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Bennington, Vermont - July 12 - Six new members of the faculty and staff have been appointed by Bennington College for the coming year. William Ellery Sedgwick, who has taught for a number of years at Harvard University and Radcliffe College, will become a member of the literature division as will Gertrude Feliu, a native of Barcelona, Spain, who has been technical consultant for libraries and archives to the Ministry of Foreign Relations and the Ministry of National Education of Venezuela. Dr. Dorothy Hager, a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons, will be College physician for the coming year.

George A. C. Holt, recently assistant to Edward W. Forbes of the Department of Fine Arts at Harvard University, has been appointed to the art division. Mr. Holt is an expert on mosaics, and, during the summers of 1938 and 1939 went to Istanbul under the direction of the Byzantine Institute of America to clean and conserve the famous St. Sophia mosaics. Caroline Moore, daughter of President Moore of Skidmore College, has been appointed head teacher at the Bennington College Nursery School for next year. Miss Moore is a graduate of Vassar College and of the Bank Street Cooperative School for Teachers.

The sixth appointment is that of Marie Polanyi to the science division. Mrs. Polanyi has studied in Zurich and Vienna and since 1939 has been mathematical assistant to a consulting engineer in London, adapting advanced theory of the elasticity of reinforced concrete structures to practical form to be used in an office and carrying through the stress calculations for a building which is now completed and is the first of its kind in England. She is the wife of Dr. Karl Polanyi, resident lecturer in economics at Bennington College during the past year. Dr. Polanyi has just received a Rockefeller grant, and will also live at Bennington next year while completing a book on the political and economic origins of the present

world dilemma.