed three-year course was explained to them were also receptive to it.

Model League To Discuss Post-War Reorganization

Seven delegates chosen from the student body will represent Barnard at the sixteenth Model Assembly of the League of Nations which convenes at Bryn Mawr College March 29 to 31. The general subject for the Assembly will be the *Period of Transition* "immediately following the war, before the new permanent world organization is established." Barnard has been assigned to discuss Chile.

Contrary to usual procedure, Representative Assembly has passed the motion to allow interested students who are not members of that body to attend. Because a specific amount of research work must be done by the delegates, students acquainted with this type of study will be particularly valuable.

Students who wish to participate in the conference are asked to sign a poster on Jake this week. The list of signatories plus

Student Officers To Be Nominated

Nominations for president, secretary, and treasurer of the Undergraduate Association will be made at a meeting of Undergraduate Association next Monday, February 16 at 12:00.

All students are urged to attend this meeting.

'43 Skidoo' Show Title

Casting Starts Next Monday

"Forty-Three Skidoo" will be the title of the annual Junior Show which will be presented the evenings of March 20 and 21, the Central Committee disclosed yesterday, but no details concerning its plot will be revealed until the opening night.

Casting for the show is scheduled for next Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday at hours to be posted later. Rehearsals will begin Monday, March 2.

The Junior Show book, written by Ruth Willey with the assistance of Marcia Freeman, has been completed. Contrary to the policy of former years, information about the scenes and settings is being withheld.

Two original songs from the show will be introduced at the Junior Prom, February 20 at the Waldorf-Astoria. Betty Lowell

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To Resume Recitals

First Performance By Busch Quartet Takes Place Monday

As the gift of an anonymous donor to Barnard College, the Adolf Busch String Quartet will present three recitals of chamber music in the Barnard gymnasium, on the evenings of February 16, March 23 and April 6.

A planned series of eight concerts was interrupted last year by the illness of the first violinist. Now fully recuperated, Mr. Busch has returned to resume the engagement.

Professor Daniel Gregory Mason, distinguished composer and author, and head of the Columbia department of music, will deliver a preview lecture on the first concert this Friday afternoon at 4:10 in the College Parlor.

Monday's program will include a work of Professor Mason's, *Variations*, Opus 37b, in one movement.

On the program will be one of Beethoven's much-discussed last quartets, his Opus 12 in A minor; and Dvorak's quartet Opus 51 in E flat, the second movement of which is a *Dumka*, or Bohemian lament, made known to the world by this composer.

Recordings and miniature scores of both last-named selections are in the Barnard library.

Members of the quartet include Goesta Andreasson, second violinist; Karl Doktor, violist; and Hermann Busch, cellist. Assist-

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Student Co-op Launched As Group Project

Barnard's first student cooperative venture was launched this week, with substantial orders already obtained for books for the economics and music departments.

The cooperative will concentrate at the beginning on the buying of texts and other books. According to Aleine Austin '44, president, and former college chairman of a book cooperative investigating committee, the club is starting on a small-scale and hopes to extend its purchases to other articles and its advantages to the whole school.

After two Student Council-appointed investigating committees concluded that a book cooperative on a college-wide basis was impracticable, Miss Austin organized a small group project with approximately 16 members. From the Consumers' Book Cooperative the Barnard group will purchase books at wholesale prices, which it will in turn re-sell at retail prices to members and non-members. At the end of the year any surplus will be distributed to the members in proportion to the amount of individual purchases.

Besides the actual buying of

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Assembly Votes Defense Bond Drive

Student Council Appoints Jean Buckingham '42, Chairman

The purchase of government defense bonds was voted the object of Barnard's relief drive for the spring semester, at a special session of Representative Assembly last Wednesday. The following day, Student Council named Jean Buckingham '42 as drive chairman.

By an overwhelming vote, Representative Assembly agreed to the defense bond measure, which provided that money obtained when the bonds mature should be used for Barnard scholarships.

Butler To Address College Today At 1

Dr. Nicholas Murray Butler, President of Columbia University, will address the students of Barnard College at a required assembly in the gymnasium this afternoon at 1:10.

Seniors will be required to wear caps and gowns and will meet in 304 Barnard at 12:45.

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450 Sign Petition

Instrumental in obtaining the vote for a Defense Bond drive, in preference to the Columbia University Committee on War Relief, American Friends, or summer scholarships, was a petition signed by 450 undergraduates and presented to the assembly by Doris Landre '44.

Jean Buckingham, chairman of the drive, has also been co-chairman of the Transfer Committee and a member of the Social Committee.

Wednesday's meeting of Representative Assembly also heard a report given by Barbara Fish '42 on the Convention of the Student League of America, held at Harvard University, December 27-30. Miss Fish, commenting on the program adopted by the convention, stressed resolutions which called for mobilization of students for defense and student participation in "building national morale for complete victory."

Discuss NSFA

Doris Bayer reported on the possibility of Barnard's affiliation with the National Student Federation of America at a meeting of Representative Assembly held yesterday. Vice-president Glafyra Fernandez was the presiding officer.

The advantages and disadvantages of membership in the NSFA were discussed, but no action was taken.

The Assembly voted yesterday to accept the principle of arranging 2 or 3-year contracts with printers and engravers for Mortarboard, in view of rising prices during the war.

In response to a letter sent to President Gunning by the Model League Conference, it was voted to reduce the college's representation from 15, as previously decided, to seven.

Plan Coffee Dance For February 13

The first Coffee Dance of the spring semester will be held this Friday, February 13, from 4 to 6:30 in the large ballroom at Earl Hall.

Students may sign up for tickets from Monday through Friday of this week at the Social Affairs Office, Room 104 Barnard. They must indicate whether they intend to go "stag" or bring dates. Single admission will be \$.35; tickets for two will cost \$.50.

Finish '43 Prom Plans

Final plans for 1943's Junior Prom, which is to be held Friday, February 20, in the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel, have been announced by Mary Virginia Callcott, Social Chairman of the junior class.

The rooms contracted for the dance are the Jade Room, the Basildon Room, and the Astor Gallery. Guests will be received in the Basildon Room, dancing will be in the Jade Room, and supper will be served in the Astor Gallery.

The menu has been changed from scrambled eggs and sausages to Southern style spring chicken with rice pilaff. Supper will be served just after midnight.

Bill Keeshan's orchestra, which

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Yearbook Orders Still Available

Although Mortarboard copy has already gone to the printer, and materials are tentatively ordered, it has been suggested by the yearbook editor, Sybil Kotkin, that a few more subscriptions can still be placed.

It is emphasized that absolutely no more than the required number of books is ever printed, even in times when the price of printing and paper is normal.

No students who have not placed an order previously will be able to obtain copies.

Circulation Manager Shirley Aronow will be in Mortarboard office, 402 Barnard, at noon today, and every day this week, to take subscription orders. Subscribers may also send a card through student mail to Miss Aronow.

Those who have already signed their names to subscription blanks are reminded that payment falls due this month.

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Intelligent Voting

We have always felt that candidates in any election should be favored for their individual abilities and not for their popularity. It is for this reason that we applaud the suggestion which was made by Political Council and is outlined in the next column. If put into practice, this new method would allow the voters of the college to become acquainted with the political attitudes of the nominees and should go a long way toward giving elections a truer meaning.

If candidates for positions which are elected by an entire college election give concrete speeches with specific suggestions for innovations in their prospective offices, the undergraduates will be able to vote more intelligently. The ballot that is cast by each individual will represent the opinion of a voter who has seen and heard the nominee express her views about certain points directly related to the office for which she is running. Votes will not have to be cast then on the basis of hearsay about a candidate's qualifications, impressions derived from portrait photographs, or the recommendations made by girls talking among themselves and casually overheard by another person.

There is one precaution which we feel should be taken to prevent these speeches from deteriorating into glib hopes for greater student democracy. We understand that Political Council will formulate questions that are particularly pertinent to each nominee. As long as these questions require the girl to offer opinions and recommendations which will reveal her capability for the office in question and her originality in practical ideas, they will achieve their purpose. If they fall short of this standard, the result will be another method of campaigning.

Candidates for local and national political offices tell the public what they think and what they intend to do about pressing questions; and it is upon this basis that the citizen should cast his vote for a candidate. When we graduate we will be asked to judge future political nominees by this method. Is it not appropriate for us to acquire practice in the method which all of us will be using in the near future? Is it not expedient that we make student democracy as similar as possible to democracy outside of college walls?

The Bond

Representative Assembly's selection of a double-barreled drive last Wednesday was exceedingly well chosen. In raising money to purchase a government defense bond now, Barnard will be doing its part to help our nation's war effort. But the choice was also wise because the money received when the bond matures will be used for scholarship purposes and in that way some student who might be in need of funds because of the effects of war will be aided.

College support of this choice was shown by the petition signed by over four hundred students. With this amount of support manifesting itself even before the drive has started there is every reason to believe that committee efforts will be successful. Do your part and contribute as soon as possible!

Before The Ballot

by Political Council

Political Council was organized last semester to foster discussion and understanding of the political problems that confront us as students and as citizens. It has attempted to fulfill this function by sponsoring speakers and students forums. The growth of citizen participation in government and the necessity of preserving the democracy we are fighting for has led the Council to the realization that Barnard students must understand the purpose and administration of our own student government if we are to preserve our forms of representative government. Perhaps the first step in accomplishing this is the selection of our administrators and representatives on an intelligent and valid basis.

In the past, candidates for college offices have been introduced to the students at teas. It is assumed that by election day the voters will have familiarized themselves with the opinions and abilities of the nominees. Unfortunately, this is rarely the case. Officers are elected more on the basis of appearance and personality and chance acquaintance than on their actual qualifications as executives or legislators. To remedy this, Political Council is sponsoring a forum at which the candidates for undergraduate offices will be invited to express their views on representative government at Barnard. The forum will supplement statements made in *Bulletin* on these questions by the nominees for Undergraduate president. These statements will introduce the candidates to the college as thinking and capable individuals as well as personalities.

Representative Assembly has been accused of being representative of no

group and of no organized opinion. This accusation is due to the fact that the representatives do not have to account to their electors for their votes, nor do they know at the time of election or at any time thereafter what their electors think. If these charges are true, then it is the duty of the students to consider the problem and to arrange for its correction. This year, for the first time in four years, the revision of the constitution is being considered. We have the opportunity now to make those revisions we think desirable.

There are, of course, other factors in student government that require the thoughtful consideration of the students. Political Council wishes to bring all of these matters to the fore. Even more importantly, however, it intends to foster action more than talk. Unless all students participate in the discussions and use the results of the forums as a basis for specific action at the polls and at meetings of the Undergraduate Association, student government at Barnard will never escape from the apathy that now prevents effective and unified participation in college functions.

If Political Council or any undergraduate organization is to be truly representative, the student body must express its opinions at every opportunity. Political Council is now considering the questions it will present to the nominees for undergraduate officers. This is the time to make suggestions for the improvement of our government. It is up to the students to discover what the candidates think and why they arrive at their decisions. These are the preliminaries in achieving responsible and responsive government.
 B.F. and Z.S.

Barnard Forms SLA Chapter To Further War Effort

by Beverly Vernon '44

Almost without exception American students have felt an overwhelming impulse to join in the national war effort. Yet educators have urged them not to leave school or college until called by the government. Thus the mental strain has been great. Progressive student leaders all over the country sensed this, and the result of their joint efforts to alleviate the situation has been the formation of the Student League of America.

This group emerged from the National Student Merger Convention at Harvard University, Dec. 27-30, where the Student Defenders of Democracy, the Student League for Progressive Action, the College Division of the Committee to Defend America and Democracy's Volunteers met to form "a liberal, anti-fascist, anti-communist organization whose two-fold purpose is to win the war and win the peace." The convention adopted the following resolution for action: "As citizens, we shall cooperate with the Office of Civilian Defense and other defense agencies, making every effort to enroll all students in the civilian defense effort. We will do all we can to promote army welfare. As students, we shall build and heighten morale by education on the issues of war and peace and by working for the growth of democracy during the war and for the establishment of a just peace after the war. As specialists, we shall train ourselves for maximum production."

The Student League of America functions throughout the country under a National Executive Council, composed of representatives from each

region and delegates-at-large. The chairman is Homer Swander of the University of Michigan.

National headquarters, located at present at 516 Fifth Avenue, are maintained by contributions from student chapters, individuals and other organizations.

The Barnard Chapter of the Student League of America, which evolved automatically from our chapter of the Committee to Defend America, plans to effect a three-fold program. First, it offers its fullest cooperation to the central Barnard committee in charge of National Service. Second, it will carry on individual projects, such as a blood bank, collection of cigarettes for service men, and drives to conserve and collect wastepaper. Third, it will encourage the integration of present extra-curricular activities in the national defense program. For example, we hope to cooperate with the Social Service Committee in Red Cross work and hostess activity for men in the armed forces. We hope that Barnard dramatic and musical talents may also contribute toward army morale, and that language clubs may participate in an educational program concerned with war and peace aims. Thus we hope to reconcile the two opposing attitudes of "drop everything for defense" and "maintain school-as-usual," and to enrich our past interests by directing them toward present needs.

All those who wish to become members of or to cooperate through her own organization with the S.L.A. should see Barbara Fish '42, president, or the writer, secretary.

About Town

"POST MORTEM" . . .

While you were struggling with exams, some excellent entertainment came to town, and now that the struggle is over, you can catch up on your amusements. Those two exam weeks brought a first-class assortment of movies, several successful new plays, and art exhibits by the carload lot. In the next week or two, we'll let you know whether it's all worth your while.

"The clutching hand, the bloodhounds, the heroine left to a fate worse than death . . ." appear on the screen of the Museum of Modern Art as Program 104: THE SERIAL FILM, part of the Film Cycle presented this year.

Besides Pearl White, the Museum is showing FILMS FOR LATIN AMERICA, and AMERICAN DEFENSE FILMS. Several Hollywoodites appear in these defense films, and Ginger Rogers is anonymously starred as "the girl whose boy friend in the Army carelessly gives her information which later results in the torpedoing of a transport." This series closes February 14, and will begin again later in the spring.

Ultra-speed photographs of contemporary dancers are exhibited in the Museum's auditorium gallery. Martha Graham, Paul Draper, Ray Bolger are featured in the striking split-second action photos taken by Gjon Mili—an "engineering photographer".

The Metropolitan is not idle in the face of such competition. Their Rembrandt show is the finest thing we have seen, and it deserves a write-up of its own. Aside from R.v.R., the Met. has an exhibition called "On the Bright Side", to replace the Chinese porcelains tucked away for the "duration." The works selected are "fresh, amusing, sprightly, and vigorous," so if you are tired of reading headlines, refresh yourself at the Metropolitan.

KMH

"HEDDA GABLER"—with an Egyptian angle—

Although the critics weren't approving, we bravely sallied out to see *Hedda Gabler*. (Who wouldn't be brave, on a press pass?)

It wasn't bad—well, it wasn't awful. Karen Morley made a pretty and appealing, if pastel Mrs. Elvstad. Ralph Forbes fumbled around and managed to emerge with a true-to-script Tesman.

Hedda was, we admit, something of an anachronism. Ibsen took great pains to stress her limited, provincial background; and it is rather startling to hear her speak with a heavy Greek accent. She's too slithery—much too sirenish. Once or twice—especially in that tense moment before she burns Lovberg's manuscript—her pantomime, supposedly deeply dramatic, veered on the farcical.

But, taken as a whole, the performance was passable. The set was excellent. The actors all worked hard. The costuming was thoughtful and effective.

Our press passes were superlative—front row center. That's why this review is so short—we were more interested in the mechanics than in the actual performance.

Hedda had a charming habit of inspecting the audience. If your attention wandered to the "What the Well-dressed Man Will Wear" in the *Playbill*—well, it was, disconcerting to say the least to look up and find the leading lady's eye fixed reproachfully on you.

We could see that Karen Morley's beauty was largely her own, and didn't come out of a jar, and that when Ralph Forbes made his between-the-acts "won't you contribute to the Red Cross?" speech, he was scared, and kept twisting his hands together, and that the flickering light in the stove was only a feeble bulb.

And loads of other "Intimate Items"—but we wouldn't want to spoil your fun.

M.M.

"SULLIVAN'S TRAVELS"—Paramount Theatre

She *does* have two eyes and she *can* get rid of her hair when she wants to. She is not a very convincing tramp—as Joel McCrea says, "You look about as much like a boy as Mae West"—but she is better than she was in *I Wanted Wings* and she may yet grow into a capable comedienne.

We mean Veronica Lake, of course.

She lives through a highly improbable series of adventures in a down-at-the-heel chorus girl who has failed to crash Hollywood, and she shares these adventures with a highly improbable movie director who wants to see "life in the raw". Now that we've disposed of Lake, we can go on.

As a comedy, *Sullivan's Travels* is superior Preston Sturges, which means tops. As a drama, it misses fire, although it is poignant, and sometimes tragic. The critics all said that Sturges had tried to do too much, and that's about the sum of it.

One minute the custard pies are flying so fast you can hardly see the actors, and half a reel later, Sullivan is being tortured in a sweat-box. It's bewildering, sometimes, to be moved about so quickly, and it tends to make you wonder just what Sturges is trying to do.

He isn't exactly poking fun at the sociologists, and he certainly isn't trying to make a "document" like Sullivan's *Brother, Where Art Thou?* He's probably trying to show the world, as Sullivan finally did, that comedy is the great leavener, and his strange mixture of the cruel and the comic is merely a device to prove his point. He proves it neatly.

K.M.H.

Revise Book Exchange

With several innovations designed to increase its efficiency, Book Exchange is operating again this semester under co-chairmen Helen King '42 and Simanette Lans '43.

The chief revision of the old system provides for almost immediate payment to owners whose books are sold. A check is now forwarded to the owner through Student Mail the morning following the sale.

The committee has also decided not to hold books over the summer, but to return them to owners before vacation. The policy of charging for each book two-thirds of its former value has been continued.

The Exchange will be open at its usual location in Milbank basement this week from 12-1 daily.

Among the books required by the Exchange are: Bodansky, *Introduction to Physiological Chemistry* (4th edit.); Bradley's *Arnold*; Dashiell, *Fundamentals of General Psychology*; Fuller, *History of Philosophy*; Harding and Mullins, *College Algebra*; and Hayes, *Political and Cultural History of Modern Europe—Part II*.

Also Hollingworth, *Abnormal Psychology*; Love, *Calculus*; Mullins, *Freshman Mathematics*; Newman, *Evolution, Genetics, and Eugenics*; Niccodemi, *Scampolo*; Ovid, *Selections* (ed. Anderson); Rostovtzeff, *A History of the Ancient World, Part II*; Sisam, *Analytic Geometry*; Tassinari, *Brush Up Your Italian*; Walter, *Toward Today*; and Wood, *Prose and Poetry of the 19th Century*.

Resume Concerts By Busch Quartet

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ing artists will be invited for the second and third concerts.

Barnard students may obtain admission cards to next Monday's performance in Rooms 104 and 407 Barnard Hall, or in the Brooks Hall office, from 9 to 5 each day this week.

The programs given last year in McMillin Theatre were attended by capacity crowds, 1188 members of the University comprising one evening's audience. Despite the more limited facilities of the Gymnasium, the donor has requested that once more the recitals be open to students of Columbia College as well. These may obtain tickets in the Music office, 601 Journalism.

Casting For '43 Show Begins February 16

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is in charge of music, while other members of the central committee, headed by Gretchen Relyea, show chairman, include: Martha Livesay, business manager; Grace Sherman, director; Ann Oakman, staging; Rena Libera; dance; and Denise Donegan, social chairman.

Also Roberta Bradford, secretary; Margaretha Nestlen, costume; Byrd Wise, properties, and Norma Shpetner, publicity.

Students Pass Life Saving Test

Ten students have completed the Senior Red Cross Life Saving course and have been awarded their membership cards, Miss Tuzo has announced. They are Marie Bellerjeau '44, Ursula De Antonio '44, Gloria Glaston '44, Otilie Glennon '43, Marion La Fountain '44, Jacqueline Levy '44, Charlotte McKenzie '44, Ellen Mueser '43, Ann Sirch '44, and Jeanette Zang '44.

Any student who is contemplating a summer camp position may, provided she can fill the requirements, enter the Life Saving class which will be given during the second semester on Tuesday and Thursday from 5 to 6 o'clock.

Glafyra Fernandez '42, and Amelia Smith '42, will participate in the finals of the badminton tournament Friday noon in the gymnasium.

New Cooperative Starts This Week

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books, the group intends to educate Barnard on the cooperative principle through practical experience and publicity. Speakers outstanding in the national and international cooperative movements will be invited to speak at Barnard, and the club's social program will center around folk dancing, singing, and cooperative parties.

Other officers besides Miss Austin include Helen Cahn '44, secretary, and Gloria Glaston, '44, treasurer. New members will be accepted until March 1, and dues are one dollar for as long as a member is in college.

New Defense Course Added

'Another course will be offered in Elementary Red Cross First Aid, corresponding with the First Aid course already in progress today, the Committee on National Service announced.

This new course, which will begin in the last part of February, has been designed to accommodate those students who were not able to fit into the original group. Registration for this course will be conducted during this week in Room 131 Milbank, now the permanent office of National Service. Hours will also be announced.

There has been a misunderstanding about the subject of the National Service course in Airplane Spotting, Miss Elizabeth Reynard has stated. The general impression is that the course corresponds to the A.R.P. course, in spotting planes from rooftops. However this course is designed to instruct students in recognizing all types of commercial and military planes. It is particularly helpful for girls who plan to work in or around airfields. Registration, therefore, will be continued until this Friday, when new students may sign up for the classes.

Attendance Regulations Clarified By Faculty

At the meeting of the Faculty held on January 26th, some new legislation was adopted concerning attendance at classes. The fundamental policy was not changed, but the regulations carrying out this policy were altered. It was agreed that the following statement should be published as representing the new Faculty procedure:

Students are expected to attend regularly and promptly all the exercises in the courses for which they are registered. Any considerable amount of absence or tardiness will result in the lowering of a student's mark or the loss of one or more points of credit.

The attendance of students on the Dean's List will not be supervised by the Committee on Instruction. The instructors, however, have authority to lower the grade in the case of undue absence or tardiness.

The attendance of the rest of the college is under the supervision of the Committee on Instruction, who, at the end of each semester, will deal with absences exceeding the number of class hours in any week; that is:

- more than 1 absence from a class meeting 1 hour a week
- more than 2 absences from a class meeting 2 hours a week

more than 3 absences from a class meeting 3 hours a week

more than 4 absences from a class meeting 4 hours a week

more than 5 absences from a class meeting 5 hours a week

Two latenesses equal one absence.

Students are expected to reserve their absences for illness and other urgent reasons. Illness will be taken into consideration by the Committee on Instruction as a possible excuse for excess absence only if a statement is filed by the student in the Registrar's office immediately on her return to college.

Virginia C. Gildersleeve, Dean.

January 30th, 1942.

Editor's Note: Several students requested, at a meeting sponsored by the Curriculum Committee on December 18, that there be a classification of attendance regulations. The above article describes the action taken upon this request.

Announce Deadline For Scholarships

All applications for scholarships, grants-in-aid, and residence grants from students now in college, for the year 1942-43, (See the Barnard Announcement, pp. 41-47) must be filed in the Dean's Office on or before March 1st (5:00 P.M.).

Application blanks, to be obtained from the Dean's Secretary, must be filled out in duplicate by the student and signed by a parent or guardian.

Students should not apply for any of these awards unless their need is very real. Students eligible only for grants-in-aid, especially, should not ask for college funds until they have tried, without success, to get the necessary money from every possible source outside the college.

Announcements regarding interviews with members of the Committee on Scholarships will be posted on the Dean's bulletin board several weeks after applications are filed. Applicants should watch carefully for these notices.

Virginia C. Gildersleeve, Dean.

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Set Make-Up Exam Dates

Deficiency examinations IN BARNARD COLLEGE COURSES will be held in the week of February 16 to 21.

Students are reminded that 1) Deficiency examinations CANNOT BE INDEFINITELY POSTPONED. They must be taken in one of the 3 periods for such examinations immediately following the stated examination that was missed.

Students who have missed several examinations owing to illness may find it advantageous to postpone at least some of the deficiency examinations until September.

2) Deficiency examinations are open ONLY to students who have been absent from an examination in a course in which the term work has been satisfactory.

Applications will be accepted subject to cancellation by the Registrar in cases when the term work is not satisfactory.

3) Applications for the February deficiency examinations must be in the hands of the REGISTRAR OF BARNARD COLLEGE BEFORE 4 P.M. ON FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 6, and must be accompanied by

a) the examination fee of \$3.00 for each and every examination

b) a stamped and addressed envelope for the receipt

AND c) a time card on which the student is requested to enter her program for the spring session. (This card is for use by the office in planning the examination schedule.)

LATE APPLICATIONS will be accepted if it is still possible to arrange for the examination

and ONLY upon payment of an additional fee of \$5.00.

Students planning to take the February examinations should apply in person or by mail at the Registrar's office for the proper application form and time card.

4) The schedule of these examinations will be posted on the Registrar's bulletin board at Barnard College about February 13.

A. E. H. Meyer,
Registrar.

Barnard Delegates Will Discuss Chile

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 3) and Maintenance of Order, Famine and Disease, Economic Reconstruction, Reopening of World Trade and Communications, Colonial Problems, Refugees and Displaced Populations, and Intellectual Reconstruction.

Among the colleges and universities represented at the Assembly will be Cornell University, Princeton, Lehigh, and Syracuse.

Bulletin Tryouts To Meet Friday

Applicants for admission to the associate news board of *Bulletin* will meet with Grace Barrett, editor, this Friday at 12:00 in the *Bulletin* office, 405 Barnard, to get instructions for tryouts. All scholastically eligible students interested in working for the newspaper may come.

Complete '43 Prom Plans

(Continued from Page 1, Col. 5) includes 14 men and a vocalist, will play a medley of sweet and swing music. The songs which have been voted the most popular in the class poll will be featured.

Juniors are requested to sign up on the Prom Poster on Jake, and to vote next week in the poll box on Jake for their favorite song or songs.

Messengers Asked To List Free Hours

Girls who have registered as messengers and Control Operators for National Service and are ready to go on active duty, have been asked to notify Peggy Pardee Bates, Room 131 Milbank.

These students are to inform Mrs. Bates of their free hours from 12 until 2 o'clock from Monday through Friday, when they will be able to go on duty.

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