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### OUR PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The most pressing need of the Associate Alumnae just now is to complete the Graduate Gift Fund. We have some \$63,-000 in money and pledges. We want to give \$150,000 to our Alma Mater during 1920.

Last spring one of our Alumnae, Mrs. Arthur Lorsch, offered an additional gift of \$50 if nine others would follow her example.—Eleven others did:

Mrs. M. Crystal, Miss Emilie Fries, Mrs. John Gribbel, Miss Maud Hopkins, Miss Helen W. Howard, Mrs. Albert Israel, Mrs. Alfred Jaretzki, Miss Mary H. Kenyon, Mrs. M. Rosenwald, Miss Anna Rothschild, Mrs. Sol M. Stroock. The fund is \$600 richer because of their helpfulness. Will not some one else start a similar fund and get the other nine?

At the very beginning of our work Mrs. Harry Content offered to give \$1,000 if nine others would do likewise. Six have given \$1000 each. Who will be the other three?

Alice I. Popper.

## HELP TO BUILD ALUMNAE HALL!

We plan, as soon as labor conditions will allow, to get at the actual work of putting our high ideal into concrete form.

"How doth the little busy bee

Delight to bark and bite,

And gather honey all the day,

To eat it in the night."

Mrs. Harry Arnold Day, Hunter College, 68th Street and Park Avenue, New York, as treasurer of our Graduate Gift Committee, is the Keeper of the Hive!

Go to it, busy Alumna, GATHER HONEY, and send it to her against the happy day when we shall break ground for our greatly longed for, greatly needed Alumnae Hall.

How the busy bees will swarm to the house-warming!

In happy anticipation, Adelaide D. Sim, Chairman. BUT THERE MUST BE MORE HONEY.

Go to it!

Many pledges to the Graduate Gift Fund are being paid in full—which helps the interest fund to grow.

Some who made pledges with installments expiring in 1920 are sending in new additional pedges for 1921. Will you do this?

Fewer than three thousand graduates have responded to the Jubilee call. Surely our literature has reached many more than that. Can you reach one more personally, and secure a gift?

Couldn't many of you give again to send the fund.mounting upward. Have you honestly done all you can?

J. W. D.

#### BAZAAR FOR LENOX HILL SETTLEMENT.

Friday, November 19—8 to 11 P. M. Saturday, November 20—3 to 11 P. M. At Hunter College

This is to be no mere Bazaar, but a social function at which alumnae and students entertain one another and their many friends. There will be dancing and vaudeville. When Hunter College talent undertakes an affair of this kind we all know how much pleasure awaits us.

Donations are solicited—pretty and useful articles of all kinds. One lady wants bags, "Anything from a bean bag to a traveling bag." Also in demand are babies' things for the Children's Table, toys, dolls, groceries, jellies, cakes, candies, etc., etc. Send to the Bazaar Committee, Room 207, Hunter College.

## BUREAU OF OCCUPATION.

The Bureau of Occupation was closed for the summer on July 5, when most of the girls who desired employment during the vacation had been placed. The positions filled were at camps, hotels, social service centers, laboratories, banks, summer schools, department and candy stores, libraries, etc.

Work has been resumed for the new term and we are bending all our efforts in the direction of obtaining part-time clerical work for students. It is a pleasure to find that during the summer a great many girls have learned stenography and typewriting, a knowledge of which seems to be the key to open the doors to the other kinds of office employment for which our studentsare striving. Heretofore we have had to refuse employers asking for that kind of office assistance; now we shall be able to fill such calls when they come in.

All members of the Alumnae are invited to make use of the Bureau of Occupation at any time.

Elizabeth H. Foignet.

#### AUGUSTA H. BARDENHEUER.

Mrs. Henry Bardenheuer (Augusta H. Sherman), one of the first students of our Model School—or Training School as it was then called—and a graduate of our College in the year of 1883, passed away in October after a long illness. The last College function at which she was present was the Breakfast in February, at which time she seemed to be well and in good spirits, but she was taken ill soon afterwards.

Mrs. Bardenheuer was a loyal and active Alumna. She was a member of the Executive Committee, and at the time of her death was Chairman of the Auditing Committee.

She was married twenty-nine years ago, after having taught in the public schools for several years. She is survived by her husband, two sons—both married—, and a little granddaughter.

Mrs. Bardenheuer was a resident of Elmhurst. Her home life was ideal. She was devoted to her home, to her husband and her children, and in return she had the love and devotion of her dear ones.

M. C. G.