SOCIETY NOTE.

The six societies initiated their new members on Saturday, October 15, in the evening. On Sunday they held Society Vespers and had supper at the houses before attending vespers at the Houghton Memorial Chapel.
A QUESTION OF POLICY.

The News deplores any insincerity or perversion of fact that occurs in its columns and welcomes the opportunity to correct such errors. We try especially, to have all personal items that are brought to our attention verified before we print them, and at no time does anything of this nature appear until it has been traced to a source which is presumably trustworthy.

OUR SOCIETY SYSTEM.

In last week’s News we printed the names of the Juniors and Seniors who have been received into societies this fall—a list of some one hundred and fifty names divided into six groups. During the week both ideas more than one of us has stopped to think with appreciation of the admirable work which lay behind that division into groups. It is a hard task which we present to our Selection Committees, not only the choosing of students of society with individual preferences, but the minutest consideration of numerical proportion and personal congeniality. To the outsider it might seem impossible that satisfaction could ever result from such an arbitrary selection, yet when the list was announced, a surprising majority of those concerned declared that it was good. For the fact that one hundred and fifty separate personalities are now fitting rapidly into their right society places, we are entirely indebted to the untiring labor of Miss Case and her Student Committee, which is composed of representatives from each of the three societies, elected by the members of each institution to receive their first choices. The most noteworthy accomplishment of the committee has been its clear-thinking handling of second and third choices on both sides.

An interesting and worth-while development of our society system is the increasing desirability of all six societies. Each has a healthy interest to keep it aloof, and well off the shoals of sentimental egotism. Each is made up of just the right-sized group of individuals, who vary in temperament and agree in tastes sufficiently to make them congenial. There is no reason why a person cannot be happy in any one of these groups as they exist; it is largely a question of greater or less familiarity at the start.

In commending the work of the Placing Committee it would not do to forget the labors of another committee which paved the way for the final distribution. The Eligible List Committee—both Faculty and student members—have a task which is less difficult only in that it is governed to a greater extent by the more or less absolute standards of eligibility. Their work has its own “persistent problems,” however, and we cannot give too great credit to their solution of them thus far. We cannot claim a perfect system yet. Every year fraternities which keep their men for fraternities are removed in the light of new experience, but it is too much to expect that machinery so bound up with personal matters, can run entirely smoothly.

On the whole, we may be proud of our system, as we compare it to that of other colleges. We have done away, at least, with “rushing;” we have insured recognition of more substantial qualities than which make up more popularity; we have not allowed the societies to have the monopoly of the social life of the College; and at the same time we have preserved all their oldest traditions, and only increased their worth—a growing spirit of democracy and co-operation.

NOTICE.

There are particular persons on the News Board to whom particular matters should be referred in writing. If a query or a request of information is desired. Questions or complaints concerning distribution should be referred to Ruth Miner.

Concerning subscriptions to Adele Martin.

Notices for the College Calendar, and requests for writeups of department or organization or other meetings should be sent to the Associate Editor, Charlotte Wyckoff.

Matters concerning the Magazine should be referred to Edith Foley.

Notices of births, deaths, engagements, marriages, campus and Faculty notes should go to Miss Manwaring.

All business concerning subscriptions, and requests for single issues to Adele Martin.

NEWS COMPETITION.

The competition for the position of reporter on the News is now open to the Sophomore class. Assignments will be made to each girl who enters the competition, but competitors are reminded that all the news cannot be foreseen and assigned, and that all interest in College life are News material.

If a party is given at your house, or by an organization of which you are a member, write it up. It is the News’ business to represent every department of College life, but especially when the festivity is for the benefit of the smaller organizations are not only unreported, but unannounced. If a state club of which you are a member has a meeting let the News know about it. If you wish, you are not, at least, announce it, and it will have its place in the College Calendar.

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We have heard, of course, of the great fire at Wellesley on March 17 which utterly destroyed College Hall, the oldest of the buildings, around which gathered our dearest traditions and associations. The losses to a great extent can never be repaired, even if money were no consideration. Wellesley girls must sorrowfully resign themselves to the destruction of many valuable and unique pictures and gifts in addition to the inestimable sentimental loss. But there is a loss which can and must be met. Wellesley needs, to enable her to retain the "College Beautiful" and to retain her place in the front rank of Women's Colleges, $3,000,000. Of this sum, $1,250,000 must be raised by January first, 1915, in order to secure the $750,000 promised by the Rockefeller Foundation. Every under-graduate, in fact, every present and former member of the College, is straining every nerve to help Alma Mater in this hour of greatest need. The heroic, unselfish conduct of the girls who marched so calmly out of the blazing building, forgetting their own losses in the effort to help others and to help the College, commends the Wellesley training and the Wellesley spirit as nothing else could. While we are very proud, we are not in the least surprised. We who lived for four years with Wellesley's motto before us: "Not to be ministered unto, but to minister," expected no less.

In view of this, and of the courageous faith with which the College in the face of this staggering loss undertook the task of restoration before the ashes of College Hall were cold, we feel justified in asking our friends to help us meet this emergency. Will you not help me by sending me one dollar for Wellesley? I am trying to reach one hundred friends with this request, and shall be very grateful for any amount of interest you may wish to express. Very sincerely yours.

THE WELLESLEY COLLEGE NEWS.

CRITAN CIVILIZATION.

At 8:00 P.M., on Friday, October 9, Associate Professor Edwards lectured in the geology lecture room B, on "Critan Civilization." There are actual remains of a civilization in Crete which existed as early as 3000 B.C., and from the remains of the stone age it is probable that people lived there ten thousand years ago, but of them nothing is known. From the work of Dr. Evans, who in 1894 began excavating Cretan palaces, it appears that the bronze age lasted from 2800-1200 B.C. The golden age of Crete is approximately the same as the ancient mainland of Greece, from 1000-500 B.C.

During this period they built labyrinthine palaces, four stories high, lighted by airshfts. These palaces contain bathrooms and lavatories with excellent plumbing and mantels. Frescoes showing action abound in great variety. The men and women that they show are much like the modern Cretans, slim and straight, with delicate features.

The most important of the lesser arts was pottery. The decorations on the pottery run from the "trickle pattern," made by putting color at the top and letting it run down, to the most intricate scenes from nature. There are stone vases dating from 2500 B.C., which show remarkably skillful workmanship. There are also bits of silver work and some beautiful gold work extant.

After her lecture, Miss Edwards showed pictures of some of the objects of art which have been found, as well as views and plans of the palaces.

THE ZOOLOGY DEPARTMENT IN NEW QUARTERS.

During the latter part of the summer, the College erected a small building between Simpson and Stone Hall for the exclusive use of the Zoology Department. The building is of a temporary nature, very similar to the Administration Building in design, and well equipped with gas, electricity, water and heat. It contains two large laboratories for zoology, one laboratory for the advanced courses and another for storage purposes and for preparation for the laboratory work. The space at the end of the corridors has been partitioned off for two small offices for the use of the members of the department.

The laboratories have been well supplied with the necessary equipment for work. A great deal of material was secured from the Biological Station at Wood's Hole, this summer, and microscopes ordered from Germany, arrived in Wellesley just as war was being declared in Europe.

A most valuable and interesting gift was received recently from Denton Brothers of Wellesley. It contained specimens showing the life history of both the gypsy and brown-tail moths, and, in addition, two rare insects of India. Both of these insects are interesting from the fact that they imitate leaves so exactly in color and shape that the difference can hardly be detected. Denton Brothers have also offered a large collection of butterflies to be given as soon as permanent quarters are secured for the Zoology Department.

YOUTH'S COMPANION: FIRE FUND.

The Fire Fund, in spite of its devoted attendance on us, is one of the things we never seem to lose interest in. We always want to know how the other girl "did it;" and here are a few of the ways: A 1914 girl published the "Portrait Directory of 1914," thereby promoting "the academic and social establishment of the incoming students in the community of Faculty and upperclassmen," also minimizing the number of times you have to ask the Balm: de "Uj. Are you my Professor?"

A member of 1916 has gone into the pencil business, with the whole class acting as traveling salesmen. About twelve hundred dollars were cleared. We hope you have one of the pencils—beautiful slim, yellow ones, bearing the legend: "Restoration Fund, Wellesley, 1916."

Another Junior, being an early bird on the morning of March 17, snapped College Hall in the act of burning, with her kodak. The sale of snapshots has reached the one hundred and twenty dollar mark.

Vacuum cleaners have become a byword and a necessity in many homes, since "we" started selling them. Three hundred dollars has come in so far, and of course people will need more vacuum cleaners as winter and cool dust set in.

A member of 1916, talented exceedingly, wrote an oratorio this summer. The charming story, adopted from a fairy tale, was acted out by children trained and drilled by the composer.

Not all of us, of course, are musical geniuses; some of us haven't even hobbies; but we've almost all of us made money. Diverse were the ways: circuses, tutoring, housekeeping, bazaars, pageants and musicals and dances, bridge parties and benefit photoplays, renting of garments and selling of place-cards, manicuring and hairdressing, and we are heartless at the ingenuity of us.

SUGGESTIONS FOR RAISING MONEY FOR THE FUND.

The following letter, sent by one of my classmates to one hundred and fifty friends, brought nearly $100 for the Fund. It is printed here by request of the committee in the hope that other Alumnae may use it with equally good results.

MARSHA P. CONNANT, '96.
PRAYERS IN TIME OF WAR.

We take pleasure in printing these prayers, at the request of Miss Conant, and commend them to your attention in these troubled times.

A Prayer in Times of War. (Reprinted from "The Living Church," name of compiler not given.)

"O God, the protector of all that trust in Thee, who in the midst of the storm, nothing is holy, look we beseech Thee, upon the nations of the earth which are arrayed in hostile armies against each other; stay their hands, O God, that they strike not in anger; given them the will, that they may seek peace and understand it; bless the ministries of those thy servants who are seeking to bring peace to the nations; give wisdom and a godly fear of Thee, the Lord of all the earth, to the rulers and governors in all lands; be pleased, we humbly beseech Thee, to direct and prosper all their consultations to the advancement of Thy glory, the good of Thy church, the safety, honor, and welfare of Thy people; that all things may be so ordered and settled by their endeavors, upon the best and surest foundations, that peace and happiness, truth and justice, religion and piety, may be established for all generations. Thy Holy Name doth glorify the earth, and all the peoples of the earth, we humbly beseech in the name and mediation of Jesus Christ, our most blessed Lord and Saviour, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

Prayer in War. Set forth by Bishop Lawrence, August, 1914.

"O Almighty God, Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, from whom the whole family in heaven and earth is named, look down with pity, we beseech Thee, upon those members of Thy family who are now at war.

Refrain them from hatred, pride and hardness of heart. Sustain in them the love of justice and mercy.

Keep, O Lord, under thy protection those who are in peril by land or sea. Remember the prisoners, relieve the sick and wounded, support the dying.

Give strength to those who minister in hospitals and camps, and hope to those who are in anxiety or sorrow.

Hasten the day, when all nations shall dwell together in peace, through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Continue, we pray Thee, O God, to this our beloved country the blessings of peace, and so lead us in the path of righteousness and truth that we may keep our place among the nations of the earth and do our part towards preparing the way for thy kingdom.

All this we ask in the name of Him, who is the King of Peace, Thy Son Jesus Christ, our Lord. Amen."

MISSION STUDY BEGINS.

Mission Study courses are going to start very shortly. The committee has planned some innovations which will be of interest to the whole college, and especially to the Freshmen. In the first place Freshmen are to be admitted to Mission Study classes. In the second place, classes are to be divided into three grades; the first grade for freshmen, the second grade for Sophomores and Juniors who have had courses in Mission Study; and the third for Seniors, and Juniors who have taken courses last year. This will make it possible for all members of the college to enroll where they belong.

The leaders of the classes are working at present under Miss Calder of Boston, who is an expert on Mission Study. A pamphlet will be issued the end of this week stating the courses offered this fall. The subjects for home missions this year will include Mormonism, the Mountain Whites, and the Legal Immigration Problem, and for foreign missions the Social Aspects of Missions, the Emergency in China, Missionsary Biography, India and Mexico. Surely one at least of this list is of vital interest to each one of us.

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A STUDY IN POINT OF VIEW.

Exclamations upon opening to page 5.

1. See the pretty animals! At the top are five and five bunnies. Five bunnies plus five bunnies makes ten bunnies. At the side are two horses, a mammoth horse and a baby horse. Would you not like to play with the bunnies, and ride on the horses?

2. Classify “rabbit” and “horse” as vertebrates. Name all the muscles used by the former in standing upright.

3. On the whole, the rabbit heading is as satisfactory as any we have. I wonder how the advertising manager came to put that cut on page 5.

4. Perceive and react! Aggregate collections of simple monads dominated by souls!

HISTORY FOR BEGINNERS.

The Battle of Marathon.

Listen, oh people, and you shall know, Of something that happened a while ago.

In B.C. 490, some Persians, they say, Sailed in their ships into Marathon Bay.

Ten thousand Greeks waiting did run down the hill, Their impulse to play, and their purpose to kill!

The Persians got rattle and fell in dismay, And several, unhappily, fell in the bay.

Those who were left—for Asia they sailed, They thought they’d be smart, but by golly, they failed!

Review questions:

(1) What did the Persians sail in (to)?

(2) How did they fail?

 Columbus Day—Holiday?

Beside them lay the lapping lake, Behind them all the joys of home. But they these pleasures must forsake Amidst the dreary books to roam. But as Columbus sailed the sea, So we must sail this doleful mom. Our port the dear old library And with our hero still “Go on.”

HISTORY OF ART.

Senior: (Reading a card in the Egyptian case in the Art Gallery). “Exploration Fund. What dynasty did that come in?”

PHILOSOPHIC QUERY.

(Starring Assignment)

Explain why, if Leib Knits, Immanuel Kant.

PARLIAMENT OF FOOLS.

SONG OF PAGE 5.

Dost turn to me, O student fair, O dost thou turn to me? Methoughty thy tastes took greater care, Methought them too refined to dare To cast an eye on me.

Across from me is ne'er 4, O cast thine eye on her? What! canst thou e'en find her a home, Dost love me than religion more, Dost really me prefer?

I pritch at gaze upon page 3, For she is wondrous wise; She'll tell thee what thou art to do,— Fair reader, didst thou say, “O pooh?” Amazement in me lies.

For what am I among the rest To quench thy mental thirst? My humor is not of the best— Sometimes it's hard to find a jest, And yet, thou read'st me first!

LINE-A-DAY BOOK.

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Sunday, October 4. Hymn sung at Vespers “Our earthly hopes that one by one depart.”

Monday, October 5. Slight unrest observed in all 329 classes.

Tuesday, October 6. Chapel hymn—“A crowd of witnesses around hold thee in full survey.”

Wednesday, October 7. Chapel hymn—“A bit of lovely work to do,” and “I would be treated as a child.”

Saturday, October 10, 1918. Forget to cheer Shakespeare while screeching the campus, thus ignoring the tradition of 1913’s Freshman Serenade.

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LAKE HOUSE INTERIOR.

The living room at Lake House has called forth so many complimentary remarks that it seems only fair to acknowledge the contributions made in time and thought by Miss Eliza Newkirk of the Art Department, and by Mr. William C. Safford, a Boston interior decorator. Miss Newkirk helped to plan the color scheme, which involved the harmonizing of some difficult elements, and also to select the large pieces of furniture. To Mr. Safford’s generous expenditure of time and means we owe our charming rugs. The success in the furnishings of the public rooms in Lovewell House and in Leighton House, we also owe in a measure to Mr. Safford’s generous and personal interest in the College.

It is a pleasure to make these acknowledgments.

ASSISTANT CHORISTER.

Helen Kennedy, 1916, has been appointed assistant chorister of the choir.

CONCERTS FOR THE PEOPLE.

The Boston Music School Settlement has announced a series of Sunday afternoon “Concerts for the People,” to be given at the Boston Theater every other week, beginning with October 25, at 3 P.M., prices to range from 15 to 75 cents. The dates are: October 25: Maude Powell, violinist; Felix Fox, pianist. November 8: Arthur Sarto, violinist; George Mitchell, pianist. November 22: Tina Lerner, pianist; the Swedish Singing Society Barmer, Gustaf Sundelin, conductor. December 6: Mme. Gerville-Renche, contralto; the Hoffman String Quartet.

AT THE PLAY.


PLYMOUTH THEATRE.

“Wanted $22,000,” the new Cohan and Harris piece, is on the second week of its engagement at the Plymouth Theatre, Boston. Comedy, tragedy, or tragic comedy—whatever it appears from one moment to another—it is a clever snappy “play.” The story represents a play within a play. The plot concerns the difficulty of James Howard, bank president, who has embezzled $200,000 to accommodate a friend, and who has likewise borrowed $2,000 from the paying teller.—Adv.

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The actual illustrations number forty-five.

The profits go to the Fund, and the buyer therefore achieves at once a bargain and a benevolence.

Katherine Lee Bates, '80.

ALUMNAE NEWS

Edith Young, 1900, writes to remind readers of the News whose home is New York of the very great demand for volunteer workers for the Charity Organization Society. Miss Joanna C. Cocolo, Superintendent of District Work, will meet volunteers at the Central Office, 105 East Twenty-second Street, New York. Miss Helen L. Burtis, 1900, an older alumna, has been recently appointed regent of the Mary Kilton Dummer Chapter, D. A. R., Hallowell, Me.

Miss Mary B. Pratt, Sp. 1899-1901, is head of the Elementary Department in the private school of Miss M. L. Batewar, 1899, in Kansas City, Mo. Margaret N. Jackson and Caroline L. Lewis, of 1911, are teaching in the school.

Mrs. Gordon Walker Caine, 1900, bas, with her husband, been spending the summer in this country.

Mrs. Carolyn Rogers Hill, 1900, returned from Europe on the "Princesse d'Udine," a steamer chartered by Americans caught in Europe by the war.

Dr. Katherine Scott, 1900, has been obliged to postpone indefinitely her return to India, on account of the war.

Cary Noble, 1904, has charge of the milk and water examinations of the New York City Health Department.

Among the members of 1914 who have reported their plans for the year are the following: Esther Hawley is teaching Latin, mathematics and history, at the Catherine Aiken School, Stamford, Conn.


Florence Thompson, English and German, at the Franklin, Pa., High School.

Lisa Villari, science, at Roseneau Hall, South Orange, N. J.

Mary Bean, assistant teacher at the Foxboro, Mass., High School.

Hazel Fairbanks, languages, at the Wellfleet, Mass., High School.

Marguerite Gomp, history and English, at the Unadilla, N. Y., High School.

Helen Hutchcroft, mathematics, at the Paris, Ky., High School.

Julia Snow is to be laboratory assistant in the Department of Geology at Wellesley.

Bessie Graham is in the post-office at Lee, Mass.

Elizabeth Case is a grade school teacher at Rupert, Idaho.

Lillian Bakes is an instructor in physics at Pratt Institute, New York.

Erminie Ayer is teaching modern languages at Guilford College, Guilford, N. C.

Helene Fischer, mathematics, at the Misses' Niles' School, Paterson, N. J.

Myra Gifford, assistant at Russell's Mills High School, Dartmouth, Mass.

Jennie Cary, history, at the Thompsonville, Conn., High School.


Alice Cotter, English and drawing, at the Hoosick Falls, N. Y., High School.

Grace Coyle holds the College Settlement Fellowship for 1914-15. She will do her work in New York City.

Elizabeth Ford, science, at the Liberty, N. Y., High School.

Ethel Spofford, mathematics and language, at the Woodsville, N. H., High School.

Frances Baker, science and mechanical drawing, at the Sinclairville, N. Y., High School.

Louise Henry, Latin and English, at the North Kingston High School, Wickford, R. I.

Bertha Green, science and history, at the Holden, Mass., High School.

Helen Ahrens, English, at the Hamburgh, N. J., High School.

Mildred Hoopes, assistant principal at the Laurel, Del., High School.

Sarah Evets, grade school teacher at Northfield, Conn.

Rebecca Flint is teaching modern languages at the Hillside, Wis., Home School.

Agnes Bland is studying at the School of Salesmanship, 264 Boylston Street, Boston.

Emma Hunt is teaching bacteriology and biology at the Framingham, Mass., Normal School.

Marion McCarroll is a regular church worker in the Greenwich Presbyterian Church of New York City.

ENGAGEMENTS.

Mary S. Larrabee, 1909, to Rowland Swift Ulye.


Julia Raymond Schulz, 1914, to William H. Capen.

Marion Theda Hale, 1913, to Justin Curtiss Sunburn, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, 1912, of Springfield, Mass.

Marion Hammond, 1914, to Lionel Fall, Dartmouth, 1912.

Marion E. Johnson, 1912, to John Lewis Murray of New York City.

MARRIAGES.


Van Deusen—Barlow. In Brooklyn, N. Y., on June 30, 1914, Margaret M. Barlow, 1909, to Edgar Alchin Van Deusen.


Burgham—Morrill. In Yorkers, N. Y., on October 6, 1914, Lida Radcliffe Morrill, 1911, to John Cleveland Burgham.

Taylor—Gray. In Dallas, Texas, on October 6, 1914, Bertha Pase Gray, 1911, to Green McClennan Taylor.

BIRTHS.

On September 28, 1914, a son, John Shook, to Mrs. Clarence Hancock, (Emily Shook), 1908.

In Medford, Mass., on July 12, 1914, a daughter, Ruth Stratton, to Mrs. Marion Stratton Miller, 1909.

In Hudson, Wis., on August 31, 1914, a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, to Mrs. Margaret Ingram Hughes, 1909.

In Seattle, Wash., on August 13, 1914, a second son to Mrs. Frederic A. White, (Willey Anderson), 1910.

In Brooklyn, N. Y., on September 9, 1914, a daughter, Jean Forrest, to Mrs. Edith Mills Purcell, 1899.

On September 2, 1914, a daughter, Janet Christie, to Mrs. Horace S. Sargent, (Marie W. Christie), 1906.

In Wayne, Pa., on August 7, 1914, a daughter, Mary Elizabeth, to Mrs. Thomas Magill Patterson, (Emma B. Cox), 1899.

On September 4, 1914, a son, Alfred G., to Mrs. Julian G. Schwab, (Rosald Ab), 1908.

At Jacksonville, Ill., on September 21, 1914, a daughter, Margaret Elizabeth, to Mrs. J. Weir Elliott, (E. Louise Smith), 1899.

On September 5, 1914, a son, Leo Roy Kim, to Mrs. Walter Macekpease, (Ethel D. Sperry), 1900.

DEATHS.

At Newton, on September 26, 1914, Ellis F. Blaney, mother of Elizabeth Blaney, 1912.

In Baltimore, Md., on September 23, 1914, Louise Latimer Bacon, mother of Clara Latimer Bacon, 1899, and of Agnes Latimer Bacon, 1897.

At Wellesley, on September 25, 1914, Abbie M. Ellery, mother of Florence L. Ellery, 1888, Library Assistant at the College.

CHANGES OF ADDRESS.

Mrs. Carl Dreyfus, (Sylvia Goulston), 1914, to Care of Jacob Dreyfus & Sons, 68 Summer Street, Boston. (Until further notice)

Mrs. Robert E. McMath, (Grace Richman), 1912, 630 Riverside Drive, New York City.

Jane Roser, 1913, to Black Rock, Bridgeport, Conn.

Dr. Helen Baldwin, 1888, to 129 East 314 Street, New York City.

Mrs. Arthur D. Secley, (Pauline Miller), 1913, to 509 West Main Street, Meriden, Conn. (For the winter)

WELLESLEY CLUBS.

The Alumnae editor owes an apology for the antiquity of some of her material, especially in regard to the Wellesley Clubs. The delay in publication comes partly from the lack of space in the Commencement number, and partly from the almost inevitable confusion arising from change of
editors, and consequent misdirection of manuscript. She thus owes an apology to the secretaries for the omission of parts of their reports, which editorial considerations will require.

Former Wellesley students in the neighborhood of Olean, N. Y., have voted to form a club. On September 12 they showed the College films and stage a local theater. The proceeds from the sale of tickets and candy were forty-five dollars. The committee consisted of Mrs. W. D. Drew, (Maria Kneen, 1893), chairman, Martha Bullis, 1894, Georgia Smith, 1909, Olive Plave, 1911, and Ruth Leggett, 1912.

Officers of the Southern Pennsylvania Wellesley Club, elected on August 26, are: President, Anna Seer, 1911, 233 Charles Street, Lancaster; Vice-president, Rebecca Greist, 1917, 208 South Queen Street, Lancaster; Recording Secretary, Anna Margaret Miller, 1914, 2117 North Third Street, Harrisburg; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Margaret S. Tuttle, 1913, 7 North Queen Street, York; Councillors, Mrs. John E. Tuttle, (Anne Stockbridge, 1880), 7 North Queen Street, York.

Officers of the Washington, D. C., Wellesley Club are: President, Mrs. Isidor Berman, (Mary L. Hunt, 1881-83, 2341 Eighteenth Street; Vice-president, Fliethsoon, 1889-90, W. Timlow, 1890-91, 320 Scott Circle; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Samuel Herrick, (Fanny Field, 1904), 2512 Ontario Road; Secretary-Treasurer, Edna C. Spaulding, 1892, 1234 N. Street; Councillor, Frla. M. Raynal, 1887, 1626 Riggs Place.

The president of the Hartford Wellesley Club is Clara D. Capron, 1883-85.

The St. Paul Wellesley Club reports a membership of 31, and the following officers: President, Mrs. Francis Sauza, (Rachel Hoge, 1898), 530 Holly Avenue, St. Paul; Vice-president, Edith Foulke, 1891-92, 558 Lincoln Avenue; Recording Secretary, Alice E. Perry, 1902, 574 Marshall Avenue; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Marjorie Snyder, 1910, 1005 Porthard Avenue; Councillor, Mrs. C. A. Severance, (Mary F. Harriman, 1883), Connecticut, 1880-90, 1600 Connecticut Avenue; Secretary of Mission Fund Committee, Mrs. C. Alberti Der, (Ada M. Henry, 1890), 1411 Lincoln Avenue; Chairman of Mission Fund Committee, Anna Bodgland, 1914, 213 Goodrich Avenue; Chairman of Membership Committee, Ruth Reed, 1915, 1109 Lincoln Avenue.

The Rhode Island Wellesley Club held its annual business meeting on May 23. Hope Reynolds, 1908, resigned from the presidency, and Mrs. Henry E. Fowler, 1909, was elected to serve for the remaining year of office.

Officers of the Central California Wellesley Club elected on April 23, are as follows: President, Mabel Pierce, 1904, 1000 Chestnut Street, San Francisco; Vice-president, Mrs. Frederick Burk, Caroline Fearn, 1892, Box 3, Kentfield, Marin County; Recording Secretary, Mrs. Willard Richardson, (Clara Osmond, 1888-92), 8 Joyce Street, San Francisco; Corresponding Secretary and Treasurer, Mrs. Walter Brockings, (Marion Kline, 1904), 2619 Divisadero Street, San Francisco.

Annual Report of the Wellesley Club of Rochester, N. Y.:

There have been only five new members this year: the Misses Ethel Barber, Fanny Marquand, Adelaide Lewis of Brockport, Mary Page and Dorothy McCausley. Miss Barber and Miss Marquand have positions under Dr. Denio, a former member of the Wellesley Faculty, in the Art Department of the University of Rochester. Miss Page has come to Rochester to teach in a private school.

During the year 1913-14 ten meetings, the annual luncheon, and a lecture by Mary Antin have been held. The social meeting and tea held December twenty-seventh, to which everyone connected with Wellesley in the vicinity was invited, was a great success, thanks to Dr. Denio's able assistant.

The club asked Miss Collins of the Department of Psychology and Philosophy to speak to the High Schools and as guest of honor at the annual luncheon. The club worked all winter collecting money for the Millenium Endowment Fund; the amount given range between one dollar and two hundred and fifty dollars. Up to the time of the fire, Mrs. Burton, chairman of the committee, had collected $1,192; since the building and endowment funds have been combined we have raised $1,850, which we expect to increase to $2,000 before June 1, 1915.

When the first report of the fire reached Rochester the Endowment Committee was in session. This committee immediately began to make plans for bringing Mary Antin to Rochester in order to raise money for the building fund. $450 was cleared on this lecture and nineteen dollars from the sale of the five issues of the News. The Rochester Club prides itself greatly on being the first Wellesley Club to make arrangements for any money-making venture to raise money for the building fund.

DOROTHY McCausley, Secretary.

The first meeting of the fall for the Boston Wellesley Club was a reception at the Hotel Vendome to Vassar Alumnae of the vicinity. About one hundred and sixty enjoyed the delightful afternoon. Miss E. V. Moffett, herself a Vassar graduate, now Associate Professor of History at the college, spoke entertainingly on "How the situation at Wellesley has been met." Miss Brown (piano) and Miss Montgomery (mezzo-soprano), both of the School of Music, rendered charming selections. For the next meeting, to be held at Miss E. W. Evans' School, 29 Fairfield Street, Boston, an interesting program has been prepared. The club has a large committee at work on two concerts by Sousa's band, led by Sousa himself, on the afternoon and evening of Tuesday, November 17, at Symphony Hall. It is hoped to make a large sum for the Restitution and Endowment Fund. Tickets fifty and seventy-five cents and one dollar.

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