BEGUN

by the Red Hook Poor

AN EDITORIAL

Red Hook has many poor families. In the past the apple growers, the chocolate factories, and the meat-packing houses here have given these people a job. Now, all that remains in Red Hook is the apple industry and that has been somewhat curtailed during the last few years. The federal relief has been caring for the majority of these poor people. Its support has been necessary. There are, however, the border-line cases, families whose annual income makes them ineligible for government relief. These families are normal, healthy, capable people; the combination of adverse social forces too much for their means of adjustment. They don’t give up but work at any job that may come along. The employment comes to Red Hook, these families will come back on their feet.

BISHOP GARDNER TO PREACH AT ST. STEPHEN’S

Bishop Gardner, who was a rather simple man, is nearing his eightieth birthday. His early press releases for the play, “Moloch,” which he wrote himself, were not particularly promising. But when the play opened, it was clear that Gardner had a great gift for satire. The character of Uncle Sam, played by the well-known actor Henry O’Hara, was a study in American hypocrisy. Gardner went on to write a series of plays, including “The Jay,” which was a hit on Broadway and helped establish his reputation as a great humorist.

HORRORS OF WAR

Behind Trenches, Show in Play

A REVIEW

As Harold Bagenal pointed out in his review of “Escape from Glory,” it is not a great play. However, it does have a number of positive elements, particularly in parts of the melodrama—staging, production values, and the acting. The play is set in a trench, and the soldiers speak in the language of the day. The reviews were mixed, but the show was a hit on Broadway.

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OUTING CLUB TRIP TO BENNINGTON

By WALTER H. WIGGS

The membership unexpectedly increased 200 per cent, the Bard Outing Club has been accepted into membership which has had a tremendous effect on the club. The members of the club have been invited to participate in various activities around the college.

Arriving in time for an afternoon outing at the ski resort of the San Bir- genhut, members of the club were anxious to enjoy the change of scenery from the Benning- ton College campus. The ski lift was in operation, and the resort was well attended.

HENRY BILLINGS’ SHOW AT WHITNEY

Henry Billings, visiting artist in residence at the Whitney Museum during the month of December, is now preparing an exhibition of his work for the Whitney’s gallery. The show will open on December 1st, and is scheduled to run until Christmas. The show contains the work of Billings, a well-known painter of American landscapes. His paintings are well known for their realistic portrayal of the American countryside. The show will be on display at the Whitney Museum, 1140 Madison Avenue, New York, New York.

COLUMBIA DEBATE

On December seventeenth the Columbia Debate Association, in conjunction with the College Debate Council on the question of international trade, will present a debate that will probably be held this spring.

The Bard team, managed by Louis A. Berg, will be made up of Hugh Peters and William Hight. The debate is scheduled to take place at 8:00 p.m. in the College’s auditorium.

COLLECTIONS TO RELIEVE POOR BEGAN HERE

An interdepartmental project to replace exams investigation equivalent to full-year course required for degree.

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As Bard College is becoming re- eved to make it possible to carry there twenty-two tickets, the Student Council and the Social Committee will be more than happy to help in the work of finding friends for the tickets.

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BATTLE ORATORIO TO BE PRESENTED

The musical activities of the first semester will be climaxed on Sund- a) the performance, of the Battle Oratorio, on December 16th at 2:00 p.m. The oratorio is a unique fusion of opera, oratorio, and musical drama. It tells the story of the Battle of the Alamo, the battle of the American Revolution, and the battle of World War II. The cast includes some of the finest singers in New York City, and the orchestra is conducted by Maestro James Farrell. The performance will be held in the college chapel.

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ENROLLMENT REPORT

The Bard College enrollment report for the year 1910 has been released. The college has registered a total of ninety-one dollars and sixty cents. This amount is a significant increase over the previous year, when the college had registered a total of eighty-three dollars and forty-four cents. The college is happy to report that it has been able to meet all of its financial obligations for the year.

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HELP THE RED HOOK POOR...

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It is just for the present that they are in need of our help. They are not asking for daily or weekly or monthly alms but for occasional charity—a small sum of money for a wedding, or a Christmas present for some reason. But we will be glad to give them this help.

We have encouraged our students to contribute to the Red Hook Fund. Our last report shows that we have received $100.00 from undergraduate students. This is a small sum, but we are sure that we can raise more money if we make a concerted effort.

The Red Hook Fund is an organization that helps people in need. They provide support for education, medical care, and other basic needs. They are a non-profit organization and rely on donations to operate.

THE CONVENIENCE OF ABSENT-MINDEDNESS

If I were to ask you what you think of absent-mindedness, I am sure you would reply that it is a bad habit and that it is best to avoid it. But is it really that bad?

Absent-mindedness has many advantages. For example, it can help you to remember things. If you are absent-minded, you are more likely to remember things that are important to you. This is because you are more likely to pay attention to them.

Another advantage of absent-mindedness is that it can help you to be more creative. When you are absent-minded, you are more likely to think outside the box. This can help you to come up with new ideas.

Finally, absent-mindedness can help you to be more relaxed. If you are absent-minded, you are more likely to be able to relax and enjoy yourself. This can help you to be more productive.

So, the next time you find yourself absent-minded, don't worry. It might be a good thing.

COUNCIL ON STUDENT FUNDS...

The Council on Student Funds has been working on the distribution of funds for several years. Our goal is to ensure that all students have the resources they need to succeed in college.

We have been working with the administration to ensure that the funds are distributed fairly. We have been meeting with administrators to discuss the best ways to allocate the funds.

We have also been working with the student body to ensure that they have a say in how the funds are distributed. We have held meetings with students to discuss their needs and interests.

We believe that the Council on Student Funds is an important organization that helps to ensure that all students have the resources they need to succeed in college.
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Alumni Notes

Alumni Dinner At The General Seminary

On Monday, November sixteenth, the alumni of the General Theological Seminary, New York City, will gather in the auditorium of the seminary for a dinner. Those present were: Harry Jones, '24, Kenneth Bowers, '24, John Mount, '23, Harry Mason, '25, William Hennan, '36. Other alumni at the seminary are Robert Beatle, '24, and Robert Jones, '24. Three alumni are on the basketball team of which Hennan, '36, is coach.

More Napoleon

"No Peace with Napoleon: Concluding Memoirs of General de Caulaincourt," as translated and edited by George Libaire, '24, will be published this month.

Co-Patron: H. O. Fisher, '23, in addition to being Principal of the Nathan Hale School at Moodus, Conn., is Master of the Lodge, a member of the Orange, local head of the Red Cross, active fireman, town auditor, and has a family of three children. He claims to be a busy man.

Charles Nichols, '27, lives at 2900 Edgewood Road, Elizabeth, N. J.

BACH ORATORIO TO PREACH HERE

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The program will last an hour and a half. It is hoped that the facilities of the Chapel will be adequate to accommodate all who desire to attend, but if such should not be the case, an additional performance will be given on Wednesday evening.

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by George Labelle and Leland Knowles, and short stories by George Libaire, '24, will be included.

A slight change in format will be effected by George Labelle, and Nancy Zellweger will again do the frontispiece and end pages.

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