First Three Weeks Hardest Says Benedict

Brooklyn College Plan Runs Into Some Difficulties

By R. C. Benedict, Director

The first three weeks are the hardest! Some such expression is definitely applicable for in developing a work attitude.

Two new staff members arrived from Brooklyn for shorter or longer periods. Mr. Ford B. Barnard, Education Dept., made two helpful stops within a week. Prof. Louis Miner of the English Dept. has come for a short stay. Mr. Alex Friedlander, of the Registrar's office arrived for his month of vacation. All such visitors are immediately put to work. Mr. Friedlander expects to spend his days in the bean fields, and his evenings in helping with the records. Dr. Fleisher, in addition to his mathematics class, his bird walks, etc., is taking on the duties of "Dean of Men." Sometime during the summer we expect to call upon him to show some of his motion picture films, taken in Mexico, the Utah Canyons, in the Black Hills and of bird life. Dr. Wellnitz, who has travelled in Ecuador, will be ready to talk on her experiences with slides to illustrate. Incidentally, these illustrated talks will be available for presentation to any local group which may be interested.

Special classes by Institute Members have been started, with talks on Soils by Mr. Howlett and on Pasteurization, by Mr. Harter. A definite sequence of such talks is planned to include various phases of agronomy, animal husbandry, with Agricultural Economics by Dr. Gable. In addition to many agricultural processes by Mr. Hamilton. In the latter series, smaller groups should have a chance to handle farm machines for short periods.

Recreational and social activities have not been neglected. A grand picnic was held a week ago with swimming, hot dog roasting, and various other fixin's. A student social committee managed the affair effectively. Square dance lessons and practice were provided in Madison Hall by Mr. Harter and other members. The early part of last Friday evening, and are expected to be continued. The at Sunday service at the United Church saw a Brooklyn College quartet in the loft with Phyllis the Lesrau, contralto, singing Ave Maria. Harvest demands are likely to demand a full crew for most Sundays for the rest of the summer.

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—Miss Eileen VanderClute, of Valley Stream, N. Y., is spending a few days with Miss Ruth Howells.

—Miss Shirley Spaulding, of Cazenovia, spent Monday at the home of parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Spaulding.

—Miss Lois Smith is employed at Mrs. Leonson's.

—Carol Pynn and F. Ooms returned Saturday, having spent a week at youth camp.

—Mr. and Mrs. Lydia Wampsville, spent the weekend at the home of their daughter, Miss Betty Pynn.

—Rev. and Mrs. L. W. Vine, of East Turtle, their daughter, of the WAVES, and guests at the home of Mrs. Leonson.

—Miss Betty LaForks, is a guest of Mrs. Miller's home.

—Mr. and Mrs. Miller returned Tuesday, after