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# Faculty Discussion in Regard to Fraternities

The decision of the Faculty regarding our Fraternities is doubtless by now known to all. It is as follows:

Resolved, That for a term of three years, commencing October 1, 1913, no society of a social character at Barnard College, of which the organizations, the emblems, and the rites are in any way secret, and which has national affiliations, shall be allowed to elect new members;

Resolved, That, subject to the foregoing recommendation, students be encouraged to experiment with new torms of social organization under the supervision of the Faculty of Barnard College, directly or through Student Council;

*Resolved*, That all student organizations of whatever description be chartered for a limited term by Student Council, subject to the supervision of the Faculty Committee on Student Organizations.

Resolved, That a joint meeting of the Faculty Committee on Student Organizations and of Student Council be held early in the fall to consider the operation of the second and third sections above.

This decision was made at the regular Faculty meeting on Monday, May 23th, after prolonged discussion in regard to the two reports presented by the Fraternity Investigation Committee. This committee was composed of the members of the Committee on Student Organizations, namely, Dean Gildersleeve, Miss Weeks, Professors Braun and Baldwin, Dr. Haskell and Provost Brewster, together with four alumnæ, and four undergraduates. The alumnæ, two of whom were fraternity members and two not, were chosen partly by the Faculty Committee after conference with the alumnæ officers and partly by the Board of Directors of the Associate Alumnæ. They were Mrs. George V. Mullan, '98, president of the Associate Alumnæ; Miss Alice G. Chase, '96, ex-president of the Associate Alumnæ; Miss Gertrude Wells, '08, and Miss Gertrude L. Hunter, '10. The four undergraduate representatives, of whom likewise two were and two were not fraternity members, were selected hy the undergraduates according to a plan devised by Student Council in conference with the Dean. They were Priscilla Lockwood, '13: Edith Rosenblatt Barnett, '13; "Dorothy Herod, '14, and Louise Fox. '14. Under the chairmanship of the Dean this committee of fourteen held fifteen meetings. It first invited the nine members of Student Council to appear before it and give their observations and opinions cohcerning the evils and advantages of fraternities at Barnard. Next it invited a representative of each of the fraternity chapters at Barnard to appear and explain the purpose and organization of her fraternity. Written testimony was requested from the members of the Faculty and the other officers of instruction, of whom thirty-six in all sent letters. Four of the administrative officers of the college-the Bursar, the Registrar, the Secretary and the Clerk-appeared in person by invitation and testified concerning their observations and opinions. The committee next gave an opportunity for every alumna or undergraduate of the college who might desire to give evidence to appear and testify. Twenty-four volunteer witnesses took advantage of this offer. Of these, ten were undergraduates. seven being fraternity members and three nc': fourteen were alumnæ, of whom thirtee i were fraternity members and one not. Continued on Page 4 Column 8

# **Brooks Hall Party**

Like the rest of the world, Brooks Hall elieves in giving parties to the new-comers. In the evening, Friday, September 26, the old "dorm. girls" gave such a party-nay, not merely a "party," but a full-fledged "entertainment." Chairs, rows and rows of them, just as if it were a funeral, were placed in the dining room facing the library. But it was no funeral, as every one soon realized when the "moving pictures" started. In the moving pictures was (as there always is in every self-respecting "movie"), a fashionable family, consisting of a mother (Ruth Talmage), a father (Marie Louise Chancellor), a baby daughter (Edith Kerby) and a maid (Louise Lucey). The maid put on and took off both Mr. and Mrs. Movie's hats every time they came in or went out. It was very swell. And Mr. gave Mrs. a diamond necklace, too. Oh, it was a swell family. And after they had gone off to some grand unction, a real burglar in a mask came in and started to steal the rich and costly jewel. (You see how swell that family was), only little Editha in her nightie, looking just as "cunning" as the most professional moving-picture child, came in and surprised the naughty burglar, and by kissing him, turned him from his wicked, thievish ways, (who could resist the kiss of such a sweet pretty child). And that was the end of the moving picture.

Louise Talbot, then sang very sweetly, some charming little songs which Ruth Salon accompanied on the piano.

The last feature was "shadow pictures," illustrating "Young Lochinvar." which was read by Edith Thomas. Mary Grey's shadow was the hero. It—or he—rode a spirited broomstick steed and made a great hit with all the ladies. Many tears were shed over this touching little pantomime.

After that, every one danced—and, of course, ate-and then went to bed-but that wasn't part of the party.

# Scholarship Awards

The list of students who hold competitive scholarships in Barnard College for 1913-1914 is announced as follows:

Trustees' Competitive Scholarship, Mad-1916, Gladys O. Barnes, 1916, Bettina B. Buonocore, 1916, Helen R. Downs, 1914, Edna Lonigan, 1916, Mercedes Moritz, 1917, Eleanor W. Parker, 1917, Gertrude Raff, 1914, Anne E. Sherline, 1914, Georgina Stickland, 1917, Mabel Weil, 1916, Katherine Williams, 1915; Lucille Pulitzer Resi-dence Scholarships, Eleanor H. Hubbard, 1916, Louise Talbot, 1916, Gladys L. Palmer, 1917; Lucille Pulitzer Non-residence Scholarship, Sophie I. Bulow, 1915, Dorothy M. Blondel, 1916, Grace R. Merritt, 1917: Martha T. Fiske Scholarship, Helen T. Shipman, 1914; - Eleanora Kinnicutt Scholarship, Lillian E. Soskin, 1915; Emma Α. Tillotson Scholarship. Margaret C. King, 1916; William Moir Scholarships, Louise E. Adams, 1914, Harriet W. Poore, 1914.

# **Religious and Philanthropic** Party to the Freshmen

This year the Y. W. C. A., combined with the C. S. A., the Craigie Club and the Church Club, to give their annual entertainment to the Freshmen. This entertainment was held in Brinkerhoff Theatre Friday, September 26th. Speeches of welcome were made by Dean Gildersleeve and by Dorothy Fitch, Undergraduate President: Dr. Braun then spoke on the need Barnard has for these organizations in order to develop the spiritual and charitable side of the undergraduates, and also the need for them to co-operate as they are beginning to do this year.

The frivolous part of the program consisted chiefly in dancing and singing on the stage. Elizabeth Palmer, '15, dressed in Greek costume, did a graceful, classical dance, called on the grogram (alias blackboard) the "Pipes of Pan." Cappelia was done with great spirit and not a little raising of dust from the stage floor by two other graceful Juniors. Ruth Guernsey then executed a "sword dance." The sword lay meekly on the floor chaperoning Ruth who did for its benefit a highland fling. She was dressed in Scotch costume and looked very winsome; moreover the dance was exceedingly pretty. Many of the "old girls" are now trying to guess how many "crushes" this dance started.

Perhaps the hit of the occasion, however, was the Building Fund song sung by Ella Lauria. She was encored twice.

The Freshmen and every one else then ate ice cream and cake and tried to dance. The dancing was as much fun as a foot-ball rush. No bones were broken.

This article is not meant to be a fable. but we cannot resist adding the moral: "We want a building." 🦂

# **Bulletin Contest**

The contest held last May for the associate editor of the BULLETIN, did not result in the election of any members from 1916. We are, therefore, holding another contest in the hope that we may be able to elect members of the BULLETIN staff from that class. Competitors shall be judged by (1) eleine Dillay, 1917; Jessie Kaufman an account of Mysteries, (2) a letter or Scholarship, Ruth E. Guernsey, 1914; editorial. Each competitor must write both Brooklyn Scholarships, Alice M. Bailey, these-things. She must write on No. 6 paper and on one side only. These articles (with the name of the writer in a sealed envelope) must be put in the BULLETIN mail box by the front door, not later than Monday, October 13th. Members of other classes who wish to get on the BULLETIN staff next year, will greatly increase their chances of so doing, if they will help fold BULLETINS early Monday afternoon. A record will be kept of those who help each week, and the girls who have helped most will surely be put on the board if they can write presentable English. The board needs workers more than it needs high literary talent, and it is by this method that it expects to test the ability and willingness of possible future members to work hard and faithfully.

Non-competitive scholarships have been awarded to the following students:

Ella Weed Scholarship, Elizabeth Palmer, 1915; Veltin School Scholarship, Sarah I. Bennett, 1917; Jennie B. Clarkson Scholar-ship, Ruth Salom, 1916; Emily James Smith Scholarship, Estelle DeYoung, 1914; 1915; Brearley School Scholarship, Mar-(Continued on Page 8 Column 2)

# Senior Class Meeting

The Senior Class held its first regular meeting on Wednesday, October 1st. Re- > ports of the various officers and commit-Anna'E. Barnard Scholarship, Anna Kong, tees were read and accepted. Isabel Randolph was elected cheer-leader for the coming year. The meeting then adjourned.

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NEW YORK, MONDAY, OCT. 6th, 1913

The most important change that we see his office-hours being from 10 to 11 a.m., At a meeting on October 1st, the Faculty this year in our college life is that frater-Room 510 Philosophy Hall. He will give nities are suspended—suspended for a peri-od of three years. Everyone, of course, wants to know why. We venture to sug-Committee on Student Organizations apcourses in the Department of Germanic proved, with a few slight amendments, the Languages and Literatures as follows: rules for the new Charter System subgest what, in our opinion, is the one reamitted by Student Council. In entrusting DUTCH. son behind all the others, namely, our to Student Council the administration of SOLEMNITY. We even go so far as to '131, The Dutch Language. Beginners' this system, the Faculty Committee recomsay with some confidence that fraternities mended that this year the greatest possible course, with rapid reading of selected texts would this year, and for many years to freedom should be allowed for experimenin prose and verse. Half course. Hours come, have enjoyed undisturbed their tation with various forms of social organiwholesome good times and with no thought | zations, and that the Council should, as a to be\_arranged. of ill feeling in the undergraduate body as general rule, interfere as little as possible 133. Dutch Literature of the Renaisa whole if (1) the former had not taken in details. sance, with special reference to Vondel. themselves so seriously, and (2) the latter In order to make clear the intent and Half course. Monday at 11. 508 Ph. had not taken fraternities—and themselves spirit of the recent Faculty legislation con--so seriously. But girls will be grave, cerning fraternities, the' committee 'voted and life is an oppressively portentus busithat the fraternity chapters may retain ness-to the young. Everything we do, their present existence and organization and should be chartered by Student Coun-STATEMENT OF THE OWNERSHIP. everything our associates do must be justi-MANAGEMENT, CIRCULATION fied by some lofty moral purpose. If any cil, subject to the following resolution ETC., poor, unoffending institution does not seem adopted by the Faculty last May: to be contributing a sufficient number of of BARNARD BULLETIN, published weekly "That for a term of three year, commenchigh, noble gifts to our college life, it will at New York, N. Y., required by the Act ing October 1, 1913, no society of a social have to go, for otherwise, the bad feeling character at Barnard College of which the of August 24, 1912: will spread and increase indifinitely, to the Name of Editor, Louise Herrick Fox; organization, the emblems, and the rites are in any way secret, and which has nadestruction of our spirit of unity. And post-office address, 222 Riverside Drive. N. all because we are so serious minded! tional affiliation, shall be allowed to elect Y. C. · How much trouble, how much worry we Business Manager, Lucy Rose Morgennew members." should save ourselves, how much ill feel-The general sense of the committee is thau; post-office address, 161 West 91st St., ing we should be spared, if we could only N. Y. C. 🗠 that any fraternity chapter which wishes regard the minor things of life light-heart-Publisher, Students of Barnard College, to reorganize as a local club should be edly. How many "perplexing problems," permitted to do so, if it conforms to the Broadway and 119th St., N. Y. C. how many "crying needs for reform" would Owners: Students of Barnard College, regulations of the Charter System. The vanish. committee agrees with Student Council, Broadway and 119th St., N. Y. C. Let us hope that no other useful pleasurehowever, in believing that the organization Known bondholders, mortgages and other giving institution at college will come to security holders, holding 1 per cent. or of small social clubs should be deferred regard itself and to be regarded by the more of total amount of bonds, mortgages, for at least two months, until the new college, so seriously that the happiness and system is well established and the larger or other securities: Has none. unity of our college life is disturbed, so and more important organizations have LUCY ROSE MORGANTHAU, that again an intrinsically valuable and been carefully planned and chartered. Business Manager.

pleasant thing must go in order to restore our tranquility.

Yet we fear this hope is vain. No doubt as long as the student body is composed of people under forty years old, they will go on getting into terrible states of mind through their heavy sense of the momentousness of their own and each other's going out and coming in. It is too bad that nature so constructs women that most of them are profoundly serious minded until they are about forty, and then, lo, by the time they become light-hearted they find it is no longer seemly to act "kittenish." Well, we all have often heard that "Heaven sends nuts to him who has no teeth," but perhaps some day our educational system will attain to "that state of salvation" that it can teach students to raise wisdom teeth early, so that we may enjoy our nuts while we have them; we mean the privilege of the young to take each other and life lightheartedly.

# **Alumnae News**

Marion Newman, 1913, (address in directory) has announced her engagement to Mr. Mortimer Hess and expects to be married in February.

Elizabeth Thompson, '03, is teaching mathematics and botany in the Packer Collegiate Institute, in Brooklyn.

Edith Striker, '99, is teaching Latin and mathematics in the Jacobi School.

Katherine Poole, '04, is teaching English and Latin in St. Agatha's School.

Ethel Poole is teaching the eighth grade in the same school.

#### Student Organizations.

BARNARD COLLEGE, COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY, NEW YORK,

#### OFFICE OF THE DEAN.

# **Calendar of Events**

MONDAY, OCT. 6. Chapel at 12, in the theater. Speaker, Dr. Thomas C. Hall, of Union Theological Seminary.

TUESDAY, OCT. 7. Song Practice at 12.

WEDNESDAY, OCT. 8. Y. W. C. A. Forum at 12. Meeting of 1914 at 12.20 in Room 330. .

THURSDAY, OCT. 9.

Chapel at 12. Speaker, Provost Brewster.

8.15-University Chorus at Earl Hall.

FRIDAY, OCT. 10.

"Mysteries"-Freshman-Sophomore Contest.

SUNDAY, OCT. 12.

11 A.M.—Dr. Hugh Black, Union Theological Seminary.

4 P.M.-St. Paul's Chapel.

MONDAY, OCT. 13.

Chapel at 12. Speaker, Dr. Henry Sloane Coffin, of the Madison Avenue Presbyterian Church.

#### Supplementary Announcement **Division of Modern Languages** and Literature

Since the last announcement of the Division of Modern Languages and Literatures was issued, in May, 1913, the University has been enabled to establish, in co-operation with the Dutch government, a lectureship for the history, literature and language of the Netherlands. The first incumbent of the new chair is Leonard Charles Van Noppen, A. M., who is known to scholars more especially for his excellent translation of Vondel's Lucifer. Mr. Van Noppen will be pleased to confer with students interested in any phase of Dutch culture,

# Medical Art Work as a Profession for Women

To the Editor of the BARNARD BULLETIN:

Will you kindly publish the enclosed letter from Professor Brödel in the next issue of the BARNARD BULLETIN. I think that the profession of "Medical Artist" would prove intensely interesting to any one who has some knowledge of science and possesses artistic ability. The field is a good one to enter, as the demand at present exceeds the supply. Miss Wallach tells me that she knows of one woman engaged in this work

Who is making a salary of \$3,000 a year. A catalogue of the school will be found in the book-case in Miss Doty's office. It is a small pamphlet, headed Johns Hopkins Hospital Bulletin, Vol. XXII., No. 247, "Art as Applied to Medicine," by Prof. Max Brödel.

The Committee on Employment aims to keep an up-to-date set of catalogues of these technical and vocational schools on these shelves. There is also a list of the Vocational books in the Teachers College library. The new book on Vocational Training, containing a "List of Institutions Training Educated Women for Occupations Other Than Teaching," published by the Association of Collegiate Alumnæ, has just been placed in the cabinet.

Sincerely yours,

AGNES L. DICKSON, Chairman Committee on Employment. 52 Summit Avenue, Jersey City, N. J.

MISS ALMA F. WALLACH,

New York City.

My dear Miss Wallach:

In answer to your letter I send you this pamphlet you desire, and wish to add that I shall be pleased to have pupils from your college, provided they bring with them artistic efficiency and some scientific training.

The ranks of medical illustrators need recruits from art schools and universities. There is a wide and remunerative field for the work—a great demand for first-class illustrators-which I cannot supply. The few pupils I have usually get positions months before they have finished their studies. The work is intensely interesting, and there are splendid chances for an illustrator to become research assistant in one of the various scientific institutions of the country. Surgeons and heads of medical schools inquire frequently whether I have a pupil to recommend. Scientists, authors of books, and medical publishers desire illustrators, and it is with regret that I have to give the same answer, viz.: That I have no one to fill the place.

I am interested in the elevation of the standard of medical illustration and feel that I can only succeed if I limit my efforts-teaching to the best-the most artistic pupils that can be had. I am overrun by applicants, who in my judgment will surely fail. I tell them so and usually convince them. The really gifted art students, those I should welcome with enthusiasm, don't seem sufficiently interested to take up the work and spend two additional years with me. They don't realize how intensely interesting medical illustrating is, and how great the chances are to develop the artistic side. Nor do they see the usefulness of the work, which I believe is far greater than that of painting a pretty landscape or illustrating a story in a magazine. The medical illustrator is an educator-a pioneer in medical program, a most essential factor in the training of the new generations of physicians and surgeons, not only of this country, but of the whole world.

# **Barnard Manners**

To the Editor-in-Chief of the BARNARD BULLETIN.

Dear Madam:

If any well-intentioned member of the college thinks of bringing a prospective benefactor to one of our parties, I beg her not to, at least for the present. I am reasonably sure most of us have had plenty to eat all summer, but about two-thirds of us acted at the reception last Friday as if we were half starved. If we were, we needed something more substantial than chocolate ice cream; if we were not, a place as near the ice-cream freezer as possible and equally in the way of those attempting to serve, was not the place for us. Most of us are polite enough at home. We do not "grab" food intended for someone else from the maid as she passes us, nor attempt to snatch a piece of meat from the platter before we are served. Why, then, do we crowd around the kitchen door at college; why do we reach high above our heads to take from a tray ice cream, plainly not intended for us, and why, oh, why do we act like such utter imbeciles that we cause a Freshman to remark, "Are Barnard people always as hungry as this?"

Quite aside from the fact that we are showing ourselves absolutely lacking in good breeding, we are as much in our own way as possible. If those serving could turn from the kitchen door without stepping on people, and could go systematically around the room without having their trays snatched from them, everyone would be fewer ruined dispositions at the end of the afternoon, and we would not lose, as so many of us do at a party, whatever reputation we may have had as ladies.

Perhaps the saddest\_part of this whole tendency of ours to act as our own small brothers might, is the fact that we do not seem to outgrow it. In that crowd at the door of the theatre, Juniors and Seniors predominated; each year seems to make us bolder to raid passing trays and to go in search of one if none passes. I wonder if we are not "showing.off" just a little, thinking to impress the underclassmen with our cleverness and "at homeness" in such an affair? If we are so deluded, let us look at it fairly, realize how such apparent greediness on the part of a guest in our home would impress us, and resolve that next time we will not add to that maddening crowd at the kitchen door.

Very sincerely yours,

Helen R. Downes, 1914.

# **Brooks Hall Meeting**

The first regular meeting of the Brooks Hall Students' Association was held on Thursday evening, October 2nd, the new president, Miss Shipman, presiding. The other officers for the coming year were elected as follows: Vice-president, Edith Thomas; 'secretary-treasurer, Florence Schwarzwaelder; librarian, Louise Kelly. Two recommendations of Student Council were then discussed, and the five floorprocters were elected. It was decided that the first Brooks Hall dance should take place on the first Friday in November. The meeting then adjourned.



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We don't care How We Think, Dewey? College in a Nutshell: Miss Meyer Mrs. Ligett "Hello, angel (kiss, kiss, um, um) so glad to see you back!" Nine o'clocks Book store Lunch-room Repeated courses Dues \* \* \* In Memoriam Cap for Grandma

If you can get anyone interested in our problem I shall be much indebted to you. Applications for the course should be accompanied by a few samples of art work and should be addressed to me care of The Johns Hopkins Hospital.

Thanking you for your letter, I ani, Yours very truly, MAX BRÖDEL.

### Scholarship Awards

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garet Peck, 1914; Eliza Taylor Chisholm Scholarship, Marie Louise Chancellor, 1916; Graham School Scholarship, Ruth Talmage, 1914; Emma Hertzog Scholarship, Beatrice Burrows, 1917; Mrs. Henry Clarke Coe Scholarship, Katherine N. Fox, 1915; Mary Barstow Pope Scholarship, Isabel F. Randolph, 1914; Charles E. Bogert Scholarship, Daisy M. Appley, 1916. Frappé after Theatre Pie, Better Pie! Grandma's Pie's Better Try, Try Again Try Omega (not an ad.) Ask for American. Pie \* \* \*

"They are not dead, but sleeping."



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# Cotrell & Leonard

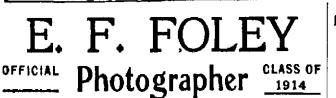
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### Changes in the Faculty

Mr. Dines resigned; to be head of the Mathematics Department at the University of Arizona. His place has been taken by George Walter Mullins A.M. instructor; A.B. University of Arkansas, '04; A.M Columbia University, 1913; Prof. Mathematics, Simmons College, Abilene, Texas, 1905-12; Graduate Student, University of Chicago, Summer Sessions, '07, '08, '10; Graduate Student, Columbia University, 1912-13, Instructor Summer Session, Columbia, 1913.

Miss Ella Hazen Clark has left to go to the Department of Chemistry, N. Y. Woman's College of Medicine.

Miss Anna Baker Yates, Mt. Holyoke, 1913, is Assistant in Chemistry.

Miss Carolyn Sheldone Smith, 1912; University of Paris, 1912-13, is Assistant in History.

Miss Mary W. Stewart, Barnard, 1913, is Assistant in Botany. /

# Chapel

Dean Gildersleeve spoke at our first chapel, Thursday, Sept. 25th.

After welcoming the students, and especially the Freshmen to college, she explained the Charter System. She said that its object is to put all societies on the same status. The point system is at the same time to be further developed, in order to increase the efficiency of class and club officers and our athletes. At the same time it aims to prevent one girl from having, the star parts in all plays so that she is overworked, while others are deprived of a chance which would mean a great deal to them.

The Dean then told us that the Quarter-Century Fund had \$285,000 pledged or paid Hairdressing Shampooing Massage Manicuring Curls Pompadours Switches Transformations Wigs



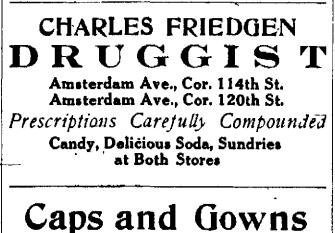
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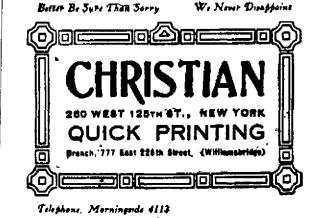
# Office News

Barnard's twenty-fifth year opened last Wednesday with 599 students already registered, not including the students from Teachers College and Columbia, who come to Barnard for certain courses. Of this number, 222 are registered as Freshmen, 122 as Sophomores, 140 as Juniors, 72 as Seniors, and 42 as special students. There are also 23 Seniors, candidates for the Barnard degree, who are registered this year at Teachers College in order to obtain the diploma in teaching. The largest increase is in the Freshman Class, to which 204 candidates were admitted, as compared with 147 in September, 1912, and 185 in September, 1911.

The report of the Dean for the academic year, 1912-1913, recently published, announces gifts amounting to \$161,876.51. \$75,572.76 of this amount was for general purposes, from the estates of Mrs. Mary E. Brinkerhoff, John Stewart Kennedy, and Mrs. Annie P. Burgess; \$14,000 was for scholarships, and \$69,936 had already been paid in towards the Quarter-Century Fund. The total amount given or pledged to the fund before last Commencement Day amounted to \$285,000. A committee of trustees, alumnæ, and undergraduates is working to complete, for Barnard's twentyfifth anniversary celebration in October, 1914, the two-million-dollar fund so seriously needed for new buildings and endowment.



Orders filled AT ONCE



#### Faculty Decision

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At the request of the Alumnæ Pan-Hellenic Committee, an organization made up of alumnæ representatives of the various fraternity chapters, the committee gave them a statement of the main charges brought against fraternities. A representative of the Aumnæ Pan-Hellenic Committee then appeared at a later meeting to present answers to these charges. Written testimony was received from eight other alumnæ and undergraduates, and also a letter signed by all the active members of one of the fraternity chapters.

After hearing this testimony the committee held a number of closed meetings for analysis and discussion of the evidence. Each member of the committee presented a written statement of his or her verdict up to that time. These showed a wide diversity of opinion. Finally at the last meeting on May 14th, eleven members being present besides the chairman, who did not vote, the committee adopted by a vote of seven to four, a set of conclusions and regulations stating that the evils of fraternities as they are at present organized and conducted in Barnard College, on the whole outweigh the advantages, and that the element of secrecy is especially harmful. It recommended that a charter system should be established under which all student organizations must be chartered for limited terms by Student Council and the Faculty Committee. It recommended also, that, provided the fraternity chapters now in Barnard should make public their purposes, their organizations, the obligations assumed on joining, and their membership lists, they should he chartered by Student Council and the Faculty Committee on Student Organizations for limited terms, under the rules applying to all other organizations, and should be permitted to retain their affiliation with their national organizations, if this should be possible under their national constitutions.

There was a great deal of discussion of this report at the time of its adoption, and two of the members who voted for it were, nevertheless, not altogether satisfied with it and voted rather hesitatingly. The Provost at this same meeting gave notice that he would prepare a minority report to be presented to the Faculty Committee on Student Organizations. This report was sent to all the members of the Fraternity Investigation Committee with the request that if they assented to its provisions they should sign and return it. The result was that this report which was technically "minority" was signed by seven people, the two members who had voted hesitatingly upon the original report, having contradicted their vote and signed this. There were thus two reports presented to the Faculty Committee, both of which had the vote of seven members of the Fraternity Committee, although technically. one was a majority and the other a minority report. After some discussion of the two, the Faculty Committee approved the minority report and voted that it he recommended to the faculty for adoption. This report, which is the one quoted at the beginning of this article, was the one adopted by the Faculty at large.

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last Commencement.

She then gave a word of warning in regard to our manners and maintaining quiet in the halls, saying, that the congestion makes it absolutely essential that we be careful in this respect.



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