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Forum in Hartford Will Welcome All Foreign Students

More than 350 foreign students and exchange teachers have been invited to attend the second annual welcome to Connecticut for foreign students in Connecticut schools, universities and hospitals which will be held Saturday, October 18, in Centinel Hill Hall, G. Fox and Company, Hartford.

Educator to Speak

This program, an outgrowth of last year's successful foreign student forum attended by 220 foreign students representing 50 foreign countries, is supported by the Beatrice Fox Auerbach Foundation and represents the cooperative efforts of 18 major women's groups in the state.

The keynote speaker, William G. Avirett of the Carnegie Endowment for International Peace, is former Education Editor of the New York Herald Tribune and has served for 26 years as educator and journalist to gain support for American colleges and universities by publicizing their achievements and needs. In 1947 he was given an award for Distinguished Service in the Interpretation of Higher Education by the American College Public Relations Association.

Social Meeting Follows

Following the opening addresses and talks by a three-member panel selected by the Institute of International Education, New York, and including two foreign students and one American who has studied abroad, foreign students will gather under the flags of their countries to meet each other, talk with Americans who have studied abroad, and with representatives from foreign-language-speaking organizations in the state, which have been invited to attend and welcome the foreign students to Connecticut in their native tongues.

Contest Questions Academic Freedom

Cash awards totalling \$5000 are now being offered by the National Council of Jewish Women for the best essay by a senior in college on the topic, The Meaning of Academic Freedom. Essays must be not more than 2500 words, and must be submitted by December 31, 1952.

Aspects of the subject suggested for discussion include the significance of academic freedom, its responsibilities, and its nature and extent.

Entries must be typewritten, double-spaced, on one side of the page. The contestant's name and address must not appear on the manuscript itself, but in an envelope clipped to it. A printed certificate of authorship must be enclosed in this envelope. These certificates may be obtained from Miss MacBain or by writing to the contest judges.

Manuscripts should be sent to: Essay Contest, National Council of Jewish Women, One West 47 Street, New York 36, N. Y.

Fulbright Act Helps Student Travel Abroad

Fulbright scholarships are awards under the Fulbright Act, Public Law 584, 79th Congress, for study abroad for an academic year by representative Americans. The objective of the program is to promote better understanding abroad between our people and those of other countries.

Students who receive Fulbright awards should recognize their responsibility as unofficial ambassadors of this country, and further the basic objectives of the program as well as carrying out their own particular study projects.

Graduating seniors with good academic records and having strong potentialities for personal development, as well as residence and study abroad are urged to apply for a Fulbright scholarship.

The U. S. Government Scholarships under the Fulbright Act are provided from funds due the United States from the sale of surplus property in the countries participating. The following countries participate in the program: Australia, Austria, Belgium and Luxembourg, Burma, China, Egypt, France, Germany, Greece, India, Iran, Iraq, Italy, Japan, Netherlands, New Zealand, Norway, Pakistan, Philippines, Thailand, Turkey, Union of South Africa, United Kingdom.

Application forms for Fulbright scholarships are available from Miss MacBain, 202 Fanning Hall, for the 1953-54 competition. This competition will remain open until October 31, 1952, in most countries for undergraduate applicants.

Facts Available on Examinations For Graduate Schools

Graduate Record Examinations, required of applicants for admission to a number of graduate schools, will be administered at examination centers throughout the country four times in the coming year. Educational Testing Service has announced.

This fall, candidates may take the exam on Friday and Saturday, November 7 and 8. In 1953, the dates are January 30 and 31, April 17 and 18, July 10 and 11.

ETS advises each applicant to inquire of the graduate school of his choice of the examination he should take and on which dates. Applicants for graduate school fellowships should ordinarily take the designated examinations in the fall administration.

The GRE tests offered in these nationwide programs include a test of general scholastic ability, tests of general achievement in six broad fields of undergraduate study, and advanced level tests of achievement in various subject matter fields. According to ETS, candidates are permitted several options among these tests.

Application forms and a Bulletin of Information, which provides details of registration as well as sample questions, may be obtained from college advisers or directly from Educational Testing Service, P. O. Box 592, Princeton, N. J.

A completed application must reach the ETS office at least two weeks before the date of the administration for which the candidate is applying.

Amalگو to Be Held October 7 at 6:45

Amalگو will be held on Tuesday, October 7, at 6:45 p.m. This first amalgamation meeting of the school year is scheduled at an earlier time than usual because of the freshman music recital later in the evening.

Numerous Schools Represented by 25 Transfer Students

Many of you have probably noticed the dark blue tags being worn on campus this year and the unfamiliar and new faces above them. These tags single out our 25 transfer students who are distributed among the freshman, sophomore and junior classes. These students come from many other colleges throughout the country, and it is interesting to note the wide selection of schools covered.

Variety of Colleges Represented

There are two students here at Connecticut from Colorado College, Ursinus, and Bates, and there is one student each transferring from the following schools: Centenary Junior College, Birmingham Southern, Holton-Arms Junior College, Bucknell, Springfield, Kansas State, Jackson, Bradford Junior College, Notre Dame College of Staten Island, Beaver, Middlebury, Mills, Lake Erie College, University of Connecticut, College of St. Elizabeth, and Brooklyn College.

Program Changes

Program changes must be made before Friday, October 3, at 4:00 p.m. in the Registrar's office.

Students to Submit Poetry for Contest

Original verse by college students may be submitted to the National Poetry Association to be considered for possible publication in the tenth annual Anthology of College Poetry.

Each student may submit as many poems as she wishes; each must be typed or written in ink on one side of a sheet. Her name, home address, and college address must appear on each manuscript.

Theme and form may be in accordance with the wish of the contributor. However, to give as many students as possible a chance for recognition, and because of space limitations, contest editors prefer shorter poems.

Poems may be sent to Dennis Hartman, Secretary, National Poetry Association, 3210 Selby Avenue, Los Angeles 34, California.

Play Production Tryouts Will Be Held October 6

The Frogs, by Aristophanes, is to be the first play, in a series of three, to be presented by the Play Production Clags during the year 1952-1953. Tryouts for the acting parts will be held Monday, October 6, in the Speech Room in the Auditorium. These tryouts are open to the student body, with the exception of the freshmen, who may not act in a production during first semester.

Connecticut Admits Largest Freshman Class in History

VSC Day Plans Include Game, Dance at Yale

Next Saturday, October 4, has been set aside at Yale University as V. S. C. Day.

The initials V. S. C. stand for Vassar, Smith, and Connecticut, and on that day, Yale freshmen will be entertaining a number of freshmen from each of those colleges.

One hundred and fifty girls have been invited to attend this function from Connecticut College. Busses will leave from the college after Saturday classes, and the freshmen will be met in New Haven by their dates.

Plans include attending the Yale-Brown football game, dinner, and a dance. Busses will leave New Haven for New London at 11 p.m.

Determination of who will attend V. S. C. Day is being taken care of in the individual dormitories. Eight upper classmen will also participate.

Applicants to Law Schools Must Take Admissions Tests

Law School Admission Tests, required of applicants for admission to a number of leading American law schools, will be given at more than 100 centers throughout the United States on the mornings of November 15, 1952, February 21, April 25, and August 8, 1953.

A candidate must make separate application for admission to each law school of his choice, and should inquire of each whether it wishes him to take the Law Admission Test and when.

Since many law schools select their freshman classes in the spring preceding their entrance, candidates for admission to next year's classes are advised ordinarily to take either the November or the February test, if possible.

The Law School Admission Test, prepared and administered by Educational Testing Service, features objective questions measuring verbal aptitudes and reasoning ability rather than acquired information. It cannot be "crammed" for. Sample questions and information regarding registration for and administration of the test are given in a Bulletin of Information.

Send for Bulletins

Bulletins and applications for the test should be obtained four to six weeks in advance of the desired testing date from Law School Admission Test, Educational Testing Service, P. O. Box 592, Princeton, N. J.

Completed applications must be received at least ten days before the desired testing date in order to allow ETS time to complete the necessary testing arrangements for each candidate.

Students Come to CC From Many Countries, Twenty-seven States

Interesting statistics about the class of '56 have been compiled by the Admissions Office.

This year's freshman class is the largest ever to enter Connecticut College, numbering at the present time, 297.

Twenty-seven states, and the District of Columbia, are represented by these students, this being four more than were represented by the class of '55.

The preponderance of girls come from New York, Connecticut, Massachusetts, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, and Ohio, in that order. As is usually the case, about four-fifths of the freshmen come from these six states.

South and West Represented

Approximately one out of every ten of the students come from southern states, and one out of ten from middle western states. There are no freshmen from the Pacific coast. Colorado is the westernmost state represented.

Six girls came from places outside the continental United States, including Alaska, Jamaica, Venezuela, Mexico and the Philippines.

There are nineteen day students, which is almost double the usual number.

This year, there has been a slight increase in the number of freshmen entering Connecticut College from public schools. 47% of the class attended public schools for all four years of high school education, as opposed to the 41% of last year's entering class.

Variety of Schooling

Independent schools educated 42% of the freshman students for four years, while the remaining 11% attended both types of secondary schools.

This fall, several states which were not represented last year, appeared on the list. These were the District of Columbia, Florida, Texas, Iowa, Georgia, Arkansas, Vermont, Oklahoma, Montana, and New Mexico.

On the other hand, Missouri, California, Nebraska, Alabama, Kansas, and Oregon, failed to send students.

Junior Class Will Give Fashion Show

With Connie Demarest as mistress of ceremonies, the junior class will present a fashion show for the freshmen on Friday, October 3, at 8:00 p.m., in Knowlton Salon. As a variation on the usual serious fashion show, the class of '54 plans to survey a day in life at school, with examples of what should and should not be worn.

The following juniors will participate in this entertainment: Bea Brittain, Janet Fenn, Cindy Fenning, Martha Flickinger, Betsy Friedman, Carol Gardner, Betty Geyer, Elaine Goldstein, Barbara Guerin, Frances Hake, Ann Heagney, Lois Keating, Sue McKenzie, Connie Meehan, Sally Stecker, Joan Negley, Harriet Putnam, Barbara Rice, Mar Robertson, Betty Sager, Ann Stewart, and Nancy Wilson.



FRESHMAN STUDY SCHEDULE: "From 8:00 to 10:00 I'm setting aside time to live!"

No Place for Indifference

"When you see a shoe blown from some G.I.'s foot—or a helmet with a couple of holes in it, you wonder if he got new blood—in time."

The common affairs of men exclude so hideous a spectacle as those mentioned above. Our tendency on the whole is to avoid death, its immediate presence, its mere image, and to seek escape in the most glorified "pursuit of happiness."

The soldier who wrote the above quotation was forced to cope with the inevitability of death in its most tormenting form. We, who are far from the scenes of wholesale slaughter cannot be touched, I think, very deeply by the bitter waste of human potential entailed in a bloody conflict. Our obligations to those of our own species become obscure at long range.

Yet we realize that obligations exist. In the end, there is little we can do. We cannot decide the issues at stake; we cannot legislate the preservation of human life at all costs. What we can do seems perhaps prosaic, minute, even inconsequential in the face of the overwhelming whole. But perhaps it is time to dramatize the "inconsequential" when life itself is involved.

Giving blood is one of those limited devices we possess to serve embattled humanity. To us, it is small. To the soldier who wrote the quoted letter, it meant a buddy's life. Can you refute this appeal? The Bloodmobile will be on campus on October 21st. For students under 21, parental consent to give blood is necessary; these permission cards must be returned by October 12th. Let us never again be forced to meet the reproach of our forgotten soldier. Indifference has no place in the relationship of man to man.—C.E.F.

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Free Speech

A Forum of Opinion from On and Off the Campus

The opinions expressed in this column do not necessarily reflect those of the editors.

Talent and Enthusiasm

Such talent! Such enthusiasm! Such organization! And all in the freshman class. It certainly was an enjoyable evening of skits that the class of '56 produced last Thursday night. Each and every group deserves heartiest congratulations for its original ideas and good presentation. Wig and Candle is certainly proud to say it sponsored the skits, and looks forward to seeing more of the same spirit throughout the year.

Jeannie Eacker '53

Personnel Reports Five Years Study On C. C. Graduates

Under the direction of Miss Alice Ramsey, the Connecticut College Personnel Bureau keeps track of the college's 4,025 alumnae.

Each year, the bureau sends out thousands of questionnaires, to find out what the alumnae are doing. The report on the class of '52 is still being compiled, and 156 out of 187 graduates have answered.

A five year study has been done by the bureau on the class of '47. In answer to questionnaires, 71 members of this class reported the following facts in 1947, and in 1952.

Sixty Children

Listed in 1947 as married and homemakers were four members of this group. In 1952, 53 members of the group were married, 42 of whom left jobs or graduate studies to become homemakers. Sixty children have been born to these graduates.

Degrees and advanced studies are numerous among the members of the class reporting. In 1947, seven graduates had indicated plans for further schooling. In 1952, 11 advanced degrees had been awarded with five more holding credits and working towards the master's degree, and eight additional members of the class indicating college courses supplementing their BA degrees had been studied.

Graduate Work

Of those reporting, 67 graduates were either employed or doing further study in the fall of 1947. Five years later, 26 members of the class are either following careers of work or graduate study. Six graduates are enrolled in graduate schools. Three are Resident Doctors in hospitals, one is working on a Doctor of Philosophy degree in psychology, one is attending the University of Chicago Divinity School, and one is enrolled in the New York School of Social Work.

Variety of Jobs

Of those working, six are teaching either in public or private schools, four are secretaries, two are employed in insurance companies, two are working in research, one member of the class is an economist for the government, one, an associate editor of Yachting magazine, one a librarian, one a medical secretary, one an accountant, and one an organist.

An interesting comparison in this questionnaire was the salary range. In 1947, members of the graduating class reported earnings that ranged from \$1000 to \$2800 with an average of \$1837. These same career women in 1952 reported earning ranging from \$2000 to \$5040, with an average salary of \$3418.

Rev. Francis McPeck To Conduct Vesper Service October 5

Speaking at the vesper service in Harkness Chapel on Sunday, Oct. 5, at 7 p.m., will be the Rev. Francis W. McPeck, chairman of the industrial relations section of the Council for Social Action of the Congregational Christian Churches.

A native of Ohio, Dr. McPeck studied at Ohio State University, Princeton and McCormick Theological Seminaries, and did graduate work at the University of Chicago. His home quarters are now in Chicago.

An ordained Congregational minister, he has had experience in the actual pastorate and has been chaplain of mental and correctional institutions for over five years. He has also served as director of social welfare for the Washington federation of churches for about the same period, and has been in his present position for about three years.

For four years, he was assistant director of the summer sessions of alcohol studies, and as he writes, he is "a member of a lot of outfits interested in social problems."

Dr. McPeck's topic will be Suitable Placement, and will involve a consideration of problems posed by as widely changing industrial and economic order, and the philosophy of work, both in their bearing on religious vocation.

Poster Competition Open to Students

Prizes of \$50, \$30 and \$20 are offered for winning designs in a poster competition for student tours to Europe.

This competition has just been announced by Travel & Study, Inc., of New York City, and is open to all students, both undergraduate and graduate. The closing date of the competition is October 25.

Designs should illustrate or suggest student travel to Europe and should be centered round a slogan of not more than six words. Last year's prize-winning poster carried the caption: "You can't hitch-hike to Europe." A brochure describing the type of tours the poster is to announce may be consulted in the editorial office of the NEWS. The poster should not be larger than 13 1/2 x 10 inches.

Students who are interested in earning part or the whole of a trip to Europe next summer, or cash, and who fancy their own prowess in sales rather than slogans, promotion rather than poster design, might wish to become Travel & Study campus representatives.

Those who are interested in the promotion of its educational opportunities abroad for students should consult the brochure mentioned above and then write explaining why they think travel important and how they can effectively assist in this work. Further

Polit. Forum Plans Outlined at Coming Meeting on Oct. 2

Political Forum will hold an open meeting on Thursday, October 2, at 7:00 p.m. in the Commuters' Lounge on first floor Fanning. At this time the club will give an outline of its program for the coming year, along with the opportunity to participate in its activities.

Plans are already under way for an Intercollegiate Political Forum to be held at CC this October. Nationally known speakers will represent the views of the Democratic and Republican parties. There will be a question period, giving students a chance to corner the experts. There will also be voting to determine the political sentiments of the entire student body.

During the year, the CC Political Forum works with the Connecticut Intercollegiate Student Legislature and sends a delegation of seventeen students to the Model Legislature in Hartford. At this meeting, students present authentic bills that they have written, debate, and vote upon them in parliamentary fashion.

Well-known speakers are scheduled for the club year, and the Political Forum will attend meetings to hear speakers at other colleges in Connecticut and Massachusetts.

Chapel

Thursday, October 2—Dr. Laubenstein

Friday, October 3—Hymn Sing, led by M'Lee Catledge '54

Tuesday, October 7—Dean Burdick

Wednesday, October 8—Henny Jackson '55, speaking as president of the sophomore class.

Radio Club Meeting Will Include Group Talks and Demonstration Program

Radio Club will hold an organization meeting on Thursday, October 2, at 6:45 p.m. in Auditorium 202.

All those interested in becoming active members of Radio Club are invited to see a demonstration broadcast and to hear a discussion of the work of each committee in the club.

The River

On Saturday, October 4, at 7:30, a movie, The River, will be shown in Palmer Auditorium.

Admission to this movie will be 25c. The film has had numerous excellent reviews, and is well-worth seeing.

details may be obtained from Travel & Study Inc., 110 East 57th Street, New York 22, N. Y.

CALENDAR

Friday, October 3

Junior Fashion Show for Freshmen Knowlton, 8:00 p.m.

Saturday, October 4

Movie, The River Auditorium, 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, October 5

Vespers, Rev. Francis McPeck, Council for Social Action, Congregational Christian Churches Chapel, 7:00 p.m.

Tuesday, October 7

Amalgo Auditorium, 6:45 p.m.
Freshman Musical Recital Holmes Hall, 8:00 p.m.

Wednesday, October 8

Music Department Recital, New Music String Quartet Auditorium 8:30 p.m.

CAUGHT ON CAMPUS

CC Summer Social Events Include Weddings, Travel

Each new college year brings new people to add to our social news on campus. And the lapse of vacation time always brings back new developments in the social lives of our old friends. This fall we have several engagements, some newly-weds, and lots of trips to tell you about.

Two married students may be seen proudly returning this year. Lou Logan Atkinson '53 was married this summer in Briarcliff, N. Y. This year she and her husband are living on Nameaug Avenue, while Bill works at the Electric Boat Company and Lou commutes—mostly to Holmes Hall. Alice Osborn '53 was Lou's maid of honor in the wedding.

Married Junior

Ellen Keating Thomas '54 was also married this summer. Her wedding to Owen Thomas took place on July 5. Ellen, a day student, lives at her own home while her husband is with the SeaBees in Africa.

Among the engaged, since we parted in June, is Phyllis Coffin '53, who announced her engagement to David Hodgins of Glen Ridge, N. J., on September 13. David will enter OC school soon. Alice Dreifuss '53 also announced her engagement this summer to Sidney Goldstein, who is studying for his Ph.D. at the University of Pennsylvania. Jill Orndoff '53 became engaged to Andrew Neely of Mifflintown, Pennsylvania, a graduate of Princeton in 1951. In the sophomore class there is one newly engaged member: Nancy Cowles, to Bill Black, a junior at Yale. Eve Steele '54 also returned to us with big news. She is engaged to Ken Barrett of the Coast Guard Academy.

Summer Travel

Europe claimed the attention of many students this summer as girls traveled and worked in various places. Judy Haviland '54 spent the summer with a family in Le Havre, France, with the Experiment in International Living; Anne Becker '53, also with the Experiment, lived with a family in Reims.

Although the freshman class seems not to boast of any engaged classmates — yet, nevertheless many of them have already toured Europe. Dinny Kahn '56 was in France this summer on the Experiment in International Living. Joan Barkley '56, who traveled in Europe with some friends for most of the summer, found Venice particularly fascinating but liked England best however. Carla Strassenmeyer '56 also traveled in Europe, with Germany as her special destination. To make things a little more interesting by turning things around a bit, Mary Kay Nevulis from Mexico spent her summer touring the United States.

Anita Wollmar '55 spent an unusually interesting summer by living and studying in a Swedish community in Illinois for six weeks.

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Hockey Games, Tennis Act as Ice Breakers

by Midge Briggs and Ann Matthews

The fall athletic season got off to an early start with the inter-class hockey games that were played last Saturday. These games, which were new this year, helped the classes get acquainted and started up the interest in hockey. The halves were planned to last 15 minutes but were then cut to eight and finally, due to sore muscles and lack of wind, to five minutes. Even five minutes proved too long for some of the aged upperclassmen. In the first set of games, the freshmen and the juniors went scoreless and the sophomores beat the seniors 1-0.

Following this strenuous activity, an open house was held in Buck Lodge by AA for the freshmen and transfers. Information about the different clubs was given and entertainment was provided by the Shwiffs in their first appearance on campus this year. Not to be outdone, CCOC gave a picnic afterwards for a large group of freshmen.

Fall sports have not started yet, but the freshmen-transfer tennis tournament and the all-college tournament have gotten under way. Keep watching the AA bulletin board for announcements concerning the fall sports.

Connchords to Hold Tryouts Tomorrow

Tryouts for membership in Connchords will be held on Thursday, October 2, in Bill 101, at 7:30 p.m.

Emphasis at these tryouts will be placed on ability to harmonize extemporaneously and to blend with the voices of the present group members, as well as on voice quality.

It is not necessary to prepare a song beforehand. An invitation to tended to all freshmen, sophomore, and juniors.

ETIQUETTE

By Roberta Lee

Q. When a married woman is traveling alone, should she sign her name on the hotel register as "Martha L. Randolph"?

A. No. She should use her husband's name and sign "Mrs. Robert A. Randolph, Chicago, Ill."

Q. How does one acknowledge a vacation postcard one has received?

A. Merely by making some mention of it the next time you meet the sender, and thanking him for remembering you.

Q. Is it proper for the bridegroom to help address the wedding invitations and announcements? I've heard it is considered "bad luck."

A. If he wishes to help, it is quite all right—and there most certainly is nothing of "bad luck" attached to it!

First Recital Occurs Oct. 27; Freshman Choir Wins Acclaim

by Frederica Schneider

CC's musical season opened with the singing of the freshman choir at vespers on Sunday evening, September 28. Even though it had sung as a group for only a few rehearsals the choir achieved a good textural quality in the blending of the girls' voices. This small sample of what the freshmen can achieve musically augurs well for the musical life of the campus.

First in a series of student recitals to be presented at Holmes Hall this year will be the freshman recital on Tuesday, October 7, at 8:00 p.m. Everyone is invited to this recital as well as to the entire series which concludes with

the senior recitals in late spring. Attendance at these recitals will not only bring you enjoyment, but is also a source of encouragement to friends and classmates who are active participants in them.

The Music Department is sponsoring a concert by the New Music String Quartet in Palmer Auditorium, on Wednesday, October 8 at 8:30 p.m. The program will include chamber music by Mozart and Schumann. This is the first of a series of concerts sponsored by the department, which includes recitals by members of the faculty as well as by visiting professional artists. Tickets for this concert will be \$1.50.

As a result of recent tryouts, several new members have been added to the college choir.

Give yourself this

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Sharpen your pencil and scratch your head for a few moments. This "quickie" quiz will save you a lot of head-scratching, hair-pulling and sleepless nights when those all-important finals come up at the end of the term.

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First Aid Courses to Begin As Part of Civilian Defense

Questionnaires have been left in all dormitories for those interested in taking Red Cross First Aid courses. These forms must be filled in and returned to the housefellows by Thursday, October 2.

The courses, open to faculty members and students, deal with the prevention and prompt treatment of accidents, and are scheduled to last from October through December. They are a part of the whole Civilian Defense program, which also includes air raid drills, and which emphasizes preparedness for any disaster.

Both a standard and an advanced First Aid course will be given, with members of the CC faculty as instructors. Some of these will be people who took the instructors' course when First Aid courses were last given on campus in the year 1950-51. The courses will be in the form of a lecture, with division into smaller groups for practical work.

These extra-curricular courses will meet once a week from 7:00 to 9:30 p.m. on Tuesday or Wed-

nesdays. The standard course will continue for 9 weeks; the advanced course, for which the standard is prerequisite, for 5 weeks.

Architecture to Be Topic of W. Gropius

On Thursday, October 9, at 7:30 p.m., Walter Gropius, Chairman of the Department of Architecture at the Graduate School of Design, Harvard University, will give an illustrated lecture on Architecture and Planning in the Century of Science. Professor Gropius was formerly the director of the Bauhaus in Germany.

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