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"All Japan knows that we are not fighting for anything material. It is a psychological war."—Shingoro Takaishi.

Calendar Events Shortly

The issue of the Faculty will appear in the near future. According to John C. Thirlby, English Department. To secure listings in the secretaries or publishers of the various organizations have been requested to submit a copy of the program at least one week in advance on which the event will take place. Programs are to be submitted to *The Campus* or the mail. The bulletins are to be distributed at various designations about the College.

Plays Ready Dram Soc Placed On Sale Before Monday First Time

The Dramatic Society's production, *Peace On Earth*, will go on sale before Monday, November 15, at the Albert Cohen '39, business manager. Prices for the five performance will be \$1.00; for the preceding performances will be \$0.55, \$0.55.

The Year's Eve performance will be the fifteenth anniversary of the drama. There will be a gala celebration in the gym upstairs after the performance. The show is complete except for several minor parts, according to an announcement by Hazel Okilman, director.

Milton Tittler '39 has been chosen to play the leading role in the anti-war production, that of Professor Pete Owens. Some of the other parts that have been filled are:

Jo Owens, the Professor's wife—Norma Walcher, of the New Theatre School.

Laurie Owens, their daughter—Marion Distler, of the New Theatre School.

Mary Bonner, a student—Rae Beran, also of the New Theatre School.

Rose, a friend of the Owens—Bernice Rubenstein, of last term's Varsity Show.

Walter McCracken, a newspaperman—Seymour Woroboff '39.

Bob Peters, a student—Stanley Weintraub '38.

Dean Walker, dean of the college—Newton Meltzer '38.

Professor Anderson, Owens' colleague—Seymour Ugelow '41.

Steve Hamill III, a student—David Goldstein '41.

Mr. Andrews—Joseph Engels '39.

ASU Requests New Program For Peace Day

Also Urges Campaign To Aid College Men Fighting in Spain

Rejecting the plan of the Student Council Armistice Day Committee, the executive board of the SC Provisional Committee for the ASU, at its meeting last Saturday, adopted a new program in which it urged the Armistice Committee to substitute for the original plan.

Substitute Plan

The revised program, passed by a vote of 7 to 6 would include as speakers Fernando De Los Rios, Spanish Ambassador, the Chinese consul general, Michael J. Quill, president of the Transport Workers' Union, and Joseph Janovsky '38, president of the SC. The program is being planned for a peace rally which will be held in the Great Hall, Friday at 12 o'clock.

The committee also decided to institute a campaign to aid College students fighting in Spain. Pencils bearing the Spanish colors will be sold in the student concourse, and Christmas gifts will be collected for the boys. A round-robin letter of greeting for the boys will also be sent. All those wishing to sign the letter will be charged five cents.

Consulate to Be Picketed

In protest against the "shocking Japanese aggression" in China and the "bombing and destruction of scores of schools and hospitals by unprincipled Japanese fascism," students from Columbia, the College, Hunter College, New York University, Brooklyn College and high schools will picket the Japanese consulate at 42nd Street and Fifth Avenue today at 4:30 p. m., according to Bert Witt, city secretary of the ASU.

A statement declaring that Japanese operations in China constitute "a new threat of world war to a world already shaking because of unchecked foreign fascist intervention in Spain" will be presented to the consul by the city council of the ASU.

Employment Bureau Announces Openings

Al Rose, manager of the College employment bureau, yesterday announced openings for two hundred men in Civil Service positions. The commission has room for one hundred students, twenty-one years or over, as proctors for examinations.

In addition, the New York Sanitation Department can use one hundred graduates who have majored in mathematics or technology. Applications must be handed in by Wednesday, Mr. Rose stated.

Armistice Activities in 1918 Quite Different from 1937 Celebration

College Now Training Citizens of Peace, Not War Troops

By Abraham Karlikow

Victory Day. The day that sealed the doom of autocracy. The day that cast from his bloody throne the inciter of child-murders and woman-ravagers. The day that removed forever that ruthless menace to the realization of democracy for the world. This was the meaning of Armistice Day in the College on November 11, 1918.

Through the years this meaning has changed. The importance of November 11 now lies in the fact that it is a day dedicated to the task of promoting peace, that it is a means of making more comprehensible the horrors and

futility of war and as a rallying point for those promoting international amity.

Together with this change in meaning have come other changes. From an institution devoted to the production of sailors and soldiers, the College has returned to its original function of bringing forth men fitted for citizenship in the times of peace.

The Great Hall, used together with the rest of the college grounds and buildings as a barracks, recently served as the location of a peace rally. And the Oxford Pledge has taken the place of the oath of loyalty.

Here, as in colleges throughout the country, the celebration of Armistice Day is taking a practical turn. For instance, discussions of the part the United States should play in Spain and in China are on the program. In 1918, naturally, this celebration was anything but practical, being featured by joy,

Barracks During War, Hall Is Now Scene Of Oxford Oath

bursting forth "in such a din" that it "preceeded all other things to God's glad ear," according to *The Campus* published that week.

It was this same *Campus* also, which in accordance with the spirit of the day, first gave thanks to God that He had given those at the College the opportunity to become clear-minded, clear-eyed men, and then thanked Him for the blessing of peace.

But it was not long before the attitude of the College began to resemble that existing here today. For by 1921 the school was sending representatives to Princeton to discuss the matter of disarmament.

Peace Plans Will Feature Great Hall Rally on Friday

Nineteen Years After

An Editorial

Today, nineteen years after the Armistice which ended the Great War, the world finds itself not only well on the way to another conflict but already engaged in several preliminary struggles.

The problem is particularly pertinent to the college student, who will provide the manpower and the support if America is dragged into the seemingly imminent cataclysm.

In a democracy, it must be impossible for the government to engage in war unless it has the consent of the people. It is therefore up to Americans to make it perfectly clear that they will oppose a repetition of our 1917 expedition. At the present day, there is opportunity for the United States to join with other democratic nations, to seek some way of halting aggression. That certainly should be the first step of this country for peace.

Concretely we urge aid to the Chinese people in their defense against Japanese aggression, although we sympathize with the common people of Japan. To indicate our sympathy with the Chinese people we should cooperate with those agencies which are providing relief aid for Chinese students.

We support the demand for the withdrawal of foreign troops in Spain.

We urge that the United States make good her obligations assumed under the Kellogg-Briand Peace Pact outlawing war and act with signatories of the pact to implement it as means of preventing and halting war.

By so doing, we can make certain that in the future there will not be more than one Armistice Day each year.

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Editors Want Mayor To Be Legalized SU At House Ball

Endorsement of the McGoldrick resolution which would legalize all extra-curricular campus groups at the city colleges, including the American Student Union, was voted by the Metropolitan College Newspaper Association at its meeting Saturday in Hartley Hall, Columbia University. The vote was 9 to 2, with two representatives abstaining.

The association also approved unanimously a peace editorial for simultaneous publication in member newspapers on the anniversary of Armistice Day. The editorial, which appears in *The Campus* today, stresses the interest college students have in maintaining world peace.

Condemning aggression the editorial calls for the removal of foreign troops from Spain and the moral support of the Chinese people in the current, Sino-Japanese conflict.

The resolution supporting legalization of extra curricular groups has been forwarded to the Board of Higher Education. The text follows:

"Resolved, that the Metropolitan College Newspaper Association endorse freedom of student organization on all college campuses and that it therefore urge that the Board of Higher Education pass the McGoldrick resolution."

The recently organized association has appointed a constitutional committee, consisting of Leo S. Loomie, editor of the *Fordham Ram*, James R. Moody, editor of the *NYU Heights Daily News*, and Leopold Lippman '39, of *The Campus*.

ELECTIVES

The latest dates for filing elective cards are Monday for sophomores, Tuesday for juniors and Wednesday for seniors and graduates, the *Faculty Bulletin* announced Monday.

The Recorder's office will furnish all elective cards, but will supply schedules of electives to students in the School of Liberal Arts and Science only. Bulletins of the Technology, Education and Business Schools will be furnished by the respective deans.

Mayor LaGuardia has tentatively consented to be guest of honor at the second annual House Plan carnival, which will take place in the College gym, Saturday, November 20.

All the 400 tickets printed for the affair, which will climax the third anniversary celebration of the founding of the House Plan, were sold out by Monday, the Carnival Committee announced. Hundreds of additional requests have not been accommodated.

Dram Soc Will Entertain

More than fifteen booths will be set up. A committee of faculty wives will take charge of the refreshment table, and the Dramatic Society will entertain.

The listeners' hour will be heard at the House Plan every Monday beginning November 15, James S. Peace, director of the House Plan, announced. The only ticket of admission will be a questionnaire pertaining to the recordings. Copies of the questionnaire are now available at the House. J. Bailey Harvey, member of the Public Speaking Department, will conduct the programs.

'Spark' To Innovate Photo Competition

With the candid camera craze at its height, *Spark*, the voice of the YCL, announces a photography contest, the winning picture to be published on the front cover of the next issue. The deadline is November 25.

A copy of the recently published *You Have Seen Their Faces*, with the text by Erskine Caldwell and photographs by Margaret Bourke-White, will be awarded to the person submitting the winning picture.

The subject of the photograph is to be some aspect of student life at the College; it is to be at least four inches in size. The contest is open to all students of the College except members of the *Spark*.

Photos must be submitted to Frederick Herbst, 213 W. 16th St. on or before November 25.

Council Accepts Forum Program

Thomas, Quill Head List of Speakers At Meeting

A complete program for Friday's Armistice Day peace meeting based on the question of "How to Acquire and Maintain Peace in the United States" was approved by the Student Council committee of five Monday. The meeting will be held in the Great Hall. A simultaneous counter-demonstration on the campus has been planned by a majority of the members of the inter-college committee, which was dissolved last Friday by the Student Council.

Speakers Already Invited

The men invited to speak at the Great Hall meeting include representatives of the Spanish and Chinese consulates, Norman Thomas, the Reverend John Haynes Holmes, of Community Church, Michael Quill, American Labor Party candidate for the City Council, Raymond Leslie Buell of the Foreign Policy Association and Joseph Janovsky '38, president of the Student Council.

Two resolutions will be offered at the meeting by Janovsky, who will act as chairman. The resolutions call for consideration of the Oxford Pledge and abolition of the ROTC.

Boycott Planned

The keynote of the meeting, according to Janovsky, will be aid to the Spanish and Chinese people and a student boycott of Japan. The speakers will attempt to determine what policy the American government should follow in securing peace.

A peace council may be formed at the meeting to continue during the remainder of term. The work started there.

Counter-Demonstration

The organizers of the counter-meeting plan to have as speakers Norman Thomas, Charles Zimmerman of the ILGWU, Max Schachtman, Sidney Hook, Lewis Corey, B. Charney Vladeck, A. J. Muste, Morris Milgrim, who was expelled from the College in 1934, and Ben Herman, who was expelled from the College in 1932. Representatives of this committee said that Thomas would not address the Great Hall meeting.

The sponsors of the counter-meeting claimed that "YCL pressure" had forced the Student Council committee "to drop the militancy in its program, omitting, for political reasons, Max Schachtman."

Speakers Chosen For Alumni Fete

Dr. Ch'ao Ting Wang, Chinese ambassador to the United States, and James T. Shotwell, professor of history at Columbia University, will be the principal speakers at the 57th annual anniversary dinner of the Associate Alumni November 13 at the Hotel Roosevelt.

Awards to Be Presented

The alumni awards, which are given to outstanding alumni, will also be presented at this dinner, Donald A. Roberts '13, secretary of the organization, announced Monday. Mr. Roberts expects over 500 persons to attend the affair.

Waldemar Kaempffert '04, president of the Associate Alumni, will serve as toastmaster. The other speakers will be William H. Johns '87, speaking for the 50-year class and David Ray Bernstein '12, for the 25-year class. President Robinson will also address the gathering.