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Taylor Stresses Duty of Students To Help Faculty

Common Room, June 8. "The raising of the fund this year is an expression of the question of the preservation of the college," said Mr. John Taylor, retiring president of the Alumnae Association, at a meeting of all alumnae, graduates and under­
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It is customary at this time for us to say a few words of farewell to the graduating class. It is with regret that we say as we know we shall miss all of them. A preview of the past as they will have been felt by all of us while they were deep in their comprehensions during the past few weeks.

Yet this, the first class to graduate into a world which is once more at peace, has a future ahead which we shall watch with interest. Moreover we are eager for our chance to follow them; for their opportunity has come to do more than we as students at Bryn Mawr can do to play an active part in ensuring and maintaining a lasting peace.

Wherever they go, whatever do they know will they do well. We wish them all good luck and once more fare- well.

The Alumnae Drive

The announcement of the Alumnae Drive for faculty salaries should make all of us pause and think of what we are getting as students at Bryn Mawr. Many of us have come to take rather for granted the excellent teaching, small classes, and large amount of individual attention which we receive. It is only on such an occasion as the announcement of the drive for faculty salaries that we begin to realize all the exceptional opportunities at our disposal.

It is traditional at Bryn Mawr that a light teaching load with time provided for research will attract a faculty of very high quality. It is quite evident, however, that even the attractions of a professorial position which includes time for independent work will not balance considerably lower salaries. It is common knowledge to everyone that the price level has risen considerably both during the war and in the post-war period. It is common knowledge to everyone that the price level has risen considerably both during the war and in the post-war period.

The Alumnae Drive is fully as much for our benefit as it is for that of the professors. The fact that the Alumnae and the college are willing to undertake such a venture shows that Bryn Mawr is continuing to balance the condition of the times. The Alumnae are willing to do this in order to maintain the standard of excellence which has been established and is to ourselves to give all the help we can to make the drive a success.