Wellesley College News

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COLLEGE CALENDAR.

Sunday, April 19, Houghton Memorial Chapel.
11:00 A.M., President, President William De Witt Whittelsey of Bowdoin College.
7:00 P.M., address by President Whittelsey.

Wednesday, April 22, Billings Hall, 7:30 P.M. Christian Association Meeting. Leader, Lin V. Villard, "The Keystone of College Life." 7:15 P.M., St. Andrew's Church. Leader, Miss Fosdick. "Having and Doing."

Thursday, April 23, German Lecture by Frau von Ende. "The New "Elevator Table."

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Wellesley College to-day.

When the Wellesley students came back—in the rain—on April 8, we all expected college to be in a state of confusion and the appearance of things to be hopelessly different. But in place of the confusion which we thought inevitable we found the complicated machinery of administration and academic work running as smoothly as ever; and, except for the stately rains looking down serenely from the sky, and the new building which had sprouted, mushroom-like, on the lawn west of chapel, the campus appeared much the same as ever.

This new Administration Building, which is going to play such an important part in Wellesley life during the next few years, is a long, low, frame building of one story, built in the three sides of a square with the chapel forming the south side. The main wing is 200 feet by 60 feet, and the other two each 84 by 30 feet. The court formed between them will be ample large to accommodate the whole student body for cheerful. The building is manifestly temporary and lays no claims to beauty. In fact, it has already been dubbed "the Shack" and "the Hen Coop" by certain irrevocable ones. But it is a cheerful looking place, nevertheless, with its fresh coat of sandstone colored paint, its numerous many-paned windows, and the wooden vine trellises at the corners. Wonderful red paper roses climbed magnetically up these trellises one night, but they had to be removed for fear of rain.

The outside finish of the building is shaven board, and inside the contractors used plasterboard as an expedient substitute for plaster. Inside, the rooms are light and airy, and space is afforded for all offices and recitation rooms that were formerly in College Hall, with the exception of the science laboratories, which the contractors would not agree to put within the stipulated time.

There are twenty-nine recitation rooms, one of which accommodates twenty students, thirteen accommodate thirty, four forty, eighteen fifty, two one hundred, and one a hundred and fifty. There are two department offices in the north wing and eleven in the south, making thirteen in all. In the south wing, also, are the fifteen administrative offices, including those of the President, the Dean, the Registrar, the Director of the Halls of Residence, the Cashier, the various secretaries, the Purveyor, and the telegraph and telephone office. In addition to these, there are three dressing rooms and a reception room. Recitations have been so arranged that in all possible cases classes which met in one room in College Hall will meet in one room in the new building. Steam heat, plumbing, electricity, and telephone service have all been installed. The master clock, however, which was formerly in College Hall, has been removed to the Chemistry Building.

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During the first week the schedule was changed to accommodate those whose classes were scattered. Breakfast and Chapel were both a quarter of an hour earlier. (Curiously enough, the Chapel attendance showed a marked increase over that of the day "before the fire"). This made classes begin at a quarter of nine and allowed a fifteen-minute interval between periods, during which interval the campus assumed quite a university air, with groups moving from building to building, stopping on the way to read the notices on the outside bulletin-board at the feet of Norumbega Hill, and on the "lemonade stand" outside of the Library, which at present takes the place of the elevator table.

The dormitory arrangements are such as to ac-

THE NEW "ELEVATOR TABLE."

accommodate all the burn-out ones on campus. Beebe has taken twenty-three, Cazenovia twenty-six, Poromary seventy-four, Safter twenty-one, Norumbega fourteen, Freeman three, Wood ten, Wilder ten, and Stone fourteen. Two girls have gone to the village. Of course this has meant doubling up in single rooms in nearly every case, but everyone has taken it philosophically, in the light of a diverting, if cramped, experience.

The dining-rooms of the various houses, with the exception of Poromary, have been able to accommodate the new-comers, and for the thirty or forty overflow in Poromary a dining-room has been fixed up "in the rear," underneath the G. L. R. All non-resident Faculty have meals there also when it is convenient for them to do so.

The various activities of the College are going on as usual. All lectures are being held in Billings Hall; artist recitals will take place in the Hall; the Christian Association is conducting a clothing exchange in A. K. X. and is holding its regular Wednesday evening meetings in Billings Hall; Student Government is going on as usual, with added responsibility on the shoulders of the House Presidents in account of the crowded condition of the dormitories. Student Government elections, for which the final ballots are cast on April 15, will take place as usual. The voting will be in front of the Library, or in case of rain, in the basement; the announcements will be made on the south porch of the Billings Building.

We cannot help feeling proud of the College, of the officers and student body alike, when we survey the quick, quiet way in which every one has adapted herself to these new conditions, making us confident in predicting that the work of the year will be completed as successfully as if College Hall had never burned.

BEAU BRUMMEL.

Again Beau Brummel has gone, in a short two hours, the long road from Carleton House and the Mall to "a lodging house at Caen," but this time, in spite of his distressing poverty, he has left as the richer for his passing by much more than even the price of a king's snuff box. It was 1915's privilege and pleasure to be able to present his Junior Play to Boston audiences at matinee performances on April 2 and 3 for the benefit of the building fund. Permission to give the performance was obtained from Miss Pendleton by Margaret Griffin, Calma Howe and Marian Locke, soon after College closed; Mrs. Munsfield very generously gave her consent, and then the world began to earn. Members of the cast were hastily summoned to Boston.

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THE WELLESLEY COLLEGE NEWS.

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THE FUNCTION OF A COLLEGE PAPER, AS SHOWN IN THE SPECIAL NEWS OF APRIL 2.

A college paper is a failure if it exists for the sake of news alone. It must live as an organic part of the college, and give to its readers not only true facts, but a sense of their import and special significance. If it fails to arouse a genuine public sentiment, and is content to be entertaining or amusing, it has ceased to be useful and becomes merely a pastime. But if it can be said there is a service, it must do this one thing,—see below mere facts and give them its best interpretation.

On the morning of March 17, Wellesley met the test of her ideals. Never has a campus daily paper carried the story all over the world, with varying headlines, and still more varying regard for actual facts. It was at this hour in Wellesley’s history that the College News was called on, as never before, to perform its true function. The undergraduate editors were barred to their homes. It fell to the Alumni, and one loyal Alumna in particular, to prepare a special issue of the News, which should carry to all Wellesley women, not only the correct statement of our loss, but that intimate view of the situation which made its full realization possible. For this work we cannot be too grateful.

We, the outgoing Board of the News, look back over our year with regret that it has gone so swiftly. Some of the things we have tried to do have succeeded, others still wait accomplishment. In keeping ever before us the ideals of our Alma Mater our own vision has grown broader and our ideals more permanent. In striving to avoid both spiritless conservatism and fanatical radicalism we have, not only as a Board, but as individuals, been learners. We have learned that public sentiment on any great question nearly reaches our ideals as does this News of April 2. It was great in a crisis.

For our successors we see infinite possibilities. Wellesley, during this next year, needs a fine News as she never has before. Go to it, 1915, and you cannot help succeeding.

THE INDIVIDUAL AND THE STUDENT BODY.

It is quite fitting that the new editorial board should commend itself to the public just as the old board says in its policy rule no break in interest nor editors. The editors still aim to deal truly and simply with the life of the College, to report its activities, reflect its disposition to anything that is seen in College. We are going to build on the foundations that have been laid and we recognize our indissoluble unity with those first builders and, moreover, we recognize that this is but a part of the College union which has been made so living a reality to all of us.

In any group of people as large as our student body it is generally hard for the individual to realize how absolutely his being is a part of the corporate being of his own people. There have been times in the past when we have felt that perhaps, with our village problem, which has been afflicting a steadily increasing proportion of students, and with the various other influences for disunion and indifference which are abroad everywhere, we might never realize so fully as we would like to the fundamental and essential solidarity of our organization. Poor facilities for meetings of the whole student body and the individual tendencies of modern thought were with difficulty offset, in visible things, by loyalty to our Alma Mater. But it must be that, deeply and firmly rooted within us, was a practical ideal of unity that, in the searching light of a great general disaster sprang up and flourished. Few of us will ever forget the chapel service on March 17, which brought to us a clearer understanding than many of us had ever had before of the sense in which we all prosper or suffer together. That moment of realization has passed and we have come out of it. We know that the College spirit, full of great and petty annoyances, with none of the excitement attendant upon sudden catastrophe to uphold us. Yet we all realize that we are facing a crisis in the history of the College and the greatness of that moment has transcended time. We seem to have come back with a new seriousness and a strong determination to stand shoulder to shoulder, a new realization that the development and expression of the whole College spirit cannot ever be separated from the welfare of the whole of which he is a part.

But lest we seem to over-stress our good intentions and the evidence which we have, in this short time, given of fulfilling them, we must look forward to the longer time between now and June, during which it is inevitable that the drain upon our forces will increase appreciably. We must make sure that our devotion is such that it will wear well in spite of rob and strain and that our enthusiasm will rise to meet the day-by-day demands which make up the total of our duty just as surely as the mass of individuals makes up the College. We may be justly proud of the way in which we have met calamity; we must, however, realize that our virtue is not wholly in ourselves, but in the discipline which we—the students in all generations—have received from the College. How can we better use the powers which Wellesley has given us or manifest the ideals that she has inculcated in us than by pledging, each one of us to herself, that she will devote her best energy to the upholding of the highest collegiate ideals of social life and scholarship?

MAKESHIFTS.

Any one of us might sincerely have said when we were cheering in center that Monday before the fire: “Wellesley couldn’t be Wellesley without College Hall.” And yet only twenty-four hours later, with College Hall gone, we were crowded into the chapel, feeling the power of Wellesley more than ever before. The fire’s disaster kindled an electric spark in a chemical experiment, had changed us from a mere mixture of diverse elements into one indivisible body. There was a triumphant solidarity in that gathering that led us to the conclusion later expressed by the New York Times: “A college consists, not of its buildings, but of its young womanhood.”

A month has passed now, and life has settled remarkably fast into its accustomed ways. Our center of gravity has shifted a few hundred feet, to be sure. We still regard the magnificent ruin on the hill with sorrowful awe, but into our reminiscences are creeping hopes and plans for the new buildings. The scenic beauty of the College is to be preserved. An ore of ore of maps and specimens, this period of “roughing it” would mean a serious loss. Since Wellesley College exists for the purpose of knowledge, however, and consists “in its young womanhood,” rather than in its buildings, this need be no hindrance to the accomplishment of that purpose. We say “need be.” It is for the College to decide whether it shall come and go with its buildings, or “go on forever” despite them.

REAL MONEY.

There has come a sudden creation of the demands of Endowment and Student Building Funds, matters which were once of such vital interest. The thing to do for Wellesley now, is to raise money for the Fire Fund. And people are doing it.

The three weeks’ vacation gave an opportunity to those students who were endowed with a goodly amount of that “Wellesley spirit,” about which we have heard so much, and the existence of which we are now having a chance individually to prove, to use their time and their ingenuity in the raising of money to swell the Fire Fund. They used this time and that ingenuity in a variety of remarkable ways, and with the ingenious and educational methods of money-making varied from such tame forms as the circulating of subscription lists of innumerable Thes dactyls, and Wellesley fire lectures, illustrated with stereopticon projections, to the more exciting, though no more productive, financially, pursuits of, opening and managing tea rooms and clogging in department stores. A number of girls who spent the vacation at Pigeon Cove converted themselves, temporarily, into a stage troupe and gave three vaudeville performances, on three successive nights, at Pigeon Cove, Rockport and Gloucester, with the foremost critics of the three towns as the jury of collecting and with results totaling some two hundred and fifty dollars. One Wellesley club with a “fire hero” in its midst, charged a sum of ten cents for the privilege of shaking hands with her. And there were other ways of being less distinctive.

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Wellesley College Scholars, Class of 1914.

The printing of the program was in charge of Marian D. Locke. With the aid of fifteen other Juniors she canvassed the city for advertisements, with what success is apparent. Boston stores, however, not only offered this kind of assistance. Antique furniture, golf furniture, curtains, everything, in fact, seemed to be needed, became ours for the asking, and in many instances were delivered and collected without charge. The cast acknowledges with heartfelt gratitude the most welcome dinner served to them at the theatre on Thursday evening by T. D. Cook & Son, Co., as well as the box party given them by the management of the Court Theater.

For as the performance itself, those of us who saw Beaty Brumwell and Miss Bennett's first production, are to be congratulated on the applause which they received at the last performance on December 3, do not need to be told that it was a great success. Some changes in costumes and scenery were necessary, of course, but as a whole, the play was the play presented here. Between the acts, the Wellesley girls in the house entertained the rest of the audience with some of the best known of our Wellesley songs, while Alumnae and undergraduates patrolled the house with candles and flowers and copies of the Fire Issue of the News, in acknowledging our indebtedness for the kindness shown us in the name of the College, we would most sincerely thank the eighty-four Boston women who served as ushers.

The cast supported Teny L'Engle with an effectiveness that paid tribute, not only to the individual ability of the different members, but to the remarkable coaching of our Miss Edith Margaret Small, without whose untiring aid the performance would have been almost impossible. Since the accounts have not been closed, an exact statement of the profits from the play cannot be given. The proceeds amount to about $4,000.00. $1,300 was cleared to the Board on April 7, and the rest came from the sale of flowers, candy, newspapers and programs.

The members of the committees are as follows: Administration, Margaret Griffin; Assistant Administration, Margaret Ryder, Calma How; Costumes, Margaret Ellis; Properties, Margaret Weed; Programs, Marian D. Locke.

The cast was the same as at the Wellesley performance, except in two minor parts. Extra couples were added for the minstrel.

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The captains are required to hold two drills a month. At the regular meetings of the organization at which the fire chief presides and Miss Davis is often present, the captains report the dates of their drills, the time of day they were held, the number of absentees and their reasons, the time required to empty the building, and the order observed by the girls.

Drills may be called by the captain at any time of the day or night. Frequently there were drills at College Hall when it was crowded with non-resident students, there for classes. In that case, no roll was called, but merely the time required and the order reported. The penalty for non-attendance at fire drills is a fine of fifty cents, and a serious error credited to the absentee.

There are devices such as blocking some of the staircases to train the girls for an emergency. It was being planned, just about the time College Hall burned, to have a fire drill there with artificial smoke, to test the girls. The system is still being constantly changed and improved. On Miss Davis' desk, the night of the fire, was the rough draft of a plan by which property could be better saved in case of fire, without more danger to life. This plan will probably be reconstructed and put into operation soon.

This article will be followed next week by one showing how the system worked in the real fire.

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EASTER WEEK.

CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION.

On the night of April 14th, Miss Louise Holmqvist, of the Executive Board of the National Young Women's Christian Association, brought us "The Message of the Resurrection to College Women." It is in the college that we are trained to meet the problems beyond. There is something more than training that we need, and this power is to be gotten alone by an act of will on our part toward Christ, working, "in us, through us, and beyond us," bringing us to our fullest possible development, blasting out the gold in our lives, awakening in us a universal consciousness that precludes all consciousness of self. Given this spirit as center, a radius, and a motive power, every individual—and, hence, the community—would reach that roundest state of completeness that means an "enthusiasm of love, of joy, and of faith."

Bishop Lawrence led a brief service in the chapel at five o'clock on Good Friday, April 10th.

The Easter sermon at Chapel on April 12th, was preached by Professor Washburn of the Episcopal Theological School at Cambridge.

EASTER ESPRIT.

April 12th.

Service Anthem: Christ is Risen.
Sir G. J. Elvery
Choir: The Resurrection,
Harry Rowe
Organ: Easter Morning,
Malling
Halleghn Chorus,
Beethoven
(From the Mount of Olives).
Choir: Hall to the Risen Lord,
Alfred R. Gaul
Organ: Evensong,
Easthope Martin

THE FIRE ISSUE.

An earnest endeavor has been made to send at least one copy of the "Fire Issue" of College News to every former member and every present member of the College. Any one, whether a regular subscriber to the News or not, who has failed to receive a copy, may obtain one by addressing "Fire Issue," College News.

The committee in charge of mailing the twelve thousand or more copies sent out, gladly takes this opportunity of thanking most heartily all the friends whose prompt and generous gifts of money and of labor made the "Fire Issue" possible. Day after day on the May day, the conference room in the basement of the library had a floor of eager workers; heads of departments, professors, instructors, Alumnae, undergraduates and their brothers, friends from Wellesley village,—many of whom had given up other vacation plans in order to help Wellesley. It was a typical Wellesley scene, busy, democratic, cheerful, and courageous. The committee will long remember with genuine gratitude all the friends whose assistance so materially lightened this labor of love.

We hope to be able to print a list of donors in a later issue. $352.00 have already been generously given.

To the Committee.

BILL TO ALUMNAE SUBSCRIBERS.

Pay for your News, if you have not already. The record as to whether you have or have not, was destroyed; search your memory and your checkbook stubs, but be sure to send us what you owe. Will you please send duplicate checks within five days before the fire. About thirty were burned and if your checks do not return, you will know their fate.

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The Class of ’79, for the third time since it received the first degrees of Wellesley College, is deeply saddened by the death of an honored and beloved member. The record of Miss Montague’s life as a student and for thirty-two years as member of the Faculty of the College is written in the remembrance of malady and her Classmates take pride in the noble and scholarly service which she has rendered to their Alma Mater. But, in the new sense of personal bereavement, their thoughts turn lovingly to memories of her years of sweet fellowship and years of true friendship, of royal traits of character—fidelity, sincerity, loyalty, and steadfast courage and good cheer. Her devotion to her class was one of its richest possessions and her classmates tenderly mourn her leaving.

It was but a short journey from her life of usefulness here to the larger and more blessed service in the Land of Pure Delight.

For the Class of ’79.

GERTRUDE CHANDLER WYCKOFF,
Minnie McLean Lewis,
Louise McCoy North.

In the death of Miss Annie Sybil Montague, the Phi Sigma Fraternity has suffered the loss not only of a member, but also of one of the best-known women of College Hall, but a number of informal sources, such as many students have snapped with their kodak,—views of rooms, glimpses from windows, bits of the everyday or of the formal—of the day the College life; anything to delight us with a call to memory, whether serious or absurd. Perhaps, perhaps, someone may even have a snapshot of a girl “going through Hurrit.”

Does it sound interesting? Help us by looking up at once your old pictures and films, and send us a card-carbon from which to select the most unique, the most alluring, memory-tagging pictures for our gift. Be sure to put in or on the envelope your own name and address, and send to Edith M. Moore, Art Building, Wellesley.

SETTLEMENT FELLOWSHIP.

A Fellowship of $200, beside training and instruction, is offered to Wellesley (and certain other) graduates, including the Class of 1914. Applications must be made before May first.

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MARCH 14, 1914.

By the death of Annie Sybil Montague on March 5, 1914, another has been taken from that little group of women who, inspired by an earnest purpose, entered Wellesley College at the time of its opening in 1875. From that time until the present, Miss Montague was closely connected with the many interests of the College which she loved, and in which she spent the best years of her life.

After her graduation in the first class in 1879, she returned for a year of graduate work in Greek; at the same time assisting in the instruction of some of the elementary classes. The following year she spent at Radcliffe College (then the Harvard Annex). In 1882 she received the degree of Master of Arts from her Alma Mater, and was then appointed a regular instructor in Greek, and in 1883 was advanced to the position of Associate Professor. In 1886-90 she was a student at the University of Cambridge, England, and also made her first visit to Greece. Again in 1902-03 she had a year of advanced study at Yale, and in 1909-10 spent the winter at the American School in Athens.

As a scholar she showed all her characteristic qualities; thoroughness, accuracy and unerring zeal. She loved her work and gave to it all her best energies.

After she had trained her students to habits of clear-cut thinking and lucid statement, and inspired them with something of her own enthusiasm. She had high standards both for herself and for them. In all her dealings with them she was patient and helpful, but firm and strictly just. With many of her students she formed warm and lasting friendships, for hers was a generous and kindly nature. More than one needy student has reason to remember gratefully the assistance given her by Miss Montague.

As a member of the Faculty she was uniformly esteemed by her colleagues, both of her own and other departments, for her efficiency, good judgment and sincere and faultless devotion to the work.

While naturally adhering to the older traditions of the College and to the ideals of the founders, she was by no means insensitive to new ideas. She realized that rapid growth and development of the College necessarily involved change, and that the broader policy sometimes meant giving up some cherished custom.

In all personal relations she was frank and straightforward, loyal and magnanimous. Her genial spirit and gracious manner won friends for her wherever she went, and it has been truly said of her that she had a genius for friendship.

With a deep sense of our loss, we, her colleagues, wish to place on record our tribute to her sterling qualities of mind and character.

Signed:

ANNA CLARA CHAPIN, Chairman,
EVA CHANDLER,
ELIZA H. KENDRICK,
MARY WHITON CALKINS.

IMPORTANT NOTICES.

Fourteen Wellesley women residing in Milwaukee, formed a Wellesley Club, March 21. The officers are: President, Mrs. Frances Busey, '97; Vice-President, Miss Emily F. Brown, '90; Secretary-Treasurer, Mrs. John E. George (Alda May Gentry, M. A., '98) Secretary, Mrs. Joseph G. Hiebberg (Lillian I. Kehoe, '12).

Active arrangement for raising money is the first thought and Miss Pendleton's visit is anticipated with great zest.

Wellesley graduates in Bridgeport are organizing a Wellesley Club, especially to help the Fire Fund.

NEWS OF THE WELLESLEY CLUBS.

Rhode Island Wellesley Club.

A special meeting of the Rhode Island Wellesley Club was held at the home of Mrs. A. D. Mead on Saturday afternoon, March 21, the President, Miss Hope Reynolds, in the chair. The meeting was called for the purpose of talking over the present critical situation at Wellesley. Over sixty-five people were present, fifteen of whom were undergraduates. They related to the President actual facts and incidents in regard to the fire. The following resolution was passed by the Club to be sent to President Pendleton: "The Rhode Island Wellesley Club desires to express its sympathy and the deep sense of its indissoluble love for the College and Alma Mater sustained in the burning of College Hall, the one building which has stood for Wellesley to every alumna and student."

"The club wishes also to express its pride in the splendid poise and control of the student body, and in the courageous and instant constructive activity of the President and Faculty in the face of such appalling conditions. The Wellesley spirit has been proved by fire."

A message of greeting and sympathy was read from Miss Woolley of Mt. Holyoke College. After a discussion of various plans the club resolved itself into various committees to work along different lines for a fund to aid in the work of reconstruction which is to come.

The Syracuse Wellesley Club.

The Syracuse Wellesley Club held its annual luncheon at The Wolcott on Saturday, March 21, with fifty Alumnae and undergraduates present. The President of the Club, Mrs. Jessie Gilley Carter, '96, welcomed the guests. The keen disappointment everyone felt at President Pendleton's inability to be present was forgotten in the pleasure of meeting Miss Walton, who represented herself and who gave a vivid description of the College Hall fire and of the prompt and efficient work of the administration in dealing with the difficulties which arose after it. Miss Alice Congo, '14, also described the fire and answered many questions about undergraduate affairs, among them the Wellesley-Mount Holyoke debate and the Forum. Miss Marjorie Wyatt, '11, Chairman of the Endowment Fund Committee for this district, made a brief report. The Club adjourned with a message of greeting to President Pendleton and a vote of thanks to Miss Walton.

BIRTHS.

In Red Oak, Iowa, on September 22, 1913, a son, Harlan Deemer, to Mrs. Hiram C. Houghton, Jr., (Dorothy Deemer, '12).

In Nanking, China, on December 24, 1913, a son, Eldridge Lyon, to Mrs. Sidney L. Lasell, (Ruth Lyon, '94).

In Madison, Wisconsin, on February 21, 1914, a second son, Russell Carter, to Mrs. Frederick Doolittle, (Madeline Doolittle, '02).

At Lexington, Kentucky, on February 10, 1914, a son, John Wolcott, to Mrs. Louise Millikan Good, 1903-04.

At Hankow, China, on November 14, 1913, a son, Edward Hubbard Platt, to Mrs. Gertrude Cramer Gilman, '96.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Lida Charles, 1907, to Ennis W. Bachman of Orange, New Jersey.

Hester E. Young, 1912, to R. Charles Thompson (Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1913, of Winchester, Massachusetts, Leola Medvin Wilcox, 1909, to Ernest Monroe Steele of Cohocton, Ohio.


MARRIAGES.

LOERING—BACHELIER. At Medford, Massachusetts, on December 30, 1913, M. Evangeline Bacheiler, '09, to Ernest M. Lorin, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1909, of Toronto, Ontario.

EDWARDS—PASTORE. At Boston, September 8, 1913, Teresa Plater Edwards, '08, and Robert Seaver Edwards, Bowdoin, 1909, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1902. At home, 100 North Eighteenth Street, Portland, Oregon.

HAGLEY—HUMPHREY. On January 15, 1914, at the Rutgers-Riverside Presbyterian Church, New York City; Mary W. Humphrey, '13, to Reverend Lindsey S. B. Hadley of Glen Falls, New York.


OBITUARIES.

In the recent death of Mr. Frank Wood, the College sustains a notable loss from the ranks of staunch and generous friends. Mr. Wood founded the Annie M. Wood Scholarship. At a time when the College was struggling to pay a debt which had been incurred, he made an early and substantial contribution. Mr. Wood was an untiring collector of curios, carvings, and pictures. Many members of the College were from time to time guests in his hospitable home in Dorchester, and found themselves deeply interested in this instance of intense love for rare and beautiful things, an inspiration in youth and an education to the end.

There are many who, in returning to Wellesley under the present sad conditions, will find an added sorrow in the death of Mr. George Gould, late assistant-treasurer of the College, which is noted in another column. Mr. Gould had been falling for some weeks, but he remained cheerful, active, and interested in all bright and good things. At the time of his last seizure, he had by him a ticket to a recital of fine music for the very afternoon which proved to be his last on earth. So closes a long and beautiful life, brave, efficient, enriched by choice tastes and illuminated by undying faith.

DEATHS.

In Boston, Massachusetts, on November 14, 1913, Mrs. Lydia Ward Day, mother of Lydia Day Stevens, '91.

In Wellesley, Massachusetts, on November 24, 1913, George H. Robbins, father of Nella G. Robbins, 1883-98 and Phila Belle Robbins, '97.

In Concord, Massachusetts, on November 26, 1913, Mary Davol Batt, sister of Almira Laura Batt, '91.


In Narick, Massachusetts, January 1, 1914. Mrs. John Engd, mother of Florence Engel Robb, 1907.

At his home in Dorchester, Massachusetts, on March 27th, Mr. Frank Wood.

At Trenton, New Jersey, on January 31, 1914. Una Loder, B. S., '86.

At Williamstown, New Jersey, on April 11, 1914. Samuel Garwood, father of Helen Garwood, of the Class of '88.
In a private hospital in Boston, Massachusetts, on March 22, Mr. George Gould, in his eighty-fourth year. The funeral was held in Mount Vernon Church, Boston, on March 24th.

On December 24, 1913, Charles J. Wright, father of Elise L. Wright, 1909.

In Denver, Colorado, on February 23, 1914, ex-Senator Teller, father of Mrs. Emma Teller Tyler, '89.

In New York City, on February 4, 1914, Philo P. Safford, husband of Christabel Lee Safford, '88.

In New Bedford, Massachusetts, on February 20, 1914, Mrs. Charles W. Hurll, mother of Mrs. Estelle Hurll, '82.

At Dedham, Massachusetts, on February 20, 1914, Don Gleason Hill, father of Helen F. Hill, 1902 and of Alice L. Hill, 1910.


In Boston, February 1, Mrs. Georgiana Souther Barrows, mother of Mary Barrows, '90.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS.

Beatrice Stranik, '93, to 601 West 111th Street, New York City.

Mrs. Carolyn Perry Austin, 1910, to Orleans, Vermont.

Mrs. Helen Reynolds Wentworth, 1912, to Reno, Nevada.

Mrs. Frances Ambler Reed, 1901, Pass Christian, Mississippi.


Mrs. Allen B. Linn, (Grace G. Richley, '93), Rural Delivery, No. 1, Crawfordville, Indiana.

Mrs. James W. Wallace (Miriam Y. Loder, 1910), to 617 West 141st Street, New York City.

Mrs. Nelson R. Clark (Madeline A. Tillson, 1911), to 9303 Robey Street, Chicago, Illinois.

S. Louise Adams, '94, from 598 East Grand Boulevard to 56 Flingar Avenue, Detroit, Michigan.

**CAMPUS NOTES.**

At the winter meeting of the Conference of Collegiate and Preparatory School Teachers of the Bible Professor Eliza Hall Kendrick spoke on "What the Study of the Bible Offers."

Miss Thompson of the Zoology Department has returned from her six months' leave of absence in Europe. She was in Naples most of the time engaged in laboratory work. She also visited the American College for Girls in Constantinople.

Mrs. Ellor Carlisle Ripley, formerly a member of the College Faculty, has recently been elected chairman of the Education Department of the Massachusetts State Federation of Women's Clubs. Mrs. Ripley is now Assistant Superintendent of the Public Schools in Boston.

Professor Vida Scudder spoke recently in Boston on "What Can the Church Contribute towards Social Reconstruction."

Mrs. Frances Stuart De Mott, '90-'93, spent a week in February at Wellesley for the first time in many years. Mrs. De Mott stayed at the house of Miss Agnes Hastings on Dover Road.

Professor Margaret H. Jackson was obliged to be absent from College for the first two weeks of the semester because of the serious illness of her mother. Professor Jackson was able to meet her advanced class on February 26.

Miss Helen M. Farwell, '06, instructor at Walnut Hill School, gave recently a tea at Elise Hall in honor of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Edward Farwell.

Professor Eliza H. Kendrick and Miss Olive Davis attended the meetings of the Religious Education Association in New Haven, March 4-6.

Professor Louise S. McTowell represented Wellesley at the meeting of American Physicists in New York on February 26.

Professor Katherine Lee Bates and Professor Coonan, who have been spending the winter in Seville, Spain, expect to be in London in April.

**NEWS NOTES.**

'89—May Banta has been spending six weeks in Bermuda, this winter, where she has been staying at Mary Chase Lockwood’s house, Harbour View, Paget-East.

'90-'92—Mrs. Lucie Proctor Freeman is teaching dancing in New York.

'90—to Mrs. Ethel Sewing Makepeace, with her small son, spent three weeks in January in Bermuda. While there she stayed at the Harbour-View, Paget-East.

1901—Kathrina M. Davis is teaching this year, in the extension courses in connection with Columbia University.

1901—Annie McChord, who has been very ill ever since last summer, spent several weeks in Bermuda this winter, and was much benefited by the trip.

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