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Faculty Student Meeting Held for Discussion of Campus Matters

A faculty-student meeting was held in the auditorium on Friday afternoon, April 5. Its purpose was to discuss the problems of the college community and to present their findings and suggestions in the presence of the faculty and administration.

The Dean spoke of the desire to know the reactions of the various members of the faculty to what the college is doing and to invite suggestions which would receive the benefit of their constructive thinking. He expressed a willingness to accept any suggestions in the minds of the students and to take steps to implement them.

It was announced that there would be a progressive increase in fees for the next two years. The total annual charge for resident students is $1200.00, which will be raised next year to $1400.00 and to $1500.00 in the year after. This last sum is the amount deemed necessary by the Board of Trustees for the full realization of the Bard College program.

Although the Bard program tends to make the school more expensive, the policy of the Administration is to permit the expenses of running the college to be absorbed by the support that they have received in the past from alumni and from generous educational programs supported by the Federal government. It is of the utmost importance that this support continue, and that the income received from the students will cover only the expenses of education. This is instruction, room and board, and certain minor fees. The expenses of administration, the faculty, and the other expenses of running the college are allotted as an endowment program for the future.

Arrangements have been made for the students to meet for their own benefit during the summer months. The student body who cannot afford to meet with their class will be given to students at a reduced rate, although this arrangement will not be available for all students. The summer continuation courses will be held during the summer months.

Student Council Elections Taking Place This Month

Constitution Amendments—Move Installation of Officers Ahead

Faculty-Student council elections will be held this month. The candidates are announced in the Student Council Elections section, which will be published in the next issue.

United Front Against War and Fascism Urged by Militant Group

The National Student League, a militant student organization, at a meeting of students and women in America against imperialism. In the past, the Student League for Industrial Organizations, which has been active in similar activities, has had little effect on the student body. Because the United Front for Peace and Democracy is a regular meeting held every month of one hundred persons, we are considering the possibility of sending delegates to the meeting.

The amendment to the constitution provides for the installation of officers of the Student Council. The council must have a clear program of action, and a basis for that program, if it is to function in its own complete effectiveness. The constitution is being considered for approval.

Athletic Commitee Announces Spring Sports Schedule

First Golf Squad To Play On Red Hook Links: Nine Holds Workouts

The first formal outdoor baseball practice of the spring season was held on Tuesday afternoon. A game was played with the team from Red Hook, and the Red Hook team won by a score of 7-3. The next game will be played against the team from Newburgh.

3000 Rally at Columbia: 900 At Vassar Pass Anti-War Resolution

125,000 American Students Strike for War Protest

125,000 college students participated in the nationwide strike and demonstration against the war on Tuesday. At 11 a.m. the strikers left their classes, met in the lobby, and marched out to demonstrations against the war. An encouraging turnout, consisting of thousands of participants, was held through preliminary discussions, leaflet distributions, and other activities. Although it was much too early to estimate the final size of the crowd, the Anti-War Committee is planning a more effective mobilization. The strike is a significant event in the history of the student movement, and its impact will be felt for many years to come. The students of Columbia University had a major role in this event, as they were seen marching in the demonstration. The Columbia Daily Sun, the student newspaper, also played a crucial role in organizing the strike.

Wechsler and Staff Unofficially Print Paper

The Columbia Spectator, for fifty-eight years the official publication of Columbia College students, was suspended by the Student Board on March 30. On May 5 the Spectator was re-established on a more militant line and is now being published as an unofficial organ.

In a statement issued by the Spectator, the editor-in-chief, who is a member of the Columbia Daily Sun, stated that the suspension of the Spectator was due to the fact that the Daily Sun had been suspended by the Student Board. The Spectator is now being published by a group of students who are not members of the Daily Sun.

The Classicat Clubs Call for Self-Pi Beta Kappa Society

The Classicat, a student publication, announced last fall that it has recognized Pi Beta Kappa and will henceforth be known as the Phi Beta Kappa Society. The goal of the organization is to foster a spirit of academic excellence among students.

Mr. Wright E. Williams, instructor in English at the University of Pennsylvania and a member of Pi Beta Kappa, was invited to address the Classicat Society on Wednesday evening, March 25, on Greek architecutre. The talk was well received, and there was much interest in the subject. The next meeting will be held on April 8, and the topic will be "The Influence of Greek Architecture on Modern Architecture." The Classicat Society will meet every other week, and the meetings will be held at 8 p.m. in the classical room of the Student Union.

Wechsler To Edit National Student League Magazine

James A. Wechsler, editor of the Columbia Spectator, announced that he will be appointed editor of the National Student League Magazine, which was suspended recently by the Student Board. This is a significant step in the effort of the staff to resolve a new constitution and to implement the policies of the Student Board for the National Student League Magazine.
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The Constitutional Amendments and the Council

The action of the student body in passing the amendments to the constitution of the Convocation of Undergraduates, calling for installation Board for February 20, should be considered in a light, of the passing of a smooth step toward the beginning of the next academic year. With a bit of experience in running student affairs the council members ought to be able to cope with a minimum of difficulty with the problems which face them at this time. The reorganized sections will make the constitution much more satisfactory.

A Student Anti-War Movement

The anti-war activities of 125,000 college students will be more than justified if they contribute in any way to the building up of world power strong enough to enable women and men to say “No” in the face of impending war. Such unity of purpose will be a strong weapon in the battle against the war. The student movement means that there is a strong anti-war sentiment on almost every campus will break out in action if the students of the country are given the chance to go to war. Whether or not this peace-time spirit will be able to resist the charm of patriotism, the fear of uniformity of the press and the unanimous appeal of journalism will probably be apparent within the next decade.

Mr. Wechsler and "The Spectator"

The recent controversy at Columbia and elsewhere concerning the management of student publications has been the cause of much comment among students at other Eastern campuses. At Columbia it appeared that a considerable number of both students and faculty felt that the Spectator under Mr. Wechsler’s direction, was not the best interests of the body that was supporting it. Some restrictions which the Student Council placed upon Mr. Wechsler’s activities, and his vendettas immediately unsheathed some of its flimsy band of editorial assistants, "Ripper," "Paw," "Freet," of the press, and "Administration-controlled policies." The result was the official suspension of the Spectator.

It would be wise for Mr. Wechsler to study the history of journalism and learn for himself what an intangible thing ‘freedom of the press’ really is when most publications are censored by interested groups. He would also profit by studying the relationship of a paper to its support. He would find that all of the Spectator’s policies and the demands of the students for more freedom of the press are not necessarily analogous. We do not advise faculty-inspired editorials but we do advise Mr. Wechsler of the need of following a field on a group that apparently did not want them.

Columbia Suspends "Daily Spectator" (Continued from Page One)

A Student Board meeting was called in mid-April by the chief editor, James Wechsler, who promised that the standard opinion was taken to be want he would abide by the results. In the future, nothing was done about his suggestion, however, a year’s revisions previous finding that the paper and instructed "Kirk’s Crown" to withdraw.

Wechsler and his staff solicited advertising and contributions and the paper appeared the next month. The name Columbia was taken from being 

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