Student-Farmers Leave Tomorrow To Harvest Crops

The third year of the Brooklyn College Farm Labor Project will begin tomorrow, when the first contingent of farm cadettes leave Grand Central Station for Morrisville, N. Y. The students, who will harvest the crop of peas and beans in the area, also will devote four evenings a week to their college studies.

Prof. Ralph G. Benedict is director of the project and his assistants include regular members of the teaching staff of Brooklyn College.

Headquarters for the student-farmers will be at the New York State Technical and Agricultural Institute, Morrisville.

Last year 150 students worked on the farms. They harvested 22,000 bushels of peas and beans, and many of the farmers signed up the students for this season.

“The project served as an experimental demonstration of the practicability of the Brooklyn College plan of accepting responsibility for its students as volunteers in the emergency, while at the same time they continue their college studies,” said Professor Benedict.