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COLLEGE CALENDAR.
Saturday, October 5, 7:30 P. M., The Barn, Barnswallows' Reception.
Sunday, October 8, Houghton Memorial Chapel.
11:00 A. M., Reverend Edward F. Sanderson.
5:00 P. M., Vespers. Special Music.
Wednesday, October 11, 4:15 P. M., The Barn, Freshman Reception.
5:15 P. M., Christian Association Meetings. Billings Hall, Speakers, Bible Study Committee.
St. Andrew's Church: Speaker, Marion Sawyer.
Thursday, October 12, Agora, Fire Fund Sale.
Sunday, October 15, Houghton Memorial Chapel.
11:00 A. M., Morning Service.
7:00 P. M., Vespers. Speaker, Miss Jac Macekenu.

"WE'RE GLAD TO MEET YOU 1920!"

Enthusiasm for our newest sister has been the chief element in everybody's sensations this past week. From the time the be-hatted band of upperclassmen met the new-comers and lived up to their title of "Ask us," to the Christian Association reception Saturday night, the Freshmen have showed themselves to be a most delightful class to have around.

On Tuesday, after a talk on "Sports" by Emma Barrett, President of Athletic Association, 1920 started her athletic career. Informal sports of all kinds called forth a great many participants. Crew seems particularly popular this year, and basket ball, hockey, tennis, baseball, archery and golf did not lack their enthusiastic adherents. The beauty of these informal call-outs is that everyone is allowed to try all the sports before signing up for any one, and so to appreciate beforehand the wonderful possibilities of each.

Christian Association has been preluding its big reception by a series of teas where one meets people and has refreshments to one's heart's content.

But in this first week, the freshman has not been tempted to become entirely social or athletic. In fact, the freshman has appreciated the lectures given Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday evenings to a degree which gives promise of a long honor roll in the future. Miss Pendleton and Dorothy Rhoades spoke Tuesday night on College life, the former stressing the academic life, and the latter Student Government, and the proper attitude toward village seniors. Wednesday Miss Hart gave a talk containing valuable suggestions as to reading for spare time. Thursday Miss Roberts spoke about the library.

Thursday was a busy day for everyone, for beside the lecture in the evening there was a most entertaining vaudeville in the afternoon. Our dramatic and vaudeville talent was highly appreciated by those keenest of critics, freshman direct from the outside world. Daisy Atterbury's very clever cartooning, Dorothy Greene's grace, and Florence Johnson's "regular stunts" were among the favorites.

The Monday that classes began, there were sports meeting for freshman in the afternoon, and at noon for upper classmen, in which the regular explanations of call-outs and the reading of training rules were given. With the welcome that the freshman have received from the other classes, and the cordiality and enthusiasm shown by 1920 for the whole universe, we hope for a line year and "lots of pep."

On Saturday evening the great hall at Tower Court was thrown open to the three upper classes and to the guests of honor of the evening: the members of the Class of 1920. In spite of the spaciousness of Tower Court, the Christian Association reception was the traditionally-thronged affair of old, where one elbowed one's way and one's Freshmen's way among friends and acquaintances; and tried in vain to find one's dearest friend. The court was hung with Japanese lanterns, but the wind blew chill from the lake, and everyone stayed in the crowded hall.

In the receiving line stood Edith Chandler, President Pendleton, Miss Davis, Dorothy Rhoades, Emma Barrett, Miss Wheeler, and Mary Ellen Clark. In front of the fireplace, was the speaker's platform; and here the presidents of college organizations welcomed the class of 1920 to college. Introduced by Edith Chandler, Miss Pendleton laughingly explained that although the new names might have been twisted on the way down the receiving line, the new faces were none the less welcome. She told the Freshmen then that they should make the best not only of the academic side of college life, but of the opportunities for friendship and rare good fellowship. Miss Davis then spoke of the way in which we shall all give what we could to Wellesley, as well as receive what Wellesley offered us, and said that "there is no failure, except the failure to do one's best." Dorothy Rhoades and Emma Barrett brought the greetings of the Student Government and Athletic Associations to the new students; and Edith Chandler then read telegrams bearing good wishes from Betsey Limont, from Patty Westwood, from Edith Jones and Ruth Hard, and from Lonnie Smith and Mary Torrence. Then on behalf of the Christian Association, she too welcomed 1920 to College. When she concluded, the crowd made its way, slowly and a bit uncomfortably—to the cloakrooms, and tired 1920 returned to the village.

The Christian Association Social Committee and particularly Margaret Howe, 1918, the chairman, deserves much praise for this delightful occasion made possible by their enthusiastic and persistent work.

PROFESSOR DUNCAN.

Professor John C. Duncan, successor to Miss Whiting begins work this fall as head of the Astronomy Department at Wellesley. Professor Duncan comes to us with a very extensive record of scholastic achievements, dating from his graduation from the University of Indiana in 1905. The following year he received the Master's degree from the same institution. In 1905-6 Mr. Duncan studied at the Lowell Observatory in Flagstaff, Arizona, where he also first made the acquaintance of the new hostess of the Observatory house. After acting as instructor at the University of Indiana during 1906-7, he spent the next two years as a Fellow at the Lick Observatory and received his doctor's degree from the University of California in 1909. From 1909 until his appointment here, Mr. Duncan served as instructor in Astronomy at Harvard. This past summer he spent in the west, dividing his time between Lick and Mt. Wilson observatories and the Lowell Observatory at Flagstaff.

Besides presiding over Observatory House, Mrs. Duncan will act as curator of the Whitten Observatory. Miss Leah Brown Allen, M.A., will continue as instructor in the department which she has served now for seven years. Practically the same courses will be offered as under Miss Whiting, with the addition of a new course in observational astronomy on Monday evenings for a limited number of seniors who have not been able to take the course in Descriptive Astronomy.

Besides the fact that Professor Duncan and his wife are notable in their line of work, there is one other reason which makes their welcome to Wellesley particularly hearty. They bring with them a little daughter who is practically the only child living on our campus now and therefore a person of much importance. We extend an especially warm welcome to her and hope that she will love our college as much as we do.
ANOTHER NEW YEAR.

Now seems to be the most advantageous time of the entire college year for us to make an inventory of ourselves. Therefore the News is going to anticipate the calendar new year and bring that season's greetings to its readers at this point, the beginning of a new college year. After the long vacation, what a surprising number of splendid things are awaiting us here. In the first place it is such good fun to be "back," renewing old friendships and making new ones among the incoming Freshman class.

And don't you, 1915, 1916, 1918, 1919, think that these latter comprise our very chief blessing. Collectively as well as individually we're mighty proud of you 1919. Your enterprise and enthusiasm deserve unqualified Instruction, objects to the News is glad of an early opportunity to introduce itself to you and to add its welcome to those already offered. Wellesley expects great things of its newest daughters and you may be sure that the News, together with all the rest of the college organizations, is anxious and willing to help you take advantage of your opportunities here.

We know what jolly things the future holds in store and envy you more or less for the fact that your college days are all ahead of you.

Beginnings are always so much more interesting than endings. Why the very thought of a new start is an inspiration toward better achievements in every line of our college activity. This affects the News board too and from the very outset of the year we aim to make every issue of 1916-1917 more pleasant and interesting than ever before.

Our columns are at the service of Wellesley, but in order to serve you most efficiently we need your co-operation as contributors as well as readers. In order that the News may reflect the sentiments of the college as well as report events we ask especially for expressions of opinion on questions of current interest. Our heartfelt wishes to all our readers for a very happy and most successful new year.

PAMPERING THE FRESHMEN.

Every year increases the amount of entertaining of one sort and another with which we seek to welcome the freshmen and to make them as soon as possible distinctively Wellesley students. Within the last few years, the arrangement requiring that the new class arrive a week before the beginning of work has offered new fields for this benevolent and altogether delightful enterprise. From the time when, timidly alighting from the train, they are met by a cordial reception committee until well say Christmas vacation the freshmen are the objects of motherly care and watchfulness on the part of the upper classmen and no stone is left unturned in the matter of their entertainment and instruction. A certain degree of this is doubtless right and fitting but it is quite possible to overdo and we seem to be inclining in that direction very rapidly.

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ATTENTION—SHoppers!

In soliciting advertisements, for our Wellesley periodicals, one frequently has to face the assertion, "We don't advertise in college publications." Now the question is, why do firms, especially those who advertise largely anyway, think it not worth their while to use college papers as media for announcing their attractions? We fear the difficulty is that undergraduates seldom read carefully the advertisements displayed; but from now on we ask you to study them diligently and profit by your suggestions. The News and Magazine believe that it is in the power of the student body, by a little thoughtfulness when shopping, to change this attitude; and with this in view, we earnestly beg you to be observing, and to "mention the News and Magazine when replying to advertisements."
COLLEGE NOTES.

Dormitory conditions are somewhat crowded just now, but it is expected that the West Dormitory on College Hill Hall will be completed by Christmas vacation. Remembering this, the slightly inconvenient present arrangement takes on something of the aspect of a lack.

The postponement of college has meant that we are a week behind schedule in starting. But it’s not hard to make up a week’s work in the course of a whole year.

It is suggested that the stances on Art Building Hall mean the breaking of ground fairly soon for one of the new Academic buildings—a welcome thought.

The new handsomely finished refectory tables in the Tower Court dining room are a welcome feature in that they dignify the dining room. Were there benches to sit on instead of the chairs, the impression of mediocrism would be quite complete.

The free day for class meetings, Student Government meetings, etc., has been changed from Thursday to Wednesday this year.

The Stone Hall tennis courts for social tennis are near completion.

The Faculty of the Department of Hygiene are to give a reception October 14, to Miss Pendleton, that all the students of the department may meet her.

Saturday evening, September 30, Miss Homan's gave a dinner to her staff, at the Old Natick Inn.

In view of the fact that after this year no undergraduates except those taking the five year course will be admitted to the Hygiene Department it is interesting to note that of the senior class this year, 18 are graduate students, while there are 12 graduate students in the junior class. The demand for teachers in this department exceeds the supply about five times and those having a B.A. degree as well as the certificate of the Department are especially wanted.

The new members of the Hygiene Staff are Dr. Hedwig Malmsrud from Stockholm, Miss Elizabeth Halsey, a graduate of the Department and of the University of Chicago, and Helen Barton, B.A. Radcliffe, B.A. Simmons.

A very fine twenty-two foot motor boat has been ordered for use on our lake.

Miss Homan's recently received an unsolicited check for $800 which is deposited toward the swimming pool fund.

Professor Ferguson of the Botany Department is taking a year of much needed rest, travelling in various parts of our own country.

Professor Balch of the Economics Department expects to spend a great part of this year in the neutral countries in Europe working with those who are interested in bringing about peace.

With undaunted zeal and enthusiasm for her specialty Professor Haves of the Latin Department is planning to spend the winter studying in Southern France and Italy.

Owing to illness, Professor Perdriau of the French Department will be unable to take up his work until the beginning of second semester.

High honor has come to Professor Calkins of the Department of Philosophy and Psychology. She has been appointed Mills lecturer at the University of California for the first semester of this year. The position is one that has in the past been held by such persons as Professor Royce and Professor Palmer. Miss Calkins will return to Wellesley for the second semester.

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Mr. Monaghan is to leave Wellesley for Walnut Hill; and Wellesley is asking, "What can we do? Mr. Monaghan always did that before?" Having served the college for fifteen or sixteen years, he leaves to take a position at Walnut Hill somewhat similar to that of Mr. Austin here. Mr. Monaghan leaves a wonderful record behind him; in all the years that he has been with the college, he has done everything anyone has ever asked him, without a murmur or complaint. Small wonder that he is remembered by many alumnas, and that the undergraduates and the administration hate to see him go.

He was the superintendent of College Hall at the time of the first and the following incident which occurred when he was going over the Walnut Hill building for the first time, is interesting for that reason. Miss Conant was showing him the buildings. Suddenly he stopped and said, "I smell smoke." The two of them hunted around until they found, in the basement, a pile of smoldering rags thrown to one side by some painters who had been working there. When they had been removed and all danger of fire was over, he remarked with a twinkle, "You see, I know the smell."

AN EXPERIMENT.

The Department of Reading and Speaking is trying a most interesting and valuable experiment this year. Following the example of Smith College, they are examining the speaking voice of every new student, in an effort to help do away with the oft heard criticism of the "awful American voice." Believing that it is an important part of a girl's education to learn to speak her own language well, the members of this department have undertaken to do what they can to encourage girls to take an interest in such voice cultivation, even though Reading and Speaking is not a required course here at Wellesley. Partly through conversation with the freshman under examination and partly through the more conscious method of making her read, the examiners were able to form an estimate of each girl's voice and to advise her what course in Reading and Speaking would prove most beneficial to her. It was no small undertaking, for the freshman class is large, but those who have been making the tests feel that their time and energy has been well spent. Those of us who believe that women's colleges are beginning to react from the idea that they must be like men's colleges, and to reach out toward individual development; those of us who think that in years to come greater stress will be placed upon the little amenities of life, in the education of women, see in the experiment a step in this direction and welcome it as such.

THE RIDING SCHOOL.

Because such a great interest in riding was shown last spring that 346 girls registered for the sport, Mr. Roys is about to open a riding school here. There is an expert riding master and as many horses as are necessary will be provided. The fees are reasonable—fifteen for ten or twelve for horse and instructor—seventy-five cents per hour. Order blanks for riding costumes may be secured at Room 1, Mary Heminway Hall. Mr. Roys will hold office hours this week.

FRESHMAN RALLY.

Freshman Attention! The first Rally for Wellesley Freshmen will be held next week under the auspices of the Graduate Council Committee on Undergraduate Activities.

Come to the Barn, Class of 1920! at 4.15, on Wednesday afternoon, October the eleventh and you shall hear songs and speeches Wellesley Preparedness—what part the college plays, what part the alumnae organizations play, and what part the undergraduate plays. Results of past preparedness will also be given—in the normal life of home and professions, and in emergencies, as the present War. The leader will be Miss Consuelo Shin- son, '92, and all the speakers will be alumnae. Please watch bulletin boards.

Welcome! Class of 1920 to your own Rally—the first Rally ever held for Wellesley Freshmen!

Florence S. MinerCourier '97, Chairman Graduate Council Committee on Undergraduate Activities.

"RIO GRANDE" AT HOLLIS ST. THEATRE.

Since Augustus Thomas wrote "Rio Grande" and the Charles Frohman company produced it at the Empire Theatre, New York, in the spring, the United States government has sent the greater part of the National Guard to the Mexican border, presumably to verify the military setting and atmosphere of Mr. Thomas' latest play, which comes to the Hollis Street Theatre for a limited engagement beginning Monday night. For "Rio Grande" is a drama of army life at Laredo, Texas, and has a touch of real war in it in the repulse of a band of Mexican raiders and the protection of the bridge over the Rio Grande.

Resembling in some particulars to atmosphere another great play by Augustus Thomas, "Arizona," this new drama has elements of superior power. It is the work of a craftsman who knows his tools, and senses the requirements for a play for the average, normal human demands.

The Charles Frohman company is a carefully selected and well rounded dramatic organization. Frank Campeau, best beloved of all stage villains, is provided with another of those sinister roles in which he seems to delight, and Amelia Gardner has created a most attractive and admirably human character of a whole hearted army woman. Elise Rizer is the love born lady of the story, and William Corbett, Francis Verdi and a dozen others have important roles. The scenery reproduces the environment of Fort Macintosh at Laredo, Texas.

A NEW COLLEGE PUBLICATION.

A publication, which proved of great assistance to the Freshmen this year, in their first week at Wellesley, was the 1920 Portrait Directory. This directory, which was on sale when 1920 arrived, contains photographs and addresses of the incoming students, and names and addresses of the officers of the principal College organizations, as well as an Advertising Directory of the shops of the vicinity. The book was published for the Freshmen by their sister class, 1918, for whom Miss Dorothy Hovey, '15, issued a similar Directory two years ago. The enthusiasm with which this publication was received, not only by the Freshmen but by the entire College public, as witnessed by the fact that the entire 800 copies were sold or ordered during the first week of College, would soon make the publication of an Annual Freshman Directory both desirable and practicable. Those girls who ordered directories at the Elevator Table last week and have not yet received them, should call at No. 431 Tower Court for them immediately.

Wellesley 1920 GREETING!

Start right by buying your Corsets at MADAME WHITNEY'S ROOM 29. THE WABAN WELLESLEY
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FOOL'S ADVICE.

All the Fools in the Parliament welcome all the new-commers and old comers to Wellesley with a rousing chorus of wirh-it—but before the chorus begins, the Fools will confine themselves at present to slight Tidbits of advice to whom it may concern.

The Littlest Fool will offer advice to Freshmen;

Don't seek to lose your freshman charm
By looking old and wise,
Don't try to find your way around
By instinct or surrey;
Don't be deceived by sophomore loft
Or senior mock-humility,
Don't shun the gym, for proper use
Increases your utility.

Larger-scale fools of all at which
Our fine Ad Building lies—
Remember that it's here because
It pays to advertise.
But just be grave—don't be afraid
Of all the world above you,
Stand right up straight, and smile, away,
And every body will love you!

The Next-to-the-Littlest Fool will offer advice to Sophonores, not so much as to Freshmen, because they don't think they need it.

Oh, bear your honors lightly,
Your troubles are not over,
If you've suffered hard as Freshmen,
This year you'll suffer more.

The Biggest Fool of all will offer advice to Juniors; not very long advice.

In all your new-found dignities
And newly acquired zest,
Remember this—that, out of all,
We like your "Little Sisters" best!

The Biggest Fool of all will offer advice to Seniors; very short advice.
Don't have your cap and gown too long this year—
Be a sport!
They're wearing 'em short!

FRESHMAN LAMENT.

(With apologies to H. L.)

Oh, it's nice to be here in Wellesley
When everything goes fine,
And you meet some ninety-five new girls
Who give you a great good time—
But when your marks go fluking
And your brains begin to room,
Oh—it's nice to be here in Wellesley,
But it's nicer to be at home!

CAP AND GOWN WEEK.

The senior wears her cap and gown
This week, where'er she goes.
She cultivates a thoughtful frown
And "not-of-this-world" pose.
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HOURS FOR MEALS

Breakfast 8 to 10
Lunch 12 to 2
Dinner 6 to 8
Afternoon Tea
RESOLUTIONS.

Whereas, It has pleased the Father in His wisdom to call from us our loved classmate Dorothy Eaton.

Be it Resolved, That we, her classmates, feeling a keen sense of personal loss in her sudden and tragic death, would extend to her parents and sister our deepest sympathy.

Be it further Resolved, That these Resolutions be published in the College News, and that a copy of them be sent to the bereaved family.

(Signed) REBECCA E. MEAKES
President, Class of the 1916.

ELIZABETH WILSON.
Secretary, Class of the 1916.

FIRST CHAPEL SERVICE.

Saturday morning, September 30, the class of 1917 made its first appearance in cap and gown and marched in a body to the chapel for an address by Miss Pendleton perhaps but otherwise with full senior dignity.

Miss Pendleton spoke briefly of the changes that mark the beginning of this—the forty-second year of the college. She spoke of the many additions to the library made, for the benefit of the West Doritory which is nearing completion and which will accommodate about one hundred students, and of the academic group on Art Building Hill which, though there are no visible traces of them now, will probably be started sometime during this academic year. She then told of some of the changes in the academic staff. Three well loved and able professors have this year retired under the provisions of the Carnegie Grant, Miss S. F. Watling, Miss Ellen Hayes, and Miss E. L. Burrell. Miss Watling is one of those who stood behind the first presidents of the college and helped to establish the institution on a firm foundation. To her belongs the credit of having created the departments of Physics and Astronomy and of having served the college faithfully for forty years. Miss Watling's place in the faculty will be filled by Professor and Mrs. Dunon. Miss Hayes was for thirty-seven years Professor of Astronomy and Applied Mathematics and those who know her are glad that she is still a resident of Wellesley and therefore has not severed her connection with the college. Miss Burrell, for many years Professor of Higher Mathematics, is the first alumni of the college to retire under the Carnegie grant. The college, which she has many times helped by her kininess and accuracy of mind regards her loss deeply.

Miss Pendleton then mentioned some of the temporary changes in the teaching staff and closed her talk with a few words of welcome to 1920, the first class, in all probability, to see the new academic buildings, that are to be on Art Building Hill, and a bit of advice and encouragement to 1917, just beginning a senior year full of glorious possibilities.

“GOD IS LOVE.”

Rev. Willard Sperry of the First Congregational Church of Boston conducted the regular "first Sunday-of-the-year" Chapel service in Houghton Memorial Chapel, Sunday afternoon, October 1.

As the custom has been since the earliest days of the college's foundation, the text was, "God is Love." Every religion, Mr. Sperry said, is merely the answer to the question, "Is the universe friendly?" It is the Christian religion which says that God is friendly, for since Jesus could have been no better than God, the ideal he followed, God must be the consummation of his ideals, love. If we seek ourselves, without reference to religion, to solve the question Is God Love?, we shall find fact upon fact piled up as evidence to the contrary. Physics says God, as seen through matter, action, and reaction is impersonal. The terrible story of the struggle for existence and the elimination of the unfit balances the joy in animal existence from the biological standpoint. Astronomy shows us where the centre of God's regard, or of his universe but a minor subsidiary planet. History shrinks even louder than life is a series of tragedies, atrocities, massacres, bloodshed. Philanthropy, and social reform seem proven futile by the rise and fall of empires, and the flourishing and death of great civilizations. But the one argument countermirroring all these indisputable facts is the life of Jesus of Nazareth, which, as it is like God, is expressed in two elements the love of God and the love of Man. His love was often expressed in reproach of even anger, as God's is. But a greater love hath no man than that which he give up his life for his friend.

VESPER OCTOBER 1.

On Sunday evening, Rev. Galusha Anderson talked to us about Mr. Durant. Mr. Durant was born in Hanover, N. H. and was educated at Harvard College, graduating at the age of nineteen. He then studied law and was soon admitted to the bar. He was a brilliant lawyer, bringing to his work the great enthusiasm which he always showed. From his law and successful investments, he gained wealth, as wealth was rated in those days. About this time he changed his name from Henry Wells Smith to Henry Wode Durant. But in the midst of his prosperity, the death of his only son caused bitter sorrow. With this came God, and Mr. Durant felt himself a sinner and "became a new creature in Christ Jesus."

He gave up the practice of law and became a lay preacher. For twelve years he preached in Massachusetts and New Hampshire. After he took up preaching the question arose, what to do with his great property. After much thought he decided to found a college for young women, which should be absolutely non-sectarian, but friendly to Christianity. As in all his activities, his heart and soul was in his new work. To it he gave toil, wealth and prayer. He accomplished his aim by clinging to his idea and pushing it with all his might. In spite of this, he was never overimpressed. Often his ideas were more imaginative than logical, and when the flow was pointed out to him he gladly changed. Mr. Durant so insisted that Wellesley be a union of all denominations in the fundamental principles of the gospel of Jesus, that he wished all denominations represented in the faculty. Finding this denomination lacking he asked Mr. Anderson to seek a teacher to fill the place. That teacher was Miss Watling.

For the dedication of College Hall Mr. and Mrs. Durant went into Center and there read the script-

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On Thursday, October 12, 1916, there will be held at the Agowa House, a “farewell appearance” sale for the Restoration and Endowment Fund. It will be an opportunity for those who still have articles which they have sold for this fund and on which they wish to make towards their pledges, to dispose of them at reduced prices. It will be a chance for any project, started for this fund, to make something towards the payments of the pledges due January 1, 1917. Any who wish, for this cause, to sell such articles or to further such projects, are invited to consult Miss Mary B. Jenkins, Room 13, Administration Building, before October 12th.

Besides books and articles, the work of Alumnae, to be sold at great reductions, there will be a Food Sale, conducted by Mrs. Elva Young Van Winkle ’96, in behalf of the pledge of the Utah Club.

Mrs. Edith Wyllie McCann ’09, of Chicago, will take orders for magazines at club rates. Save your orders for her, and help the cause.

Miss E. Sophie Brown ’04, will come up from Hartford to read handwriting. Miss Brown is an expert in graphology and has done much for the Fund by the use of this science. Help her to do more and have the fun of letting her tell you about yourself.

A delightful social time is being planned. Save at least part of this afternoon to attend the sale. Speed the Restoration and Endowment Fund right generously, and clear the way for the Student Alumnae Building!

BIRTHS.

"09. On August 4, a second daughter, Ann, to Mrs. Winn E. Holmes (Sidney Clapp).

"12. On June 17, a son to Mrs. Joseph D. McNulty, (Katherine Munroe, formerly of 1912).

MARRIAGES.

D’Avesne-Tisseau. On August 5th, at Spring- field, Miss, Alice Tisseau formerly instructor in the French Department, to Alexandre D’Avesne.

DEATHS.

In Hollywood, Cal., on September 7, Janius Welch Hill, professor of music and director of school of music 1884-1897.

In West Newton, Mass., on August 4, Dr. John Tilden Prince, lecturer on pedagogics 1897-98.

"84. In Westerly, R. I., September 29, 1916, Amelia A. Hall, N. A., trustee and for many years Senior Teacher of walnut Hill School, Natick, Mass.


"05. In Providence, Rhode Island, July 24th, Mrs. Austin W. Merrill (Florences H. McCormick).


AMELIA A. HALL ’34.

A wide circle of friends is saddened by the death of Miss Hall of Walnut Hill. Twenty-three years ago Miss Hall with Miss Conant and Miss Bigelow opened the school and from that time to the present her life has been devoted to the welfare of the teachers and pupils. She brought to the school valuable experience gained in Philadelphia, Leavenworth and Norwich, Conn.

Endowed by nature with rare gifts of intellect, humor, sound judgment and a strong sense of justice she was always a helpful friend as well as a fine teacher. Her friendships were deep and lasting and while she will be sadly missed the influence of her strong and lovely Christian character will live in many who have been helped by her to nobler and finer living.

We, the members of the faculty of Walnut Hill School, wish to express our appreciation of the great loss we have sustained in the death of Miss Amelia A. Hall. Since the founding of the school twenty-three years ago, she has been one of the most vital forces in its life and development. Miss Hall was in every way an important factor in the life of Walnut Hill. Her executive ability and power as a teacher made her the most valued member of the faculty and her unwavering cheerfulness and love of fun contributed largely to the social life of the school. Her very real religious spirit was one of her most marked characteristics and constantly made itself felt in her everyday life. There was an unequal influence for the relationship of Miss Hall to those about her, due to her unfailing interest and sympathy toward all with whom she came in contact. The influence of her vital personality was constantly felt by both teachers and students. It is in this sphere which does not pass with the passing of Miss Hall.

Signed: Jane W. Lawrence, M. Insomine Cook, Helen M. Farwell, Roseale Frappette.

September 29, 1916.

Professor Hill.

A TRIBUTE.

The death of Janius Welch Hill, which occurred September 7th at Hollywood, Cal., comes with a peculiar poignancy to those of us who feel the remissive charm of the earlier days of Wellesley.

During the period of his professorship in the college he brought to the students the higher ideals of today, and his sympathy and effort were strongly collated in the direction of this development.

Mr. Hill was one of a group of Boston men who first brought back from Germany the traditions, the methods and the atmosphere of the great music schools. Certain of the group execrated his theory and composition, certain others in execution and interpretation, but he himself was primarily a teacher, but also a musician deeply imbued with the Mendelssohnian idea that “Music expresses thought not too indefinite for words, but too definite.”

While a building for the use of Music was among the early gifts to Wellesley the purpose and effort of that day was not especially directed toward art of any kind.

Professor Peine at Harvard, Professor Ritter at Vassar, and Professor Blodgett at Smith had already placed the study of music in each of these institutions, on a permanent and dignified basis as an important element of general culture—and it was the Hill’s ambition that the same be done for Wellesley.

Since the overcrowded schedules of required science, languages and mathematics left little time for practical individual work he bent his energies to securing careful preparation in the major practical agencies—the series of art concerts which occurred throughout the year, and the work of the Beethoven Singing Club. The concerts came forthrightly, were supported by general subscription, and were free to all students.

It was not the custom of those days for the girls, however well-to-do, to go much to the city,—and it was in line with the generous ideas of the founder that much should be brought to them—so we heard from the Chapel stage the best string quartets and trios, the best soloists of all kinds, just as we heard speak there the leading preachers, the world-wide travelers, and the personages universally distinguished in politics and in literature.

To Professor Hill’s wide acquaintance with musicians, and with the literature of music, we owed more than the usual artistic atmosphere, the interest and performance—inasmuch that in looking over the exquisitely printed programs of those faraway times one recognizes many of the friends of today’s concert rooms.

The Beethoven Society composed of one hundred picked music lovers carried on in those parts, gave under Professor Hill’s direction concerts which for artistic value were equalled only by the mature clubs of the cities and the critics often came with pleasure, to hear new work fittingly performed—personages in all the various spheres of entertainment and performance especially arranged for this unique organization.

While only one weekly period was possible for rehearsal, the concentration of effort and careful preparation of parts produced remarkable results.

The school itself grew from the first—and because of the high quality of instruction offered rather not; while its influence as evidenced in the general gain in musical knowledge was significant; but the main advantage was that from its doors passed every year members who carried with them an inspiration which led them to keep the musical attitude characteristic of both programs and performance, and, one who learned of music circles of chorus clubs, of ensemble classes carried on in remote regions, whose programs never fell below the college standard.

After retiring from the college, Professor Hill’s life was divided between the coast and the west, his work in Boston keeping him there half the year, and the delicate health of his wife and daughter rendering necessary their permanent residence in California where he joined them each summer.

Upon his final settlement in Redlands, his health never relented, rapidly failed, and the sudden death of his dearly loved daughter last October, undoubtedly hastened his end. Mr. Hill was a man of delicate and sensitive nature combined with great moral strength. His love of music was innate and effective.

An inveterate concert-goer, he had heard the best the world has to offer—yet he never grew blasé or hypercritical, but listened always with keen discrimination and ardent enthusiasm to the very end of his days.

In music he found consolation for the many disappointments and heart-breaks of this mortal life, realizing in himself the truth of the world-old phrase, “Ars longa vita brevis.”

Elizabeth Fielding Hume, ’86, ’88.
1905.

Marion Conway Bush,
Florence McCormick Morrill.

In the deaths of Marion Conway Bush in May, 1916, and of Florence McCormick Morrill on July 20, 1916, the Class of 1903 has lost two high types of American womanhood. The former, whose years of graduate study had equipped her for a successful business life which had but recently terminated in her marriage; the latter, an ideal homemaker and mother whose extensive charitable, social, and civic interests proved her to be living closely to the Wellesley motto, "both are mourned by their classmates with an acute sense of personal loss.

IMPORTANT NOTICE FOR WELLESLEY CLUBS.

At two sessions of the Graduate Council it has been strongly urged by that body that a typed-written report of the meetings be prepared and sent to all councillors who wished to leave twenty-five cents for it. Out of sixty-one clubs, representatives of only eighteen clubs availed themselves of the opportunity to obtain this report, and the money received barely covered the clerical expense of preparing it. With the thought that other clubs may wish to receive the report so specially requested, extra copies have been made and may be obtained for twenty-five cents each on application to Miss M. Louise Stockwell, Administration Building, Wellesley College.

DEPARTMENT OF HYGIENE.

Appointments.
Class of 1905.
Dr. Harriet N. Flanders, to State Normal School, San Francisco, Cal.

Class of 1907.
Dr. Alice Hopkins Tolg, to University of Minnesota, Minneapolis, Minn.

Class of 1899.
Elizabet R. Stone, from Margaret Morrison Carnegie School, Pittsburgh, Pa., to Mills College, Cal.

Class of 1906.
Helen A. Cook, from Public Schools, Passaic, N. J., to Friends' School, Westtown, Pa.

Class of 1909.
Signe E. Hagelthorn, from Public Schools, Oakland, Cal., to University of California, Berkeley, Cal.

Florence M. Ross, from Public Schools, Brookline, Mass., to Tufts College, Medford, Mass.

Class of 1910.
Doris Boston, to Bradford Academy, Bradford, Mass.

Marion O. Perkins, from The Stevens School, Germantown, Pa., to Mt. Airy School for Deaf, Mt. Airy, Pa.

Mary Susanna Rogers, from Womanmaker's Store, New York City, to Brimmer School, Boston, Mass.


Class of 1911.
Alice Carson, from Parker Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., to Abbott Academy, Andover, Mass.

Class of 1913.
Celia Carroll, from Y. W. C. A., Dayton, Ohio, to Miami University, Oxford, Ohio.

Wilma D. Haynes, from Wilcox College, Chambersburg, Pa., to Y. W. C. A., Dayton, Ohio.

Class of 1914.
Elizabeth A. Bisty, from Parker Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y., to High School, Montclair, N. J.

Dorothy M. Beurl, from Emma Willard School, Troy, N. Y., to Groove Point School, Groove Point, Mich.

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Alice B. Carter, from Spring St. Neighborhood House, New York City to High School, Montclair, N. J.


Ruth S. Mason, from Margaret Morrison Carnegie School, Pittsburgh, Pa. to Public Schools, Detroit, Mich.


Louise T. Maxey, from Grade Schools, Springfield, Mass. to Asst. Supervisor, Public Schools, Detroit, Mich.

Anna E. Palm, from Normal School, Oakland, Wis. to Public Schools, Minneapolis, Minn.


Ethel L. Williams, Berkeley Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Aileen Foley, South High School, Worcester, Mass.

Class of 1915.

Georgia McK. Brack, from Y. W. C. A., Los Angeles, Cal., to Pratt Institute, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Josephine W. Guyon, from Walnut Hill School, Natick, Mass. to Sweet Briar College, Sweet Briar, Va.

Margaret A. Smith, from George School, Pa. to High School, Rochester, N. Y.

Ethel A. Wharfield, to Brenn College Conservatory, Gainesville, Ga.

Class of 1916.

Yola Shaw Allen, to Emma Willard School, Troy, N. Y.

Frances D. Bender, to St. Mary's Hall, Burlington, N. J.

Marion C. Berry, to Drexel Institute, Philadelphia, Pa.

Henrietta Browning, to Margaret Morrison Carnegie School, Pittsburgh, Pa.


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