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Upperclasses to Draw Up Slates; **Balloting Begins Monday, February 18**

elections to be held in March will more and junior classes for the start on Monday, February 18.

The junior class will nominate candidates for the presidents of the Self-Government and Undergraduate Associations on Monday. Ballots will be -collected and the Wednesday, February 20, there

McBride Explains Teacher Shortages

The crisis resulting from the teachers and other highly qualified personnel is discussed by Miss Katharine E. McBride, President of the College, in her annual report to the Board of Directors.

The emphasis today tends to be thrown on short-term training programs, particularly in the sciences, said Miss McBride, in releasing the report. These often serve their purpose as emergency measures, but they give no assurance of bullding high quality into teaching and research for the future. The crisis in ita magnitude and complexity, Miss McBride points out, requires long-term planning and thus begins a series of difficult balances between high quality and the search Self-Gov and Undergrad candidates is ready to add its name and fame for numbers.

From the long-term view, research and graduate work of high calibre should be encouraged all across the board, Miss McBride believes. Keeping this "endless frontier" before all scholars is the task of all institutions, particularly the graduate schools of arts President Chosen and sciences.

More Than Job Preparation

The graduate schools must be and are the source of many of the most-needed personnel and yet to great occupation with "supply" would tend to narrow graduate education to the preparation for a job. "The hazard is essentially one of too great emphasis on known objectives. It has nothing to do with the level of the job, but is rather the accumulation of many specific and urgent demands which together make the present-day scholar see 'the pursuit of knowledge' in more limited terms than did his predecessors," said the President.

The size of the Bryn Mawr Graduate School was increased in 1955-50 in recognition of the critical needs for manpower and research, ahead of long-term plans that would mean adequate financial provision for the increase.

Donations Promote Action

because several donors made additional funds available to graduate beyond the stated seminars.

the Graduate School as compared had to be postponed from last mem- School. J. C. Hurewitz, Professor with \$80,000 in the previous year, ester. Included were funds from industry from the State of Pennsylvania.

her report that the 1955-56 budget South-Yesterday and Today." a surplus of \$2,108.96.

Straw balloting for the college will be a balloting of the sophocandidates for Alliance, Athletic Association, League, and Interfaith Association. Slates for these will be announced on Thursday.

The procedure for all straw balslates announced on Tuesday. On loting is the following: at a class meeting (junior or sophomore), the election system will be reviewed and the class handed a mimeographed list of its members and others eligible for election. Students will mark four to eight people that they would like to see run great need and the short supply of for the office in question. The next day, they will return their lists to their class hall rep. The election committee will tabulate the votes.

Traditional Dinner Visits

Candidates for the presidencies of the organizations plus the outmake formal speeches.

begin their visits. Candidates for the amoker-posters. the other organizations will make first campus election will be held

As Council Head

Carnegie Corporation of New York Delores Casanelles and Melodee invited. has made a grant of \$9,900 to the Siegel. Jane Phillips is Technical American Council on Education for Director, Cynthia Greig and Madhe purpose of sponsoring a con- eleine de Gogorza are accompanference on the present status of ists, and Margaret Oakes is workresearch on the education of ing like a Trojan (or maybe one

Council President Arthur S. Manage . Adams announced today that Preswith the relation of education to Pamela Stafford respectively. the changing role of women in so-

Snows Of Olympus To Descend On Freshman Greek Gods, Goddesses



Marti Faust and Loretta Stern working on Freshman Show

By Liz Rennolds

roing office will visit in each 'Once again Goodbart Hall takes hall. They will eat supper there, on an electric glow until 2 a.m. and stay for coffee and discussion Soda fountain business picks up. in the hall. The hall president and Once again the campus echoes with the outgoing officer will be respon- slightly-remembered snatches af sible for introducing the candi- strange-sounding songs. And once Nominees are not required again SECRECY is the password to everywhere. The occasion: An-This year's "dinners" will start other Freshman Show, Amorphia. on Wednesday, February 27, when is in full swing. The Class of 1960

Cynthia Holly and Company are the rounds the following week. The "getting slong as well as Freshman Show usually is at this point, on March 11, for the presidency of I t ink . . . " says an observer. Cynthia, who has had a good deal of dramatic experience and considers it seriously in her future plans, is handling the very important job of directing the show. Jean Yaukey is her assistant.

Sue Schapiro is Music Director, should say Greek here?) as Stage

The five principal roles in the dent Katharine McBride, of Bryn play-Zeus, Chloe, Adonls, Corydon Mawr College, will be chairman and Phyllia-are played by Nina of the conference to which will be Brockhuysen, Trudy Hoffmann, invited about 85 leaders concerned Pamela Wylie, Susan Harris, and

> One of the main features of the show will be the not-so-traditional

Greek Chorus. (For rumor has it that the traditional kick chorus is out). Other gods and goddesses, and several townspeople, complete he cast of characters.

Another rumor: Catch up on your Greek mythology . . . it may be nelpful Several jokes will be restricted to the erudite only my the freshmen.

Other Weekend Events

In addition to the performance of the Freshman class show, Amorphia, at 8:30, Saturday evening, rebruary 16, many social events are planned for the weekend.

Radnor Hall sponsoring the open nouse after the Friday evening dress rehearsal, will be transformed into MacDougal Alley from 9-Washington, D.C., Feb. 10-The the choreography is being done by 1:00 a.m. Couples and stags are

> afternoon in Rhoads' downstairs and 30 students. smoker. Song mistresses will be on hand to lead the singing, featuring class show songs.

After the Saturday evening performance, music for dancing will courses this year. be provided by Eddie Clauson at at the formal "Seventh Heaven." The dance will run from 10-2 a.m. and tickets are \$3 s couple.

Merion Hall's open bouse from event of the weekend.

Members of the faculty may obtain tickets for the Freshman Show in the Public Relations

Dean Discusses **BMC** Curriculum At the Assembly

Bryn Mawr's Present Course Policy Explained

Goodhart, Feb. 5-In her assembly speech opening the second semester of the academic year, Mrs. Dorothy Marshall, Dean of the College, pointed to the curriculum as the best explanation of what an educational institution stands for.

The curriculum of a college means different things to different groups. Mrs. Marshall humorously characterized its significances to these groups. For the freshman, the courses are a source of wonder; to the senior, the curriculum means .he language exam. To the alumnae, it is either "better" or "easier than when I was in college." The faculty usually looks at the curriculum in a "noble way" although one may sometimes hear "the muffled grinding of a distant ax."

Bryn Mawr's own curriculum reatures required courses, group requirements and elective courses. I'he three are not necessarily mutually exclusive. They "represent areas of knowledge all people must have touched upon if they are to be called liberally educated," said Mrs. Marshall.

"Distinguishing Aspects"

The Desn then went on to examine the distinguishing aspects of the Bryn Mawr curriculum in itself and in relation to that of other colleges. The first point emphasized was Bryn Mawr's "cercain notion of teaching." All of the faculty teaches "everything." A professor will teach both an elementary and a graduate course. Small classes are also characteristic of Bryn Mawr. At the present, classes have 15 or fewer stu-An informal coffee hour and song denta, two have 65. In all, there ession is planned for Saturday are 120 classes with between one

> Mrs. Marshall's second point was the flexibility of the cucrriculum. Majors may be changed. There are 50 freshmen taking advanced

The college's curriculum is built upon a four-course basis, rather than on five as in many other colleges. Mrs Marshall compared the 15 "catalogue items" of a Bryn 2-3:15 a.m. will be the final social Mawr department with the 57 offered in the same field by a sister college. The Dean explained that the relatively small number of courses shows a different philosopby in that "we believe that besic elements are enough for a liberal education."

During the Bryn Mawr senior Continued on Page 6, Column 4

Two Major Speakers, Annual Alliance Conference, Scheduled By Organization

activities of the Alliance will reach Nationalism in the Middle East," their high point," commented Char- the evening speech on March 13 lotte Graves, president, in refer- will be given by His Excellency Immediate action was possible ence to coming Alliance events.

comprise major organizational acstudents for scholarships and fell tritter. On February 21, Fayez Sayegh, Acting Director of lowships. Members of the Bryn John G. Lee, national president of the Arab States Delegations office Mawr faculty undertook extra work the Lesgue of Women Voters, will in New York. Mr. Sayegh; who speak in the Common Room at holds a doctorate in philosophy A total of \$119,885 was awarded 5:00. Mrs. Lee's talk, on the pur- from Georgetown University, has in scholarships and fellowships in pose and function of the Learne, also lectured at the Ysle Graduate

and business, and trainee and Goodhart noon assembly on Feb. in the noon address on March 14 tuition acholarships from the Na roary 25. Hodding Carter, publish- An afternoon discussion on the

will take place on March 13-14. speakers at the same time.

"In the next six weeks this year's Dealing with the subject, "Arab Moussa Shabandar, the Ambassa Two speakers and a conference dor from Iraq to the United States.

The opening noon speaker is of Government in the Near Mid-A second speaker will appear at Eastern Institute at Columbia, will

tional Institutes of Health and er of the Delta, Missiasippi Dem. second day will bring the conferocrat-Times and a Pulitzer prize ence to a close. Stressing its im-Miss McBride also anounced in holder, will then lecture on "The portance, Charlotte Graves noted that it would provide the single latter, it is suggested, that a group be submitted to Mr. Butman by of the College was in balance with The annual Alliance conference opportunity to visit with all the of poems be offered). Detailed rules April 15. The winning author will

Theresa Helburn And Gerould Prizes Open To Bryn Mawr Undergraduates

Every year the Katharine Fuller- Library and Pem East Basement. test is open to undergraduates of by the English Department. Bryn Msw. The award is announced by President McBride at College May Day and entries must Wednesday, April 10th.

will be posted in Taylor Hall, the receive a check for \$50.00.

on Gerould Memorial Prize Con- Class announcements will be made

Helburn Prize

The Theresa Helbirn Prize for be received in the Alumnae Office the best play written by a Bryn in the Deanery by 4:30 p.m. on Mawr or Haverford student will be offered this spring. The judges Material may be submitted in will be Mr. Richmond Lattimore, one or more of the following eate- Mr. Arthur Colby Sprague and Mr. gories: infor al essay, long or Robert But an. Student work, short narrative and verse (if the either one act or full length, abould

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The Hugiene Exam

At this time, the hygiene exam, happily forgotten for a years, comes to the attention of the Bryn Mawr campus. This plaguing requirement appears annually, arouses legitimate complaints and wailings, is briefly endured, scorned in retrospect and neglected for another year. Now, prior to the exam, is the time to raise objections in hopes of their efficacy.

The hygiene requirement is neither edifying nor interesting nor even entertaining. Either one is forced to recognize quantities of facts one already knows, or else one is forced to wade around in a morass of new hygienic terms, briefly illuminating perhaps, but instantly forgotten. And even if the proffered information is remembered, it is so fragmental as to be worthless anyway.

There have been at least three types of exams offered in the past: the multiple choice exam, the essay question exam and the open book exam. Occasionally a series of four lectures have also been administered. The ultimate absorption rate in each case is equally low since the aim is always for memorization rather than understanding.

Besides the fact that no one learns anything from the hygiene exam, that she could not very well find out for herself, the preparation for the hygiene exam is a gross waste of time. No one should be forced to spend time and energy on a senseless exam when there is so much pressure from all other quarters of the college, so many other beneficial requirements that must be met before graduation. In the past all students have been required to pass the exam before they could register for the senior year. This is irritating and you use?"). completely unnecessary. If anyone gets to he a junior without realizing some of the basic facts of hygiene, a rushed exam will not be particularly instructive.

Without lamenting our fate further, let it suffice to say that now is the time to act in protest.

The South Also Rises

One of the novel but quaint fads that has recently come to our attention is a little something which might be advertised as "Re-write your own history of the U.S., any old latter, what way, any old time; no experience necessary, anybody can do it."

This week's prize-winning entry has been submitted by the Senate of the sovereign state of Georgia. In their resolution passed on February 8, the legal gentlemen from the South have asked the United States Congress to declare null and void the 14th and 15th Amendments to the American Constitution. Unanimously adopted, the resolution declares the two amendments to be improperly constituted and, in fact, illegal. The core of this argument reposes in a questioning of the authority of the 39th and 41st Congresses.

Obviously, American history majors have been duped for the last 87 years. Congress was not Congress at all in 1869 and 1870, say the new historians from Georgia, but left below it for the answer, was merely "nothing more than private assemblages unlawfully attempting to exercise the legal power of the United States."

One need not search too hard for Georgia's motives in

this historical renaissance. This move is only one of the many devices employed in the fight on the part of many southerners against desegregation. Without the 14th Amendment, the 1954 Supreme Court decision against desegregation is invalid. The 15th Amendment contains the "odious" proviaions guaranteeing the right to vote to citizens, regardless of cace or color. What simpler method is there to banish unpleasant thoughts from one's head than to say they do not if we liked life enough to live it. exist? This is what Georgia has done. One more ostrich has buried its head in the sand.

Copies of the resolution have been sent to Washington. We hope that President Eisenhower and Justice Warren will not take this latest piece of whimay too seriously. However, the non-humorous aspect of the move resides in our vision seriously considered the problem. of the deepest bottom of the barrel a group of desperate men Yes, we had an impression fresh

has chosen to scrape. At least we have not yet been told that we are flying the recently read (assigned reding wrong color flag; that it was really the South that won the material!) which pictured a life Civil War. But of course, that too might come, and we will free from conventional restraint, all wake up to find we have been living under one li'l ol' grand a life lived close to the elements illuston.

Movies:

Love Me Tender

by Riehmond Lattimore

We went to see Elvis Presley out of idle curiosity. But perhaps any serious student of the Athenian Tragedy ought to see it. The movie as a movie couldn't very well have been worse. It began with as unconvincing a Confederate raid as you ever saw, and ended with what resembled a game of nide and seek Played by nervous children, and was much more fun to watch than a movie just a few shades better would have been.

The acting was purely awful, and among the awful actors the most awful, easily, was Elvis himself. As an actor, that is; his danccnce, but his pelvis-snapping with stand The Bacchae? Well, he helps.

accompanying smile - and - stare brought whoops in which there was some different, genial enthusiasm inixed with the derision.

When he acts he does badly what others do well but when he singsand-dances he is like nothing else on earth. Not that I care for him. But one's repulsions are one's own. Nor do I think him godlike. But Pentheus, King of Thehes, reported the arrival of a Stranger, whom he considered icky, who sang and made peculiar noises, who had 'winish eyes full of the graces of Aphrodite" (hm) and "long yellow hair in fragrant curls" (for which, substitute "dusky and luxuriant side-whiskers")., and who exercised ing and singing or whatever you strange charms, particularly on call it (orchesia) is not to be so the womenfolk. Pentheus looked lightly dismissed. His dramatic at him and found him on the soft lines called forth nothing but hoots side. But the Stranger had Powof honest merriment from the audi- crs. Does Elvis make us under-

Lavinia ever tells you'that things were different at Bryn Mawr when she was a girl . . , that it was a much nicer, more refined, more desirable school for young ladies, don't you believe her! Here's proof (or perhaps you prefer things to revert back to such a state?):

if Aunt Eustacia or Great-aunt

"There will be a meeting of the Undergraduate Association . . . to discuss the acceptance of certain conditions on which President Thomas will allow men to come to class plays. The general plan is that the faculty and staff will be allowed to come, and men accompanied by one of the faculty, or the wife of one of the faculty, an alumna, former student, or student. Additional measures will be discussed at the meting. These arrangements, if accepted, will only be a trial in any case." Straight from The College News of January 24, 1917.

So glad the trial proved successful. (So's the business manager of Freshman Show . . . right?)

Pearls Before

By Patty Page

an individual is confronted with a berry Finn. questionnaire on any subject he immediately assumes a defensive we proceeded warily and wearily position and falls to wondering through the next two pages until what constitutes the ulterior motive behind it all. In fact, he not only lowing: "Do you prefer to read questions the motive of the perpetrator but, in many cases, his sanity also.

Having recently been exposed to a questionnaire on "college life" (composed by a source which shall remain nameless), we exhibited all the above symptoms — and more. We were astounded by the inexhaustable curiosity about "dating about "hair coloring" (this last being a very touchy point for if new acquaintances don't comment on the name, "the Singing Rage . . . ", they comment on the hair, coyly asking "what brand do

We were touched by the questioner's effort to make everything as easy as possible for us, to eliminate all possible strain on the gray cells. For example: "Have closing hours been changed recentno If so, how made earlier or later) Do you like the present curiews ... or would you like to see a different system

We felt that a lf-congratulations were in order for the brilliant fashion in which we answered that one; but we were rocked back on our heels by a poser which was sandwiched in between a harmless question on "Arts Festivals" and one which inquired "About how much time each week do you spend reading material that isn't assigned or suggested for college " searuor

There, with less than an inch the following question: "What book, play, movie, TV program, magazine feature that impressed you best depicts the kind of life you would like someday. (If your "ideal life" is a composite of several impressions, name the sources)." Being caught off our guard, we were not sure what kind of life we would like or even

Emerging from the tailspin into which the question had thrown us and pulling our scattered faculties together, we abandoned melandysical speculation on Life Itself and in our minds from a book we had of nature; in short, life on the

It is a curious fact that when Misaissippi on a raft a la Huckle-

This knotty question answered we were jolted awake by the folabout interesting young women .. or interesting young men

in both? (plesse check one)." Noting the psychological implications of that one, we hastily checked the last, threw down the questionnaire and fled!

Chapel Speaker

Sunday, February 17, the Chapel speaker will be Dr. Edward A. Steimle, Professor of Practical Theology at the Lutheran Seminary in Philadelphia Dr. Steimle was educated at Princeton and the University of Pennsylvania, as well as at the Lutheran Seminary. For five years he had a parish in Jersey or are you equally interested City, and for twelve years he was the Lutheran minister to students at Harvard, Radcliffe and M.I.T. He has done a great deal of radio work, especially on the Radio Protestant Hour.



Spin a platter . . . have some chatter and sip that real great taste of Coke. Sure, you can have a party without Coca-Cola-but who wants to!



SIGN OF GOOD TASTE

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Concord, Mass. Gives Hungarians Typical Welcome With Assistance

The difference between a free world and one in which autocracy rules is no longer a distinction un- the new arrivals is produced. known and untouched by the youth of this generation. During the recent crisis in Hungary the conditions which control many phases of the aocial, economic, political, chosen towns or cities throughout religious and academic life of theae people became vitally important not only to those who fought and died in the revolution but to the free nations of the world as well. Thousands of Hungarians emigrated from their suppressed country in order to escape the wrath of Communist officials. Refuge was offered in countries where existing conditions make possible opportunities for advancement and for personal expression.

flee his home and friends, when he spoke here in December. But, for the most part, few of the students at Bryn Mawr are aware homes and new jobs.

Acrosa the country the puttern has been roughly the same. As the comed their guests with as much Hungarians arrive in the United hospitality as was possible. The States, they are sent to Camp Kil- Hungarians shared Christmas dinmer in New Jersey where they re- ner, joined in the traditional festiceive the beginning of their "in- vitiea, and, in some homes celedoctrination." Haircuts, new brated a European Christmas "The clothes, paper, wallets, shoes, candy Night Before . . . " Each family and literature (in English) on the bought presents for their refugees, United States are handed out and as Christmas drew to a close, liberally to each refugee. The sol- several families offered domestic diers at the camp also add their jobs to their guests. For the others, conception of the United States jobs and homes were found by the to the varied but limited picture committees. Each Hungarian now painted during "indoctrination": attends night school and is able names of movie stars, athletes and to visit his American family durheads of states are swapped back ing his free time. and forth; tales of the Chicago There have been very few awkgangsters of the '30's are lumped ward moments during this period together with a common knowl- of spontanei y and good will. Wi h

Six College Choirs American scheme of living and, To Perform Feb. 23

Six college choirs will join together Saturday night, February 23 at Haverford College when they will present a program of rarel and rewarding. neard antiphonal music.

The choirs of Bryn Mawr, Cedar Crest, Franklin and Marshall, Goucher, Haverford and Muhlenberg will perform the "question and answer" type of large choral work seldom heard outside cathederals. In addition to antiphons of Jacob Handl, Gabrieli, Schuetz and Randall Thompson, the choruses in various combinations will simg Schubert'a "Song of the Spirits over the Waters" a group of madrigals and a work written especially for this Featival by Ludwig Lenel, head of the Music Department at Muhlenberg College.

Lenel, a German-born composer and concert organist, is a former pupil of Albert Schweitzer. He has scored his composition, 'To Music (from Dryden's Ode to St. Cecilia)." for chorus, string enaemble and brassea. The Brasa Choir of Lehigh University will lend its assistance in this work as well as in the "Benedictus" of Giovanni

250 singers and 60 instrumentalists will take part in the Choral Festival under the direction of William Reeae, of the Haverford College Music Department. Directors of the participating musical organizations include Robert Goodale of Bryn Mawr College, Hugh Alan Gauit of Franklin and Marshall, Ludwig Lenel of Muhlenberg, Wilbur Holiman of Cedar Crest, Sherrod A. Britten of Goucher and William Schempf, director of the Brasa Choir, Lehigh University.

edge of opera, theatre and literature, and a strange but strong bond between the Americans and

Once the red tape of their entry into the country has been cleared away, the Hungarians are sent to the United States. Concord, Massachusetts, my home town and one with a "revolutionary tradition," received close to twenty refugees. The majority were single men, although there were three or four couples. And all needed jobs.

in the proces of preparing for a holiday, faced with the problem Bryn Mawr became acquainted of finding shelter and food for with "George Lindsay," a student twenty foreigners. Yet, virtually aminations under the honor system study, the right to engage in unfrom Hungery who was forced to overnight, committees were set up will not take advantage of that hampered research, and all other looked to by the majority of the to handle transportation, choose privilege. But the fact is that the families with whom the refugees would stay during Christmas, find of the enormous amount of work possible job situations and homes demic privilege is granted to a and effort needed to settle the after the holiday, and, most imthousands of Hungarlans into new portant of all, begin English les-

The hand-picked families wel-

the help of American friends, the Hungarians have fitted into the aside from an expected feeling of home-sickness and unhappineas, they are earning money and providing for themaelves independently. The town of Concord has found the experience extremely enjoyable

Calendar

Friday, February 15

8:30 p.m.—Dress rehearsal and first performance of the Freshman Show Amorphia. Goodhart. Tickets may be purchased at the

9:00 p.m.-1:00 a.m. - Radnor Hall's open house, "MacDougal Alley" is open after the show.

Saturday, February 16

8:30 p.m.—Grand performance of the class of '60's auper-spectacular Amorphia. Goodhart. Tickets are reserved and cost

10:00 p.m.-2:00a.m. - Eddie Clauson'a band will piay at "Seventh Heaven," the formal dance after the ahow. Gym.

2:00-3:15 a.m. — Open house after the dance, courtesy of Mer-

Monda, February 18

Straw balloting for candidates in the college elections will begin.

Students may obtain reserved seats for the Friends of Music concert on March 6 from the Public Relations office, the week of Feb. 25, Faculty and ataff, the week of Feb. 18.

Exams Bring In New Resolutions

Exams are over for another semester; now anything that might be said about them will perhaps evoke only peaceful thoughts, memories "recollected in tranquility."

The following remarks are taken from exam post-mortem statements that have appeared in recent issues of the Harvard Crimson.

In a letter to the editors two members of the class of '58 complained that, "Every examination period brings to light a basic inequality of status between two groups of students. . . . Harvard men are faced by a bevy of proctheir honor above review.

privilege has been granted to the young ladies of Radcliffe, and not to Harvard men . . . When an aca-University has perhaps been carried too far."

Cramming Inadequate?

As is our wont; with still vivid memories of exam week, we are now resolvi g study-habit reform for the new semester. As stated in a Crimson editorial, it is "the time of year for recriminations . . (the) realization regularly grows shat the currently popular method of passing courses by cramming si one of the most lamentably inadequate educational devices yet blessed with institutional recogni-

"And so this is the time . . . for resolutions to work continually rather than sporadically . . . resolutions not to get behind in courses, dreams of making reading period into a period for exploring special interests rather than memorizing texts and mesmerizing students.

Also from Yaie, Harvard and Princeton comes news of increased university fees. Princeton joined Yale in announcing a \$200 increase ber; at Harvard room rents will of the Antigone, said that Greek in charges effective next Septembe raised on all dormitories in the maidens of fifteen, the only available

From the Swarthmore Phoenix which quoted from the New York World Telegram and Sun, July 5 1955: "It is true . . . that coilege students show considerable exuberance and excessive and noisy activity to the point of . . . rudeness, and fnisbehavlor while drinking beer. But they do it not because they're intoxicated, since they behave as annoyingly without drink-

Maids and Porters might represent for her the normal Dance Given Sat.

with eyelashes over an inch long, death fervent and frequent in the maids and porters danced Shturday very young'; yet in this matter she is not an ordinary young per-Whitaker's band.

maids' and porters' idance put on per of he dead family-that qualby the Student Maids' and Porters' by from which has sprung all their Committee, was run by Helene action and their tragedy. If she Rosenbaum, head of the Commit- is stern and hard it is with the bring friends, and a cool evening new of reality". was enjoyed by the energetic bop- In seeing a higher law in the Oedipers and more staid guests.

NSA Furnishes Idea Exchange. Protects Foreign Students Rights

By Elizabeth Foshay, NSA Co-ordinator

The United States National Student Association is the only organization in the United States which gives the students of colleges and universities all over the country a chance to come together and exchange their ideas on the of students.

concerns itself with such problems tors, whose function . . . is to as the setting up or improvement serve as watchdogs of student hon- of student governments, student or. The young ladies from Rad- housing, fraternities and sororities This occured several days before cliffe are passing the same three and even parking problems. Inter-Christman Imagine a small town, hours with the satisfaction of nationally it is concerned with knowing that the University deems seeking to protect the interests of students everywhere with regard "We sincerely believe that any- to rights which all hold in comone privileged enough to write ex- mon. These include the right to gin the agitation for democratic rights which constitute the concept of academic freedom.

The yearly congress of the organization is the place at which all the ideas come together. Here the consideration. group of students differentiated delegates of member schools exfrom the others only by sex (not change ideas and write them into by honor) then the chivalry of the resolutions. Here too, the foreign visitor may stand and give his

Holyoke's Wyckoff **Explains Antigone**, **Important Fate Role**

Sophocles' Antigone is a play in Ph. D., now a Professor of Greek at Mt. Holyoke, who delivered the

cial history is necessary to the interpretation of the play as Sophocles intended it, Miss Wyckoff, wbo has herself published a translation burial. The rashness and strength of Antigone's set is made forceful by its denial of custom and by its campus. contrast to the traditional maideny behavior of her sister, Ismene.

from her social position and from her family past, but not from love of her betrothed. Although an Athenian girl of fifteen was ready for marriage she was not expected to love her husband. Marriage fulfilment of life—but nothing

. This horror of leaving life in-In a gym transformed by Valen- complete, however, is enough to tine mobiles, anowflakes, cupids, draw Antigone, once she has been and the only snowman ever known sentenced, away from "the love of lion as she has more friends dead "Valentine Swirt," the annual than alive Also she has the term tee. Everyone was requested to sterness of truth and the hard-

pun cycle and establishing the char-Betsy Nelson and Lynne Sher- eters as fated, Sophocles has seen rerd were head of the decorations his characters as those whose naand refreshments were turns are formed to respond to erved by Paula Dunaway, Lynn great necessity with great deeds. Antigone to uphold it."

on a certain issue.

The importance of the International aspect of USNSA cannot be stressed enough. We, the American students, do not play the same role in our country's politics as do the students abroad. The American student is usually regarded as a many areas which concern the role fell time student working toward a certain goal, and is not consider-Domestically the organization ed as a leader in the community until after he receives his degree. On the other hand, leadership is expected of the student in many nationa abroad. The university atudents are very often responsible for the rise and fall of governments. They are the ones who bepeople of their nation. Their student unions have a power which their governments must take into

Center of Moral Support

As many governments look to the United States for moral support in internal conflicts, so do heir student unions look to the JSNSA for the moral support offered them through our resolutions. Very often the circulation of these resolutions has the effect of deciding the attitude of a government toward its university stu-

The struggle of the Hungarian which "the right is upheld by the students for academic freedom was young and weak as against the strongly supported by USNSA. It strong and secure". One must re- was this struggle which touched alize in considering it, that Anti- off the Hungarian revolt against gone is a girl of fifteen. These ob- its Communist regime. The moral servations were made by Elizabeth support of the USNSA was prob-Wyckoff, Bryn Mawr graduate and ably one of the factors which kept the people fighting even against insurmountable odds. The effect of Horsce White Memorial Lecture these resolutions shows, in itself, in Goodhart, Thursday evening, their importance. Although the organization has no way of enforcing In admitting that a knowledge its resolutions, the weight of auch of certain conceptions in Greek so- proof of approval is enough to keep tudents of other nations fighting for academic freedoms until they get them or until they are completely and utterly suppressed by government forces.

It would seem to this writer bssis for Sophocles' portrayal, that if an organization has auch neither fell in love nor took it upon importance in the world communthemselves to perform the rites of ity, this fact is enough in itself to warrant a certain degree of importance on every American

Antigone is under pressure both Mme. Jambor Is Lecturer In Music

Announcement has been made by Miss McBride, of the appointment of Mme. Agi Jambor, concert puniat and composer, as Lecturer in Music at the College. Mme. Jambor a Hungarian by birth who now lives in Baltimore, Maryland, will join the faculty next September.

Known for her interpretation of Bach, Mme. Jambor appeared as soloist with many of the major symphony orchestras in this country and has played at the Bach Festivals in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. In 1952, she founded and supervised the music school at Oak Ridge, Tennessee, and is prerently on the faculty of the Peabody Conservatory of Music in Baltimore.

Miss Sylvia W. Kenney, of Washington, D.C., has also been appointed as Assistant Professor of Music. Dr. Kenney, a Ph.D. from Yale and a former Fulhright Scholar, was recently cataloguer of Bach manuscripts and music at Baldwin-Wall-Kanlan Leora Luders, Lynne Sher- The gods see that the higher law ace College, Berea, Ohio. From rent Helens Rosenbaum and Dodie is finally upheld, but it takes an 1952 until 1954, ahe was instructor in music at Wells College.

Bryn Mawr Junior Varsity and Varsity Basketball Squads Defeated by Drexel

Flushed with their recent tri-Bryn Mawr Nurses, the Athena All Stars and the Minerva Monsters (Bryn Mawr's world-famous basketball varsity and J.V.) played Drexel Institute in two rousing games last Thursday. Although both teams played with their characteristic dynamic enthusiasm, the All Stars were beaten by Drexel, 47 to 26, while the Monsters were edged out 44 to 41.

Even though it has been suggested that perhaps the Drexel teams were so over-awed by their opponents' fluent Greek cheers that they were unable to appreciate the subtlety of our varsity's plays, the fact remains that neither Bryn Mawr tesm played a very good game. The second team made a

really badly, did nothing really well Saturday afternoon, February 16 either, but was handicapped most 1957. of all by the low percentage of A program of works by Beethovwere able to make.

improvement in individual skills Musical Academy. should make the teamwork effective and profitable.

The schedule for Varsity Basketumphs over Ogontz Center and the ball for the winter season is as follows:

Thursday, February 14 University of Pennsylvania-4:15 (Home)

Tuesday, February 19 Beaver College-Away Thursday, February 21 Ursinus College-Home Wednesday, February 27

Chestnut Hill College -- Away-Thursday, March 7. Swarthmore College-Home 7:80 Wednesday, March 18 Rosemont College—Home 7:80

Tuesday, March 19 Gwynedd-Mercy Jr. College 4:30 (J.V.—Home)

To Sponsor Group Of Concerts

The first concert of the third better showing than the varsity, series which has been arranged by picking up after a slow start to Dr. Joseph Barone ,featuring Artcome near winning the game in ist Students of the music schools the last agonizing minutes of play. of Philadelphia, under the sponsor- Blow. Mary Masland was outstanding ship of the University of Pennsylin the J.V. game, plling up a total vania and the University Museum, of 21 points for Bryn Mawr. The will be given in the Pacific Gallery varsity, although it did nothing of the Museum at three o'clock

baskets the Bryn Mawr forwards en, Bach, Liszt, Chopin, Shoetokovich and Samuel Barber will be The teamwork in both gomes, presented by Jeanne Stuffo, piamist, however, was very much better pupil of Mme. Genia Robinor, of than in the previous matches. An the faculty of the Philadelphia Jr.

The public is invited. There is

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Feb. 177-19 - Toward the Unknown.

ARDMORE

Feb. 13-16-Westward Ho and Trip to Disneyland. Feb. 17-19-Bundle of Joy and Showdown in Abilene.

Feb. 20-21—The King and Four Queens.

SUBURBAN Feb. 13-16-Hollywood or Bast. GREEN HILL Feb. 13-21—Tears for Simon.

ANTHONY WAYNE Feb. 13-16-Bundle of Joy. Febb. 17-19---Westward Ho the Wagons. Feb. 20-21-Riff.

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Walnut: A Hole in the Head with Paul Douglas, Kay Medford, Lee Grant; Feb. 12 to Feb. 26.

MOVIES

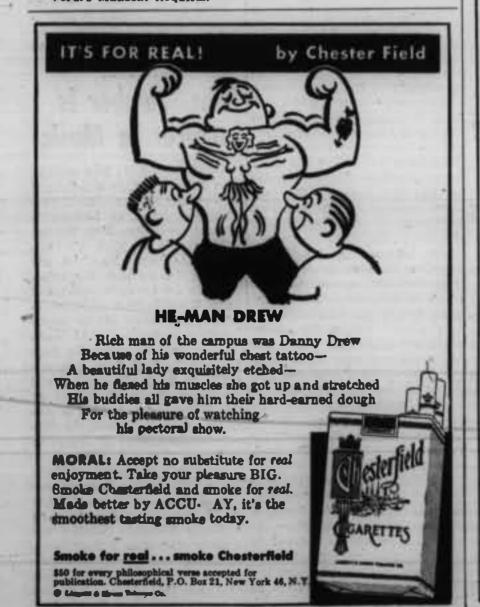
Arcadia: The Tea House of the August Moon with Marlon Brando, Glenn Ford, Machiko Kyo.

Midtown: Around The World in 80 Days with David Niven. Randolph: The Ten Commandments with Charleton Heston, Yul Bryn-

Stanton: Drange with Jeff Chandler, Julie London, Joanne Dru. frans-Lux: Anastasia with Ingrid Bergman, Yul Byrnner, Helen Hayes. Viking: Top Secret Affair with Susan Hayward and Kirk Douglas.

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Thursday, Feb. 14: Madame Butterfly with Dorothy, Kirsten. Friday and Saturday, Feb. 15 and 16: Philadelphia Orchestra playing-Verdi's Manzoni Requiem.





BIRTHS

To Mr. and Mrs. Rene Girard. a boy, Daniel.

To Mr. and Mra David Green, a boy, Timothy.

Tryouts for the News will be held again at 5:30 in the News Room, Goodhart, on Wednesday, February 20. All students, including triumphant but tired members of the freshman class,

Wer Mocchtet Eine Deutschen Gesell 'Revue' Comes Out; Schaft Haben? Lesen Sie Mal Weiter Will Feature Variety

Aha! Du sprichst Deutsch? Sug-might be enough interest on cam-

gestion has been made that there pus to form a small German Club, meeting once every two weeks.

> Proposed activities would include seeing a German film, reading a play, singing songs, and gentivities."

Fluency would not be necessary, chance to improve one's speaking prowess (orals and such, you know).

'59 in Rhoads, as soon as possible. short play in verse.

The first issue of the Bryn Mawr-Haverford Revue is coming out early next week, complete with a orand new and colorful cover. It will be sold by members of the Editorial Board in the halls for erally indulging in "Germanie ac- \$.60, and there will also be copies on sale in the Bookshop.

Edited by D. MacNab Brown but the club might prove to be a and Rabbit MacVeagh from Bryn Mawr and Frank Conroy from Haverford, the Revue contains Those interested should see Herr about 25 selections ranging from a Seyppel (Library) or Jinty Myles variety of fiction and poems to a

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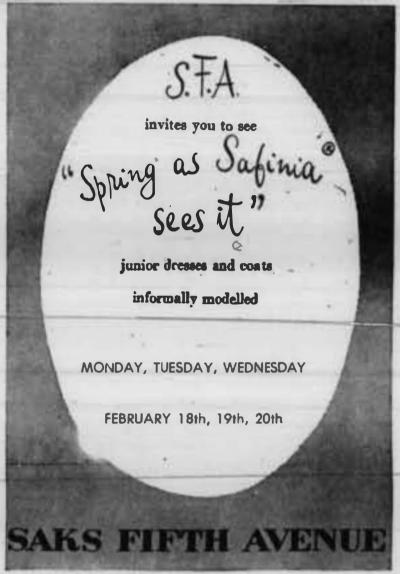
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"Asia and the West: Time for Understanding," is the subject of the ninth annual Barnard Forum to be held Saturday, February 16, at the Waldorf-Astoria Hotel.

Metropolitan alumnae groups of 48 colleges and the New York Branch of the American Association of University Women have joined Barnard College this year in sponsoring the Forum. Seven colleges planned the first meeting in 1949, "to bring to open discussion critical issues of the time, as a public service to the community and as a contribution to general education."

Three experts will consider the theme of Asia and the West. Miss Santha Rama Rau, author of "Home to India" and "Remember the House," will open the Forum with an address on "The Asian View." Miss Barbara Ward, economist and author of "Polic" for the West" and "The West at Bay," for he program only, \$2.00. Reswill present "The Western View." A final address, "The Role of the United States," will be given by President Grayson Kirk of Columbia University, who last year toured the Far East under a grant from the Ford Foundation.

President Millicent C. McIntosh of Barnard College, will preside at the Forum. Following the three principal addresses there will be a question period.

The Forum will begin with a luncheon at 12:45 p.m. in the Grand Ballroom of the Waldorf-Actoria, with the program beginning at 2:00 p.m. Tickets for the luncheon and program are \$6.00;

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> North H.-A, K, Q, J. S.-A, Q, 4. D.—Q, J, 10, 9, 8, 7. C.—void.

H.-5, 4, 3, 2. S.-K, J, 10, 9, 8, 7. D.—void. C.-K, Q, J.

> East H .- void. S.-6, 5, 3, 2. D.--6, 5, 4, 8, 2 C.-5, 4, 3, 2.

South H.-10, 9, 8, 7, 6.

S .- void. D.-A,K. C.-A, 10, 9, 8, 7, 6.

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Dean Marshall's Address

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year, the course load is lightened.

Continuing with her picture of the college's curriculum, Mrs. Marshall spoke of the addition of new courses such as those in practiceteaching, Russian studies, and politics in the Far East. Interdepartmental work, it is felt, should come at the top level, where the student should know about the fields she is going to 'integrate." A heavy commitment to the major shows that "we put great value on knowledge," as in the same way, "our carriculum implies a belief that everyone getting a liberal education needs to have some understanding of different areas of knowledge, whatever her

major interest."

Mrs. Marshall closed with the observation that Bryn Mawr's About 27% of the class does curriculum implies "time to explore, as seen in the four-course pian which leaves time for individual work without saying so." The curriculum is planned to "make a whole"; in this reapect, Mrs. Marshall hopes the students "will see the woods, not just the trees."

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