# Barnard BuLletin 

The Dean's Reception to 1906.
On Friday, November 7th, Miss Gill gave a musical reception for the Class of 1906, their instructors and their friends. The concert was held in the Theatre from 3.30 to 4.15 , and afterwards the Freshmen and their guests were presented to the Dean by May Newland, the Freshman president. The'whole follege was thrown open to the guests, and $n$ the various rooms girls of the upper classes were posted to do the honors. The Class of 1906 attended in a bory, and with their friends seemed thoroughly to enjoy the occasion.
The upper-classmen acted as ushers, Anna Ware ' 03 , and Clare Howard ' 03 being supervisors. In the Theatre downstairs were Alice Bamberger '03, Chief ; Ethel Pbol '03, Madeleine Skinner '03, Clara Applegate '04, and Jean Loomis '04. In the gallery of the Theatre were Hope Purdon '05, Chief; Alice Draper ${ }^{\circ} 05$, Minnie Beifeld '04, and Helen King '03. At the hed of the entrance stairs, to direct the guests to the Theatre, were Jean Miller '03, and Emilie Hutchinson ' 05 . In the Reading Room were Jean Egleston ; 04 , and Florence Meyer '05. In charge of the third floor were Charlotte Fountain '04, and Jane Hawes '04, and on the. fourth floor were Amelia Hill '05, and Isabelle Mott' 05.
To receive the guests in the Zoology laboratory were Bessie Thompson '03, Ruth Earl '02, and May Johnson '03. In the Chemistry laboratory were Marion Latham '03,Gulielma Alsop ' 03 , and Mary Lee ' 05 . To guide visitors through the Physics Rooms were Cecil Dorrian ’05, Elizabeth Boorman '05, and Edith VanIngen '04. In charge of the Botany laboratory were Elsbeth Kroeber '03, Margaret Stone '04, and May Parker '04.

## The Barnard Bear,

At a meeting of the "Barnard Bear" held on Monday, November 3d, the officers, with the exception of the Treasurer and the Active Vice-President, were re-elected. The Treasurer is Helen Erskine; '04; the Active VicePresident, Helen King, '03.
At the bi-weekly meetings of the society "Contemporary Novelists from a Comparative Point of View'? will be discussed. The subject for the next meeting is George Meredith's "Beauchamp's Career,"' a copy of which is in the Bulletin Room for the use of members.

Mr. Hamilton W. Mabie will address the society very soon. The date is not yet definitely arranged.

## Tennis.

The inter-class matches in the teninis tournament are now being played. Edith Handy, 1905, is the champion of Freshmen and sophomores, and is ready to meet the winner of the Juniors and Seniors in the finals. Elsbeth Kroeber, 1903, and Lillian Howard, 1906, are the Senior and Freshman champions.

## Dormitory Notes.

The students of Whittier Hall celebrated Hallowe'en by having a ghost party. The dining rooms on the ninth floor were most artistically decorated with autumn leaves, corn husks and pumpkin lanterns, and the electric lights covered with yellow and green paper threw a soft glow over the room. Promptly at 6.30 the ghosts āsembled here and ate what was supposed to be a silent dinner.
After dinner the ghosts, carrying their pumpkin lanterns marched down to the rotunda on the first floor, where allwas darkness except for the light from a huge Jack-o'Lantern. Here they told ghost stories, played Hallowe'en games and danced the Virginia reel until nine o'clock, when they unmasked and finished their frolic with dancing.

## Notice.

The officers'of the college are very anxious to establish a satisfac̄tory system of management for the lunch room. To this end they hope for the hearty co-operation of the students, from whom they will be glad to receive any reasonable suggestions. All communications on'this subject should be made in writing, signed, addressed to Mr. Goetze, the Superintendent of Buildings and Grounds, and deposited in a box which is to be placed near the door of the lunch room. Every suggestion will , receive careful consideration.

## Undergraduate Notice.

Regular meeting of the Undergraduate Association will be held on Monday, November 10th, at 4.30 P. M., in Room 139. A fine of twenty-five cents is imposed for absence. The businese will be the election of the Freshman member of the Executive Committee.

## Basket Ball.

The Barnard College basket ball team has accepted a challenge to play the basket ball team of Normal. College on Saturday morning, December 13th, in the Normal College Gymnasium, and the return game on January 31st, in the Barnard Gymnasium. -

## Debating Society Notice.

Mr. Ringwalt of Columbia University will address the College Debating Society on Tuesday, November 11th, at 4.30, in Room 139. All members are requested to be present, and a cordial invitation is extended to all Freshmen interested in debating, for Mr. Ringwalt will discuss a plan for the year's work.

## Reading Room Notice.

Several new students have been inconveniencea because the rules of the Ella Weed Reacing Room have not been known to them, Most of the students know the rules, but for the benefit of those who do not, the Bulletin publishes the following regula-tions:-
I. All books must be charged at the desk before being taken from the room.
II. All books may be freely used in the Reading Room.
III. Books may be taken for use in the studies for short periods during the day, but must be reported at the desk when taken and returned.
IV. Books may be taken out at 4.30 to be returned at 9.15 the next morning. These books may be reserved-by speaking to the librarian on the morning of the day they are to be taken out.
V. Special reference books must be signcd for before use.
L.. P. Glanton,
L. D. Bloodgood,

Librarians.

## Freshman Elections.

At a meeting held November 6th, the Class of 1906 elected the following officers: President, Anna M. Newland; Vice-President, Belle K. Russell; Corresponding Secretary, Virginia Taylor; Recording Secretary, Elizabeth I. Toms; Treasurer, Bessie I. Lewis.

## Meeting of 1904

A regular meeting of the Class of 1904 was held on Thursday, November 6th. After the minutes of the last meeting had been approved the President annoumentint the class picture would be taken in the Court on Saturday, November 8th, at 10.30
The election of the Junior Ball Committec was the next business under consideration. The committee is as follows: Jean Loomis, Chairman; Edith Appell, Lucy Embury, Helena Fischer and Lena Miller. The President and Vice-President are members ex-officio.

## Y. W. C. A. Notices.

The regular contribution of at least fiva cents per member for the work of the American Committee is payable at once to Mabll Denton, Treasurer. The money collected from the various associations at this time is to be used in the foreign work in India, Japan and China.
All studehts who wish to attend the week'y prayer service are requested to give thir time cards to Laura Parker, 1905, in order that a convenient hour may be arranged.

## Chapel Notice.

Rev. Dr. Henry E. Cobb of the Collegiate Church will speak in Chapel on Tuesday; November 11th.

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The recently renewed activity of the Barsard Bear has naturally led many to reflect on that society's opportunities for usefulness and to wonder how far these will be improved. The present plans of the society include meetings for the discussion of modern $\rightarrow$ novels and a reception to the college at which some prominent writer will be invited to speak. Yet, however improving to the members may be their criticisms of hooks and howerer pleasant to the undergraduates the proposed entertainment, neither of these things is likely to prove of great benefit to Barnard in general.
The two time-honored functions of a college literary organization. namely theatricals and debates. are out of question so far as the Bfar is concerned. The various class plays together with the undergraduate play consume as much time as under existing conditions at. Barnard. deserves to be given to theatricals. Debates should be left in the hands of the Debating Soctety. There is. however. a third activity, which might be undertaken by the Bear. the publication of a college magazine. It is not our intention to decide whether or not this is advisable. We wish merely to make the suggestion, consider some reason for and against the enterpriets, and leave the matter to be determined. by those chiefly interested.

There is. of course, abundant precedent for such action being taken. Almost every woman's college of any consequence, or otherrise, issues a magazine containing the literary

 in thas, that ther ationel a field for the talent withe writere and eld. arme expmoxion to the hite of the cullese. Therentere chan of thea publication are extrenely characteristic of the institution- form which they come. afd eive in every cate a clear idea of the tras or tulent who isue them.
Here at Barnard we have little or no opmortunity for uch expresion. There is. indeed.our year-book : but the Mortorboard. being considered a clas: affair. seldom receive: a large number of contributions and is generally written entirely by the Board of Editors. As for the Lniversity publications, although some fer Barnard students contribute to them. they are sarcely representative of the whole college. If there is any literary ability in Barnard. and we believe there is sufficient to publish a creditable college magazine.--it should have a field of its own.
There are however many piffalls to be aroided by undergraduate writers. The pedantry and solemnity of many college publications furnist an argument against increasing the number of thein. The idea that they are reaching or exciting the admiration of more than a few should be abandoned by both editors and authors. Taking themselves and their achievements seriously, however, is propably a less conspicuous vice in Barfiard studentestran. in many college women, and these dangers. therefore are the less to be feared.
Our methods by which a literary magazine might be easily started and carried on. would be br co-operating with the Brlletis. A magazine committee appointed by the Barnard Bear.might take full responsibility for all material. which might be issued fortnightly or monthly, as the case might be. in the form of a supplement to the Brlletis.

It is not necessary to state again in the columns. our opinion of the value of the literary society. In case, however. the society should ever undertake the responsibility of a publication, we trast it may be under an appellation different from the present one. It is difficult not to be superstitious concerning the future of any enterprise arranged by an association which calls itself the " Barnard Bear."

We wish to call the attention of all students to the notice concerning the lunch room given in this issue of the Bulletin: General dissatisfaction has been expressed on all sides, but few definite reforms have been suggested. In order that the state of affairs may be improved, the officers of the college must know in detail exactly what is unsatisfactory. Everyone who has suggestions to make should certainly avail herself of the present opportunity.

Considerable comment has been mia the fact that the dancing class, which wa a phearant feature of the College life last has been (lisentinuted. There must - my be some lgirl among the undergra' ates cauable of carrying on the work starte lat year and public spirited enough to und. 'ake the leadernhip. We urge - .ll student: ' 'erested in dancing to take chis matter : der consideration.

Everyone agrees that the singins in Chapel is extremely poor. This state of affairs can be remedied only by persi-tent and systematic effort on the part of all the students. The object of the Chapel Clusir is to aid in this effort. The choir is divided into two sections: one singing on Tuesdays, the other on Fridays. Each section holds a ten minute practice once a week. Surely. this ought not to be very irksome. May we not have a large Choir this year, and make it impossible in the future for anyone to reproach us with our singing at Chapel?
All who will join are requested to put their time-cardः in letter-box $M$ as soon as possible.

Lily S. Murray,
Chairman Music Committee.

## The Southern Club.

At the meeting of the Southern Club, held on Mondar, Norember 3rd, it was decided to enlarge the membership, so as to include all southern women of the University. The following officers were elected: President, Katharine Armstrong, 1902; Vice-President, Alice M. Rheinstein, 1905 ; Secretary. Mary Lee, 1905 : Treasurer., Ellice H. Fitch, 1903. In addition to its former purpose, which is mainly social. the Club intends to aid, a far as it can, the educational movement in the South towards establishing a woman's college which shall be equal in standing to the woman's colleges of the North.

## Notice.

For'Sale: a calendar for 1903, containing a quotation for every day. A sample copy can be seen on application to Mabel Denton, '04.

## Junior Social.

The class of 1904 held a social meeting in the Theatre, Thursday, November 6th. The entertainment consisted of music, dancing, refreshments and a progressive ping-pong toumament. The winner in the tournament, Mary Frothingham, received a handwime burnt wood picture frame.
1905.

A regular meeting of the Class of 190.5 was held November 6th. Florence Nye was elected Chairman of the Sophomore Da' ces Committee. There will be a class surial Friday, November 14th, in the Theatre.

## 1903 Notice.

The regular monthly meeting of the , ass of 1903 has been adjourned till Wednen' $x$, - November 12th, at 12.30 in the Senior St ily.

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## University News.

Library Adds Many Volumes.
During the month of October the number of books added to the library amounted to 1246 volumes. This list includes several very valuable sets of periodicals as well as a first edition copy of Tasso's "Giernsalemme Literata," published in Ferrara in 1591. There is also a copy of the "Biblia Sacra Latina cum Prologis," S. Hieronymi, written on thin vellum, probably by an Italian Scribe, during the twelfth century.


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## College Settlement Association.

There will be an important business meeting of the College Settlement Association on Monday, November 17th, at 12.30, in Room 339. The Association wishes to call the attention of all students to the great importance and to the needs of its work, and desires a large attendance at this meeting. All undergraduate students are invitéd and mémbers of the Association are particularly urged-to be present.

## Athletic Association.

There will be a special meeting of the Athletic Association Thursday, Nowember 13 th, at 12.30 , in Room 339. The business will be the election of the new member of the Basket Ball Executive Committee.

## Chapel Notice.

Mr. U. A. Braun will conduct the chapel services on Friday, November 14th.

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2. Cicero. De Natura Deorum, edited by Joseph Mayor; 3 vols. Presented by Prof. McCrea.
3. Betterman. Schillers Dramen; Beiträge zu ihrem Verstandniss; 2 vols.
4. Paut. Deutsches Wörterbuch.
5. Mérimée. Colomba:
6. Fasnacht. Marmillan's French Course. Second year.
7. Milne. Plane Geometry.
8. Cicero. De Semectute, De Amicitia, Somnium Scipionis and Nepos. Life of Atticus, edited by Anthon.
9. Taylor. Classical Heritage of the Middle Ages. Legacy of Jessie Kaufmann, 1903.
10. Goodwin. Elementary Greek Grammar.
11. Edgsen. Compendious French Grammar.
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Braun, W.A., Tutor, Barnard 113. Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30
Brewster, W.'T,, Adj. Prof., Barnard 137. Monday, 10-12; Tuesday and Thursday, 11:30-12:30.
Bargy, H. Tutor, West Hall. 305 . Thursday, 2-30.
Berkeley, Frances C., Asst., Barnard 136. Wednesday, 11.15-12.45; Saturday, 11.30-12.
Carpenter, G. R., Prof., Fayerweather 508. Tuesday and Thursday, 1.30; Saturday, 10.30.
Cohn, A., Prof., West Hall 309. Monday and Wednesday, 12.30.
Cole, F. X., Adj. Prof., West Hall 309. Monday and Wednesday, 12.30.
Crampton, H. E., Prof., Barnard 408. Tuesday and Thursday, 2.30-3.30.
Cushing, H. A., Lect., Library 403. Tuesday and Thursday, 2.15.
Colles, Julia N., Asst., Barnard 240. Tuesday and Thursday, 9.30-10.30.
Day, W. S. Tutor, Barnard 240. Tuesday and Thursday, 10.30-11.30.
Dunn, Louise B., Tutor, Barnard 320. Monday, 10.30-11.30.
Davison, Ellen S., Lect., Barnard 337. Tuesday, 2-30; Thursday, 1.30.
Earle, M. L., Prof., Chairman of Committee on Admissions. Barnard 209. Thuradsy, 2.30-3.30.
Findlay, W., Tutor, Barnard 309. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10-10.30; Tueaday and Thureday, 11.30.

Fleming, W. L., Lect.; Barcard 340. Monday and Wednesday, 10-10.30.
Giddings, F. H., Prof., Library 403. Tuesday, 4.30; Friday, 2.
Gildersleeve, Virginia C., Asst., Barnard 136. Tuesday, 10-12.40; Thursday, 11.30-12.30.
Hallock, W., Prof., Fayerweather 409. Tuesday and Thursday, 10.30-11.
Hamilton, C. M., Tutor, Barnard 208. Monday 11.30-12.30, 1.30-2.30.
Hinrichs, G., Conductor of Music, South Hall 204. Wednesday 2.30-3.30.
Hirst, Gertrude M.. Asst., Barnard 337. Wednesday, 3.30.
Jones, A. L., Instr.. Barnard 335، Monday and Friday, 10.30-11.30.
Jordan, D., Tutor, West Hall 301. Wednesday, 11.30.
Kasner, E., Tutor, Barnard 309. Tuesday and Thursday, 10.30.
Keller, Eleanor, Lect., Barnard 435.
Kellicott, W. E., Tutor, Barnard 403. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 2.30-3.30.
Knapp, C. Adj. Prof., Barnard 111-112. Monday and Friday, 10.30.
Lord, H. G., Prof., Barnard 335. Monday, 10.30-11.30.
McCrea, N. G., Adj. Prof., College Hall 309. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 10.30.
McMurry, F. N., Prof., College Hall 313. Monday, Wednesday and Friday, 3.30.
McWhood, L. B., Tutor South Hall 206. Friday, 2.30.
MacDowell, E. A., Prof. Absent on leave.
Maltby, Margaret E., Instr., Barnard 438. Tuesday and Thursday, 11-12.
Nitze, W. A., Tutor, West Hall 306. Monday, 2.30.
Parsons, Mrs., Lect., Barnard 308. Tuesday, 2.30-3.30.
Perry, E. D., Prof. CollegeHall, 304. Monday and Wednesday, 2-3.
Price, T. R. Prof. Fayerweather 509. Menday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thurbday, 2.30.
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Shotwell, J. T., Lect., Barnard 340. Monday, 11.30-12.
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