

GENERAL INFORMATION

These Courses (B) are available for women and girls who are members of trade unions.

Lectures: Students attend on one night (Friday) each week, during three College Terms: Autumn, Spring and Summer. There are two lectures nightly, 8.00 p.m. to 10.00 p.m., followed by tea and discussion, 10.00 p.m. to 10.30 p.m.

The Autumn Term begins on *Friday, 24 September 1965* and ends on 3 December; the Spring Term begins in mid-January and ends before Easter; the Summer Term begins after Easter and ends in mid-May.

The inside pages of this leaflet explain what matters are dealt with in the lectures.

Reading: Students are given typed copies of the lecturers' notes. A lending library is also available.

Fees: The College fees are paid *on the first night* of each Term, or by instalments: Autumn Term, 10s., Spring Term, 10s., Summer Term, 5s. These fees cover lectures, lecture notes and tea.

Several trade unions give scholarships to their members, and refund these fees, in full or in part, to students who produce a College receipt. Enquiries about this should be made from your union officials.

How to enrol: You can enrol by applying in person at the College, Sandford Road, Ranelagh, on any week-night (Monday to Friday) during the week starting Monday, 13 September, 1965, or at any other time by appointment.

Diploma: After two years, students are awarded the College Diploma in Social, Family and Trade Union Studies.

Opening Night: *Your* Course begins on Friday, 24 September, 1965.



COURSES FOR WOMEN AND GIRLS WHO ARE MEMBERS OF TRADE UNIONS 1965-1966

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COURSES FOR WOMEN MEMBERS OF TRADE UNIONS

"Since women are becoming ever more conscious of their human dignity, they will not tolerate being treated as mere material instruments, but demand rights befitting a human person both in domestic and public life."

(Pope John XXIII: *Pacem in Terris*)

The modern woman or girl who works, whether in factory, shop or office, will find herself left behind in this present development of her sex unless she takes concrete steps to avoid it. She belongs to a trade union, to a family, to a State. Today, she must be fully aware of how these facts affect *her*. She needs to know.

These Courses are especially arranged to help her. Since 1956, several hundred women and girls, members of trade unions, have attended them.

B. 1. FIRST COLLEGE COURSE

Particulars about enrolling at the College are given on the back page of this leaflet. First Year students attend lectures on the following subjects.

SUBJECTS

1. Women Today

What is the human dignity of which the Pope wrote? What are the rights he mentioned? To live life to the full, to get the best out of it, it is necessary to understand human nature. Soul and Body, Morals, The Creation of Woman, Freedom, Your Rights, Work and Recreation, Imagination, Emotions, What Men and Women Have in Common, Are Women Inferior? . . . these are some of the matters discussed.

26 lectures

2. Trade Unions and Women

If a member of a trade union merely pays her weekly dues, she is missing a great deal. What is she missing? How is she failing herself? How is she failing others? Self-interest, charity to others and loyalty are involved here. The modern woman and girl looks for a clear idea of what trade unions are, how they work, what their place is in *her* life and the life of the man she will marry, what *her* place, and *his*, is in them.

13 lectures

3. The Family

Most women marry and have families. A well-run, happy, Christian family not only benefits its members. It also benefits our country, and the world at large. How? Why is the family so important? How is it attacked today? What is the remedy? Are there any special Irish problems? How do these affect you?

13 lectures

B. 2. SECOND COLLEGE COURSE

Students who have completed the First Year Course will be notified before lectures re-start on Friday, 24 September. Second Year lectures will deal with the following subjects.

SUBJECTS

1. Women and Society

These lectures will be given for the first time this year. They will examine in a practical way some social and national matters of particular interest to women, and girls, what problems they give rise to, what concrete answers can be looked for.

26 lectures

2. Personal Development

Each one has a personality all her own. How is it to be recognised, developed and used? How does a mature person manage her personal difficulties and those concerning her relationships with others, singly or in groups?

13 lectures

3. Christianity and Life

Religion may never be regarded as merely a matter of Sunday Mass and private devotions. Its impact on individual and organized activities can be and should be immense. The richness of life will never be experienced by the Catholic who does not realize this. How are this realization and richness achieved?

13 lectures

THIRD COLLEGE COURSE

N.B. A post-Diploma or refresher Course, in specially chosen subjects, will start on Friday, 24 September, 1965. Students who have completed two years at the College may enrol for this Course. Details may be had on application to the College.