
THE COLLEGE WEEK

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Schedule of Meetings

Wednesday 7:35 PM Theatre

Lecture by Miss Dorothy Thompson
on the Ring of Freedom

Sunday 7:35 PM Student Lounge

Lecture by Mrs. Reinhold Niebuhr
(title to be announced)

Monday 5:10 PM Barn #1

Lecture by Richard A. E. Brooks
on some aspect of the Novel
(title to be announced)

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Miss Thompson, widely known as political commentator and columnist of the New York Herald Tribune Syndicate, certainly needs no special introduction to a Bennington audience. However, it is of interest to recall that after doing graduate work at the University of Vienna, Miss Thompson worked as a speaker in up-state New York for the Woman's Suffrage campaign from 1915 to 1917. For three years after this she was engaged in social work, and from 1920-1928 was foreign correspondent for the Curtis-Martin Newspapers, Inc. (the Philadelphia Public Ledger and the New York Evening Post). For the first four years she was stationed in Vienna, and for the latter four was Chief of the Central European Service, stationed in Berlin. Miss Thompson is giving her lecture no specific title, but is expected to make some remarks on her recent trip to England.

The Monday afternoon Lecture by Mr. Brooks, Associate Professor of English at Vassar, is designed especially for students in Introduction to Literature but is open to the Community.

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Community Chest Drive

The Community Chest opened its Fall Drive on October 1. The goal for this drive is \$1,250. The budget is the same as it has been in the past two years.

To date we have received \$771.38 or approximately 61% of the total goal. 220 students have contributed, nearly 79% of the student body. 13 faculty and staff members have contributed, or about 21%.

The drive closes Wednesday, October 15th. We must make our goal before then. HELP US BY CONTRIBUTING NOW!

B. Walsh - A. Wickes - A. Schwenk

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A committee formed to investigate College Defense Programs wish to announce to the Community that they have submitted to Mr. Jones information relative to courses which might be given at Bennington next term. A more detailed statement will be made when the plans have been more fully worked out. Any suggestions from members of the Community may be given to Edith Stevens.

From the Cooperative Store

Store Bills: The Cooperative Store wishes to remind students of the regulations regarding Store bills established by the Board of Directors of the Cooperative Store in May, 1940:

1. At no time should students permit their Store bills to exceed \$5.00
2. On the 7th and 21st of each month two black lists should be posted. The names of students owing bills between \$5.00 and \$10.00 will appear on the first black list. These students will be requested to pay cash for all future purchases until their bills are paid in full. On the second black list the names of students owing more than \$10.00 will be posted. These students will also be requested not to charge any future purchases and, in addition, they will be fined 10 cents per day until their bills are paid in full.

The first black lists of the semester will be posted on Tuesday, October 21st.

Rebates: The Board of Directors of the Cooperative Store has voted to issue a 4% rebate on purchases made by members during the year 1940-41. Store members will receive their rebate checks sometime before October 25th.

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From the Records Office

Summer Period reports should now be on file in the Records Office. If you have not brought yours in, please do it today! These reports should not be given to counselors.

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Any Division or other College group wishing College transportation to off-campus lectures, concerts, etc., should see Patsy Neuman, Dewey 11 or Box 181.

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Ride Wanted: To New York, Thursday or Friday, Oct. 16 or 17; return Sunday or Monday, Oct. 19 or 20.

Alicia Ruhl
Helen Masenhimer

Movie Schedules.Stark Theatre - Bennington, Vermont.

Tuesday-Thursday - "Lady Be Good" with Eleanor Powell, Ann Southern and Robert Young.
Friday and Saturday - "Blackout" with Conrad Veidt and Valerie Hobson: also "Las Vegas Nights" with Constance Moore, Phil Regan, Tommy Dorsey and his orchestra.
Sunday and Monday - "Here Comes Mr. Jordan" with Robert Montgomery and Claude Rains.

Walden Theatre - Williamstown, Mass.

Tuesday-Wednesday - "Dance Hall" with Carole Landis: also "Bringing Up Baby" with Katharine Hepburn and Cary Grant.
Thursday - "Blossoms in the Dust" with Greer Garson and Walter Pidgeon.
Friday - "One Night in Lisbon" with Fred McMurray and Madeline Carroll.
Saturday - "Mail Train" with all-star English cast: also "Two in a Taxi" with Anita Louise.
Sunday-Monday - "Wild Geese Calling" with Joan Bennett and Henry Fonda.

New Theatre - Hoosick Falls, N. Y.

Tuesday - "Dr. Kildare's Wedding Day" with Lew Ayres and Lionel Barrymore
Wednesday - "Great Guns" with Laurel and Hardy.
Thursday and Friday - "The Smiling Ghost" with Wayne Morris and Brenda Marshall: also "Blondie in Society" with Penny Singleton and Arthur Lake
Saturday - "In Old Colorado" with William Boyd: also "Mountain Moonlight" with the Weaver Bros. and Elviry.
Sunday-Monday - "Life Begins for Andy Hardy" with Lewis Stone, Mickey Rooney and Judy Garland.

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Chekhov Players - Monday, Oct. 20 "King Lear" at Page Hall, State Teachers College, Albany, 8:30 PM. Tuesday, Oct. 21, "Cricket on the Hearth" at Albany Institute of History and Art. Wednesday, Oct. 22 "Twelfth Night" - same place as Tuesday. Tickets \$1.10 and \$1.65. Tues. & Wed. at 8:40 PM.