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TRANSFER

Thursday, May 7

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service: Mrs. Martin
Sage Chapel: Mrs. Galt
- 4:30 p.m. Special Lecture: McBrier 103
Speaker: Mr. Alexander Wolcott of New York City
Subject: "Confessions of a Dying Newspaperman".
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall
- 8:00 p.m. Department of Music Concert: Bashford Hall
Soloists: Mrs. Dunlap, Miss Veghte and Mr. B. Chen

Friday, May 8

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Lin Kuan-te and Mr. Eou-Yang Hsu-ming
Sage Chapel: Miss Yang Tz'u-wen
- 8:00 p.m. "Je Yao": 58 South Compound

Saturday, May 9

- 9:00 a.m. National Humiliation Day Meeting: The Auditorium

Sunday, May 10

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion: Sage Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Junior Church and Sunday Schools
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Dr. T.C. Chao
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Mr. Y. P. Mei

Monday, May 11

- 9:00 a.m. Memorial Assembly: The Auditorium
Speaker: Mr. Vernon Nash
Subject: "The Disadvantages of Journalism as a Career".
- 4:30 p.m. The Deans Committee: The Conference Room
- 8:00 p.m. Music Recital, piano and vocal: The Auditorium

Tuesday, May 12

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Hall: Mr. William Kung
Sage Hall: Mrs. Schafer
- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee
- 4:30 p.m. Faculty Women's Association Garden Party: Lang Jun Yuan
- 8:00 p.m. Faculty Discussion Group: The President's House

Wednesday, May 6

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Musical Service: Mrs. Wilson
Sage Chapel: Miss Bent

Thursday, May 14

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Dr. J.F. Li
Sage Chapel: Miss Mills
- 4:30 p.m. University Lecture:
Speaker: Dr. Hu Shih
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall
- 8:00 p.m. Faculty Conference on Teaching: Home of Dr. Galt
- 8:00 p.m. Lang Jun Yuan Compound Meeting: 11 Lang Jun Yuan

NOTES FROM THE CHANCELLOR'S OFFICE

National Humiliation Day. During the morning of Saturday, May classes will be suspended from 9:30-10:30. The meeting in the Auditorium will begin at 9:00 o'clock, and all members of the are expected to be present.

NOTES FROM THE YENTA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

After the regular Sunday morning service, May 10, there will be a meeting of all members of the Fellowship to elect the chaplain for this service for the coming year. All members are urged to attend.

POSTPONED MEETINGS

On account of the concert now scheduled for Thursday evening of this week, two meetings, the Faculty Conference on Teaching and the Lang Jun Yuan Compound Meeting, will both be postponed till the following Thursday, May 14. The Lang Jun Yuan meeting will be held at House 11 and Dr. Henry Chou will give an informal talk on the Chinese theater.

LECTURES

Dr. Hu Shih, the speaker on Thursday afternoon, May 14 will be our last lecturer under the University Lecture Series.

"Confessions of a Dying Newspaperman" will be the topic of a special lecture by Mr. Alexander Wolcott, distinguished journalist and dramatic critic of New York City, Thursday afternoon of this week at 4:30 o'clock in McBrier 103. The lecture has been arranged for by the department of journalism; all are welcome. In fact, we strongly advise you not to miss it.

NOTES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF PHYSICS

1. The Department of Physics takes pleasure in announcing that Miss Wang Ming-chen, B.S. (Yenching 1930), has been granted a Barbour Scholarship from the University of Michigan, Ann Arbor, U.S.A. At the present time Miss Wang is serving in the Department in the capacity of a half-time graduate assistant.
2. We congratulate Mr. Ch'u Sheng-lin on his appointment as a Lecturer in Physics at Lingnan University, Canton, for the year 1931-2. Mr. Ch'u graduated from Hangchow Christian College in 1927. After serving as Chinese Secretary to Dean Andrew Wu of the said College and later on teaching in Vincent Miller Academy in Soochow for two years, Mr. Ch'u came to Yenching in the fall of 1929 as a postgraduate student and half-time assistant in the Physics Department. He has already finished all the requirements for the degree of Master of Science.

AN APPEAL FROM THE SELF-HELP COMMITTEE

Students are already applying to the Self-Help office for summer work. If any faculty members can find work for students to do, either in the form of typing, copying, clerking, translating, teaching, gardening, etc., please notify Mr. Ma Wen-cho either by phone or mail.

ECHOES OF ALUMNI DAY

Alumni Home Coming Day was fortunate in having perfect spring weather. Early on Saturday morning our guests began to arrive, about 240 in all making their appearance during the course of the day. The program was run off per schedule, and the special busses left for Peking at 11:30 p.m. burdened with weary but enthusiastic sons and daughters of Yenching. At the annual meeting after lunch the new executive committee was elected as follows: Miss Wang Ming-I - 1925, Mr. Chen Chi Tien - 1922, Miss Chen Shen Chao - 1925, Mr. Chang Hsin Te - 1930, Mr. Hsien Chen Sheng - 1923, Mr. Hsu Te Shan - 1921, Mr. Tsao Chin Pan - 1914, Mr. Chang Hung Chun - 1925, Miss Li Kuang - 1927 and will later elect from their own number the officers for the year. Mr. Lung Chien of Nanking was awarded the

prize for making the longest trip to attend the meeting. Of the sporting events, the historic bicycle race was won by Mr. William Band who broke the record of last year by several minutes. The student favorite unfortunately spilled off and broke his machine before he had rounded the first corner. The Baseball Game in the afternoon was won by our visitors, the Japanese Team. Our congratulations to those in charge of the special exhibits and the program for the Junior Entertainment in the evening, all of which were very much enjoyed by those who attended them.

FACULTY TENNIS TOURNAMENT

Singles: Drawings for the singles both men's and women's have been posted on the tennis courts. People are urged to play their matches as soon as possible.

Doubles: Players must choose their own partners for the doubles, men's, women's and mixed. Entries for these will close on Saturday, May 9. Sign up for doubles in Mr. Tsai's office or on the courts, or send names to Mrs. Parr. Drawings for the doubles will be posted the following Monday.

NURSERY SCHOOLS AT YENCHING

School for Faculty Children. Perhaps some of our readers may not even know that this year two little nursery schools have been established in connection with the University. The school for faculty children was opened last fall and is in charge of a group of mothers. It is situated on the South Gate Road just north of the Home Economics House. Permission to visit the school should be made to the committee in charge.

Chengfu School. The second project of this kind is a cooperative enterprise of the Departments of Home Economics, Sociology and Psychology under the direction of Miss White, with the students of the kindergarten and pre-nursing short courses also assisting her. This school was opened on April 1st in a small rented building and court in south Chengfu. This building has been remodeled to include playroom, washroom, experiment room and has been furnished with the most modern types of play apparatus.

Fine village children from 2½ to 4 years of age have been registered, several of these belonging to our "kungchang" workers. In the selection of the children preference was given to children whose mothers were working during the day.

The daily program runs from 9:00-11:30. The children are escorted to the school at 8:45 by mothers and older sisters, and on arrival each one dons a clean little play apron. A free play period follows until 9:30. The children then have their hands and faces washed in preparation for the morning lunch of sweetened bean milk which they all enjoy very much. This is followed by a short period of group activity (story, song or conversation) and the children are then left free to develop their own systems of play until it is time to put away toys and in the charge of their guardians depart homewards.

The supervision of the children is in charge of students under the direction of Miss White. Three senior students in Home Economics, and one senior and one sophomore in Sociology take turns each day.

The School is trying to fulfil a variety of aims. Foremost of these is the training of students in the care of young children. Second, though not less important, is the provision of a good environment for the children themselves. It is also hoped that in the future the School may be used as a laboratory for research in Child Development, and that parents may be trained in the mental and physical hygiene of small children.

WOMEN'S ASSOCIATION MEETING

You are all reminded again of the Garden Party of the Women's Association to be held in the Lang Jun Yuan on Tuesday of next week. The hour has been changed to 4:30 p.m. All members of the faculty are invited to come, and the girls of the Senior class will be invited guests.

GENERAL

An Anglo-Chinese Glossary of Sociological Terms. The flood of new terms which has invaded the Chinese language is bewildering to Chinese and foreigners alike. The graduates in Sociology of the class of 1929 have collected some 3,500 sociological terms and given us the Chinese equivalents. This useful little book may be purchased from the Co-operative Store for 80¢, and is well worth the money.

Lost Articles. At various times during the past year the following articles have been left at the Meads in the East Compound. In spite of repeated attempts the owners could not be found. A white silk hat with stitching, a brass bowl, about 6 inches across and a brass inkstand loaned for properties at the time of the Christmas pageants, a small Cornell banner loaned, but without any name, for the College Club banquet last fall, a raffia bag - decorated with raffia flowers - with an orange lining. Any one recognizing their own belongings in this list is asked to telephone 114; or call at No. 30 East Compound.

The price of Union Church Baking Powder has had to be advanced to \$1.50 per tin due to the increased cost of materials. Mrs. Mead still has a number of tins which may be bought at the old price, \$1.20; if they are bought before the 15th of the month. She also has a new supply of vanilla extract, at \$1.00 a tube, and of very good English soap flakes, also at \$1.00 a pound package.

VISITORS TO OUR CAMPUS

Recent visitors to our campus included Mrs. Thurston of Ginling College who spent some days here as the guest of Mrs. Frame; also, Mrs. Edward C. Bodman and her son and his wife, Mr. and Mrs. George Bodman of New York City who were guests on the campus for lunch. We are delighted to have with us at the present time, Mrs. Taylor, mother of Mr. Matt Taylor.

The Presbyterian Mission of North China held its annual meeting last weekend beginning May 2. The Saturday meetings were held at Yenching in Sage Hall Chapel, and were devotional in nature, the speakers on this occasion being Messrs. Cunningham, Ritter and T.T. Lew and Miss M. Wood.

The Commission on Religious Education will be visiting Yenching this weekend. Its members, Dr. Jesse Conley of California, Miss Alice Gregg of the Sheng Kung Hui, Wuhu; Mr. Samuel Ding of Foochow, Dr. C.S. Miao of Shanghai and the Rev. R.D. Rees (late of Lingnan University) secretary of the N.C.C. Shanghai, will be the guests of members of the School of Religion.

Members of the Fact-Finding Commission are already in Peking and we are expecting visits from them some time next week.

We are hoping to have a visit from our architect, Mr. H.K. Murphy who was scheduled to arrive in Peking this week.

STOP PRESS

There will be no further meetings of Mr. Band's Seminar on the Philosophy of Modern Physics.

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Thursday, May 14

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Dr. J.F. Li
- Sage Chapel: Miss T'ien Kuei Juan
- 2:30 p.m. University Lecture: McBrier 103
Speaker: Dr. Hu Shih
Subject: "What is Zen Buddhism?"
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 8:00 p.m. Lang Jun Yuan Compound Meeting: 11 Lang Jun Yuan
- 8:30 p.m. Faculty Conference on Teaching
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall

Friday, May 15

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Miss P'an Yu-mei
- Sage Chapel: Miss Camilla Mills
- 2:00 p.m. Meeting of the Board of Managers: Western Returned Students' Club, Peking.
- 7:30 p.m. Student English Dramatic Society: The Auditorium
"The Lion's Nest"
"Campbell of Kilmore"
"The Taming of the Shrew"

Saturday, May 16

- 9:00 a.m. Sage Chapel: Miss Yen Fen

Sunday, May 17

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion: Sage Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Junior Church and Sunday Schools
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Dr. T.C. Chao
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Mr. Sailer

Monday, May 18

- 9:00 a.m. Memorial Assembly: The Auditorium
Speaker: Mr. William Hung
Subject: "Index Making"
- 4:30 p.m. Committee for the Graduate Division: Home of Prof. Y. M. Hsieh.
- 8:00 p.m. Music Recital: violin, vocal and piano: The Auditorium

Tuesday, May 19

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Miss Hancock
- Sage Chapel: Mrs. G.B. Barbour
- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee
- 8:00 p.m. Faculty Discussion Group: The President's House

Wednesday, May 20

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. W. B. Pettus
- Sage Chapel: Mrs. G. B. Barbour

Thursday, May 21

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Mr. Mead
- Sage Chapel: Mrs. L.C. Wolferz
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's House
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall
- 6:30 p.m. Chengfu Group Supper: Home of Mr. and Mrs. E.K. Smith

YENTA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

At the regular chapel service in Ninde Hall, 9-9:20 on Wednesday, May 20 Mr. W.B. Pettus, president of the North China Union Language School, will read the closing scene from "The Green Pastures". This has been the most popular play in New York in some years, and Mr. Pettus, being from Alabama, reads it exceptionally well. Many faculty members will be glad of this unusual opportunity.

NOTES FROM THE COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES

China Foundation Fellowships. Announcement has just been made of the appointments to research fellowships for the year 1931-32 by the China Foundation. Three were awarded to Yenching applicants. A total of 47 awards were made; almost half of the fellowships are for the support of research projects in China; the remainder are for research studies abroad. The Yenching recipients are: Prof. Li Ju-ch'i, Ph.D. for continuing his studies on *Drosophila* (fruit fly) at Yenching; Miss Chen Shen-chao, M. Sc., who becomes a full-time research fellow in biochemistry, to carry out studies on experimental goiter; Mr. Mao Ying-tou, B. Sc., graduate student in Biology, for special expenses connected with the completion of his master's thesis on the scarab beetles of China.

FACULTY CONFERENCE ON TEACHING

The next regular meeting of the conference will be held at Mr. Galt's home at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday of this week. Please note the change of hour. For the program it is expected that several members of the conference will bring in their reports regarding various university experiments in higher education, accompanied by concrete suggestions for possible changes in the organization of instruction here at Yenching University. All members of the Faculty who are interested are invited to be present.

DRAMATICS

On Friday evening at half past seven in Bashford Auditorium the Yenching Student English Dramatic Society is presenting a program of three plays, to which those of our group who are interested in budding histrionic talent are cordially invited. The first play "The Lion's Nest" is the lightest of modern light comedy, and the scene is laid in the picturesque Shih Tze Wo which many of us have visited on hill trips. It is followed by a stirring tragedy of the Scotch Highlands in the time of the Stuarts. But these are mere introductions to the great attempt of the evening which is a condensation of "The Taming of the Shrew", on which coach, cast and costumers have exhausted their best efforts. Come one, come all and see Petrucio hurl the plates at his bonny Kate!

CHENGFU GROUP SUPPER

The supper of Chengfu Community will be postponed to next Thursday, May 21st, 6:30 at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Smith. Mr. Stephen Tsai will speak to the group on the recent activities in connection with public health and village improvement in Chengfu. It is hoped that there will be a good turnout.

TEACHER WANTED

A teacher will be needed next year to take charge of First, Second and Third Grades in the Yentung School for foreign children. Apply to Mrs. L.M. Mead chairman of the Yentung School Board, East Compound.

TICKETS FOR COLLEGE CLUB ENTERTAINMENT

Tickets for the water pageant to be staged in the Chung Hai by the Peking American College Women's Club on Friday afternoon May 22 at 4:00 o'clock, may be obtained from Mr. Schafer, 1 dollar each.

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Thursday, May 21

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Mr. Mead
Sage Chapel: Mrs. L.C. Wolferz
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 6:30 p.m. Chengfu Group Supper: Home of Mr. and Mrs. E.K. Smith
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall

Friday, May 22

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Li Lien-chieh
- Sage Chapel: Mrs. L.E. Wolferz
- 8:30 p.m. "Je Mao" final performance: Sage Hall Auditorium

Saturday, May 23

- 9:00 a.m. Sage Chapel: Musical Service, Mr. Wiant.
- 2:00 p.m. Oratorical Contest: (Chinese) Fu Jen Ta Hsueh
(Catholic University)

Sunday, May 24

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion: Sage Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Junior Church and Sunday Schools
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Dr. Andrew Cheng
- 2:00 p.m. Oratorical Contest (English) Fu Jen Ta Hsueh (Catholic University)
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Evensong: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Rev. C.F. Whiston

Monday, May 25

- 9:00 a.m. Memorial Assembly: The Auditorium
Speaker: Mr. Duncan
Subject: Some Aspects of Contemporary Political Science
- 4:30 p.m. The Deans Committee: The Conference Room
- 6:00 p.m. East Compound Supper: Picnic in the Grove

Tuesday, May 26

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. K.Y. Ma
Sage Chapel: Miss Myfanwy Wood
- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee
- 8:00 p.m. Faculty Discussion Group: The President's House

Wednesday, May 27

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Quaker Service, Miss Burtt
Sage Chapel: Mr. Ma Ch'ing-hsuan
- 3:30-6:30 p.m. Sale of Kung Chang work: Home of Mrs. Mead

Thursday, May 28

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Mr. C.W. Luh
Sage Chapel: Dr. J.F. Li
- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Grounds and Buildings Committee:
The Conference Room
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall
- 7:30 p.m. Southwest Group Supper: Home of Mme Bayer, Haitien.

NOTES FROM THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

Meeting of the Board of Managers. A special meeting of the Yenching University Board of Managers was held in Peiping last Friday afternoon to consider the resignation of Chancellor Wu. When Chancellor Wu accepted the Chancellorship he, of his own accord, imposed a two-year limit on the term of service. Accordingly, at the expiration of the two-year period, he considered it appropriate to send in his resignation. The Board of Managers, at the meeting last week, voted heartily and unanimously to request the Chancellor to withdraw his resignation and to continue as the Chancellor of the University. The Chancellor's three-months leave of absence has already expired, and it is the hope that he will return soon to the University and consent to continue in his position as Chancellor.

Yuan Ming Yuan Pillars. Members of the university community will be interested to know that arrangements have been made whereby the one of the three large pillars now on the University campus, which came from the Yuan Ming Yuan, is to be transferred to the Metropolitan Library in Peiping.

The new building of the Metropolitan Library is practically completed, and a formal opening ceremony is to be held soon. The authorities of the Library conceived the idea that on the grounds of the Library would be a suitable place for the erection of two of these old pillars. One of the four originally in the Yuan Ming Yuan had already been taken to Peiping, and the Library authorities, having made arrangements with the Municipal Government for the removal to the Library grounds of that pillar, proposed to Yenching University that one of the three pillars on the University campus be removed to Peiping to form one of the pair on the Metropolitan Library grounds.

Since the Metropolitan Library is really a national institution this proposal seemed a suitable one, and the University authorities, cooperating with the Library authorities, reported the plan to the Peiping Municipal Government and received the Government's approval.

At the time of writing, contractors sent by the Metropolitan Library authorities have already appeared on the University grounds and expect to remove one of the pillars during the next few days.

(Signed) The President's Office.

President Stuart's Return. On the last American mail a letter was received from the President in which he states that he plans to sail from Seattle on the "President Lincoln" May 30th, arriving in Yokohama June 12th, and allowing two days in Tokyo, expects to arrive in Peiping about June 18th. In spite of the difficulties of raising money in America at this time Dr. Stuart is satisfied that there need be no anxiety here as to the outcome of the campaign for raising the sum of money to match the gift from the Rockefeller Foundation for our College of Natural Sciences. A strong promotional committee is now at work on this project, and to quote his own words, "although it is going to be tremendously hard to raise this amount of money, I believe it will be undertaken in such a way that the Rockefeller Foundation will not allow us to suffer whatever the actual results may or may not be upon any given date". He attended the annual meeting of the Board of Trustees on April 15 which adjourned to meet again just before he sailed in order to report results. He has also been present at a number of meetings of special committees of the Board. To quote again: "The financial conditions in the country are even worse than all the impressions one gets from reading about it in China. I could give realistic details, but shall not take time this morning. Practically all philanthropic appeals except for the relief of unemployment are being held up. There has been more pessimism in the Wall Street area this past week than any time since the earlier months following the crash. Predictions as to improvement in the situation now point toward next January, although President Pendleton of Wellesley reports that the best financial advice her college can get is that the depression will continue for some two years more..... On the eve of the Trustees' meeting, it happened that the Yenching alumni in New York had planned to give me the usual supper of welcome in a Chinese restaurant. It was a delightful experience and gave me the kind of inspiration that would have helped me most in preparation for the meeting of the next morning. Next week I am going to Cambridge to attend the annual meeting of the Harvard-Yenching trustees. In the midst of financial discouragements it is really exhilarating to realize the friendly feeling for Yenching and the esteem in which the institution is held in this country. My greetings to all the Yenching community."

DEPARTMENTAL NEWS

New Chairmen of Departments: - The appointments have been confirmed of four new heads of departments as follows:

Miss M.S. Speer to be chairman of the department of English
Miss Ch'en I, to be chairman of the department of Home Economics
Mr. B.H. Li, to be chairman of the department of Economics
Mr. George Loehr, to be acting chairman of the department of European Languages

DEPARTMENT OF BIOLOGY

Mr. Chu Tso-chi, B.S. Lingnan 1928, was a graduate student in this Department during 1929-30 and is returning to Yenching to complete his work for the Master's degree during the summer. Mr. Chu has recently been granted a Class B Fellowship from the China Foundation for further studies in America next year.

Mr. Meng Ting-hsiu, B.S. Yenching 1930, has been a graduate assistant in the Department this year and has recently been appointed an assistant in Anatomy at P.U.M.C. for next year.

Mr. Li Hsi-chieh completed his M.S. work in this Department in 1929 and has been connected with the Division of Parasitology at P.U.M.C. this year. Mr. Li has recently been appointed an assistant in Parasitology at P.U.M.C. for next year.

Mr. J.C. Liu, Assistant Professor of Botany in this Department, has been granted a Rockefeller Foundation Fellowship for further studies at the University of Wisconsin during 1931-33. Mr. Liu will return to Yenching in 1933.

Mr. Chen Kuo-chieh graduated in 1929 and has since been a graduate assistant in this Department. Mr. Chen is completing his work for the M.S. degree this June and has been appointed an Instructor in Biology at Central China College, Wuchang.

Mr. Bien Mei-nien completed his work for the B.S. degree in April and is now an assistant at the National Geological Survey at Peiping. Mr. Bien is carrying on his work both in Peiping and in Chou-kou-tien.

Mr. Mao Ying-tou, a graduate assistant in this Department, will carry on an extensive collecting program in Chefoo during the month of June; in Foochow during July and in Hainan during August.

PHI-TAU PHI SOCIAL EVENING

Mrs. A.B. Frame invites the members of the Yenching Chapter of PHI TAU PHI to a Social Evening Party on Wednesday, May 27, at 8:00 P.M., in the Dean's Residence of the College for Women. All members are earnestly requested to reserve this evening for the occasion and to arrive promptly.

THE MARINE BIOLOGICAL ASSOCIATION OF CHINA

The Marine Biological Association of China will conduct a Summer Survey at the Marine Biological Station in the University of Amoy, from July 6 to August 8. The China Foundation and the Rockefeller Foundation have each made a generous grant of \$5000.00 l.c. to the Association for the summer program. Dr. Robert K.S. Lim of P.U.M.C. was elected Director of the Station and Dr. Chenfu F. Wu, president of the Association, was elected the Resident Director. Invitations have been sent to biologists of professorial rank in different institutions in China to be investigators at the Station this summer. The Association will pay the travelling expenses of the investigators.

YENCHING BIOLOGICAL NEWS

The Biology Club of Yenching University, organized by the major students in this Department, has decided to issue a quarterly bulletin, to be known as the YENCHING BIOLOGICAL NEWS. The first number has just been published, and will be widely circulated for exchange with other institutions.

BETA BETA BETA BIOLOGICAL HONORARY SOCIETY

The Alpha Chapter of Beta Beta Beta in China was founded in Yenching in the fall of 1929. A Charter has just been granted by this Alpha Chapter for the organization of a Beta Chapter at Soochow University. At the meeting held on Monday, May 18, Dr. Muling Ma, Mr. Tan Chia-chen and Mr. Li Hui-lin have been elected to membership in the Alpha Chapter at Yenching. Mr. Tan and Mr. Li are graduate students in this Department.

UNIVERSITY LECTURE SERIES

In view of the pressure of work towards the close of the University year and arrival of summer weather which makes it better to be out of doors after 4 o'clock, there will be no further lectures this term. The last lecture, delivered by Dr. Hu Shih, was attended by an audience of considerably over 700. The Committee in charge of University Lectures welcomes the increasing cooperation on the part of the various departments whereby speakers are invited to come at the Thursday afternoon period and thus can be assured of larger audiences - to the benefit alike of speakers, spoken-toes and the department concerned.

A list is given below of those who have addressed audiences since September, and the topics they selected.

For the Committee
G.B. Barbour.

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| 1. Prof. Elliot Smith | "Evolution and Vision" |
| 2. Prof. Kenneth Saunders | "Gandhi and Kagawa" |
| 3. Hon. Charles R. Crane | "Reminiscences" |
| 4. Prof. Warbeke | "A Modern Interpretation of Art" |
| 5. Prof. Hsiung Fu-hsi | "Significance of Modern Theatrical Art" |
| 6. Dr. Visser | "Exploring the Karakoram" |
| 7. Prof. Ariga | "Youth Movement in Japan" |
| 8. Dr. V.K. Ting | "Lessons of the Russian Revolution" |
| 9. Prof. Chu Hsi-chu | "Literature of Chuangtse" |
| 10. Prof. Tawney | "British Labour Movement" |
| 11. Dr. Y.C. Lu | "Tuberculosis in Peiping" |
| 12. Prof. Feng Kuan | "Manchu, Mongol and Tibetan Contributions to Chinese Literature" |
| 13. Dr. Bernard Read | "Romance of Chinese Medicine" |
| 14. Dr. C.M. Child | "Modern Experimental Biology" |
| 15. Mr. P.D. Evans | "Reuters News Service" |
| 16. Prof. Hu Shih | "What is Zen Buddhism?" |

YEN TA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Please note that the Evensong Service is to come next Sunday, Whitsunday, instead of on the last Sunday of May. This is the last service Mr. Whiston will conduct for us. Special attendance will express appreciation to him for his willingness to conduct the service for our Fellowship throughout the year.

SPRING ATHLETICS IN THE WOMEN'S COLLEGE

The completion of the Boyd Gymnasium, which with its unfinished swimming pool, is considered the largest and best-equipped women's gymnasium in North China, stimulated the keen interest in sports among the Yenching coeds. In addition to exercises on the apparatus, the girls showed great enthusiasm in various other games. Intramural volley ball, baseball and tennis teams were quickly organized under the respective captainship of Luh Hui-ching, Luh Chi-ying and Kuo Wan-ying. Since then, the players can be seen donning their white and black uniforms almost every day, rain or shine, since all but the tennis players have the gym to fall back on during rainy weather.

The league matches started in the middle of last month when both the base and volley ball teams had to play on the same day. The Yenching girls won both games easily, the base ball team winning by a score of 19a to 12, and the volley ball by 3 straight games.

That double victory was only the first of a long series. Since then, every week-end has seen the Yenching truck - all the games being played in the city - drive the anxious teams to town at noon and bring them back in the evening, tired but happy, their throats almost hoarse through yelling out cries of victory. The baseball team brought the first championship home by winning two straight matches from the National Women's College, our only competitor in the baseball league. Our net stars were not slow in adding glory to our athletic records, and the following week secured the tennis title for the Alma Mater by two matches to one.

More complicated was the volley ball league. So many schools joined the league that it was necessary to separate the competing teams into two groups, the winning teams of which were scheduled to meet each other for the championship. Three successive victories and our coeds came into the final match last Sunday ready for a struggle to complete the list of titles obtained this spring. Luck however seemed to have deserted us, and the match, which promised another easy victory for our team in the beginning, resulted in a rather unexpected defeat. The score was 3-1, the first of the four games only being in our favour.

This defeat, though depriving us of a desirable title, does not seem to discourage our players. A friendly game with the Tsinghua coeds was played last Tuesday, and our players after practising hard to put up a good fight, succeeded in defeating their

No less interest is manifested in tennis. Sixteen girls have signed up for individual single tournament, the first round of which is scheduled to take place this week. Plans for matches versus the men students and faculty members, both single and double, are under discussion, and are expected to further stimulate the interest of our net players.

The fine record made by our girls in the League matches brought them yet another honour - most of them were chosen to represent Peiping in the North China Athletic Meet to be held in Tsinan beginning May 27th. Three net stars were picked out, seven volley-ball players were qualified while practically the whole base-ball team passed the try-out test.

The players will leave Peiping for Tsinan on Saturday and expect to be back before the final examinations. They will be accompanied by Dr. Gertrude Ma, who will act as manager to the base-ball team and chaperon to the whole group.

Sister college 3-1.

(signed) Jane T'ang

ORATORICAL CONTEST

An oratorical contest in which Yenching University will compete will be held this weekend at the Fu Jen Ta Hsueh (Catholic University). Five Universities in Peking have entered the competition, Tsinghua, Peita, Shihua, Futa and Yenching. The contests will be held in both English and Chinese, three orations allowed from each university in each language. The contest in Chinese will begin at 2:00 o'clock on Saturday and the one in English at the same hour on Sunday. A very able committee of four chaired by Mr. Yen Yung Hsi, has stimulated interest to such an extent at Yenching that no less than fifty-six aspiring orators appeared at the tryouts which were held in the Auditorium on Tuesday evenings. The subjects of these orations were left to the choice of each speaker. The appreciation of our community in the splendid enthusiasm shown in the endeavour to worthily uphold Yenching's best traditions of oratory, was expressed in the presentation of prizes by Dr. and Mrs. Galt on behalf of the Student Association and the Faculty Executive, to the winners of the tryouts. Who will represent Yenching this weekend.

and Wednesday

SALES OF KUNGCHANG WORK

The three branches of Yenching Craftwork, - cross-stitch, applique and handkerchief - will have a sale and display of work on Wednesday, May 27th from 3.30 to 6.30 at the home of Mrs. Mead, 30 East Compound. The cross-stitch and applique kung changs have several charming new designs, and the handkerchief kung chang has branched out into baby clothes. There will also be a bargain table of handkerchief. "Come early and avoid the rush."

COMPOUND SUPPERS

The Southwest Group will hold their last community supper of this Spring, at the home of Mme. Bauer, on Thursday, May 28, at half-past-seven. The hosts will be, Mme. Bauer, Miss Burt, Mr. Band, Mr. Groff, and Mr. & Mrs. Ritter.

The May meeting of the East Compound will take the form of a picnic. Children are invited and each family is asked to bring its own supper. Place:- The grove, east of the Compound. Time:- May 25th 6 o'clock.

The Lang Jun Yuan will hold no more group evenings this year.

FINAL MEETING OF THE JE NAO

The final "Je Nao" for the year is scheduled for Friday evening May 22nd, in Sage Hall Auditorium beginning at 8:30. This "Je Nao" will be in the nature of a "Barn Dance". Folk dancing will be the order of the evening. It is hoped and expected that everyone will come in costume.

GENERAL

Lost. A fountain pen, light green in color and marked with the owner's name was lost on Monday afternoon between Ninde Hall and the 3rd Women's Dormitory. Will the finder please turn it in to the Business Office where it may be claimed by the owner.

For Sale. Miss Charry who is going home this summer would like to dispose of her portable Victrola, mechanism in good condition, price \$45; oak chest of drawers, iron bed and mattress, insect netting, large old wicker desk, stool and chaise longue (very cheap) brass and aluminum table ware with steel knives, new reed waste basket. House 13 Lang Jun Yuan.

NEWS OF ALUMNI AND ALUMNI DAY

Competition for Naming the Buildings. Those who entered this competition which took place on Alumni Day will be interested to know that at a recent meeting of the Faculty Executive Committee a small committee was appointed by the chairman to examine the ballots and make the appropriate selection of names.

The new Executive Committee of Yenta Alumni Association elected on Alumni Day, held its first meeting last Saturday afternoon and from its members the following officers were selected: Mr. Chen Chi-tien, chairman; Mr. Hsieh Ching-sheng, secretary and Mr. Tsao Ching-pan, treasurer.

Mr. Tsao I is at present making a tour of our alumni chapters in the province of Shansi and expects to return very shortly to the university.

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Thursday, May 28

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Mr. C.W. Luh.
Sage Chapel: Dr. J.F. Li
- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Grounds and Buildings Committee:
The Conference Room
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 4:30 p.m. Faculty Children Music Recital: Sage Hall Auditorium
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall
- 7:30 p.m. Southwest Group Supper: Home of Mme. Bauer, Haitien

Friday, May 29

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Tu Ying-kuang
Sage Chapel: Mr. K.Y. Ma

Saturday, May 30

- 9:00 a.m. Sage Chapel: Music
- 8:00 p.m. Victrola Recital: The Wiant Residence.

Sunday, May 31

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion: Sage Chapel
- 8:30 a.m. Junior Church and Sunday Schools: Tang Jun Yuan
- 9:00 a.m. Finals of the Oratorical Contest (In Chinese) Central
Park
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Mr. Ma Ch'ung-hsuan
- 2:00 p.m. Finals of the Oratorical Contest (in English) Central
Park
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Mr. Breece

Monday, June 1

- 9:00 a.m. Memorial Assembly: The Auditorium
Speaker: Mr. Faucett
Subject: Language and Reality
- 4:30 p.m. The University Council: The President's House

Tuesday, June 2

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Miss M. Wood
Sage Chapel: Miss Hancock
- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee

Wednesday, June 3

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Musical Service, Mr. Wiant.
Sage Chapel: Miss Kuan Sung Shan

Thursday, June 4

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service, Mr. K.A. Wee
Sage Chapel: Miss Boynton
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 6:45 p.m. The Choral Society: Sage Hall

RETURN OF THE CHANCELLOR

Last week the Bulletin carried a short item reporting the special meeting of the Board of Managers and the action of said meeting regarding the resignation of the Chancellor.

It is a pleasure to report that a letter to the Board of Managers has been received from the Chancellor in which he expresses his willingness to withdraw his resignation and continue in the position of Chancellor for a period of two years.

The Chancellor's letter did not indicate the exact day on which he expected to return, but stated that he would be leaving Hangchow the end of the month, and would expect to arrive at Yenching about the first of June. There is some hope that he may be able to be present at the next Monday morning Assembly.

All members of the University will be rejoiced to hear this good news and welcome the Chancellor back from his vacation, and this welcome will be doubly joyous because of his willingness to retain the Chancellorship for another period.

NOTES FROM THE PRESIDENT'S OFFICE

The British Committee for Christian Universities in China. Yenching University is one of a group of union universities in China in which Christian bodies in America and Great Britain are much interested. A year or so ago there was organized in New York a committee called "The Committee for the Christian Colleges in China", which has been consulting with the Council of Higher Education of the China Christian Educational Association regarding the correlated program of the Christian colleges in China, and the proposed united financial campaign.

The British interests connected with the various union institutions in China have been participating in these various plans and activities more or less for an extended period, and recently have taken steps to form a similar committee in Great Britain.

A recent post brought to the President's Office copies of documents indicating that the proposed committee has at last been organized, under the title "United Committee for Christian Universities of China". The letterhead of the organization contains the title of the Committee just reported, after which a list of institutions and an appended note are given, as follows:

1. Yenching University, Peiping.
2. Shantung Christian University, (Cheeloo).
3. West China Union University, Chengtu.
4. Central China College, Wuchang.
5. East China Federated University.
6. Fukien Christian University.
7. Lingnan University, Canton.

"Seven British missionary societies cooperate with the Chinese Church and with societies in North America and Europe in these universities."

The office of the Committee is at 2 Eaton Gate, London, S. W. 1. The Secretary is Mr. William G. Sewell, M. S. C., and the Treasurer, Mrs. J. C. Carr.

The letter received in the President's Office is signed by the Secretary and the Treasurer, and the latter part of the letter, which may be quoted entire, is as follows:

"It will be our aim to secure closer cooperation between the societies as we try to build up, especially among educationalists in this country, groups who are interested in the work. We hope through them to strengthen your hands and advocate your needs in personnel and finance.

We should not like you to be sanguine about any financial results in the immediate future. There is very much groundwork to be done first. Apart from a handful of specialists few people in England realise the work you are doing. We shall have to enlighten them. We hope, however, that you will be able to feel confident that we shall do all we can for you and that we share the work with you to the utmost of our ability.

If we are to be effective, we shall need your closest cooperation. As a first request we shall be glad if you will supply us with the following:

1. University Catalogues and other University publications, magazines or general literature (in English). Duplicates will be appreciated so that we may give copies to any who are specially interested.

2. The latest figures about the size of your student body, and an analysis of how they are made up (years, departments etc.) Did you refuse any applications for admission at the beginning of the session, if so why and how many?
3. Information about the maintenance of the Christian spirit among the students.
4. A list of staff, with degrees and universities (unless included in the Catalogue).
5. The number of graduates and a classification of occupations, with particulars of any outstanding men or women.
6. Any other information which will enable us to state your case and interest people in your work.

Please let us know when any of your staff or students are coming to England for furlough or study, or if they are passing through on their way to other lands. We are anxious to secure every opportunity for personal contacts.

Will you share with us, as you feel able, your deeper problems so that we may enlist prayer on your behalf and have an intelligent comprehension of your needs?

Between us we have had personal experiences at Cheeloo, Lingnan and West China and have visited Yenching and most of the East China Colleges; we have the happiest memories of our friends and colleagues. This new Committee will, we hope, bring us into closer contact with a wider circle and we would assure you of our desire to share with you in the work of the Christian universities which is so dear to us.

Yours sincerely,

(Signed) Wm. G. Sewell
Dorothy M. Carr."

The Secretary, Mr. Sewell, requests that this information is brought to all members of the Faculty of Yenching University. Members of the University will welcome this news, and will appreciate this evidence of growing internationalism in relation to the work of Yenching.

Who's Who in China. Copies of the latest edition of "Who's Who in China" (April 1931) have recently been placed in both the Chancellor's and President's offices, and can be consulted at any time there.

Private cables and telegrams are sometimes received in the President's Office bearing the registered telegram address of the university, YENTA PEPING, and it has been at times very difficult to identify the owner. In one case recently there was a delay of two days in the delivery of the cable. Members of staff who are expecting cables, or who make use of the registered address, are asked to notify the President's office so that there may be as little delay as possible in the transmission of these messages.

YENTA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP NOTES

The Yenta Branch of the Home Missionary Society in China. This society has for some years been carrying on work in the province of Yunnan to which quite a number of Chinese men and women have been sent as missionary doctors, preachers, teachers, and social workers, and they have by their devoted service won the hearts of the people there. This pioneer work has not been easy and they have undergone great hardships and difficulties. The society has now branches all over the country and the number of them has grown to about one hundred. Each branch has at least one hundred persons, each member paying at least one dollar. This year the society is trying to carry on a campaign for a membership of 10,000, in order to promote interest in this enterprise of the Chinese church and to secure \$10,000 to help the cause of home missions. Plans are now under way to open up mission work on the border of Inner Mongolia and a search is being made for a doctor and missionary preacher to undertake this work.

Three years ago the Yenta Christian Fellowship established a branch of this society with the one hundred members, each paying membership dues of \$1.00. As many of the original members have left Yenching and as many new people have joined our community who may be interested, the Fellowship is planning a campaign for membership. Next week you will have a visit from one of the following persons, and it is hoped that all old members will renew their subscriptions and that many ones will join. We hope that all members of the Fellowship will enroll, and others who may not belong to the Fellowship; Mr. Ritter for the South Compound; Miss Moling Ma for the Women's College and vicinity; Mr. Andrew Cheng for Haitien; Mrs. C.P. Tsao for Chengfu; Dr. Chao and Mrs. Adolph for the East Compound and Miss Hague for the Lang Jun Yuan. Student collectors will canvass the student body. We hope that there will be an enthusiastic response and that a suitable sum of money will be in hand by the 15th of June to be sent to the headquarters of the society in Shanghai. Dr. T.C. Chao will be glad to answer any further questions concerning the society.

The Vesper Service on June 7th will be marked by special music. Dean T.C. Chao will speak on "Worship through Music", and the University Choir under Mr. Wiant's direction will present special anthems.

The Tuesday evening Faculty Discussion Group will not meet again this year.

The Yenching Sunday Schools will have an out of door service in the north west corner of Lang Jun Yuan at half past eight this Sunday morning. Each school will contribute a song, or act a play of their own planning, as they did last year. Parents are cordially invited to this final meeting of the school year.

Have you seen the new picture in the small chapel in Findo? It was a prize given our Chinese speaking Faculty Sunday School for plans that were used in the worship services and class work. They were submitted to the Religious Education Exhibit by the teachers, who are graduate majors in Religious Education in the Seminary. There have also been requests for these plans from the Committee which is writing new Sunday School lessons; from the travelling exhibit of the National Christian Council, which wishes to use them as part of their permanent material; and from the Sunday School Commission, which recently visited us, and which wishes to print these plans in their report.

Three individual prizes were also given to our students at the Religious Education Exhibit, for their work.

THE FIVE UNIVERSITIES ORATORICAL CONTEST

In the semi-finals of the oratorical contests held on Saturday and Sunday afternoons of last weekend Yenching made a splendid showing in winning first place in both the English and Chinese bouts, third and tenth places in the Chinese, and third and fourth in the English, as well. We are justly proud of our representatives and wish them all success in the finals which will take place in Central Park next Sunday. Our congratulations to Mr. Chu Sheng-lin and Miss Sun Hui-min and Mr. Meng Hsien-fan who were placed in the Chinese contest and Messrs. Cheng Shao-huai, Yang I-hsiang and Cheng Cheng-kun in the English one. The contests on Sunday will be held in the Central Hall (Chung Shan T'ang), in Chinese in the morning beginning at 9:00 and in English in the afternoon beginning at 2:00. Tickets for seats will be given out at the door of the hall.

NOTES FROM THE DEPARTMENT OF MUSIC

A recital of music in which the children of the faculty will take part will be held in the Sage Hall Auditorium Thursday afternoon at 4:30. There will be violin and piano numbers. All welcome. The GÖTTERDÄMMERUNG, recorded by the Victor Company will be played at the Wiant Residence on Saturday evening at 8 P.M. Any persons, faculty or students desiring to hear this music are welcome. Come bring your friends and your libretto!

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Thursday, June 4

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Family Service; Mr. K.A. Wee
Sage Chapel: Miss Boynton
- 4:30 p.m. Academic Policy Committee: The President's Office
- 6:45 p.m.

Friday, June 5

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Cheng Shao Hui
Sage Chapel: Women's College Assembly
- 4:00 p.m. Tennis Matches: Language School vs. Yenching: Central
Tennis Courts
- 4:30 p.m. Farewell Tea for Miss Cherry: Home of Mrs. Nash
- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the College of Arts and Letters: McBrier 126
- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Phi Tau Phi Society: Social Room of
Ninde Hall
- 7:30 p.m. The Fifth Annual Yenta Bat: The auditorium

Saturday, June 6

- 9:00 a.m. Sage Chapel: Mr. Faucett
- 4:30 p.m. Tennis: Faculty vs. Students, Women's
College Courts

Sunday, June 7

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion: Sage Chapel
- 9:00 a.m. Junior Church and Sunday Schools
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Dr. T.C. Chao
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Ninde Chapel
Leader: Dean Chao assisted by the Choir
Subject: "Worship through Music"

Monday, June 8

- 9:00 a.m. Memorial Assembly: The Auditorium
Speaker: Mr. Faucett
Subject: "Language and Reality" (postponed from
last week)
- 4:30 p.m. The University Council: The President's House

Tuesday, June 9

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Faucett
Sage Chapel: Miss Tso Te-chen
- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee

Wednesday, June 10

- 9:00 a.m. Ninde Chapel: Mr. Nash assisted by Faculty Quartette
Sage Chapel: Dean Frame
- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Committee on Loans, Scholarships and
Self-Help: The Conference Room

Thursday, June 11 SPRING SEMESTER EXAMINATIONS

PHI TAU PHI ELECTION MEETING

There will be a meeting of all the active members of the Yenching University Chapter of PHI TAU PHI Society on Friday, June 5, at 4:30 P.M., in the Social Room of Ninde Hall. The meeting is called for the election of new members from the graduating classes. It is very important that every member should make an effort to attend the meeting. Please reserve the afternoon for the meeting and arrive PROMPTLY at 4:30.

MEETING OF THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL, JUNE 8

At the meeting of the Council next Monday afternoon there will be a wind-up of all the routine business for this session. It is hoped that everything of this nature can be cleared off at this meeting, so that the next can be reserved for the passing of candidates only.

SELF-HELP WORK FOR THE STUDENTS

Our Yenching community is never slow to respond to appeals for help. Every appeal for relief or social service work has met with a ready response. It is comparatively easy for us to meet an appeal for funds by simply drawing out our check books. But now, an appeal of a different kind is coming from our own Student Self-help Bureau. A large number of our students are only able to attend college if they can obtain some form of scholarship, or failing that, find some work to do during their free hours which will help in paying their school fees. During this past academic year the Bureau has found work for about 95 students in a great variety of employments.

Summer months are approaching, and about 30 students are seeking employment during the vacation. We are all, I am sure, in sympathy with the work of the Bureau and wish to help if we can, but we sometimes find it rather a bother to think out ways by which we can give employment. Don't put this little problem aside to tackle "when you have time", but "do it now".

How about brushing up your Chinese for a few weeks and giving some boy or girl a nice holiday at the seaside with you at the same time? How about taking lessons in tennis this summer? How about getting some student to help you with typing or copying that book or paper you are always planning to write? How about some work in your garden during the summer, interesting some student in gardening, reading landscape books or papers with him. Do your children need some coaching in their school work, and would enjoy a few hours each week with some bright teacher of mathematics, physics or chemistry? Or, can you yourself think of some other special ways by which work could be found in your house?

Mr. Ma has already been writing to schools and agencies in Peiping and has found jobs for five of the thirty. One is to teach in a summer school, one is to give private teaching lessons, one to help in famine investigation work, etc.

So far no one in Yenching has sent in a request for student help this summer. Don't wait any longer but try to do your share in making a higher education possible for some boy or girl who is will to work hard for it. Consult with Mr. Ma Wen Cho.

PUBLIC HEALTH WORK IN CHENGFU

In response to a general appeal for funds to assist in the public health and village improvement work in Chengfu, private subscriptions in the University amounting to about \$50 have been received, and in addition to this the contingency fund of our Community Chest had donated \$80, and the Yenta Relief Federation \$50. The village has already raised over \$70. Although for over a year the University had been discussing such a campaign, it was not until this spring that matters began to move forward briskly. Mr. S. J. Chuan interviewed the head of the department of Public Health in Peiping, and so interested him in the scheme that he came out himself to inspect and give his hearty endorsement. Later, our new Comptroller Mr. Tsai, and the Yenta Relief Federation approached the village elders and secured their approval, and a first meeting was held in the local police office, with a representative of the police force, Mr. Tsai, Mr. Chang Hun Chun, Mr. H. H. Chuan and several of the Chengfu gentry present. Mr. Tsai presented definite plans for improvement which were endorsed by all, and a committee was elected to be responsible for the work, consisting of three members from Chengfu, two police officers, our Comptroller and three other members from our University community; the finances to be carried

jointly by the university community and the village. The plans for improvement drawn up will amount to about \$500 a year. Already a total sum of over \$300 is in hand and operations started some weeks ago.

What has been accomplished up to date?

- 1) The main ditch running through the village has been deepened and thoroughly cleaned out. (We hope there will be no more wading up to our knees in water during the rains on our way home to the Tung Ta Ti or the Lang Jun Yuan!)
- 2) A general clean-up of the village streets and a request circulated to throw no more garbage into the road.
- 3) Public lavatories repaired and put into proper condition.
- 4) The main road repaired and widened.
- 5) Bridges restored.
- 6) Carts and other equipment for carrying off garbage, bought.

Perhaps even more important than the clean-up of the village has been the fact that regular employment has been found, and will continue to be found, for a number of village people out of work.

Future Plans.

Permanent public health work will be undertaken in the future, and a regular contribution system will be inaugurated in the village to make this work self-supporting. Regular street cleaners and garbage collectors will be maintained, and the police who will from now on be maintainly responsible for the supervision of the work, will regularly post ordinances of instruction to the village people concerning the maintenance of cleanliness in the streets. Come to Chengfu and see for yourself what has been done.

THE ORATORICAL CONTEST

The Five Universities Oratorical Contest in Peking was brought to a finish last weekend in Central Park with Yenching winning the first three places in the English Contest and the first and second in the Chinese. Mr. Cheng Shao-huai maintained his lead and was followed by Mr. Yang I-hsiang and Mr. Cheng Cheng-kung in English, while Mr. Chu Sheng-lin and Miss Sun Hui-min won first and second places respectively in Chinese. It was a good all round representation of the School of Religion, the College of Natural Sciences, the College of Public Affairs, but where, oh where was the College of Arts and Letters?

THE FIFTH ANNUAL YENTA BAT

The last big social event of the year is coming off on Friday night. It is going to be the last, and it's going to be BIG. No kidding! The occasion is that of the Fifth Annual Yenta Bat. It will be held in Bashford Auditorium, action taking place at 7:30. Faculty members, staff members and assistants are urged to attend-- tickets may be secured without charge from the President's Office. A ticket may be secured for each member of the family. But be sure and get a ticket for admission is by ticket only.

There will be presentation of athletic awards by the Chancellor to all of the 1930-31 letter men and inter-class and inter-unit champions. There will also be a movie. A very attractive program has been arranged--and you will agree that it is the biggest and best evening you have had this year.

TENNIS MATCHES

On Friday afternoon beginning at 4:00 o'clock tennis matches, doubles and singles mixed and unmixd, will be played between the North China Language School and Yenching, on the Central Tennis Courts. The matches will be followed by tea at the courts.

On Saturday Afternoon on the Women's College courts there will be Faculty vs. student matches. Time, 4:30.

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GENERAL

A Lost Book. A detective story "Charlie Chan carries on" loaned to Dr. Stuart may have been borrowed by someone from the President's House. The owner who lives in Tsinanfu is anxious to have it returned. If anyone knows of its whereabouts please inform Mr. Adolph.

A Lost Hat. A "Knapp-Felt" light brown hat with Jordan Marsh Co., Boston trade-mark. Finder please return to Bliss Wiant.

A Sale. A typewriter for sale, standard machine (not a portable) Woodstock make, in good condition, price \$40.00 L.C. Also an "Odds and Ends" sale at 28 East Compound (the Breeces') Friday at 4:30 p.m. Marvin R. Schafer.

THE YENCHING FOR 1930-31

The new copy is just off the press and is already in the hands of the committee member who will solicit your subscriptions. It is hoped that the faculty will all be ready to secure a number. Our congratulations to the committee for 1930-31, which has this year succeeded in fulfilling its promise to "have the books out before Commencement."

WELCOME THE COMING, SPEED THE PARTING GUEST!

While it is delightful to welcome our Chancellor back again as those who attended the reception in the President's House can well attest, and while we look forward to the return of the President before Commencement; yet it is always a regret at this time of year to have to say farewell to so many of our community who are going on furlough or leaving us permanently.

Mr. Taylor and his mother, who made all too brief a stay with us, left early this week traveling via Suez, Mr. Lloyd Free will follow the same route on Thursday. The Barkers leave this week traveling via Siberia and on their return to China will join their mission in Manchuria for a period. A large party will leave after Commencement via Peking, including the Wolfersz Miss Cochran, and Miss Boynton June 29; Mr. Band and Taylers will leave Peking via Siberia June 14; the Schafers via Pacific June 17 and Mr. Porter June 25 also via Pacific. The date of Miss Cherry's departure is not yet fixed.

Departing Members of Staff are asked to please make arrangements with office or friend for the forwarding of their mail and the payment of outstanding bills. Don't forget to leave your address in the President's Office, also the name of the person responsible for your affairs in your absence. After your departure your mail will be turned into the President's Office and if we have your instructions here, there should be no confusion or delay in seeing that it reaches the hands of the right person.

Farewell Tea for Miss Cherry. The members of the board of the Yentung School are giving a tea on Friday, June 5, in honor of Miss Nita Cherry who is leaving next week for America. The tea will be held from four-thirty till six-thirty at 66 Yen Nan Yuan. All friends of Miss Cherry are invited.

To those Traveling Via Siberia. Don't forget the new office for Christian Universities of China at 2 Eaton Gate, London, S. W. 1. If you have time visit this new organization and ask for Mr. Hawkins, Mrs. Carr or Mr. Sewell. We should do all we can to assist them in their work for us.

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Sunday, June 14

- 7:30 a.m. Sheng Kung Hui Holy Communion Sage Chapel
- 10:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: Chancellor Wu
- 3:30 p.m. Afternoon Service in Chinese: Ninde Chapel
- 6:30 p.m. Vesper Service: Ninde Chapel
Preacher: The Chaplain

Monday, June 15

- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Committee for the Graduate Division:
Home of Mr. Y. P. Mei

Tuesday, June 16

- 3:30 p.m. Faculty Executive Committee
- 4:30 p.m. Open-House Day at the Old Women's Home: Haitien

Wednesday, June 17

- 4:30 p.m. Meeting of the Committee on Student Welfare: The
Conference Room

Thursday, June 18

- 8:00 p.m. Meeting of the Phi Tau Phi Chapter to initiate new
members: Social Room, Ninde Hall

Friday, June 19

- 9:00 a.m. Rehearsal for Commencement Exercises: The Auditorium

Saturday, June 20

- 3:00 p.m. Meeting of the Board of Managers: The President's
House

YENTA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

The regular Sunday services of worship will be discontinued after Sunday, June 14. An announcement will be made later as to the time and nature of the services to be held during the 'summer months'.

The Sheng Kung Hui early Communion will be held as usual on June 14 with Dr. Faucett officiating.

At the morning service at 10:30 the Chancellor will preach, and immediately following the service there will be a simple ceremony at which the old officers of the Fellowship will hand over the responsibilities to the new officers. All members of the Fellowship and friends are requested to make a special effort to attend the service and remain for the ceremony.

At the Vesper Service on Sunday evening the Chaplain will preach.

BACCALAUREATE AND COMMENCEMENT

Marshals. Messrs. J. F. Li and J. C. Li have been appointed assistant marshals under the university marshal, Dr. C. F. Wu.

Friday
A Rehearsal for the Commencement Exercises will be held at 9:00 a. m. on Monday morning, June 19 in the Auditorium. In addition to all members of the graduating classes, the following officers are expected to be present: The Chancellor, the President, the chairman of the committee for Graduate Division and the Deans.

PHI TAU PHI ELECTION

At the Annual Meeting of the Yenching University Chapter of PHI TAU PHI held on June 5, 1931, the following students were elected members of the Society:

- COLLEGE OF ARTS AND LETTERS:
- Ch'i Ssu-ho
 - Tso Te-chen
 - Tan Ch'ao-ying
 - Fang Kuang-yü

COLLEGE OF NATURAL SCIENCES:-----Ho Tsung-yi
Ma Wan-sen
Lin Chia-tung
Ho Chen-yi
Chang Wen-yü
COLLEGE OF PUBLIC AFFAIRS:-----Kuan Jui-wu
Tan Jen-chiu
Cheng Lin-chuang
GRADUATE DIVISION:-----Chu Sheng-lin
Tao Shih-chen
Lo Chung-shu

A meeting of the Chapter will be held on Thursday evening, June 18 at 8:00 p.m., in the Social Room of Ninde Hall, for the initiation of the new members and for the election of officers for the coming year. The meeting will be a short one and the initiation will be followed by a social gathering and light refreshments. All members are earnestly requested to reserve the evening for the meeting and to arrive promptly at 8:00 o'clock.

CENTRAL TENNIS COURT MEMBERS ATTENTION

Children of the faculty cannot become members until they are 16 years of age. They may join the club as junior members at a nominal fee, but they may not play on the courts after 4:00 o'clock, and must use their own balls.

OPEN HOUSE DAY AT THE OLD WOMAN'S HOME

The committee on the Old Woman's Home is very grateful indeed to the Faculty Women's Association for their generous gift to the home. It is possible that members of the association and other friends would like to visit the home and see for themselves what is being done there. And so, the five old ladies at present in residence, will be at home to their friends on Tuesday afternoon, June 16, from 4:30 to 6:00 and will be delighted to have anyone visit them who may wish to do so. It is suggested for the convenience of those who are not quite sure where the home is located, that they meet at Mrs. Ritter's house at any time after 4:30 and arrangements will be made to conduct them. The home is situated in Haitien about five minutes walk from Mrs. Ritter's house. A most cordial invitation is hereby issued to everyone.

GENERAL

Change of Residence. Miss Jeanie Wang and Miss Roberta Ma have recently moved to No. 55 Yen Nan Yuan.

RULING FROM THE UNIVERSITY COUNCIL

The attention of all members of staff is called to the following ruling passed in the University Council, June 8:

VOTED: to uphold the present practice of withholding an instructor's salary a week for each day of delinquency in handing in grade reports of each course.

RETURN OF PRESIDENT STUART

Word has been received unofficially that Dr. Stuart may not stay in Japan as he originally intended. In that case he would reach Yenching early this coming week.

STUDENTS FIND WORK THROUGH THE SELF HELP DEPARTMENT

Those who read the little account of the appeal for employment for our self-help students during the summer months may like to know that since the issuing of last week's bulletin, requests have come in for a student to join one family at Peitaiho, for eight students to assist in the Psychology laboratory, for one to teach children in a faculty family, for three to work in the Library. The Y.C.F. has asked for three to work in the Daily Vacation Bible School of the Haitien church, and the Landscape Committee is finding a place for several.

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Saturday, June 20

- 2:30 p.m. Meeting of the Board of Managers: The Dean's Residence
4:30 p.m. Reception for President Stuart: The President's House

Sunday, June 21

- 10:00 a.m. Baccalaureate Service: The Auditorium

Monday, June 22

- 9:00 a.m. Meeting of the Committee on Preparations for Freshman
Week: The Conference Room
2:00 p.m. Dean's Committee Meeting: Conference Room
3:00 p.m. Meeting of the University Council: The President's
House
7:00 p.m. Class Day Exercises: The Auditorium

Tuesday, June 23

- 10:00 a.m. Commencement Exercises: The Auditorium

Sunday, June 28

- 9:30 a.m. University Service: Ninde Chapel

RETURN OF THE PRESIDENT

The University is delighted to welcome President Stuart back in time for Baccalaureate and Commencement.

A reception to the President will be held in his house on Saturday afternoon from 4:30 to 6:30, to which all members of staff and their wives, and the officers of the Student Association are invited. This occasion will also give an opportunity to meet the members of the Board of Managers who will visit the university that afternoon, and to say farewell to the members of staff who are leaving or going on furlough.

COMMENCEMENT AND BACCALAUREATE

Re. Baccalaureate Service:

The Baccalaureate Service will be held on Sunday, June 21, at 10:00 A.M. in the Auditorium in Bashford Hall. Dr. T.C. Chao, Dean of the School of Religion will be in charge of the Service and the Baccalaureate Sermon will be given by Chancellor Wu.

Members of the Teaching and Administrative Staffs are requested to join the Academic Procession in caps and gowns. The Procession will be formed in the Hall-way of the Biology-Physics Building promptly at 9:30 A.M. PLEASE ARRIVE PROMPTLY.

Members of the graduating classes and the Candidates for Advanced Degrees from the Graduate Division will please assemble in the Hall-way of the McBrier Hall also promptly at 9:30 A.M. The Student-Marshall elected by the Junior Class will form the Procession in caps and gowns and conduct the Procession to the Auditorium at 9:50 A.M.

Re. Rehearsal for Commencement:

The Chancellor, President, Chairman of the Committee on Graduate Division, Deans of the Undergraduate Colleges, Dean of the Women's College, Members of the Graduating Classes, Candidates for Advanced Degrees from the Graduate Division and the Student-Marshall will please assemble in the Auditorium in Bashford Hall, on Monday morning, June 22, at 9:00 A.M. for a Rehearsal. Caps and gowns are not to be worn. PLEASE ARRIVE PROMPTLY.

Re. Commencement Exercises:

The Commencement Exercises will be held on Tuesday, June 23, at 10:00 A.M. in the Auditorium in Bashford Hall.

Members of the Teaching and Administrative Staffs are requested to join the Academic Procession in caps and gowns. The Procession will be formed promptly at 9:30 A.M. in the Hall-way of the Biology-Physics Building.

Members of the graduating classes and the Candidates for Advanced Degrees will please assemble in caps and gowns in the Hall-way of the McBrier Hall also promptly at 9:30 A.M. The Student-Marshall will conduct the Procession to the Auditorium at 9:50 A.M.

Re. Caps and Gowns:

Members of the Teaching and Administrative Staffs who have signed up for loans of caps and gowns may obtain them from the Business Office on Saturday morning.

PERMISSION for being absent from the Baccalaureate Service and Commencement Exercises can only be obtained from the Office of the Chancellor.

Members of the Graduating Classes and Candidates for Advanced Degrees may also obtain the caps and gowns from the Business Office.

The Acting Marshal

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NEW CHAIRMEN OF DEPARTMENTS

The following appointments have been approved by the Faculty Executive Committee:

Miss Monona Cheney to be Chairman of the Department of History
Mr. Chang Tung-sun " " " " " " of Philosophy

PHI TAU PHI

Miss Roberta Mohling Ma, Ph.D., Sigma Xi of the Department of Chemistry and Miss Roberta S. White, Ph. D., Sigma Xi of the Department of Psychology have been duly elected Associate Members of the Yenching University Chapter of the Phi Tau Phi Society.

NOTES FROM THE LIBRARY

At a meeting of the University Library Committee held on June 13 the resignation of Miss Clara Chung as head of the English Cataloguing Department, Acting Librarian, and Secretary of the University Library Committee was accepted.

Pending the return of Mr. Tien Hung-tu the appointment was confirmed of Mr. Chen Hung Shan as Acting Librarian and Acting Secretary of the University Library Committee; and of Mr. Fang Chao Ying as head of the Chinese Cataloguing Department and Acting Head of the Purchasing Department. Mr. Fang has also been asked to act as head of the English Cataloguing Department pending the appointment of a new cataloguer.

A month or so ago our library had the pleasure of assisting the library of the Medical College of Peking University. Mr. Chang, the librarian of that institution spent two weeks as a visitor to our library studying library methods here under the guidance of members of our staff.

YENTA RELIEF FEDERATION

The Annual Meeting of the Federation to which the new representatives appointed by the constituent organizations were invited, was held on June 9th.

After the Treasurer's Report had been read and approved the annual reports of work done were given. Two special pieces of work had been undertaken during the current year (1) the Old Ladies Home in Haitien, where six old beggar women are now installed in clean and happy circumstances; and (2) the Chengfu Health work which is being undertaken by the Chengfu community and the University jointly. Both these pieces of work have been reported on in the Bulletin recently.

The Chairman of the Case Work Committee reported that fifty-five cases had been cared for during the year. This winter had not been so hard as the winter of 1929-30. There were fewer cases of actual starvation, but instead several cases of long sickness had been helped by regular weekly contributions towards the family budget. As far as possible the committee finds work for the applicants, rather than give them money or other relief, and in this connection, five women had been helped by doing sewing, casual work had been found for four people, and permanent employment for eight, which is a much higher percentage than last year.

The chief needs at the moment are (1) more work for the coolie type of man, especially during the winter months; (2) several girls want to learn cross-stitch, or to do sewing work at home, (3) more schools for the children, particularly a vocational school for boys. This last need is probably the most important, because it is the children who are the hope of the future, and unless we can give them better opportunities than their parents have we can see no hope of improving the conditions around us permanently.

The organizations affiliated to the Yenta Relief Federation are: the Sociology Department, the Sociology Club, the Chengfu Dispensary, the Yenta Christian Fellowship Social Service Committee, the Women's Association, and the Student Self Government Social service Division. The new representatives from the first four associations were present at the meeting, but the latter two have not yet appointed their representatives. It was therefore, not possible to elect the new officers, but temporary arrangements were made as follows: Temp. Chairman, Miss Dora Bent; Temp. treasurer, Miss Pian Yu-mei; temp. Secretary, Mr. Chang Te-cheng. As soon as possible in the new semester a meeting will be called to elect permanent officers. The thanks of the meeting were extended to Mrs. Wolferz, (Chairman), Mrs. S. J. Chuan (Treasurer) and Miss Kuan Jui-wu (secretary) for the splendid service they have rendered during the past year, during which time the work of the Federation has been consolidated and extended.

The Federation would also like to thank those members of the community who have helped by their gifts, either through the Community Chest or personally, by gifts of clothing, or by the provision of work. Without this co-operation our work could not be carried on.

YENTA HYMNBOOKS

Already the Yenta Fellowship Hymns, the hymnbook prepared by Dean Chao and Mr. Wiant for student worship, is winning its way to all parts of China. Now, a second hymnbook is just off the press and will soon be ready for distribution. The appearance of this little book has been eagerly awaited by a number of missionaries and country workers, for it is specially prepared for use in the villages and among the country folk. It is called "Hymns for the People" and is composed entirely of original hymns written by Dean Chao and set to Chinese tunes harmonized by Mr. Wiant. The hymns are written in simple language, and the tunes they are set to are the old tunes of China, folk music and religious chants; so it is hoped that these little hymnbooks may the more easily be able to carry their message far and wide among the country folk. 5,000 copies without music have been printed which will sell for 10 cents each, and the copies with music, 2,000 of which have been printed, will sell for 50 cents each.

YENTA CHRISTIAN FELLOWSHIP

Summer Chapel Services. During the summer vacation and immediately following Baccalaureate Sunday, the regular university church services will be continued, but will be held at 9:30 o'clock each Sunday morning. Dr. J.F. Li, Dr. A. Chang and Dr. M. Ma will be in charge of this service.

CLOSING EXERCISES OF THE SCHOOL OF RELIGION

The closing exercises were held in Ninde Hall Chapel, June 17, at 8:00 p.m., with a large number of faculty and students present. The academic procession entered and proceeded up the aisle, the students of the short courses for Religious and Social workers leading followed by the students of the one year graduate course in Religious Education, and the faculty of the School. Since there are no senior students this year, the regular students did not take part in the procession. The meeting opened with a prayer offered by Professor J.F. Li of the Department of Biblical Literature. Then came an address by the Chancellor on "Christian Thought followed by Christian Action" which was very much appreciated by the students and those who attended. The Short Course candidates, ten in number were then presented to the Dean by Professor T.T. Lew, chairman of the Dept. of Religious Education, and their certificates given them. Dr. J.F. Li next presented to the Dean the three students of the one year graduate course in Religious Education for the granting of their certificates. The Dean then addressed the graduating students on the difficulties of the task before them and the great opportunities. The one year graduate students presented to the School a pennant on which was embroidered the two words, "True Fellowship", as a token of all that they had received during their sojourn in the School. The students this year have been most enthusiastic in their work. The Short Course Students with one exception will return to their previous fields of service, as pastors, Y.W. or Y.M.C.A. Secretaries and teachers. One of them will take the regular entrance examinations for a College course. Of the three graduate Students, two will enter the School of Religion to take the full Divinity Course, and the other will return to work in Shansi under the American Board Mission. The exercises closed with the singing of the new School Song written by the Dean and set to music by Mr. Wiant. This was followed by the benediction pronounced by Dr. T. T. Lew.

PERSONNEL

Miss Clara Chung of the Library staff left for Hawaii on June 15 where her marriage to Mr. F.T. Ching of Tsing Hua University will take place during the summer. Before her departure her colleagues in the Library entertained her at a farewell gathering and presented her with a silver shield. Letters should be sent to her in future in the care of Miss Bille of Tsing Hua University.

Miss Borgeson leaves on Friday for Shanghai where she expects to spend some time.

News has been received from the Stanley Wilsons that they expect to sail from San Francisco on August 6 by the Tatsuta Maru arriving in Peking about August 30.

Mr. Rocholl writes from Berlin of his safe arrival and sends his greetings to all his friends at Yenching. He finds considerable increase of interest in Germany during the past few years in Chinese-German interests, especially among industrial and academic organizations. Any members of staff who expect to stop in Berlin and would like to have Mr. Rocholl's address or to peruse a little guidebook for travelers passing through Germany which he has sent, may consult with Mr. Paul Chang of the Chemistry Department.

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