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BOSTON MEETING OF THE COLLEGE SETTLEMENTS.

At nine o'clock on Saturday morning, October 24th, the Electoral Board of the College Settlements Association assembled in the very attractive living room of Denison House, 93 Tyler street annual autumn meeting. burned on the hearth, and huge benches of chrysanthemums, roses and cosmos added still further to the look of cheer and freshness that greeted us. This artistic room, with its many casts and old brasses, was furnished entirely by the Wellesley College Chapter.

A formal business meeting, in which many interesting questions of general policy were discussed, occupied all the morning, Miss Lockwood was re-elected Chairman of the Committee on Sub-Chapters. It is a matter of interest and pride to Barnard students that our Graduate Elector is the originator of the Sub-Chapter work.

At one o'clock a number of small tables were brought in, and a dainty luncheon was served by the Boston Settlement residents. After this a party of us inspected the gymnasium, cooking school and boys' clubrooms, at 95 Tyler street. It was very interesting to see the personality of the boys reflected by the different ways in which they had furnished their rooms.

The reports of the head-workers of the Boston, Philadelphia, and New York Settlements came at 2:30. These were so full of interest and helpful suggestions that it seems too had to pass them by without word, but all who desire to do so may read them in the annual report. The meeting was closed by a most inspiring address by Miss Vida Scudder on "The Heritage and Promise of the Settlement Movement."

A visit to the South Bay Union was the last event of this full day. We were all surprised at the size and evident efficiency of this new and splendidly equipped building, located in the worst district in Boston. Among its many interesting features is the restaurant, where the laborers can get a

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JUNIOR BALL COMMITTEE

At the regular meeting of the class of 1905, November 5, the following were elected members of the Junior Ball Committee: Florence Meyer, Chairman; Beatrice Anderson, Elsie Ehrich, Edith Fettretch, and Alice Rheinstein. Ceçil Dorrian and Hope Purdon are ex-officio.

FRENCH SOCIETY.

At a regular meeting of the French Sotiety, held Wember 4th, Helen Elting, '04, was unaminally elected Vice-President in the place () Varjorie Bacon, who resigned from that chee, and Edwina Levy, '05, was appointed istant Secretary. There was also an election of new members.

DEAN GILL IN THE WEST.

Dean Gill left on Friday, October 30th, for a trip in the West. She has visited Chicago University, and has attended the ananal meeting of the Association of College Alumnæ in Milwaukee, from November 4th in November 7th From Wisconsin she went to leachieft College, Rocklerd, Illinois, where she made an address to the students. Miss Gill will return on Thursday, November 12th.

DEBATING CLUB.

The next meeting of the Debating Club will be on Friday afternoon, November 13, at 2:30, room 139. The subject for debate will be, "Should the Teachers College girls be allowed the exclusive use of Milbank Quadrangle two afternoons of each week?"

Any girls interested are invited to come to the debate. Those wishing to join the club will please put their names in locker 52, Senior Study.

CLASS MEETING OF 1904.

At their class meeting, November 5, the Seniors elected Lizzette Metcalfe as Chairman of the Undergraduate Play Committee, and Helen Erskine as Senior Member. Mildied Adey was elected Sub-Treasurer for the class. The Song Committee asked the girls to learn the words of all the class songs, and also "Fair Barnard," so that there may be singing at the next Senior entertainment.

Iger BLECTIONS.

The class of 1907 elected their class officers on Thursday, November 5th. Helen Cushing Perry, who has been temporary Chairman, was unanimously elected President. The other elections were: Vice-President, Jean Disbrow; Secretary, Agnes Elizabeth Ernst; Treasurer, Juliet Points.

TENNIS FINALS.

The final match of the tennis tournament, played last Friday between Edith Handy, 1905, and Nina Price, 1906, was a disappointment to many who had hoped that the climax of the tournament would be reached in the last match. The playing was neither close nor interesting, and could not compare with the good tennis exhibited in the semi-final matches. This was doubtless due to the cold weather, for the players did not seem to work up any enthusiasm at all during the playing. Miss Handy did her usual good work close to the net. Miss Price did not seem to play up to her usual mark, and the greater part of the time made little effort to take balls placed on the side lines.

The match, on the whole, was slow and one-sided. Edith Handy won by a score of l championship.

ASSOCIATE ALUMNÆ MEETING.

ELECTIONS.

At the meeting of the Associate Alumna, October 31, Mrs. Henry Wise Miller, '99, was re-elected to the office of Vice-President; Alice Goddard Chase, '90, was made Recording Secretary, and Jean Wallace Miller, '03, Director.

REPORT OF THE WAYS AND MEANS COM-MITTEE.

Mrs. Parsons, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, stated that her committee had been unable last spring to raise the money to equip a gymnasium, but it would, she believed, be glad to take the matter up again this fall.

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON UNDERGRADUATE ATHLETICS.

After a brief-account of the fitting up of Milbank Quadrangle and of the recent growth of the Athletic Association, the report of the Chairman of the Committee, Miss Hammerslough, continued as follows:

"Following the advice of the Dean in regard to basket-ball, the Association has substituted inter-class games in place of match games with other colleges. The Dean has presented a silver cup to be held each year by the class whose team wins the inter-class championship. In return for the use of the basket-ball field on certain days, the Teachers College has agreed to furnish the Burnard girls with a coach for two afternoons

Inasmuch as the athletic falls kept in order by the Trustees, and the expenses of a basket tall coach, and of intercollegiate match games, have been eliminated, the running expenses of the Association are slight. This has made it feasible to reduce. the annual dues from \$1.50 to 75 cents, thus making it possible for every student in the college to enjoy the advantages of the Athletic Association without being greatly burdened by taxation."

REPORT OF THE STUDENTS' AID COMMITTEE.

The report read by Miss Alice Keys, Chairman of the Students' Aid Committee, was full and interesting. Miss Keys spoke of the double function of the Committee: a loan association and an employment agency. However, after careful investigation it was found that the need for an employment agency was not sufficiently pressing to warrant any further work along this line. On the side of a loan association the Committee has been more active, and the available sum is consequently cut down to an insignificant amount. In conclusion a consolidation of 6-0, 6-0, and 1905 now holds the college the Students' Exchange and the Students' Aid Committee was suggested.

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MONDAY, NOVEMBER 9, 1903.

Anyone who reads the annual report of the Advisory Committee on Undergraduate Athletics will gain a wholly erroneous idea of the condition of undergraduate athletics at Barnard. This report, to be sure, is a faithful representation of the state of feeling regarding our outdoor advantages as that feeling existed ten days ago. But there has been a change. Since it became known that the tennis courts for which we were so grateful are not ours in the sense in which we had thought them to be; that, in fact, we are only allowed the use of them To the Editors of THE BULLETIN: on certain days, and that even this privilege we cannot be sure of retaining, a very different tone has been noticeable in all conversation on athletic subjects. The feeling throughout the college, and among very many of the alumnæ, is that a serious mistake has been made, and a mistake which should be immediately rectified.

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Although we are glad to publish letters signed by their writers, we are not responsible for the sentiments expressed. Unsigned letters will receive no attention.

To the Editors of THE BULLETIN:

To some of us who are no longer at Barnard, but whose interest in the affairs of the college has not undergone the slightest decrease, two circumstances this year have given particular satisfaction. One of these is the opening of the tennis courts in Milbank Quadrangle; and the other is the following statement from the Dean's report, as quoted by you in a recent issue: "It is

must assume a greater responsibility for the physical condition of its students.'

For no one acquainted with the facts can possibly suppose that the general physical condition of girls at Barnard is all that it should be. It would, indeed, be strange if the case were otherwise. In the past years, a vast majority of students have taken little or no exercise beyond what is involved in their going to and from college. The evils of such an arrangement would seem plain, even if the actual results which prove it harmful were lacking. Naturally, then, the and Dealers new tennis courts which have already done so much to fill a deplorable want, have in Artistic caused great enthusiasm among all students and former students of the college. And the news that on two afternoons of every week Barnard girls are to be deprived of the courts which were supposed to be their own has given rise to equally great disappoint-

There is no selfishness in this feeling. It Barnard had more facilities for physical recreation, or if Teachers' College had less; the matter would take on a different aspect. But unquestionably it is right to ask that before generosity is displayed toward Teachers College, justice be accorded to Barnard.

It has been suggested, I believe, that Teachers College might possibly make some return for the use of the tennis courts namely, instruction in gymnastics. If any of your readers imagine that this concession would be a really great privilege, let me remind them, or perhaps inform them, that some time ago, when Barnard girls were permitted to attend the Teachers College gymnasium, scarcely half a dozen cared to do so. It was shown clearly that the routine of calisthenics is not sufficiently interesting to attract many girls. Such work, to accomplish much good, must be required And so long as it is not required at Barnard, any curtailment of wholesome outdoor games seems most unfortunate.

JEAN WALLACE MILLER, 1903.

The gratification which has been expressed this fall, not only by the students, but also by the officers of the college over the possession of the new tennis courts and basket-ball field, makes it somewhat surprising that already the privileges of the students on these tennis courts have been restricted. It would seem that the pleasure of extending a courtesy to Teachers College is outweighed by the fact that charity begins at home. Teachers College has a wellequipped gymnasium and ample land on which it might, by displaying some of the energy Barnard students showed in getting the old court on Claremont Avenue, have tennis courts of its own. Moreover, the fagged out and nervous appearance of many Barnard students at the end of the second term is not a credit to the college. That this condition is not owing entirely to hard work, but also to lack of outdoor exercise and outdoor pleasure, will not be denied by anyone who has seen students of the country colleges.

Therefore, since we are hampered by our situation in a city, it is necessary to expect every effort to counterbalance our difficulmore and more apparent that the college courts and basket-ball fields is, evidently, an packages.

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open question; but it should be clear enough to all that whatever adds to the outdoor life of the students is to be commended, and whatever detracts, condemned.

E. M. Pool, 1903.

THE UNDERGRADUATE TEA.

The first tea of this season, given Friday, November 6th, was a great success, and had a large attendance throughout the afternoon. Mrs. Woodward and Mrs. Earle, who helped to receive, were heartily welcomed by the students.

Serving refreshments in each of the studies proved a successful innovation, as it tended to distribute the crowd and to make

the affair more sociable.

STUDENTS EXCHANGE.

Any students who desire to act as Life Insurance Agents are advised to call on Mrs. M. T. Brown, of the Equitable Life, at the "Flatiron" Building, or on Mrs. Lillian Pardee, of the New York Life, 1719 Park Row Building.

CLARA DE L. BERG. Secretary. •

UNDERGRADUATE MEETING.

There will be a regular meeting of the Undergraduate Association on Thursday, November 12, at 12:20, in Room 139. Students who are absent from this meeting will be fined 25 cents.

1905 NOTES.

A special meeting of the class of 1905 will be-held Monday, November 9, at 12:20, to finish business left over from the regular meeting.

The Junior Class picture will be taken Monday, November 9, at 3:30.

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12:20—Special meeting of 1905. Room 339.
12:30—Choir practice. Theatre.
1:30—Mandolin Club practice. Theatre.
3:30—Junior Class photographed.
3:30—Lecture, "Persia. The Land and 1905. Schemerhorn. The Land and the People," Professor A. V. Williams Jackson, Room

Tuesday, November 10, 1903. 10:30-11:30-Exchange open.

12:30-Chapel Theatre.

2:30—Chorus. Theatre.

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Wednesday, November 11, 1903.

12:45—Miss McCook's Bible Class. Room 213.

1:30-5:30—Exchange. open.

3:00-5:30—Y. W. A. At Home. Earl Hall.

4:00-5:00—Mu Chapter of Alpha Phi reception to Juniors. Alumnae Room.

Thursday, November 12, 1903.

10:30-11:30-Exchange open.

12:30—Undergraduate meeting. Room 139.
12:30—Dancing class. Theatre.
12:30—Devotional meeting of Y. W. C. A. Room 213.
12:45—Miss Draper's Bible class. Room 213.

3:30 Basketball practice. 3:30—Lecture, "Les Hommes de lettres et la politique en France II. Beaumarchais." Professor Cohn. Room 305. Schermerhorn.

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12:30—Chapel. Theatre.

2:30—Meeting Debating Club. Room 139.

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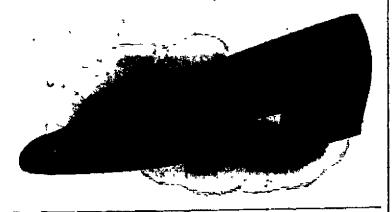
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