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MANUSCRIPTS FOR THE BEAR.

The editors of the *Barnard Bear* desire that any one having any manuscripts will submit them to them at once. They are very anxious that this first number should be an excellent one, and beg all modest authors not to hesitate in trusting their work to them.

Manuscripts may be placed in the lockers of Dorothy Brewster, or of Alice Haskell, in the Senior Study.

OPENING CHAPEL SERVICE.

There had been some delay in arranging for the opening exercises, but it was finally set for October 6. As usual, the classes, all capped and gowned, met in their respective studies and marched, two and two, to the Theatre. It was not many minutes before President Butler, Dean Gill, and the Chaplain took their places on the platform, followed by the Trustees. After the singing of hymns, and a lesson and prayer, read by the Chaplain, the Dean spoke, in part, as follows:

"We meet again, laboring under a double sorrow. Mrs. Sanders, a trustee of the college, has died during the summer. She was a friend of Barnard from its very foundation, giving to it spiritually as well as in material ways. For the past few years her ill health has deprived you of a personal knowledge of her. I wish you could have known her, for she stood for the highest ideals, and spent her energies for the public good. Our other sorrow is the death of Dr. Earle. It is one which we all feel keenly. He was a persistent lover of and seeker after truth. Let us keep these two ideals before us in our college life—to love the truth and to seek to be of use to our fellows. * * * There are two days in the academic year when we realize our part in the University, and that its President is ours. We know that on these two days no one can gainsay our claim."

The President then arose to extend his greeting to old and new students alike. But to those just come to college he went on to speak more particularly. He asked them why they had come to college, and his answer was one which every earnest college student can endorse. The University has a certain influence that can be found nowhere else, and to this influence the true student must be open. Learning is immortal, because it deals with essentials. The ancients spoke, says Spinoza, in the guise of eternity, and the university education can give us the realization of these truths.

The College then marched out, singing "Stand, Columbia, Alma Mater," and the procession broke up in the upper hall.

It is the first time that the College, as a

whole, has seen the Theatre since it was decorated. Heretofore, the walls have been a staring white, but now, with the gold ceiling and Tiffanized wood-brown walls, it is a much more restful room. Mr. Charles Rich has charge of the decoration, and the execution was entrusted to Louis Tiffany & Co. The choice of upholstery and hangings is only awaiting the arrival of the chairman of the Committee on Decorations. The committee endeavored to have the walls decorated so as to harmonize with the '99 drop curtain. The color of this, however, gave very little freedom of choice, and it was at last decided to discard it. The new drop curtain will blend with the lovely coloring of the proscenium arch, which, denuded of the ugly cartouches, makes a truly delightful frame for stage settings.

THE Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION.

On Friday, the 29th, the Y. W. C. A. gave its annual reception to the Freshmen, in Earl Hall. The Reception Committee consisted of Josephine Paddock, '06; Barbour Walker, '07; Kathleen Hurty, '07, and ~~Laura Armstrong, '08.~~ A guessing game was played, in which Florence Wyeth, '09, won the prize, and altogether the afternoon was a very pleasant one.

The Association would like to take this opportunity to bring its weekly teas to the attention of any who have not yet heard of them, as well as to remind others that they will be continued as usual this year. These teas are held every Monday afternoon in Earl Hall, and it is sincerely hoped that they may be well attended this winter. There are only two regular meetings of the Association during the college year, and it sometimes seems very hard to look up the new girls. Consequently the social side of the Y. W. C. A., which plays such an important part in its work in other colleges where conditions are more favorable, is often nearly forgotten at Barnard. The girls of the Association want to know the Freshman better and to interest them in their work and aims. These teas are all that can be offered, and the Association asks it as a personal favor from every girl in 1909, that she will come over to Earl Hall as often as she can on Monday afternoons, for a cup of tea and a little chat.

Membership blanks will soon be distributed throughout the college, and it is hoped that all the Freshmen will sign them—also any in the other classes who have not yet done so. An enlarged subscription list means a great deal to the college. Any girl who went to Silver Bay last summer knows how true that is.

The Association has decided to adopt a

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1906.

The first regular meeting of the Class of 1906 was held on Thursday, October 5, 1905, in room 139. The usual reports were read and accepted. A committee for the Senior Entertainment to the Freshmen was appointed by the President; Chairman, Edith Somborn. The business of the meeting was the election of the Entertainment Committee for the first term, consisting of Marjorie Brown, Katharine Darrin, Marie-Louise Fontaine, Marion Simons and Mildred Wells.

1907.

At the first regular meeting of the Class of 1907, on Thursday, October 5, the following elections for the Junior Show Committee were made: Irene Koha, chairman; Agnes, Ernst, Lottie Oesterlein and Emma Lay. The fifth member of the committee will be elected at the next meeting.

1908.

At the regular monthly meeting of the Class of 1908, held on Wednesday last, the class mascot, a scarab, was chosen, the regular reports read, and the Sophomore play committee elected. It consists of Helen Loeb, chairman; Florence Ernst, Dorothea Eltzner, Marjorie Eastman, and Clairette Armstrong. In a special meeting, held Thursday, the "Mysteries" were finally decided upon, and Irma Alexander was elected chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

1909.

The first meeting of the Class of 1909 was held on Saturday, September 30. Hilda Hedley was elected temporary chairman, and Lee Alexander secretary.

1905 NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Class of 1905 on Saturday, October 21.

GYMNASIUM COURSES.

The activity of the Alumnae in the matter of required physical exercises has resulted in gymnastic work which is prescribed for Freshmen. The Teachers' College gymnasium is rented to Barnard with locker privileges, for four hours during the week—on Mondays and Wednesdays. The Alumnae have supplied \$200 towards expenses, a trustee has donated \$300, while the remainder of the sum will be furnished by the Board of Trustees.

This is only a temporary arrangement, for in due time Barnard will have her own gymnasium, with all the proper appliances.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 9, 1905.

The editors of the *Bulletin* are not inhospitably inclined, but the fact that the capacity of the *Bulletin* room is limited, of necessity prevents them from welcoming all comers to their place of business. There are but three desks, or writing tables, in the room, one of which must be subject to the needs of the editors of the *Bear*. It does not take a mathematically inclined mind, therefore, to perceive that it is not practicable to have any deskroom taken up by students who are not concerned with the publication of either of these papers, but who come in to study, or sometimes merely to enjoy a social chat.

It is true that the first aim of any member of the student body should be to study, and perhaps equally true and almost as important that her second purpose should be to gain as much as possible by means of social intercourse with her fellow students; but the *Bulletin* room is not the place for following out either. The officers of the college have provided for the one pursuit the Reading Room, and for the other the class studies. Perhaps it would be more accurate to say that both were provided for the same purpose, and that the latter have been adopted to social rather than to intellectual enjoyment; but that is aside from the point. The fact remains that the *Bulletin* room is no more than adequate for the use of the two boards of editors, and that it is absolutely unnecessary for any one else to inconvenience them by appropriating the whole or a part of it.

Although it is early in the year, and none of us are yet weary with work, there may have been a few who have sought the shelter of the Infirmary, only to be disappointed. A business-like desk near the window is not encouraging to the seeker after repose. This present lack of an Infirmary is, however, to be shortly rectified. Room 110 is much larger than the former room used for this purpose, and in every way will be more suitable. There will be opportunity for greater accommodation, but the furnishings will be so planned that there will be complete privacy as well as quiet for those who are seeking the latter.

There are a number of improvements in the process of completion round about college, and we have reason to believe there are still others being planned.

BULLETIN ELECTIONS.

At a business meeting of the *Barnard Bulletin*, on October 2, Virginia Boyd, '06, and Helen Loeb, '08, were elected to the Board of Associate Editors.

THE Y. W. C. A. RECEPTION.

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new plan for the Finance Committee. It is one that has been used at Smith with great success; in fact, the receipts there were nearly doubled last year under it. Formerly, the Chairman has been appointed by the President, and she, in turn, has chosen any girl, from the Association to form the rest of the committee. Under the new plan the Chairman is still appointed by the President, but the Treasurer of the Association is the Secretary of the committee, and the treasurers of the other organizations for Christian work in college, i. e., the Church Students' Missionary Association and the College Settlement Association, form the other self-appointed members. The committee, then, is as follows:

Chairman, Grace Turnbull, '07.
Secretary, Sophie Woodman, '07.
Treasurer of C. S. M. A., Clairette Armstrong, '08.
Undergrad. Elector of C. S. A., Leslie Gardiner, '07.

If any girl desires to know more about the work of the Association and cannot come to the Monday teas, will she please inquire of any one of the following officers?

Pres., Eleanor Holden, '06.
Vice-Pres., Elizabeth Post, '06.
Rec. Sec'y, Agnes Miller, '08.
Cor. Sec'y, Anne Carroll, '07.
Treas., Sophie Woodman, '07.

Y. W. C. A. LECTURE.

Dr. Charles E. Jefferson, of the Broadway Tabernacle, will lecture at the Harlem Y. W. C. A., No. 72 West 124th street, off Lenox avenue, on Monday evening, October 9, at 8 P. M. on *The Heroes Who Gave*

Us Our English Bible. All Barnard girls and their escorts are cordially invited to be present.

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UNDERGRADUATE ASSOCIATION.

A special meeting of the Undergraduate Association will be held in the Theatre, Wednesday, October 11. The business of the meeting will be to elect a secretary in place of Eva Johnson, resigned, and a delegate to the convention of Women's Colleges, to be held at Bryn Mawr.

JUNIOR CLASS PICTURE.

The class picture for the Mortarboard will be taken Tuesday, October 10, at 12 o'clock. Members are requested to wear white dresses and caps and gowns.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION.

At a meeting of the Athletic Association, held on Wednesday, October 4, Addie Richardson, '09, and Florence Wyeth, '09, were elected members of the Tennis Committee.

It was voted that the 'Varsity B should be awarded only to those breaking former records on Field Day, and the awards for second place should be given only to those breaking former records for second place.

ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION NOTICE.

Will all those who wish to join the Athletic Association please leave their names in locker 171, Junior Study?

Only members of the Association are entitled to the use of the tennis courts.

BARNARD BOTANNICAL CLUB.

The Barnard Botanical Club will give a laboratory tea on Wednesday afternoon, October 25, from 4 until 6 o'clock.

MARGARET HOLMES STONE, Secretary.

SOUTHERN CLUB.

The Southern Club is to be reorganized. Will all members, as well as those Southerners who wish to join, please leave their names and addresses with C. Armstrong, '08?

PERSONALS.

On August 30, at West Coxsackie, N. Y., Aida Van Slyke, '04, was married to the Rev. John Lochhead, of Douglas, Lanarkshire, Scotland.

Frances Berkley, '02, has received the appointment of assistant in English in the University of Michigan.

Ethel Pool, '03, is teaching in the Randolph Pond School.

Katherine Doty, '04, is teaching in the Veltin School.

May Harrison, '03, is teaching in the Hensinger School.

Laura Parker, ex-'05, has received a secretaryship in the Harlem Y. W. C. A.

Lydia Sparkman, '05, is teaching in the Ramsey High School.

Sallie Fletcher, '05, is working in the Sunshine Settlement in Bayard street.

Anna Thorp, '05, is teaching in the Asbury Park High School.

Mary Lock, '05, is teaching in the Plainfield High School.

Emilie Hutchinson, '05, and Helen Cooley, '05, are pursuing graduate work in the Department of Political Science.

Helen Palliser, '05, is the holder of one of the Curtis scholarships, and is studying in the Botany Department.

Ethel Hendricks, Blanche Reitlinger, '05, are doing graduate work.

Georgina Bennett and Hilda Staber, '05, are doing graduate work at Columbia.

On October 3, at Mount Vernon, N. Y., Eleanor Elizabeth Van Cott, '02, was married to Mr. Orrin Lawrence Brodie.

CHANGES IN THE CLASSICAL DEPARTMENT.

The following changes in Greek and Latin courses are announced:

Mr. Howard Hoadley, A. B., Columbia, 1900, will give Greek 25, and the prose of Greek 3 and 5; also Latin 1 and 4.

Professor Young will conduct the New Testament course.

Professor Knapp will give Latin 21, 23, and 25; Greek 27, and the reading of Greek 5.

Professor Perry will conduct the course in Plato.

Latin 7-8 will be omitted this year.

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UNIVERSITY CHORUS.

The University Chorus, under Professor Rübener, began Thursday, October 5. All those who attended the Chorus last year know what a fine thing it is. They are urged to come again this year and make it worthy of the University and of the instructor. Last Thursday there were only 4 sopranos, 4 altos, 3 tenors and 4 basses. With a university of 4,000 students, there ought to be good voices and enthusiastic workers. There is no trial of voices, and all are welcome. Last year a very fine concert was given before Christmas. At present the students are working on "The Erl-King's Daughter," by Gade. The Chorus meets once a week—Thursday—at 4:10, at Earl Hall.

NOTICE.

There will be a meeting of the Finance Committee of the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday, October 12, in room 213, at 12.

DEUTSCHER KREIS MEETING.

The Deutscher Kreis meeting will be on Monday, at 12 o'clock, in room No. 215.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF 1906.

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12:00—Mandolin Club meeting, room 213.
12:00—Duetscher Kreis, room 215.
12:30—Class meeting of 1909, room 330.
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.
3:30-5:30—Y. W. C. A. tea, Earl Hall.
8:00—Dr. Jefferson speaks, Harlem Y. W. C. A.

TUESDAY, OCTOBER 10, 1905.

12:00—Junior Class picture.
12:10—Chapel. The Dean: "College Loyalty."

WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 11, 1905.

10:10-12:10—Exchange open.
12:10—Undergraduate meeting, Theatre.

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 12, 1905.

10:10-11:10—Exchange open.
12—Meeting of Finance Committee of Y. W. C. A., room 213.
12—1906 meeting, room 139.
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.
4:10—University Chorus, Earl Hall.

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 13, 1905.

10:10-12:10—Exchange open.
12:10—Chapel. The Dean: "College Liberty."
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.

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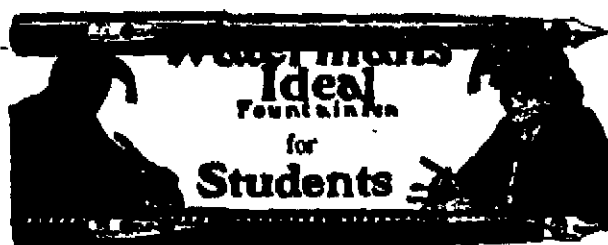
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