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NEW MYSKANIA PRE-SIDES AT STUDENT ASSEMBLY

Professor Risley Elected to Financial Board.

Student assembly was opened Friday morning with the singing of Alma Mater, led by Elizabeth Archibald, '20. George Schiavone, President of the Senior Class, welcomed the Freshmen for Myskania, the Seniors and the student body. He gave a brief explanation of Myskania and offered its advice and assistance to the entering class.

The subject of the Financial Board was then brought up for discussion. The entire constitution was read and accepted as amended. Professor Risley was elected by vote of the student body for Faculty member of the Student Board of Finance.

The interval during counting of ballots was used to good advantage in the practice of college songs. Notices were given for class meetings.

G. A. A. ELECTS OFFICERS

Harriet Woolsey President.

With Harriet Woolsey as President, G. A. A. starts upon a new year more full of life and "pep" than ever. The first meeting was held last Wednesday. The other elections were as follows:

Vice-President.....Lela Cackener
Secretary.....Helen Walsh

The elections for Treasurer and Cheer Leader have not been decided as yet.

Last Saturday afternoon seventy-five hikers started out from college and hiked out the Troy Road to Blooming Grove. There, when "Mad" Cummings had built her most famous fire (something like Nero's), and after the Frosh had prepared the meal, which they had religiously carried that long five miles, "cats" became the center of attraction. When everyone had done justice to three dogs each, and imnumerable marshmallows, she joined in College songs and cheers, much to the amusement of the neighboring farmers. For nineteen of the group, a Studebaker proved to be the most enjoyable part of the return hike.

Freshmen—ye, who missed this hike, sign up for the Frolic.

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Y. W. C. A.

Y. W. C. A. will give a reception to the college girls Friday night, October 3d. "Daylight or Candlelight," a Japanese play, will be given. All college girls and women of the Faculty are invited.

SOPHOMORE CLASS MEETING

Levitt Elected to Finance Board.

At a meeting of the Sophomore Class Thursday at the lunch hour, Alexander Levitt was unanimously elected as Sophomore member of the Student Board of Finance.

SENIOR CLASS ELECTIONS

Large Attendance at First Meeting.

Last Wednesday at four o'clock, in the Auditorium, the Seniors held their first class meeting. An unusually large number of members attended. Class songs were sung before and after the business of the hour.

Nominations and elections for class officers took place. Madeline Cummings was elected Treasurer, Richard O'Brien, representative on the Athletic Council, and Arthur Ferguson and Ethel Rooney, members of the Student Board of Finance. A brief discussion concerning the amount of class dues resulted in the decision that they should be over \$3.00 and possibly \$5.00.

ANOTHER SERVICE MAN TO RETURN

Corporal Harry Masson, ex-'19, has just returned from France after fifteen months of service overseas. He left Albany May 25, 1918, with the Second Pioneer Infantry and sailed for France three weeks later, where he served in various capacities until the armistice. Since then he has been connected with the Central Records Office at Bourges. He expects to resume his studies at State College after being discharged.

FRESHMAN CLASS ORGANIZES

Stuart Elected President

Tuesday afternoon at 1:10 the Freshmen class was organized at their first meeting held in the Auditorium. Lovisa Vedder, representing Myskania, presided. Maurice C. Hathorn, junior vice-president, assisted in the elections. Later he read the rules pertaining to Freshmen and spoke of the future "Get Wise" meeting. Following is a list of the election results:

President.....Francis Stuart
Vice-President.....Susan Collier
Secretary.....Esther Seward
Treasurer.....Viola Holmes
Reporter.....Georgiana Bergh

STATE COLLEGE INSTRUCTORS AT CITY Y. W. C. A.

Various study classes have been planned for the year at the Albany Y. W. C. A.

Emily Hamilton, '20, is to be instructor in the afternoon milinery class, which is to open next Tuesday, October 8th.

Hazel Brimmer, '20, will be cooking instructor.

Professor A. Simonin is to conduct a French class, the hours for which have not yet been arranged.

If a man has a little money, nobody can bully him. Save it by W. S. S.

MISS JONES ELECTED PRESIDENT OF CORNELL ALUMNI OF ALBANY

The Cornell Alumni of Albany had their annual meeting last Thursday evening at the home of Miss Anna Keyser, in Chestnut Street. Mrs. Gertrude Martin, formerly Advisor of Women at Cornell University and now Secretary of the Associated Collegiate Alumni of the United States, addressed the members.

The following officers were elected: President, Miss Jane Louise Jones; Vice-President, Miss Inez Kiffelberg; Treasurer, Miss Vera Thompson; Secretary, Miss Fannie Hartman.

Miss Jones, who is supervisor of practice teaching and an instructor in English, was graduated from Cornell in 1912. She is a member of Phi Beta Kappa.

COURSE IN NEWSPAPER WRITING

Former Graduate Instructing.

Fifteen students have enrolled in the new English course in Newspaper Writing, which is to be designated as English 25. Miss Geraldine H. Murray, who is a graduate of State College and who has had a broad experience in newspaper work, is the instructor.

The course as outlined promises to be of great practical value. Analysis and criticism of different newspaper styles, actual practice in news reporting, and exercise in the writing of all types of newspaper stories, embody the scope of the work. Plans have been made to have some of the leading newspapermen in the State address the class from time to time during the year.

It is intended that the class shall act as a publicity bureau for the College. A story of the course has already been sent by the class to two magazines—"The School Bulletin" and "The School Journal."

BARRY COACHING ALBANY ACADEMY BOYS

Has Entire Charge of Athletics.

Martin Barry, ex-'21, who is attending the Albany Law School, has been hired as Athletic Coach for the Albany Boys' Academy. At present he is engaged in whipping into shape a football team which is planning to challenge many of the school teams in the Capital District. When football is well under way, "Marty" will start coaching the basketball squads. Next spring he will have charge of the baseball team. That he will be successful in his work is self-evident. He was one of the best basketball stars State College has had in years, and there are few in State College who will not remember his brilliant playing and clean sportsmanship. Besides having entire charge of all the coaching, "Marty" will conduct one gym class a week for those boys who do not go out for any of the teams.

DEAN PIERCE ADDRESSES FRESHMEN WOMEN

Series of Lectures in the Auditorium on Wednesday Afternoon.

Last Wednesday afternoon at four o'clock Dean Pierce read her first lecture of the season to the Freshmen women. These lectures constitute a required course and attendance is compulsory. Many phases of student life for girls are taken up and thoroughly discussed. Doubtful points of etiquette are explained, and a list of prescribed and understood rules presented.

It is quite proper that the Dean of Women give such a course in a college where a predominance of women exists. Conduct in class room and corridor, at home and at social functions is explicitly set forth, while all doubt as to proper relations with young men is dispelled.

Last year it was proposed to have a number of upperclassmen girls present at one of these meetings for the purpose of illustrating to the Freshmen proper dress for all occasions. We wonder if a demonstration for the benefit of '23 will occur?

MISS JANE MANNER IS NAMED NEW LECTURER AT STATE COLLEGE

The New York State College for Teachers is the first to act on the suggestion of the late Andrew D. White, former President of Cornell University. He urged that readerships be established in institutions of learning to foster appreciation of masterpieces of literature and to emphasize the importance of the fine art of reading.

The State College has emphasized this feature of English teaching for several years and has a strong department in oral and dramatic expression. This work is now further extended by the appointment of a special reader.

President A. R. Brubacher has appointed Miss Jane Manner a member of the English department. Her duties are to give four drama readings Saturdays at 8:30 p. m., beginning November 15th with "The Red Robe" by Eugene Brieux. The series will be open to the general public as well as to the students at a nominal fee. Each program is arranged to last an hour. The other programs will be: November 22d, "The Tyranny of Tears," C. Hadron Chambers, a human and appealing domestic comedy, witty, entertaining and genuinely realistic; December 6th, "The Master Builder," Henrik Ibsen, of all the great dramatist's works, the most original, the most individual, the most mentally stimulating; December 13th, three one-act plays: "The Secret of Life," Leon Kobrin, a symbolic representation of the strife between head and heart; "The Finger of God," Percival Wilde, a tense, episodic portrayal of a man's self-mastery; "Kitty Clive," F. Frankfort Moore, a delightful, farcical comedy by the author of "The Jessamy Bride" and other well-known semi-historic novels.

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OUR ALMA MATER

The most necessary thing for a new student at State College to do is to learn his Alma Mater. The words are found on page 18 of the song book, and inserted in next week's "News" will be copy of the new tune, composed by Miss Lydia Stevens of Albany.

The old tune proved too difficult for the student body as a whole, so this new, stirring music has been arranged.

As long as an alumnus of State College is alive he will remember the struggles of learning his Alma Mater. He will also retain a thrill at hearing those noble words and recall the enthusiasm with which they were sung during his upperclassman years.

The facilities for learning our Alma Mater are many. Song books are on sale in the Rotunda, the new tune is published here, and a real song leader conducts! No excuse for anyone not knowing the College song.

We have all experienced during the years of the war the very great benefits of singing together.

Whenever there's a chance to sing, come out, and when that chance doesn't exist create one by practising at home. Learn your class songs; learn the first song in the book; learn Dean Blue's words to the Angelus; and above all learn your Alma Mater.

WHAT IS THE WORLD COMING TO?

We pick up the morning paper and glance over the headlines. There we find such items as these: "Wilson Thinks the People are for the League," "U. S. Force Ousts Italians from Dalmatian Port," "U. S. Steel Drive Will Be Met by 35,000 Walk-out," and "Million to Join British Strike Monday, is Claim." Each one presents an absorbing and distressing problem. We sigh, and ask ourselves, "What is the world coming to?"

No one can adequately answer that question. Whether we are engaged in a real industrial revolution, or whether present conditions are merely after-war disturbances which will leave the world in its pre-war condition, cannot yet be determined.

The New York "Herald" says: "In the past every heresy born of unwholesome discontent has been defeated. These latter day heresies

also will be throttled by the sober sense of the thinking. Discontent that seeks to burn the entire structure in which we dwell in order to mend a leak will not be tolerated now any more than it was tolerated before. The nation is not lost nor as near the breakers as some persons seem to think. This still is the age of reason."

"That is the key to the situation. It is sober thinking, keen foresight, and power to reason that are needed now. And where shall we look for those qualities but to our colleges? They are the sources of our future light and leading, and the spirit in which they take up the task has an import unusually far-reaching. It is fitting then at the opening of the college year to dedicate the college men and women to their task.

Chancellor Brown at the opening of New York University said: "I call upon you young men and teachers to enter with me into the solemn vow that our life shall be lived for our country and for mankind, no less than was the life of those who gave themselves in the supreme devotion of that War of Liberation."

At the same time Chancellor Brown said: "The sense of fun is strong in men and I cannot help putting this appeal alongside of a college dance, a college election, a dormitory or a fraternity, or a car full of student commuters. I cannot help seeing how ingloriously the most heroic utterance will be laughed down by the triumphant actualities of the situation."

But the New York "Times," commenting on his opening address, says: "In France, even when the pressure was strongest, men in the trenches found courage to laugh; the men behind the lines found strength for sport and jest. Is it too much to expect that in times of peace we shall remember beneath our happier 'actualities' the great task which they gave us to be fulfilled?"

Dr. Brubacher in his address urged us to realize the turmoil in the world, and to be alive to the problems of today. As teachers we can be of especial help. Such problems as the education of the immigrant are our special tasks.

In fact the Presidents of all our colleges seem to be well aware of the task that confronts college students. By the combined efforts of these men and women we will be enabled to answer that question which is uppermost in our minds by saying, "The world is coming to better things, and not to worse."

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WE ARE WAKING UP

Someone remarked just recently, "How well everything has started this year in college." Yes, he was right, for things seem to possess a spirit and "pep" that has heretofore been lacking in many of our undertakings. Take, for instance, the Junior sister movement: 1919 started the ball rolling, 1920 helped to make it a real thing, but it has taken 1921 to show what a success a Junior class can achieve in this line; and it's up to 1922 to accomplish even better results next year.

Then there was the joint service of the Y. W. C. A. and Newman Club. We have long felt a need for this sort of thing to draw the students together, for outside of class work we were too prone to draw apart in matters of religious import. Another organization that has shown more enthusiasm so early in the year is G. A. A. Witness the hike taken last Saturday to Blooming Grove. Generally, G. A. A. has been so slow in reorganizing that inclement weather for hiking had set in before any long walks could be planned.

Last but not least, we watch with

ride the interest that is being manifested in athletics. We have great hopes for athletics this year. An enthusiastic bunch of men are already expending well-directed energy on baseball practice. Perhaps we shall have a team yet; we ought to, for there seems to be plenty of material this year to make one, and a good one at that.

Yes, we are waking up; and it isn't that we have been bitten by the "bug of unrest," it's because we want to put State College on the map as an enterprising college; as a growing college; as the best college in New York State.

ADMONEO

Freshmen—are you tired of being advised? Was it bad enough to have all your cousins and your well meaning neighbors drop in and give you friendly counsel on how to deport yourself at college, without having every Junior you meet take a personal interest in your conduct? But you don't feel that way about it, do you? We don't want you to. You know it gives us such a nice, purry sort of a feeling to be able to knit our brows thoughtfully and say, "Yes . . . yes, I really think you should do that. Now, if I were you . . ." etc. And so, if you haven't been too over-advised, will you let me just add my word?

One of the easiest things to do is to waste time. Don't do it. The way to save time is to know what you want to spend it for. Find an aim and be loyal to it. The busiest people often have the most time, for they have clear and definite aims which they always serve. Don't murder old minutes. Make use of the intermissions between acts; plan, systematize, organize—and concentrate. (That last, as a word, works overtime often, but it is a good word and a nice one to remember.) Carelessness, which drops into work without planning, repetition (going over a well-learned lesson), inattention, dawdling, which shows you are not alive to the significance of what you are doing, worry and indecision, all these are wasting time, besides being disloyal to that aim of yours. Hoard your minutes. Be selfish with them. They soon count up to hours.

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INTER-CLASS RIVALRY

So far this year we have not seen many signs of inter-class rivalry, but there is still time enough for it to begin. The Sophomores are trying to show the Frosh a little mercy until they are able to get acquainted with college and until they are properly warned of their terrible fate at a "set wise" meeting. The present period of quietness might be called a calm before a storm, for during this calm the Sophs are getting their materials together. These consist of hair-pins, green caps, buttons, etc. Undoubtedly, the Frosh are preparing for the worst and will put up a strong fight, for their class appears to be quite powerful. They will need to be prepared, and we hope that when the inter-class rivalry does start, that it will start with a vengeance and continue in the same way.

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THE PEDAGOGUE

Have you all heard the story of the Ohio minister who said to his flock as he started to preach, "Brethren, if you get all I'm going to say into your heads, you'll have the whole thing in a nutshell"? Of course there is no comparison, but we had to start some way. To put the matter in a nutshell for your mental digestion: The Pedagogue Board wishes your co-operation! We feel that as a rule Freshmen know very

little about this Senior year book. When they are asked for subscriptions, this lack of knowledge limits the sale. In order to remedy such a condition a number of copies of the "Pedagogue" have been placed in the Library. Ask Miss Cobb for them. Look them over! You'll realize after one inspection that you can't do without a copy for every year you're in college. The "Pedagogue" contains pictures of the Faculty, Seniors, Moving-Up Day, basketball squads and many other College interests. The "Pedagogue" for 1920 is going to be bigger and better than ever before. You really can't afford not to afford it.

OUR COLLEGE LIBRARY

Perhaps few students have noticed the sign on the bulletin board which reads: "The Library will be kept open evenings from 7 to 10 if students so desire." Here is an opportunity for study in our own Library, with all the books we need right at hand. Here is a chance to save time and energy! Shall we let it slip by? Why race back and forth to the Education Building when we have our own Library so near? Think of the cold winter months when we won't have to go downtown. But there is one condition to the above: Enough students must sign up to make the effort worth while. Are you willing to do your share in improving our College community? Sign up NOW!

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A COLLEGE ORCHESTRA

Realizing that State College stand very much in need of a College orchestra and that that orchestra must have some little financial backing, the Junior Class has projected a means of establishing an "orchestra fund."

As an organization '21 has arranged a concert by the Fiske Jubilee Singers, to be held in Chancellors' Hall, Education Building, on the evening of November 17th. The class will receive 40 per cent. of the gross proceeds, which will go toward the establishing of the "orchestra fund."

The Fiske University Singers are Jubilee singers touring the country for the purpose of awakening anew interest in the ever-increasing and far-reaching work which the University has been doing for over a half century in the education of the Negro. The present quartet is the successor of that famous group of singers that sang through the North in '75 and brought money and success to an educational institution whose doors were about to be closed because of financial distress.

This is a wonderful opportunity for State College, and every student should feel obligated not only to bring himself but his friends.

This concert is enabling you to do three things:

1. To aid in the establishing of a State College Orchestra.
2. To aid in the education of the Negro.
3. To enjoy a program of rare charm.

Tickets may be had for \$1.00, \$.75 and \$.50.

Keep that date open!

THRIFT DAY

Friday, October 3.

To-morrow, October 3d, has been designated by Governor Smith as Thrift Day. It is among the younger generation of to-day that the custom of saving needs to be inculcated.

In most of the schools to-morrow appropriate exercises are to be held. Purchase of Thrift Stamps and War Savings Stamps will be in order to-morrow and every day thereafter!

BASEBALL PRACTICE

Coach Clarke has started "the ball rolling." Last Tuesday afternoon was the first practice. Because of classes some baseball enthusiasts could not come, and yet there were several representatives from each of the classes. There were men for every position, and all were eager to get after the ball. The Coach knocked out flies and grounders to the men, and gave both the infield and outfield a lively workout. A time will be arranged when everybody will have a free period. Then, everybody out! The greater the competition for places the better our team will be next spring.

HOME ECONOMICS

The department is giving the services of the Junior Class to the Albany Girls' Club, Helen Selkirk, '21, Dorothy Weuple, '21, Dorothy Horne, '21, and Mildred Weller, '20, are conducting classes in Cooking and Sewing there.

Hazel Brunner, '20, and Emily Hamilton, '20, are teaching classes in Cooking and Millinery at the city Y. W. C. A.

The Practice House has been loaned to the College Y. W. C. A. until October 1st. The Seniors will resume work in the house Monday, October 6th.

The department, through the Seniors, catered to a wedding luncheon at Cedar Hill, Thursday, September 24th. The preparations were under the direction of Miss Wilson.

The dressmaking shop at 156 Central Avenue is now open to patronage. Students desiring work done will find the shop exceedingly satisfactory. Orders may be left at the shop from 9 A. M. to 5 P. M., or may be telephoned to Miss Tempary, West 3298.

The department welcomes Miss Steele who has just returned from England, where she has been spending the summer at her sister's home. Miss Steele was sent to England as a representative of the International Home Economics Association to investigate the possibilities of affiliation between Home Economics of America and England. This project is one of Miss Steele's, and its development will give the women an opportunity to assist in the desired establishment of friendlier relationships between the two countries.

Miss Steele visited many rural and city schools and observed Cooking, Laundering and Household work in elementary schools. She also investigated public canteens and national kitchens. Miss Steele found the classes for munition factory girls of particular interest. This work is one of England's great projects in Reconstruction.

FRIDAY SCHEDULE

The editors are publishing the Friday schedule for the convenience of the new students, who are probably unfamiliar with the recitation hours owing to Student Assembly period. The hours are as follows:

First period.	8:10-9:00
Student Assembly	9:05-9:55
Second period.	10:00-10:45
Third "	10:50-11:35
Fourth "	11:40-12:25
Luncheon	12:25-12:55
Fifth "	1:00-1:40
Sixth "	1:45-2:30
Seventh "	2:35-3:20
Eighth "	3:25-4:10
Ninth "	4:15-5:00
Tenth "	5:05-5:50

CAFETERIA HOURS CHANGED

The following change has been made in the College Cafeteria hours: Breakfast, 7:30-8:30 (Sunday, 8:30-9:30). Lunch, 11:30-1:00. Dinner, 5:30-6:30 (Sunday, 1:00-2:00).

DELTA OMEGA

Edith Woodruff, '18, has returned from canteen service in France and is now teaching in Herkimer.

Maudie Rose, '18, is teaching first year Latin in the Northern High School, Summerville, Mass.

Jessie Gifford, '20, is living at the Delta House. Marion Moore is also living there until the Y. W. House opens.

Delta Omega is glad to welcome Catherine Drury, '22, as a pledge member.

ETA PHI

Louise Perry, '21, spent the week end at her home in Melrose, N. Y. Helen Van Auken, '22, spent a day recently in Rensselaer.

Mrs. Stutz and daughter, Elizabeth, visited at the House Sunday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Perry and daughter were entertained at the House one day the past week.

George Koch, '22, Anne Fortanier, '20, Elizabeth Sherley, '21, were entertained at dinner Tuesday night.

KAPPA DELTA

Kappa Delta welcomes Clara Knickerbocker, '22, and Louise Persons, '22, as pledge members.

We are glad to report that Marion Burnap, '20, whose condition has been very serious, is slowly improving.

Mabel White, '21, motored to Hudson last Sunday.

Alice Keiser, '20, and Bertha West, '20, spent Sunday in Watervliet as guests of Gerabline Crumb, '20.

Harriet Tedford, '17, has returned from an extended trip in the West.

Kappa Delta entertained Margaret Crane, '21, as a week-end guest.

KAPPA NU

Kappa Nu announces the marriage of Miss Eva Hayes, '14, to Dr. Fred De Grande Wilson on August 14, 1919, at Albany.

Mrs. J. C. Russell of Saranac Lake and Miss Aileen Russell, '19, were guests at the House for the week end.

Mildred O'Malley, '18, spent a few days in Albany recently.

Kappa Nu welcomes as pledge members Clara Lavery, '20, Anne Quinley, '20, and Eleanor Hyland, '22.

Mildred O'Malley, '18, and Aileen Russell, '19, entertained the Kappa Nu girls last Saturday at an informal tea.

Adelaide Koommen, '19, is teaching in Cohoes.

PSI GAMMA

Psi Gamma welcomes Lela Cackener, '22, as a pledge member.

Katheryn Ball, '21, spent the week-end in Amsterdam.

Mrs. Charles Silkworth, Alberta Silkworth, Katheryn Buehler, Gertrude Southard and Charlotte Bush were entertained at the House Sunday evening.

Lieutenant John Kennedy of Oklahoma, recently returned from overseas, was in Albany as the guest of Dorothy Howell, '21, last Sunday.

KAPPA DELTA RHO

Ralph J. Floody, '18, visited College the past week.

Wednesday evening Van Lobdell, '20, entertained the members of Gamma and a number of their friends at his home in Robin Street.

Harry Lacey, '19, is instructing in the pattern making department of the Schwab Industrial High School, Homestead, Penn.

Word has been received that Lieutenant Jack Harwick, ex '17, has just arrived from overseas.

KAPPA NU THETA

Al Brody, '21, and Harry Staub, '21, passed the week-end with the K. N. Chapter at Union College.

Jack Carp and Sam Throne of R. P. I. Kappa Chapter were visitors in Albany last week.

The initial smoker of the season was very successfully staged in conjunction with the Law School Chapter.

Harry Schwadelson, '21, was a guest of Kappa Chapter the past week.

There are some beginnings without an ending: the waste basket intervenes.

Dr. Painter, calling the class list: "Miss Robina Smith-Moore, no More-Smith (correcting himself). Aren't there enough Smiths without having more Smiths?" (Was Dr. Painter "punning" intentionally?)

G. A. A. Elects Officers

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OCTOBER 10—IN GYM.

This is G. A. A.'s special welcome to you and we guarantee that all will enjoy the stunts, "cats," basketball game and other fun.

Perhaps you would like to know just what G. A. A. stands for. Beside hikes and frolics, this organization governs all athletic events, namely, basketball games, tennis tournaments, volley ball and hockey, not to overlook the Soph-Fresh Gym Meet. Ask your Junior sister to describe for you the decisive championship games, the thrillers of the season. She will also tell you to get into form so as to defeat the Sophs in the annual meet.

Watch the bulletin board and sign up!

MISS TAFT FOR A STRIKE

Advises College Professors to Form a Union and Get More Pay.

Miss Helen Taft, Acting President of Bryn Mawr College, declared in an address before the Alumni Conference in the Bryn Mawr campaign for \$1,000,000 to increase Faculty remuneration, that she wished the professors of the country would organize a union and strike for higher salaries.

She said they had a better case than the ministers.

Miss Taft holds that the Faculty of Bryn Mawr and other colleges are taking the most reasonable way possible to press their claims. She said they are justified in refusing to serve the country. Miss Taft pointed out that she would not object to a strike as a college executive because she believed it would not be a strike against the college executives, the college directors or trustees, but against the public, which ought to be made to pay for its education.

Save until it becomes a habit. Buying W. S. S. is the answer.

Reference Books and Student Helps

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SCHOOL SUPPLIES TEXTBOOKS ORDERED ON COLLEGE CORNER

LOST AND FOUND

Perhaps some new students may be wondering about the purpose of that padlocked box attached to the wall of the "News" office just above the mail box. It's a strong looking box and has a wide slit in the hinged top.

In this box are to be placed all articles found by students or faculty. Each day, during the lunch period, the member of Myskania who has charge of the box will be in the near vicinity. The person in charge this year is Van Loddell.

PHYSICAL EDUCATION

Two new courses are being offered by the Physical Education Department this year. The courses are Keneseology, which comes on Tuesday and Thursday, and the Nature and Function of Play and Recreation, which also is given on Tuesday and Thursday.

The Department is greatly encouraged by the registration in 7A (Freshman Practice).

There are to be regular weekly hikes for the women students of the College on Saturday afternoons. Notices of the time and place of each hike will be posted in advance on the Bulletin Board.

Miss Bennett announces that a swimming class for women students will be organized very soon. The class will meet one night each week in the city Y. W. C. A.

Regular work for P. E. majors started Wednesday, October 1st.

Dr. Croasdale advises the students to make the best of these fine autumn days, and get as much outdoor exercise as possible.

CLASS DAYS**Seniors to Present First Program**

Some two years ago the custom was started of devoting four Friday assembly periods to programs presented by the various classes. This plan worked out very favorably and was to have been followed out again last year, but the "flu" caused a delay of five weeks, so the attempt was not possible.

In the near future the first Class Day of this year will be held. The Seniors will give the first program, then the Juniors, Sophomores, and Freshmen at intervals of perhaps four weeks. No definite date for any of these programs has as yet been set.

Much competition for the best program ensued when assembly mornings were before devoted to the various classes, and we hope to revive this custom in all its former pep and popularity.

Each class has an opportunity to furnish entertainment to the whole studentbody during a whole assembly period. Programs of music, speeches, dances, and plays are possible.

It is not definitely remembered that a formal decision was granted concerning the excellence of the competing units, but we know the Freshmen received much favor and applause.

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SMILES**What He Really Needed**

"I'm troubled a good deal with headaches in the morning," said a patient to his oculist. "Don't you think I need stronger glasses?"

The oculist looked at the man closely. "No," he said, "I don't think you need stronger glasses so much as you need fewer glasses."

Wouldn't Be Missed

"May I get off this afternoon?" asked a boy of his employer on a sunny spring day. "I want to go to my aunt's funeral."

"No," said the employer, "I can't let you go, and I don't think you will be missed, for the last time your aunt had a funeral there were all of fifteen thousand people there."

Mark Twain on the Move

When Mary Twain was a young and struggling newspaper writer in San Francisco a lady of his acquaintance saw him one day with a cigar box under his arm, looking in a shop window.

"Mr. Clemens," she said, "I always see you with a cigar box under your arm. I am afraid you are smoking too much."

"It isn't that," said Mark. "I'm moving again."

How it Could Have a Seaport

The folks of Savannah, Georgia, do not like what they call the "bluster" of Atlanta, Georgia, about their town.

At a businessmen's meeting in Atlanta there was under discussion an arrangement with the railroads that allowed merchandise to be shipped to and from that inland city on a through bill of lading. There was much joyous declamation, and one orator explained in enthusiastic periods that Atlanta was now the equivalent of a seaport town and able to cope with all rivals.

At this the Savannah man, whose native city is the real seaport of Georgia, arose and said with some acerbity: "If you Atlanta folks would lay a pipe line to the sea and then suck as hard as you blow, you'd be a real seaport in no time at all."

Not a Bit Afraid

"The trouble with you," said a rich businessman to his idle son, "is that you are afraid to work."

"No, Father, that isn't exactly true," said the son. "Just show me the hardest job you can. I'll prove to you that I'm not afraid of it by lying down right beside it and going to sleep."

What He Really Wanted

A small boy went inside a store that displayed a sign, "Boy Wanted."

"What kind of boy does yer want?" he asked of the merchant. "Why, a decent boy," said the merchant. "One who is quick, doesn't swear, smoke cigarettes, whistle round the office, play tricks—"

"Oh, say, Boss," interrupted the boy. "Yer don't want no boy; yer want a goil."

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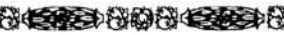
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He Couldn't See It

At a dinner an American woman sitting near the Bishop of London said to him: "Bishop, I wish you would set my mind at rest as to the similarity or dissimilarity between your country and ours on one point. Does the butterfly because the tomato can?"

The Bishop laughed heartily at this vivacious sally.

Not so a young Englishman of his party, who, after dinner, sought his host. "I want to know, you know," said he, "about that joke of Miss B's. She asked if the butter flew because the tomatoes could. Do tell me what the point is."



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