## Dr. Hadas Speaks On Greek Religion

Launching the Spring Humanities Assembly series Tuesday afternoon at Minor Latham Playhouse, Dr. Moses Hadas delivered
a lecture on the meaning of Greek religion and its significance in the literature of the classical age. Dr. Hadas, Jay Professor of Greek at Columbia University, stressed the importance of un-
derstanding the Greek: religion derstanding the Groek: religion
with something other than a Whristian point of view.
Nowhere does the Greek say
"In the beginning Zeus that "In the beginning Zeus
created the heavens and earth," created the heavens and earth,
and an overflow audience was urged to realize that the JudeoChristian way of thought we know so well is not. applicable to the Greek conception of re ligion.
Dr. Hadas traced, in what he called oversimplified terms, the main strains that have gone to
make up the religion of Ancient Greece. There is a "nativ

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## Professors Explore Economic Strength

## the first of two forums exploring the "Quality of American Leadmorrow at 12:30 in Minor Latham <br> Playhouse <br> economic leadership of the United <br> States and the growing economic stength of the Soviet Union growth of the U.S.S.R.. and the possibility that the Soviet Union may surpass the U.S. in the eco nomic field will be discussed. The speakers will be Professor Robe一t Lekashman and Mr James R. OConnor of the Bar navd Economics Department and P:ofessor Lowell Harris, Colum- <br> The forum this year replaces Political Council's annual confairs which has in the past drawn to Ba.nam delegates from Norn Last year. Max Lemer. Professor of Anserican Civilization a Brandies Eniversity in Waltham Massachusetts discussed America <br> College Arts Festival Set

For Students



A tentative sketch of the proposed Language Laboratory.
Barnard Force Beats Yale Team InTactical Weapons Debate Contest

# by Rosalind Marshack 

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$\qquad$ Diamonds are a girl's best friend:' Fal p. 4

## Krumm Will Speak On Image of Man

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 depravity means that no part of man is immune to corruption not that man is all evil. "Total Depravity" The Chaplain will also show how Protestant writers of the past, namely Kierkegaard, have anticipated modern discoveries "depth peychologyThe Eprocopahan minister is a raduate of the Unversity of Galifoma and the Virginia TheoTogical Semanar He received
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Barnard's students need a reading period.
We have lamented long and hard in the past for a short interval between final examinations and the end of $a$ stmester in which students could adequately review the work of a course. finish reading assignments and papers which they could not cramp into a semester of intensive work. and get a good perspective on the work in which tire: have been engaged throughout the term.

The arguments posed to refute the need and possibility o: a reading period do not hold up. For example. it has been said that the work of a course cannot be finished if a da: or several dars. are deleted at its end. Does it not seem a bit over-ambitious. however, to assume that a student will learn all that it is possible to learn about the economics of labor or the diplumatic history of the United States in a torms work?

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## Fake Hamlet Greek Games Advisor Bows on $7 V$ Retires with Regrets

Not that were reactionary, or ultra-conservative, but we do be lieve that there are some tradi tions that are sacred and untouchable. And, not that we do not appreciate the need for ex perimentation, both scientific and artistic, but there are some things that ought to be inviolable.
Take Shakespeare for example His work has been around for a long tume. . . over three hundred years. Recently, a member of $\mathrm{M}_{\mathrm{i}}$ : Shakespeare's posterity, in the guise of a television producer decided that Hamlet needed a little up-dating before it would be put on the air. Although the actor's could be dressed up in 19th century Victorian costumes the emphasis would be on action and drama. as if Hamlet were a western. (An adult western. we hope.) The producer saw the hero as a young "Jake Hamlet who is done in by Nevad Laertes. the brother of Jakes old flame Ophelia
Not to be considered reaction ary or against experimentation we'll attempt to get into the swing of things. Julius Caesar is a natural for modernization Little Julie Caesar, played nat urally enough by Edward G Robinson, takes over as boss of the rackets on the Eastern sea board. Ignoring the warning to "Beware the McClellen Commit tee," Little Julie goes to the Senate building to testify, bui before he is able to say a word he is rubbed out by his hench men Tony the Mark and Mark the Brute. To clear himself and put the finger on Mark the Brute Tony the Mark calls a press con ference at little Julie's funera and tells the nation that Mark the Brute is the guy who did it
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Of course there's no need to describe the modern version of Romeo and Juliet - just see West Side Story. M.N

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Miss Leila Finan, associate professor of physical education, will retire in June of this year after forty years on Mormingside Heights. In addition to instructing almost every sport at Barhard from badminton to volleyball to tennis, Miss Finan has been advisor to Greek Games athletics since the Games' incep on thirty-nine year's ago.
With fer customary crispness Miss Finan introduces novice freshmen to the precision of classic Greek competition: hurdl


## Leila Finan

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More J. B
Contemporary Job Justifies God

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J.B. studies the agonizing attempts of an intensely rational man to justify the inexplicable motive of God. Although Mr. MacLeish insists that his play is contemporary and not a modernizing of the story of Job, the play does parallel the biblical source. It traces Job's sufferings at the hands of God and his plea for a reason.

In the published volume of J.B. (Houghton Mifflin Comp:ny). the Justufication of God's acts is not reasonable: at is love of God through love of man, particularly the love of The man. J.B.. for his wife In the Broadway verson. director Elia Kazan has edited MacLenh's script, which was dehberately composed flexibly. He has instilled more of the qualty of mysucrsm which is inherent in J B It is, unfortunatels, not cleat to a mere observer if love is to be the justification at all The hope and love of $J B$. and hr wife Sarah are communicated as the poet intended but the philosophical line is clouded

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and well see
Pat Hingle as J.B. and Christopher Plummer as the devil give the most powerful performances in J.B. Mr. Hingle, who is now hospitalized, brilliantly runs the gamut of emotions from exultation to sheer misery. Christopher Plummer's performance is professionally polished. He has many of the choice lines and observations and makes the most of them. It might even be said that he overshadows, in the dramatic sense. God Himself.

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## Barnard Students Earn Many Summer Salaries

Sumer is icumen in, loud
sing last summer's worker! And well may she sing. Approximate$1 \mathrm{y} 70 \%$ of the students at Barnard held jobs during the summer of 1958, reported Miss Leo nore Pockman, assistant director of the Placement Office. They earned almost $\$ 372,000$.

The students were engaged in such diverse occupations as lead in tours at a newspaper plant playing, dinner music at a res laurant, working at a children's accounted for the highest percentage of those employed, $47 \%$ Camp counseling accounted for $28^{\prime \prime}$ \% of the summer workers and waitress jobs in resorts, sales jobs. child care and laboratory work followed in that order.

## Average Earnings

The average summer earnings was $\$ 400$. The top-paying job was held by a summer res waitress who earned $\$ 1500$.
There is a tendency for students to work in their major field, of interest during the summer, and whenever possible the Placement Office trie: to help a student find such a job. Last summer. an anthropology major spent the summer as a research assittant for an historian. History majols worked with a historical and a municrpal research bureau. One psechology major was em-

## Country's Outlook, Attitude

"The basis of India's foreign policy is to reduce the areas of

tension and enlarge the areas of tension and enlarge the areas of
peace," said Dr. M. Gopala Menon, Consul General of India speaking before the joint meet ing of the International Students Club and the United Christian Asso
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India, Dr. Menon continued, is not trying to divide the world into two camps. She believes that co-existence is the solution to world problems, and if India feels that she can contribute towards w
Dr. Menon noted that Indians were bewildered at the criticism leveled against their country of being neutral. Two recent national elections in India brought into power those men who were in favor of democratic government, not those who favored making India solely a Hindu state.
Dr. Menon claims that an ac ceptance of ideologies does no enter into a nation's decisions on international issues. India did not espouse Communist ideology when she hesitated on acceptance of a United Nations resolution protesting Russia's actions in the Hungarian revolt. One part of the resolution called for a United ations force to be sent to help the Hungarian rebels. India

## by Joy Felsher <br> jected only to this part, saying her rich mineral resources, and

 jected only to this part, sayingthat she would find it difficult to meral resources, and
to improve her agricultural and send troops into a countly without its approval
Dr. Menon also cited the Suez crisis, during which the United States found it necessary to vote gainst the Franco-British actions. Her voting against the actions of wo allies didn't mean that the United States was embracing Commünism, but that she felt her action necessary in order to educe world tension.
During the question period following his talk. Dr. Menon her standard of living, to develop industrial pıoduction. In order to succeed in these endeavors, India has gotten a great deal of finan cial aid, including much from the United States, but will need, Dr Menon said, in order to finish the second part of her five-year plam or national development, 650 illion dollars more in aid. Whether or not this was the otive behind the speech, there was a more important observa ion to be made about the meet ing. This was the small number American students present. It (See INDIA, p. 4)

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Languages...
(Continued from Page 1) The $\$ 50.000$ gift is significant also because it is but the first step towards the successful com niversary program.
Mrs. McIntosh hopes that by 1964. the Colleges enrollment

## Opportunity

 In Unionism,
## Journalism

A meeting of all students interested in the field of journalmern February 25 at 5:00 p.m. in Room 515 Journalism. The one year
cumiculum leading to a M.S. degree in the Columbia School of Journalism will be discussed. Graduates of the Journalism School have a future as editors. witers broadcasters and correspondents. Scholarships from $\$ 100$ to $\$ 2000$ are available. Some scholarships will be set aside for students of soience oi engineering. The Hause scholarships of $\$ 2000$ ave awa:ded to residents of New Yo:\% City. Barnard and Columbia stadents are invited to ar:ensi

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will be expanded to 1.500 students, and that in addition to the Adele Lehman Hall, two new
buildings willa be under construction, the Residence Hall and Student Center.
The 75th Anniversary Building Fund hopes to raise $\$ 8.545,000.00$ to cover the costs of the erection of the proposed buildings, and to make possible an increase in funds for faculty salaries, the academic program. scholarships econstruction of present facilities and science equipment.

To date. the sum contributed to the Residence Hall-Student Center fund amounts to $\$ 257,093$.

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## Humanities Lecture ...

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Aechylus, this conflict is sharply sults in a feminine kind of god, illustrated.
operating directly with man. This From the Olympian strain has strain produces beliefs in the come the ideal of heroization. Dr. sanctity of familial ties and the Hadas refers to Homer as the importance of mechanical laws. great evangelist of the Olympian Blood must shed for blood and gods and explained the role of a family will share the guilt for these dieties as one of encouragethe trangressions of one of its ment. They do not perform mir members. The other strain has come a mortal; instead they merely from the invaders of the North, give impetus to his natural the Olympian strain. The Olym- abilities. Because the gods do pian gods, Zeus, Apollo, and not spend all their time working Athena, for example, are divine- for man's salvation and betterly beautiful beings, subject to ment, but are, rather, "having a human emotions but far removed divine time of their own" men from mankind, for they are im- have come to be capable of a mortal. The two have resulted in sort of deification themselves, a religion filled with conflicts, This is the origin of the heroic and throughout the tragedies of ideal.

## India...

(Continued from Page 3) true that the International Students Club helped sponsor the alk, but the meeting is still open to anyone interested in world ffairs. The lack of American participation in such talks leaves his country open to much critiism.

## GUADALAJARA

 SUMMER SCHOOLSponsored by the University of Arizona in co-operation with professors from Stanford University, University of Callfornia, and Guadolajara, it will offer in Guadalajara, Mexico, June 29-
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