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LAUNCH ENDOWMENT EFFORT.

Alumnae Organize.

The long needed Endowment effort is underway. Offers have been opened at 407-408 Plant Building with Miss Helen Hulings as executive secretary. Committees are being formed throughout the college, and an intensive effort probably the latter part of next month to raise $550,000.

Governor John H. Trumbull has accepted the chairmanship of the executive committee, which acts for the General Citizens' Committee. Members of the committee are: Miss Julia Warner, class of '23, but now of New York City; Miss Agnes Leahy, president of the Alumnae Association and head of the Personnel Bureau; Miss Julia Warner, class of '23, but now of New York City, has been elected as a member of the executive committee.

There have already been plans to organize the alumnae throughout the State for the intensive endowment effort.

In the event the college raises its goal the General Education Board will augment the endowment with a gift of $150,000. This will raise the total in the effort to $700,000, of which $500,000 is the college's endowment.

Persons throughout the State have become interested in Connecticut College's appeal for an endowment, largely as a result of the endowment effort mainly because of the wonderful record the college has made during the ten years since it was actively started.

The students have already become an A-1 institution, a record unequalled in college annals.

Starting with a student body of 103 in 1915 it now has 516 students and a faculty of fifty-five. The college has assets of virtually $2,500,000.

DR. HOCKING TO ADDRESS CONVOCATION.

Convocation on October 27th promises to be of exceptional interest. Dr. William Ernest Hocking is to be the speaker at that Convocation.

Dr. Hocking is Professor of Philosophy at Harvard University and a recognized leader in his field. Besides being an authority on all matters pertaining to Philosophy and also a noted lecturer, Professor Hocking has written extensively and is the author of several books.

He is well known in New London as he has been here before. He was a Convocation speaker in February, 1924. Those who heard him then will recall his magnetic personality, his command of language, and his method of correlating facts to present-day needs and conditions.

His subject at Convocation, "Initation and Its Care," will be of especial interest.

COLONIAL HOUSE TO BE DEDICATED.

Colonial House completed during the past year will be formally dedicated October 24. This dormitory was thrown open to students at the opening of college this fall.

PADRAIC COLUM TO SPEAK.

The Senior Class will present Padraic Colum, the versatile Irish author, whose genius has placed him in the front rank of modern writers, at the college on October 23d at 8 P. M. under the auspices of the Stynes Memorial Fund. His subject will be "Contemporary Poetry with readings from his own verse."

The Senior Class annually gives a program for the purpose of raising funds for a memorial in memory of the late Dr. Frederick Henry Stynes, first president of the college.

Mr. Colum is well known among student bodies. He has had a brilliant literary career—writing in his early youth many poems and plays. Later he joined the National Theatre movement in Dublin—he has been the first to be produced by the Irish movement. Twenty, Mr. Colum is widely known as contributor to the leading English and American magazines. He is a native of Limerick, Ireland—the country of Oliver Goldsmith. From literary stardom to his present success Mr. Colum's prose works constitute one of the greatest achievements of modern times. His stories of Irish life and folklore are singularly interesting, and have universal vitality. He has been equally successful in writing fairy stories for children, and arousing interest in classic legends. In recent years, Mr. Colum has met with pronounced success as lecturer in this country, and has delighted many audiences by his charm as a speaker.

The reading of his verse amounts to an art itself. We are most fortunate to be able to welcome Mr. Colum to our campus.

NEW YORK PHILHARMONIC OPENS CONCERT SERIES.

The first concert of the 1925-26 series was given in the State Armory on Tuesday night, October 26th. It has become customary this first number of the year's program was given by the New York Philharmonic Orchestra, this time with Wilhem Mengelberg conducting.

The program was unusually interesting and varied. The numbers were:

1. Schubert's Symphony No. 1, in D Major, Op. 74. The music number afforded the audience the unusual opportunity of hearing Mr. Mengelberg himself play the treasured part. The Schubert selection, "A Victory Ball," was a decided contrast to the preceding numbers. It is a vigorous, dramatic, and intimately emotional tone painting, inspired by Mr. Alfred Noyes' poem of the same name.

2. Weiser's Overture to "Der Freischutz."


The music of the concert was presented in a manner that will command the utmost respect and approval. The New York Philharmonic Orchestra has added another successful concert to its already large and growing list of activities this year.

COLUMBUS DISCOVERS CONNECTICUT.

Next Monday evening, October 25th, the Chronicles of Almada's explorations to the New World will be made in the college gymnasium, beginning at 6:45 o'clock.

This is the first of a series of motion picture performances that will be presented on Campus during the coming year, in connection with the course in American History. These Chronicles of America Photoplays, produced under the direction of the Technical Photoplay Press, are now recognized as perhaps the most significant contribution yet made to the field of visual education.

They reproduce the event Cont.
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The Loiterer.

In the Nature of a Few Words About Alma Mater.

The Loiterer has no clear or photographic mental picture of Alma Mater as a whole, any symbol in her mind which displays to perfection the charms of her physical being. Thus, as she can figure out this great person, it is a thoroughly maternal (of course), yet exceedingly gracious Mrs. Santa Claus who keeps alive by giving, and is too wise to expect anything in return. Now this may not be precisely correct, because no one ever spoke to the Loiterer, in understandable words of one2'2 to explain the exact collegiate attitude. This she was forced to probe into the mirror of souls, and the above mentioned image is what she thought she saw.

Coincident with this, is the idea that every college is a hunting, and solicites from the parents the payment of their daughter's company. But does she? Do not the parents of the country entreat the Alma Mater to cherish their young girls, and teach them those dainties which encircle their little home of life? And how the young girls resist, and in most instances they are taught to accept the pitfalls. Poor, dear Mrs. Santa Claus is much like a great green tree whose clustered branches are cluttered with fruits, for instance—apple of discord, or apple of discord and peach, which seem to be so prevalent in the college family. But why didn't these potential fruits enter the trees of the pond and peach; it wasn't Mother Nature's choice. Once done—this irresponsible mother of the college is so much the same,
ESSAY PRIZES OFFERED.

Better Homes for Brain-Workers.

In an effort to encourage better thinking for intellectual workers, the International Federation of Building and Public Works with headquarters at 1 Avenue Carnot, Paris, France, announces the organization of an international essay competition for which Willard Reed Messenger, of New York, has offered $1,600 in prizes. The first prize will be $400; the second prize $200; the third prize $100. Participants should submit their papers typed in French or English not exceeding four to five thousand words which may be accompanied by sketches, nor later than January 15th, and prizes will be awarded the following month.

Papers should include the four following divisions, states the official announcement just issued from Paris:

1. Administrative or legislative measures for facilitating the construction of houses intended for the middle classes or intellectual workers.

2. Financial policy—loans, amortization, etc.

3. New construction methods intended to reduce the cost of building, together with sketches.


The duties, under general supervision, are to study the development and behavior of certain groups of pre-school children, and to write reports thereon. Applicants must have been graduated from a college or university of recognized standing, with the completion of 18 semester hours of college work; and have had at least one year's graduate work in psychology. In addition, applicants must have had at least one year's experience in scientific studies of the mental development and behavior of young children.

The examination is to be held at any place, but will be rated on the education and experience, and a selection of published works to be used and a selection of published works to be used will be made. Full to be obtained by the United States Civil Service Commission, Washington, D.C., or the secretary of the board of U.S. civil service examiners at the post office or custom house in any city.

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Calendar:
- October 24th: Saturday—Dedication of Colonial Indoor Ice Hockey game.
- October 24th: Saturday—Skylark Fund Lecture.
- October 25th: Monday—Colonial Film in Gym.

Colonial Inter-Class Association:

- Lecture:
- Film in Gym.

Polaroid Society:
- Lunsford, 1923. The couple came the bride of Charles Lewis, Ernest Spring, Yale 1924, were married. They will reside in City Island, New York City. October 10th, Leslie Hall, 1924, and Ernest Spring, Yale, 1924, were married.

Other Events:

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- Flower phone 512-2
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- Haircutting, Shampooing, and Hair Goods
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