

# BARNARD BULLETIN

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## SOCIOLOGICAL WORK OF A BARNARD GIRL.

In the *Times* of October 21 is found a notice of the sociological pamphlet by a certain Miss Herzfeld. She is Elsa Herzfeld, '03, and the notice is given below, as being of interest to all Barnard:

### HOW THE POOR LIVE.

A pamphlet of absorbing interest is "Family Monographs," by Elsa G. Herzfeld, with a preface by Elsie Clews Parsons, Ph.D., Lecturer on Sociology at Barnard College. This may be obtained at the rooms of the Charities Organization and at Brentano's. It contains the intimate history, in a term of years, of twenty-four families dwelling in the tenement houses of the middle west side, Manhattan. It enters into every detail of their lives, and has the minuteness of detail Daniel Defoe aimed at, with, of course, no effort whatever in the direction of literary art. It is not, in fact, a literary work in any sense, or a "book" in any but the most restricted sense. It is a tract.

It contains the most vivid portrayal of the lives of the poor in this metropolis that we have ever seen. We may note in it that in many respects the follies, prejudices, and superstitions of the people described differ in only few details from those of people not nearly so poor. But the cruel routine of poor life is here set forth without moralizing, and in such a way that its presentment is bound to do good. The evils so clearly explained sometimes suggest their own remedies. We commend Miss Herzfeld's pamphlet to the consideration of all persons interested in the sane administration of charitable relief and the cause of social reform.

### Y. W. C. A.

The Y. W. C. A. wishes to call the attention of the Freshmen, as well as those of its members who may not have seen the notices in the *Studies*, to the weekly devotional meetings. They are held on Mondays in Room 213 at 12:45. So far this year they have been very well attended, and the Association feels that they can be made a strength in the College. But, surely, there are many more girls who, if they stopped to think about it, would feel it well worth their while to spend fifteen minutes a week in such a helpful meeting. Come to the next one, anyway, and see. The topics for the following month are as given below:

October 30—Topic: The Food for a Christian. II Timothy, 3:14-17; John 6:47-58.

November 7—Topic: Missions. Leader, Margaret Bailey.

November 13—Topic: A Christian's Service. Ps. 145:1-12, 21; Matt. 10:32, 33. Leader, Grace Turnbull.

## BOTANICAL CLUB TEA.

On Wednesday afternoon of last week the Botanical Club entertained the College in the botanical laboratories. The two usually very bare rooms presented a pleasantly festive appearance. Great ingenuity and energy had been exercised with most delightful results. In the far corners of the rooms gleamed charmingly ugly Jack-o'-lanterns, and the glaring light of the electricity was softened by a peculiar botanical device. Over all the bulbs were placed good-sized peppers, varying in color from bright green to a mellow red. The effect was pretty and odd, but there were some guests who objected to them. One was heard to remark that she had begged to have them removed before she went quite blind, and there were a few who, having smelled the peppers from afar, and having had, therefore, pleasing gastronomic expectations, were not to be reconciled to artistic efforts of the botanists. The walls were hung with vines and bitter-sweet, and upon the tables rested autumn leaves and flowers.

All this could hardly have been seen by one who went early in the afternoon. There were a great many people there—faculty and students, and all seemed to enjoy themselves immensely.

## DEUTCHER KREIS.

At the meeting of the Deutscher Kreis on Monday, October 23, the following girls were elected to membership:

1906—Rose Erstein and Helen Frankfield.

1907—Eva Auerbach, Beatrice Bernkoff, Helen Harwitt, Emily McEwan, Lucille Rosenberg, Elsie Schachtel.

1908—May Axt, Florence Ernst, Lillian Heim, Alice Hershfield, Martha Hoermann, Anna Kerner, Jeanette Kaufmann, Gert-rude, Stein, Mabel Stern, Marion Wilson.

1909—Mathilde Abraham, May Baar, Emma Hebbard, Reta Hochheimer, Ethel Hodsdon, Berenise Leerburger, Helen Schener, May Stark, Edna Tompkins, Ethel Weston.

### TRIAL FOR PARTS.

Trial for parts in the play to be given Nov. 10 will be held at 3 o'clock Monday, in Room 215. All those who wish to take part are urged to come promptly to this meeting, as the committee wishes to get to work without delay. The name of the play will be announced on Monday.

### LOST.

A sealskin boa, between Whittier Hall and Barnard College, Friday evening, October 20th. Finder please leave at Whittier Hall, 1230 Amsterdam avenue. Reward.

## BARNARD UNION.

"The Lack of the Æsthetic in our Education" will be the subject of the address by Professor Robinson before the Union on Wednesday, November 1st, at 3:50 p. m., in the Theatre. This is an open meeting, and the College is cordially invited to attend.

## STUDENTS' EXCHANGE.

The managers of the Exchange wish to call attention to the fact that the room has been changed to 208, formerly known as the Thesis Room. After Monday, October 30, an effort will be made to arrange regular hours, at which the Exchange shall be open for the sale of books, candy and fancy articles. A number of caps and gowns, very slightly worn, may be obtained at comparatively low prices. Students are urgently requested to bring articles of any kind, especially candy and second-hand books. Applications for tutoring and clerical work are received by the Exchange. Any request for information concerning the terms and the aim of the Exchange may be left with Elizabeth R. Brautigam, Locker No. 5, Senior Study.

## 1906 ENTERTAINMENT.

The class of 1906 has decided to entertain the families and friends of its members, including the Faculty, on the evening of November 3d. The fair is to be a repetition of that given on the afternoon of the same day to the class of 1909. It is, of course, a dramatic performance and the last of the kind that the Seniors, as a class, will give. The Sophomores and Juniors will be welcomed in the gallery in the afternoon; but in the evening, it is to be strictly a Senior and social affair, regarded by 1906 as a class party.

## FRENCH LECTURES.

The following lectures will be given in 305 Schermerhorn on Thursdays at 4 p. m.:  
November 2—Le français qu'on parle à New York, Professor Cohn.

November 9—La musique du vers français, Mr. Bargy.

November 16—José Maria de Hérédia, Professor Cohn.

November 23—Maurice Maeterlinck, Professor C. A. Downer, College of the City of New York.

November 30—Thanksgiving Day—No lecture.

The lectures are open to the public. No tickets of admission are required, but the doors will be closed promptly at 3.10 p. m.

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MONDAY, OCTOBER 30, 1905.

The attention of the College is especially directed to the notice of the first open meeting of the Barnard Union. This is a society in which everyone should take an interest and the lecturer for this time is one whom all of us will be very glad to have heard.

It may sound suspiciously like ingratitude for the BULLETIN to turn upon those who contribute, and criticise the manner of contribution. We really don't mean to look the gift-horse in the mouth, but when a gentle reminder about a few of the technicalities may spare us a great deal of unnecessary labor and expenditure of time, it seems quite legitimate for us to give that reminder.

In the first place, manuscripts should be written on *one* side of the paper only. Almost every week contributions are handed in to the BULLETIN written on both sides, and as they cannot go to the printer in that condition, someone must sit down and copy them. That isn't what the editors are there for, and it seems too bad that they should have to waste time over a difficulty so easily remedied. Secondly, the writing is often —! Well, we don't like to cast reflections on the chirography of college students, but we would suggest that perhaps a little less haste would be one step toward greater legi-

bility. Think, when you are writing things, that someone else has to read them, and have mercy on the other person. It is no easy task to try to decipher hieroglyphics.

The greatest grievance, we have, however, is a failing that has to do less with mere outward form. It is this. About Friday noon there will appear on the BULLETIN desk—or, perhaps, merely in some editor's locker—a little slip of paper saying, "Please put in notice of such and such a meeting." Now, the information is sometimes insufficient, and the task then devolves upon the editor to find out more about it before she can write this important notice. The BULLETIN is the official College organ, and all notices, etc., should be published therein. That the paper may fulfil its purpose, we beg that all matter which anyone desires published shall be submitted in *proper form* by Thursday noon. In some cases, of course, this would be too early in the week, but we assure the College that Friday noon is often too late—and through no fault of ours.

We would not have anyone suppose that we are demanding more of them than we demand of ourselves. The Board labors under very strict injunctions of a nature quite similar to the recommendations printed above.

## BULLETIN ELECTIONS.

At a meeting of the BARNARD BULLETIN on Tuesday, Oct. 24th, Sophie Woodman, '07, was elected managing editor, in place of Elizabeth Brautigam, '06, who had resigned. Elizabeth Tredwell, '07, was elected assistant business manager.

## LECTURES ON FAUST.

Three lectures in German on Goethe's "Faust" will be delivered by Professor Eugen Kühnemann, Ph.D., Pro-Rector of the Royal Academy in Posen, on Monday, November 6, Wednesday, November 8, and Friday, November 10, at 5 o'clock, in 309 Havemeyer Hall. The public is cordially invited. No tickets of admission are required.

## UNIVERSITY CHORUS.

To accommodate those students who are taking Education B, the chorus is now given two hours in succession on Thursday afternoon. One section meets at 3:00, and the other, as formerly, at 4:00. It is hoped that by this arrangement the attendance will be increased so that a satisfactory concert can be given during the winter.

## MANUSCRIPTS FOR BARNARD BEAR.

The editors of the *Bear* would once more ask the College to hand in manuscripts. Some, it is true, have been received, but to make a good paper it is necessary to be able to make a choice from a goodly number of manuscripts. Don't hesitate because of modesty—let the editors judge!

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## PERSONALS.

Elizabeth Allen, '02, is teaching at Miss Davage's school, New York City.

Theodora Curtis, '04, is tutoring at Redbank, N. J.

Jean H. Loomis, '04, is studying at the Union Theological Seminary.

Ethel Dodge Wilcox, '03, (A. M. Columbia University '05) has received the appointment of assistant in the Department of Sociology.

Edith Handy, '05, and Agnes Durant, '05, have been appointed assistants in the Zoological Department.

## ALUMNAE PLAY.

The title of the Alumnae play has been announced. The committee have chosen "The Belle's Stratagem," by H. Cowley. There have been trials for parts, but no announcement, as yet, of any assignments.

## SETTLEMENT WORK.

Are there any girls who would like to do some settlement work on Sundays? Miss Carter, of the Settlement House on 116th street, wants someone to play hymns on Sunday afternoons, from 5 to 6 o'clock. If there is anyone who thinks she can undertake the work, she can obtain more particulars from Clairette Armstrong, '08.

## BARNARD CLUB OF WHITTIER HALL.

Hereafter the Barnard Club of Whittier Hall will serve tea in the Club-room on the seventh floor from four until half-past five o'clock on Wednesday, instead of Tuesday afternoons. The members will always be glad to have the girls from College drop in to see them at this time.

LOUISE TATTERSHALL, '08, Sec'y.

## THE GREEN FENCE.

The Union Theological Seminary owns the property to the north of the College, and will put up a new building there in the course of time. At present the Horace Mann boys have the use of the field for athletics.

## TEACHERS COLLEGE NOTES.

The gratifying development of the regular work of the College and its schools, and of its administration of the University's Extension Teaching for the benefit of teachers, is paralleled by the similar growth of two of its less directly educational efforts at social service—the neighborhood work at the Speyer School and the Sunday School at the College. The Speyer School provides for the members of the families of its pupils, a series of classes, lectures, clubs, and social and athletic advantages that are now enjoyed by more than one thousand persons, two-thirds children, the remainder, young people, and one hundred adults. The subjects of instruction include English, history, mathematics, natural science, domestic science, fine arts, manual training and music. The Sunday School, conducted unofficially by officers of the College, for the purpose of increasing the educational efficiency of such instruction, has opened for the fourth year with about 100 pupils. The religious services of the school are held in the Chapel of the College. The instruction is planned by College officers and other educators of the city, and given by experienced and trained teachers, who are paid for their services, in the regular class rooms of the College with their special equipment.

In response to a request of a number of trained nurses who have been prepared by the College to become teachers in training schools for nurses, the Faculty, at its last meeting, inaugurated a two-years' professional curriculum leading to a special Diploma in Hospital Economics. The requirements of the curriculum include courses in general and educational psychology and in the history and philosophy of education, special courses in hospital methods, practice, organization and administration, and related courses in general educational method, in biology, domestic science and physical education. Other courses in education and in general academic subjects are recommended as electives.

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12:45—Devotional Meeting. Leader, E. W. Stitt. Room 213.  
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.  
3:00—1908 Hallowe'en Party. Theatre.  
3:30-5:30—Y. W. C. A. tea. Earl Hall.

Tuesday, October 31, 1905.

12:10—Chapel. Rev. A. Grannis. Subject, "The Permanent in Religion."  
12:20—Annual Meeting of Early Bird Club. Room 139.

Wednesday, November 1, 1905.

10:10-12:10—Exchange open. Song books on sale.  
3:10—Meeting of Barnard Union. Theatre.

Thursday, November 2, 1905.

10:10-11:10—Exchange open.  
12:00—"Comparative Religions." Leader, Alice Draper. Room 213.  
12:00—"Japan." Leader, May Parker. Room 215.  
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.  
4:10—University Chorus. Earl Hall.

Friday, November 3, 1905.

10:10-12:10—Exchange open.  
12:10—Chapel. Dr. Braun.  
1:10-2:10—Exchange open.

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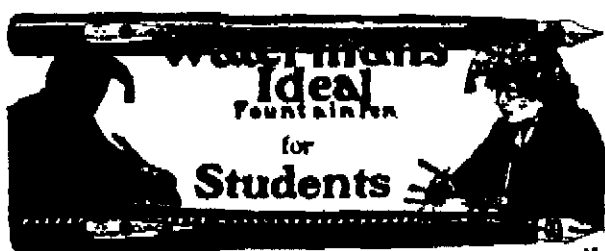
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