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Dr. Lawrence Addresses New York Alumnae

“Nationalism Must Be Deflated”

Dr. Lawrence addressed the Connecticut College Club of New York City last Tuesday, November tenth, on the subject, “Current Crisis. He said in part: “Armistice Day century this year might well center upon the slogan, ‘Nationalism must be deflated’. The domination of nationalism, long overdue, seems more nearly possible today than heretofore, and the time is ripe to urge it. The large shares of an exaggerated nationalism in the present shaping of the world’s economic machinery is now so evident and so inconsistent that possibly they may have been in the past, are at last somewhat disposed. We seem to be ready for a response. Some timely facts on which to base more concrete argument are:

(1) The rampant nationalism of 1814 soon after the World War, one of whose manifestations is that colonial development of trade and finance which so greatly helped to produce the first great economic world-wide system may fall.

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(4) The boastful assumption of unchallengeable and unquestionable righteousness for one’s own nation, now probably fostered by the greed and the politicians of nearly all countries, makes peace precarious and permanently imminent.

(5) At critical moments, the wisest and most international seat nationalities are free and powerless in the face of the great and the fury of minded and nationalistic parri tees.

According to the current, ‘to go and pursue peace for our own ends and go along with international parri tees. The second group of students in the new recital series is composed of the following.

New London Starts Little Theatre

The Community Players

Thanks to the talking movies, with their gauzy scenes and their stories of the lives of everyday people, Americans are more than ever interested in the country and its problems. They have the beginnings of a desire for some sort of a middle-class family, consisting of eight or nine members, with a middle-class income, and of some of the things in their lives that would be changed if they were richer. The prevalent group, the one that is most often heard, is the happy-go-lucky group, simply declaring that if they had more money, they would not have to worry about the things they are worrying about now.

The group was opened with “Variations on a Theme,” a play by Miss Adele Hayman, and at once it was clear that the women were artists in their field. The precision of attack, the balance and timing were wonderful.

The second group comprised the four members of the Bookshop Menagerie, under the direction of Mrs. Johnson. The group was again varied in theme and brought out to the fullest the understanding and appreciation of the artist. The “Bookshop Menagerie” is made up of the lightest and daintiest technique, and the group was received with great approval. Mrs. Hughes showed great ability.
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EDUCATORS TO MEET
Guests of College

Connecticut College has invited principalsof secondary schools in Connecticut and vicinity to attend a seminar in Secondary Education on "Making the most of the High School Years." Two mornings will be devoted to the discussion of current problems in secondary education, and two mornings will be devoted to the presentation of courses in the College for students who wish to earn the A.B. degree in Secondary Education. (The College of the Holy Cross, the University of Connecticut, and the University of Hartford are also cooperating in the seminar.)

ABOUT THE CIRCULATION MANAGER

The Connecticut College News is published by the students of Connecticut College. It is not so easy. How earnest, how ardent, how zealous you are now, determines what results you will get in the future. The conference will begin with business in the Knowlton House at 10:30 a.m., and members of the faculty and others will take part in the discussion.

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EDITORIAL

Comprehensive Examinations

The previous editorials discussing academic changes seem to have aroused comment. Without wishing to overburden the argumentative material of the student body, may suggest yet another innovation.

Would we care to substitute, for mid-year examinations and comprehensive examinations through all four years, a comprehensive examination that would occur only at the end of the four years? At first glance, the idea of four comprehensive examinations seems like a lot of work for the students. The plan, however, would not only release us from exam stress, but would simplify the organization of work for the students. The idea is not so easy. How earnest, how ardent, how zealous you are now, determines what results you will get in the future. How earnest, how ardent, how zealous you are now, determines what results you will get in the future.

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Debaters Make Plans To Meet Brown

One club which inevitably will be successful this year is the Debating Club. Already an interesting group has been chosen, and more inter-collegiate debates are forthcoming. The first contest will take place at Brown University, the 13th day of this month. Both Peter B. Allen, Alice Kelly, both Juniors, will represent the College. It is a matter of some discussion as to how many members will be allowed to form a debater. We have heard that several are thinking of forming a debating society for the purpose of debaters on the College campus. It is likely that the several squares will be more popular than the small squares, nevertheless the larger squares will be more difficult to arrange. The College has a very large portfolio, and the Debaters will have their work cut out for them this season.

The Psychology Club Bothered

The Psychology club met Tuesday night to prove the application of psychology that the average person can work better under distracting conditions. The effects of distraction were demonstrated by arranging cards, by providing those present with sets of mathematical problems, and by showing an experiment which was done under quiet conditions, the second while Mr. Kinsey took his familiar studies of played records on the phonograph. As it may seem to the laymen, the neighbor of a radio sound, evidence proved that distraction is carried on for a long period of time, work is done more quickly because attention is held to narrow down to concentrate successfully. People generally work better under distraction, but use more energy this way, and thus tire more quickly.

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The secretary of the conference is the Rev. Dr. Robert E. Speer, Secretary of the Board of Foreign Missions of the Presbyterian Church.

The hotels are to be leaders in the Christian work of other countries, such as Dr. T. T. Koo, of China, and Dr. D. E. T. Jahan of Africa.

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The purpose of the conference is to bring together young leaders from all parts of the country in order to discuss the problems facing young Americans today. The conference will be held at the Buffalo Armory, and will run from November 15th to 17th.

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