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# The Tan and Cardinal

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## Dayton Defeats Avenged 94-37 Track Win

### Questionnaires Are Tabulated By Council

#### RESULTS INTERESTING

174 Students Want to Dance and 152  
Do Not. Other Figures  
Are Startling.

To quell the vast number of requests coming into the Tan and Cardinal office concerning the recent questionnaire conducted by the Student Council, the results are here published. The question of dancing seems to have been uppermost in the minds of many students. It is interesting to note that 174 students favor dancing while 152 do not. Out of 500 questionnaires handed out to the student body only about 335 were returned. However, the Student Council felt that the vote is indicative of student opinion.

The most startling result tabulated concerned the transferral of the Tan and Cardinal Subscription fee to the matriculation fee; 287 students said 'yes,' and only 40 voted 'no.' This vote indicates that the students are willing to submit to compulsory subscription of the Tan and Cardinal.

#### Want Compulsory Chapel.

In answer to the question "Do you favor required chapel?" 255 favored it (Continued on Page Five)

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### CONSERVATORY FACULTY TO GIVE RECITAL MAY 19

A violin recital will be given by Miss Hazel Barngrover in Lambert Hall Wednesday evening, May 19. She will be assisted by other members of the conservatory faculty, including Professor Grabill, Professor Spessard, Mrs. Hopkins, Mrs. Starkey and Miss Lulu Baker. The program will be a varied one, including piano, organ, cello, and violin selections. Miss Barngrover will be accompanied on the piano by Miss Vance.

### Westerville Alumni Will Meet Tonight in College Offices

There will be a meeting of the Westerville Alumni of Otterbein in the college offices Tuesday evening, May 18, at 7:30 p. m. All alumni are requested to attend this meeting as it concerns important plans for commencement.

### Tra la la, Sing Seniors and Take Unscheduled Cuts

"The white moth to the closing bine  
The bee to the opened clover,  
And the gypsy blood to the gypsy blood  
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The first chapel bell rang, the second bell rang, the buzzer sounded shrilly, and still the center section of the chapel was vacant. Suddenly a blare of trumpets filled the assembly hall. Excited underclassmen, as well as Juniors and Faculty, craned their (Continued On Page Eight).

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### FOUNDATIONS COMPLETE ON NEW DORMITORY

Construction Delayed by Incompleted  
Plans. Building To Be partly  
Fire-Proof.

Foundations are now complete and work is progressing rapidly on King Hall, new Men's Dormitory being built by Dr. and Mrs. J. R. King. The architect's plans, which are as yet incomplete, are holding up the construction work.

The new building will be partly fire-proof, the hall ways being built of concrete. Oedem and Gamaka, of Miamisburg, are the contractors for all of the brick work. Karg and Smith of Westerville, have charge of all concrete work. Contracts for minor details are now under consideration.

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### PLANS FOR FROSH-JUNIOR BANQUET ARE COMPLETED

The plans are complete, is the substance of the final report given by the various committees, which have been arranging for the Freshman-Junior banquet. The banquet, of an informal nature, will be held Friday evening, May 21, at eight o'clock in the United Brethren Church.

#### Catalogs Off Press.

The regular spring edition of the College Catalog has been partly run off the press. So far only 400 of the 1900 copies have been received by the college office. Some minor changes have been made in some of the departments. The present supply is now exhausted but more are expected today or tomorrow.

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### MAY 31 MADE HOLIDAY AT FACULTY MEETING

Program To Be Departure From  
Custom. Will Have Brief  
Chapel Service.

Monday, May 31, was set apart as a holiday by the faculty at its meeting last week, for the observance of Memorial Day. Tentative plans for the Memorial services have been drawn up by a joint committee from the Student Council and faculty.

The program, as planned, will be a departure from the custom of previous years, in that it will be entirely in the hands of the students from beginning to end. For that reason, no outside speaker has been secured, and students only will take part in the ceremonies. Services will begin promptly at eight o'clock on Monday morning in the college chapel, and after a brief program there the assembly will adjourn to the campus for taps and the flag ceremony. The entire service as planned will consume no more than an hour, and will leave the remainder of the day open to the students for social group picnics, or whatever other activities they may desire.

The plan is in the nature of an experiment, and if the student body displays a spirit of co-operation, will probably be followed in coming years.

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#### Dr. Howard Speaks in Chapel.

Dr. A. T. Howard, president of the Bonebrake Theological Seminary, spoke to the student body in chapel Monday morning. After his brief address, Miss Florence Cronise, who graduated from Otterbein in '92, and who afterwards served as professor of romance languages here, came to the front of the room and spoke a few words of greeting to the students.

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#### Board Appoints Committee.

At a meeting of the Athletic Board of Control yesterday morning a nominating committee was appointed for elections to the Board.

### Flyers Win Only One First and Tie One

#### STOUGHTON TAKES DASHES

Dayton's Hawaiian Athletes Make 21  
of Flyer's 37 Points. Was  
Eighth Win.

Otterbein defeated Dayton in a dual track meet last Saturday afternoon at Dayton 94 to 37. Otterbein took all but two of the first places unconditionally, and tied for one of the other places. This meet marked the eighth consecutive win for the varsity, the last dual meet having been lost to Denison in 1924.

Captain Stoughton did his usual weekly bit by winning the 100, 220 and 440 yard dashes. In addition he ran the last leg of the relay.

Dayton's strength was in the dashes and in one or two of the field events. They were weak in the distance runs. Cheek was leading one Dayton man by a lap and a half, and only lacked a little of being a lap ahead of the other.

Dayton's only firsts were in the low hurdles and the pole vault, the last named being a tie. Hipa nosed out Widdoes in the low hurdles in a race so close that it was almost impossible to judge after Widdoes had overcome the other Dayton man's four yard lead. Hipa received a tie for first in the pole vault when Widdoes brushed the cross bar with his arm in his third attempt at eleven feet and nine inches.

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### J. P. WEST RE-ELECTED OFFICER OF ASSOCIATION

J. P. West, treasurer of the College, was re-elected secretary and treasurer of the Ohio Association of College Treasurers which convened at the Municipal University of Akron, May 5 and 6. Mr. West represented Otterbein at the convention, which was the ninth annual meeting of the conference. The convention will be held at Granville next year.

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#### Pi Kappa Delta Elects.

At a recent meeting of Pi Kappa Delta, honorary forensic fraternity Palmer Fletcher was elected president of the local chapter for the ensuing year. Robert Knight was elected as vice president while Karl Kummer will serve as secretary-treasurer.

## Quiz and Quill Club Issues Spring Number

IS INTERESTING NUMBER

Contains Leading Literary Productions of Past Year. "Hobohemia" Again.

The Quiz and Quill spring magazine came from the press last Friday and was being distributed by members of the Quiz and Quill Club last Friday and Saturday. Over three hundred and fifty copies of this edition were printed. Copies may be obtained from any member of Quiz and Quill Club.

### Contains Winning Short Story.

The feature of the spring edition was the winning Barnes Short Story "Wastrels," written by Thelma Snyder. The oration, "Invisible Chains," written by Earl Hoover, also appears in the magazine. This oration took first place in the Russell Oratorical Contest last spring, and third place in the Inter-collegiate Oratorical Contest held recently.

The three prize-winning productions in the Quiz and Quill Contest, "Dreams," by Lillian Shively, "Old Man McDougal," by Mary Thomas, and "I Pity Me," by Marcella Henry also appear in the magazine.

Each of the four literary societies has a representative production. Many articles which received honorable mention will also be found in the Quiz and Quill.

### "Hobohemia" Again.

The second annual edition of the feature, "Hobohemia—Where We Do As We Please," appears in the latter half of the magazine. In this section appear the best humorous and satirical productions of the year.

Ernestine Nichols was the editor and Edward Hammon the business manager of the magazine. Bessie Lincoln was the "Hobohemia" editor. The Quiz and Quill Club now has 42 alumni.

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### Sociologists Make Trip To

#### Ohio Penitentiary Thursday

The Sociology Club visited the Ohio Penitentiary on last Thursday afternoon. Headed by a special guide detailed to conduct the class through the chapel and into the death chamber where the electric chair is situated. From thence the group visited the school rooms, the mess halls, kitchens, finger print file office, and finally through the cotton spinning mill.

While the club was there the supper bell rang, thus allowing the class to watch the 2600 prisoners march in lock step to their cells, and then to the dining hall. This trip was taken last week in order to fit in with the study of crime which was the subject of discussion for that week.

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Latin students of the University of Pittsburgh last week refused to leave the room when their professor failed to show up, but sent a delegation to the Latin offices to ask for a substitute.

## KAMPUS KALENDAR

### Tuesday, May 18—

Y. M. and Y. W. at 6:15 p. m.

### Wednesday, May 19—

Faculty-Violin Recital in Lambert Hall at 8 o'clock.

### Thursday, May 20—

Cleiorhetea at 6:10 p. m.  
Philaethea at 6:20 p. m.  
Extemporaneous Speaking contest in chapel at 8:15 o'clock.

### Friday, May 21—

Base Ball with Antioch at 3:00 p. m.  
Philophronea at 6:15 p. m.  
Philomatheia at 6:30 p. m.  
Freshman-Junior Banquet in U. B. church.

### Monday, May 24—

Russell Oratorical Contest.

## RUSSELL ORATORICAL CONTEST COMES NEXT MONDAY

Monday evening, May 24, five men will compete for the prizes offered by Dr. Howard H. Russell every year in the Russell Oratorical Contest for upper-classmen. The names of the contestants and their general topics are as follows:

Karl Kumler—"Compulsory Military Training."

Wayne Cheek—"The College Student and Religion."

Duane Harrold—"Defense of College Men."

James Gordon—"The Crime Question."

J. Neely Boyer—"College Student and His Relation to Labor Problems."

The winner of this contest will automatically become the College Orator for next year.

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## OTTERBEIN GRADUATE HAS THESIS PRINTED

In the Ohio Journal of Science for March, which came from the Ohio State University Press April 26, appeared an article entitled "The Limestone Caves and Caverns of Ohio," written by George W. White, '21, now professor of Geology at the University of Tennessee. Mr. White prepared this article as a thesis for his master's degree which he received from the University last June.

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Approximately \$25,000 or 85 percent of the \$29,000 united budget has been subscribed.

Professor E. M. Hursh, head of the drive committee, was called upon to report the general progress of the drive at a supper held last Wednesday evening in the Methodist Church.

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### Jean Turner Heads Committee.

Miss Jean Turner was selected to head the committee in charge of the Quiz and Quill Breakfast, which will be given Tuesday morning, June 15, at a meeting of the Quiz and Quill Club last Saturday morning.

## Science Club To Entertain Branch of Chemical Society

On Thursday evening of this week the Science Club will entertain the Columbus section of the American Chemical Society. The visitors will be taken on a tour of inspection to the Kilgore toy factory after which they and the members of the Science Club will have supper together in the U. B. Church parlors.

At 7:30 an interesting address on the "Chemistry of the Stars" will be given in Lambert Hall by Prof. Mengel of Ohio State University. The Science Club invites everyone to attend. Students who are especially interested in science are urged not to miss this address.

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# Varsity Will Meet Antioch Foe Friday

## Diamond Tilt To Be Non-Conference One

### ANTIOCH LOST TWO

Defeated By Miami and Dayton But Makes Double Win Against Cedarville Nine.

After a week of forced rest on account of the rain that held up the game with Kenyon at Gambier last Friday afternoon the Otterbein baseball team will meet the Antioch baseball team in a non-conference baseball game at Westerville Friday afternoon, May 21.

Antioch always has a good team and can be counted on to furnish opposition for any college in Ohio. Rumor has it that their baseball team at present is unusually strong. Antioch has already played four games in the A division six-weeks period, losing two and winning two. She was defeated by Miami and Dayton, and succeeded in winning from Cedarville twice. The Saturday game will be the last one for the A division which will leave school at the end of this week. A B division will begin when A leaves, making an entirely new base ball team.

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## FLYERS WIN ONLY ONE FIRST, AND TIE ONE

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The Dayton Journal says, "Captain Stoughton of the visitors, was everything that he was cracked up to be and then some, and after watching him run, it is not difficult to understand why he has not been beaten in a dual meet in the 100 and 220 yard dashes and the 440 yard run for the last three years."

Hipa was the only Dayton man to show to any great advantage, winning a total of 16 points in the six events in which he placed. Twenty-one of Dayton's 37 points were earned by their Hawaiian athletes, Hipa and Cabrinha.

### Summary:

100 yard dash—Stoughton (O) 1st, Cabrinha (D) 2nd, Maxwell (D) 3rd. Time—10.1 seconds.

Discuss—Porosky (O) 1st, Hart (D) 2nd, Pinney (O) 3rd. Distance—110 feet, 9 inches.

Pole Vault—Widdoes (O), Meyer (O) and Hipa (D) tied for first. Height—11 feet, 9 inches.

Mile Run—Pilkington (O) 1st, Keck (O) 2nd, Pettenger (D) 3rd. Time—5 minutes, 5.9 seconds.

440 yard run—Stoughton (O) 1st, Crawford (O) 2nd, Peterson (D) 3rd. Time—52.4 seconds.

120 yard high hurdles—Widdoes (O) 1st, Hipa (D) 2nd, Drury (O) 3rd. Time—17.9 seconds.

Shot put—Richter (O) 1st, Hart (D) 2nd, Hipa (D) 3rd. Distance—38 feet, 10 inches.

220 yard dash—Stoughton (O) 1st, Cabrinha (D) 2nd, Maxwell (D) 3rd. Time—23.8 seconds.

### 1926 Track Dope.

Ohio University 51, Otterbein 80  
Kenyon 26, Otterbein 103.  
Heidelberg 27, Otterbein 103.  
May 15, Otterbein 94, Dayton 37.  
May 22, Muskingum at New Concord.  
May 28 and 29, Ohio Conference Meet at Oberlin.

## Tennis Men Trounce Ohio Northern Again

Saturday afternoon while the track team was trouncing the University of Dayton, the Otterbein net-men handed their second defeat to Ohio Northern. The courts were only in fair condition because of recent rains.

Lai had little difficulty in defeating his opponent in straight sets 6-3, 6-4.

Bechtolt, playing a fine game, came through to win 6-4, 7-5 in two hard fought sets.

McConaughy found the going rough and dropped two sets 2-6, 5-7.

McConaughy and Roby lost their doubles tilt 1-6, 4-6.

Lai and Bechtolt got off to a poor start in their doubles match and lost their first set 4-6 but came back in whirlwind style, winning the next two sets 6-3, 6-3 and preventing the final score of the meet from resulting in a tie.

880 yard run—Storey (O) 1st, Erisman (O) 2nd, Martzluff (D) 3rd. Time—2 minutes, 6 seconds.

Javelin—Porosky (O) 1st, Pfarrar (D) 2nd, Reigle (O) 3rd. Distance—153 feet, 5 1-2 inches.

High Jump—Snively (O) and Pinney (O) tied for first, Hipa (D) 3rd. Height—5 feet, 6 inches.

220 yard low hurdles—Hipa (D) 1st, Widdoes (O) 2nd, Wales, (O) 3rd. Time—28 seconds.

2-mile run—Cheek (O) 1st, Tinsley (O) 2nd, Pettenger (D) 3rd. Time—11 minutes, 1.3 seconds.

Broad jump—Smith (O) 1st, Hipa (D) 2nd, Stair (O) 3rd. Distance—20 feet, 7 inches.

Mile relay—Won by Otterbein. (Storey, Wales, Crawford and Stoughton). Time—3 minutes, 41.8 sec.

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## Tan Team Will Close Good Year Saturday

### TO MEET MUSKINGUM

Varsity Will Attempt to Avenge Former Defeats On New Concord Track.

Next Saturday will close one of Otterbein's most successful track seasons. A win will complete two seasons that Otterbein has not been defeated in a dual meet. The meet will be held with Muskingum at New Concord. Otterbein will try to even up scores for the football and basket ball defeats suffered at the hands of the Black and Magentas.

Last Saturday Muskingum defeated Ohio University and Kenyon in a triangular meet but no information regarding the events could be obtained.

By comparative scores Otterbein should not have any very great difficulty in keeping her slate clean.

The meet next Saturday will be the last appearance of six men in a dual meet under Otterbein colors. They are Captain Stoughton, Porosky, Richter, Widdoes, Tinsley and Drury.

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Washington and Lee University boasts the only "Honor Store". Students act as their own clerks, leaving their money in boxes placed on the counters.

Grades of "E" have been abolished at the University of Idaho. And grades of "B" entitle a student to cut advanced classes without penalty.

### 1926 Base Ball Schedule.

Dayton 9, Otterbein 0.  
Muskingum 10, Otterbein 1.  
Dayton 15, Otterbein 0.  
May 14, Kenyon at Gambier, Rain.  
May 21, Antioch at Westerville.  
May 26, Kenyon at Westerville.  
June 5, Muskingum at New Concord.

## SENIOR GIRLS LEAD BASE BALL LEAGUE CONFERENCE

The Freshmen-Senior and the Sophomore-Junior games scheduled for Friday were postponed because of rain. The Freshmen team forfeited again, this time to the Sophomores, their game, which was scheduled for last Monday. The same afternoon, the Seniors defeated the Juniors by an 18 to 3 score. The seniors found the game easy and led the score from the first inning.

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### EDITORIALS

#### STARTLING RESULTS

The recent questionnaire conducted by the Student Council brought out a number of startling, if not appalling, facts. A questionnaire asking questions such as this one did is needed on the campus about once a year to give the campus leaders a keen insight of the actual opinions of the students whom they are representing. Such facts also help to show the administration and the faculty the trend of student thought and action.

The most important revelation concerned itself with the question of dancing. It was indeed surprising to note that the balance was so nearly perfect; 174 favored dancing and 152 did not. Of course it is obvious that the administration cannot permit dancing if the college is dependent upon the financial support of certain influential individuals who threaten to withdraw their assistance if dancing is permitted.

Figures in connection with the

question "Do you favor placing the Tan and Cardinal subscription price in the matriculation fee?" were almost shocking; 287 were in favor of it, and only 40 were not. Which fact only goes to show that the students are willing to be compelled to take the Tan and Cardinal. If such is the will of the students, measures will be attempted for the carrying out of this desire.

Two hundred and fifty-five students said they wanted compulsory chapel, and only 80 said they did not. Evidently Otterbein students generally recognize the fact that voluntary chapel does not work. However, such a fact does not indicate that the students are satisfied with chapel. The real heart of the question concerns the chapel program and not the idea of compulsory attendance.

Better the program and the discontent will partly, if not wholly, cease. What is the matter with the student body when it attends chapel five days out of six and Sunday School and Church on Sunday? A solution of the chapel program question will aid in solving the religious difficulties as far as attendance is concerned. Directors and leaders of the various religious activities on the campus would do well to read the suggestions offered by the students on the questionnaires. Other campus leaders might also profit by the perusal of these suggestions.

We can not go on indefinitely discussing these problems in minute detail. Editorials which bear upon these subjects will appear in these columns for the remainder of this school year as well as next year.

To the Student Council goes all of the credit and praise for presenting these problems to the student body for possible solutions.

#### O C CAMPUS CLUBS

Within the past decade or so numerous departmental organizations have arisen. These clubs, choosing the best students, have endeavored to stimulate interest in their particular branch of science. The idea is good. Theoretically these organizations should contribute much in the way of education, and interest, but unfortunately, in most of the clubs the over-zealous faculty members have so bombarded the group with profound subjects and discussions that the clubs have ceased to be organizations dedicated to

the pursuance of subjects of student interest. Rather those subjects which are of interest to the mature pedagogic mind are studied and discussed. The discussion usually passes completely over the heads of the student members, who are forced to sit still, look interested, twirling their thumbs, miserable the while.

A few of the faculty members, a bit more observant than the rest, have urged that lighter subjects of a greater student interest be studied and discussed. One professor in particular, at a meeting of a certain club this year, said that in his opinion the subjects taken up should be of the nature of "light mental feast." "The student members of the club get enough profound study during the day," he added.

Immediately a number of the old school, pooh poohed such an idea, and profound study and discussion continued.

It seems that before such organizations can justify the name of student clubs, they must confine their discussions to those things which interest their student personnel.

The criticism is not directed against those few clubs which really hold the interests of the undergraduate members. Their soundness, success and perpetuity is assured.

—Green and White.

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Really, naughtiness isn't any naughtier than it used to be, but just a little more frank and less sneaky.

We don't understand how a flag service will be possible on May 31, if some one does not volunteer to put a rope on the flag pole.

Yes, the bloom of youth is as fleeting as ever, except when it is higher on one cheek than another.

Some of us haven't any grit; yet the Bible says we were all made of dust.

You have probably noticed that there is no TIMELY TOPICS column this week. Are you too lazy to write or can't you find a subject. Maybe the Student Council questionnaire will help you?

We take a great deal of delight in receiving letters from our interested alumni. We certainly applaud their conscientious efforts even if a lot of the letters are full of adverse criticism regarding the policies of the Tan and Cardinal.

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#### Y. M. AND Y. W. DISCUSS CHINESE RACE QUESTION

At a joint meeting of Y. M. C. A. and Y. W. C. A. Tuesday evening, Kwong Lai discussed the Chinese question. His contacts with Chinese students and his personal experiences in China made him the more competent to speak on a subject of paramount importance. Mr. Lai suggested that China is looking to the United States to take the initiative in the solution of the Asiatic problem.

A vocal solo, "My Task," sung by Lenore Smith, provided special music for the meeting.

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At the annual "Garter Day" held at California Tech, it was found that only five freshmen wear them.

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### DATE FOR EXTEMP CONTEST CHANGED TO MAY 20

The date for the extemporaneous speaking contest has been changed from Monday, May 17, to Thursday, May 20. It will be held in the chapel at 8:15. The main topic for discussion is "The Race Question." The sub-topics are: 1. Importance of the Question; 2. The Background of Race Prejudice; 3. Relative Race Capacity; 4. Negro Achievements; 5. Northern Immigration and the Negro; 6. Discrimination Against the Negro in the South; 7. Attempted Solution in the North; 8. Negro Education in the South.

The contestants from Cleiorhetea are: Katharine Myers and Margaret Eubanks; from Philalethea are Verda Evans and Bessie Lincoln; from Philophronea are Richard Durst and Louie Norris; from Philomatheia are Lewis Hampshire and Neely Boyer.

### S'FUNNY

It appears that the importance of both of last Saturday's athletic events has somewhere been lost. The track squad completely over-whelmed the University of Dayton in Saturday's encounter and yet the only way the local campus had of finding it out from then until this issue of the campus publication was through the medium of the Campus Gossiper or in other words through hear-say. Why not inform the anxious student body of such victories as these, by the jangling of the usual bell clapper? Otterbein doesn't win so often that the bell rope will be worn out by such use.

### COOK HOUSE TEAM AT TOP OF BASE BALL LEAGUE

By virtue of their win over the Country Club, Wednesday, by a score of 18-14, the Cook House stepped into first place in the Recreation Base Ball League. The game proved to be the most interesting of the week and was hotly contested. Several times Friend and Thompson, of the losers, cleared the bases with their lengthy clouts only to have their opponents even up the score the next inning. The same evening, the Cosmopolitans defeated the Sphinx 5-3.

Thursday evening the Sphinx bested the Lakotas 10-9 and the Jondas came through with a 14-3 win over the Philotas. Shortage of players for all or parts of some of the games handicapped several of the teams. Percentages of contesting teams to date are as follows:

Name	W.	L.	Pct.
Cook House	2	0	1.000
Country Club	3	1	.750
Cosmopolitans	2	1	.666
Jonda	1	1	.500
Lakota	1	1	.500
Sphinx	1	2	.333
Philota	0	4	.000

The Jondas and Lakotas were prevented from playing off their tie game Friday on account of rain.

### QUESTIONNAIRES ARE TABULATED BY COUNCIL

(Continued From Page One)

and 80 did not. Evidently students realize that voluntary chapel is not feasible, having failed in a number of other schools.

It was appalling to note that only two-thirds of the student body attend church regularly and only one-half attend Sunday School every Sunday. Figures for Y and Christian Endeavor attendance show approximately the same results.

Those students who did and those who did not favor the present bidding system for social groups was nearly on a fifty-fifty basis, 146 being in favor of it and 143 against it. The same held true regarding satisfaction with the present grading system; 156 said they liked it and 154 said they did not.

### Library Not Meeting Needs.

That the present library hours did not meet the need was the opinion of 170 students while 136 students thought the hours were sufficient.

Approximately 180 students are not getting the benefits of the literary societies, while 152 indicated that they were. The tabulation regarding transfer of the Tan and Cardinal from the literary societies to the Student Council was evidently not well understood by the student body in general; 19 said they didn't want it done, and 131 said they did.

The questionnaire revealed the facts that 110 students were not working their way through school at all, 138 were working for part of their funds, and 72 were supporting themselves entirely.

Many suggestions were received by the Student Council as to how many of the alleged undesirable elements in college life could be removed.

### Y MOVIE A SUCCESS

The Y movie, which was shown Monday, May 17, at the Garden Theatre was a great success judging by the crowds which attended both showings of the picture. "The New Klondike" was a late Paramount picture of Florida, baseball, love, and, of course real estate, featuring Thomas Meighan, Lila Lee. The proceeds of the picture will be used for defraying the expenses of the two delegates to the convention at Birmingham.

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Ohio Wesleyan 6, Otterbein 0.  
Kenyon 4, Otterbein 2.  
Ohio University 2, Otterbein 2.  
Ohio Northern 1, Otterbein 5.  
May 15, Ohio Northern 2, Otterbein 4.  
May 19, Muskingum at Westerville.  
May 21, Ohio University at Athens.  
June 7, Muskingum at New Concord.

### REV. WIDDOES CONDUCTS CHAPEL TALKS SERIES

The Reverend Mr. Widdoes, returned missionary to the Philippines, has been giving a series of chapel talks on the general subject, "Getting Related to Life." Rev. Widdoes' purpose is to direct the thinking of the student body to the deeper and more significant things in the Christian religion, and to warn against superficiality. In the last lecture of the series, Rev. Widdoes discussed some of his own personal experiences.

'04. Mrs. Daisy Clifton gave a luncheon in honor of Mrs. Ethel Rowley Walker, of Cincinnati, at her home Wednesday, May 5.

The others present were, Mrs. Harriette Newcomb Frankenberg, Mrs. Josephine Markley Wilson, and Mrs. Catherine Shauck Thomas.

All of Mrs. Ditmer's guests are former Otterbein students.

### Dr. Lichliter Will Speak at Joint Y. M.-Y. W. Meet Tonight

Dr. M. H. Lichliter who is pastor of First Congregational Church of Columbus, Ohio, will address both the Y. M. and Y. W. C. A.'s at a joint meeting Tuesday night. Dr. Lichliter is a talented speaker as is evidenced by the fact that he is in constant demand as a speaker and lecturer. The local High School has selected him to deliver the commencement address May 28 also.

### Anna Mae Trisler Dies.

Anna Mae Trisler died at her home in Middletown last Saturday evening. Miss Trisler had been ill for some time. She attended Otterbein in 1923 and 1924.

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## Ballots To Be Sent To Alumni For Vote

### MANY NOMINEES

**Walter D. Kring and Forest G. Ketner Are Presidential Candidates.**

A ballot will soon be sent to all alumni and ex-students giving them an opportunity to express a choice for the various alumni association officers for the coming year. All alumni should exercise this right of franchise. Many institutions have as high as a seventy-five per cent response when ballots are sent to alumni. Otterbein should command the interest of her alumni to an even greater degree.

The presidential candidates are Walter D. Kring, '07, a candidate for re-election (not his own desire, however), who is the Religious Education Director of the Broad Street Presbyterian Church in Columbus, and Forest G. Ketner, '11, associated with the Farm Bureau in Ohio, and lecturer and director of farm interests. It should be said that Mr. Ketner was called to Washington and was not able to attend the meeting of the nominating committee of which he was a member consequently this punishment for his absence.

There are six nominees for the three vice-presidencies: R. E. Offenbauer, '05, superintendent of schools at Lima, Ohio; Maude B. Owings, '14, a teacher in Shaw High School, Cleveland; Ada Buttermore Kohler, '11, active in the Columbus Woman's Club; E. H. Dailey, '15, pastor of the United Brethren Church at Portsmouth; Elizabeth Cooper Resler, '93, of Columbus, also active in the Otterbein Woman's club there; H. V. Bear, '03, superintendent of schools of Miamisburg, Ohio.

Louis A. Weinland, '05, professor of chemistry at Otterbein (we wouldn't have you make a mistake as to identity) is a candidate for re-election as secretary. Opposing him is Royal F. Martin, '14, also of Otterbein.

The candidates for treasurer are Wm. O. Lambert, '00, now a teacher of economics in South High School, Columbus, and resident of Westerville, and Howard W. Elliott, '15, associated with a large insurance company as district representative.

Four names appear to fill two vacancies on the Board of Trustees of the College. The two men elected are the representatives of the alumni body on the Board and that emphasizes the necessity of choosing men of capacity.

Frank O. Clements, '96, now president of the Board, and Elmer N. Funkhouser, '13, are the present holders of the offices and are candidates for re-election. Mr. Clements is associated with the General Motors Corporation and Mr. Funkhouser is a business man in Hagerstown, Maryland. Opposing them are Dr. P. H. Kilbourne, of Dayton, a physician, and F. O. Van Sickle of Cardington,

## YALE-OTTERBEIN CLUB HOLDS REGULAR MEET

The Yale-Otterbein Club enjoyed a very pleasant meeting on last Monday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Vernon Phillips, at Kensington, near New Haven. Pleasant hours of fellowship and reminiscences were followed by delightful refreshments.

The last of the regular meetings planned and carried out by the local bunch of old grads during the present year will be held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. P. Schutz, of New Haven, later this month when the club will have as its guest Mr. and Mrs. Walter Schutz, who are returning to their mission work in Africa at that time, and Mr. and Mrs. Roscoe Brentlinger of Boston, Massachusetts.

Besides the members of the local club, the Otterbein crowd were glad to have with them Harold Halderman, '21, who is attending Hartford Seminary during the current year, and Mrs. Lydia Haywood Miller, '77, mother of the hostess.

### O C CLASS OF 1947

Another boy goes on the list today. Gwynne Bonnell Myers, son of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil E. Myers. "Virg" belongs to the class of '24 and Mrs. Myers who was Thelma Bonnell is an Exer. They are attending the Oberlin Theological Seminary at Oberlin.

It looks very much as though Gwynne is going to be a preacher and that will add to the growing glories of his class.

And a young lady from New Mexico. She is not a native of that state but owes allegiance there since her mother and dad, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Love, are active church leaders in Espanola and throughout the whole state of New Mexico.

Gwyneth properly belongs to us since "Jim" was a member of the class of '21, and her mother is an Exer.

### O C

Sympathy of alumni is extended to C. W. White, '13, of Ellicottville, N. Y., whose mother died April 27th, at the age of 83 years and 7 months.

Mrs. White has many friends in Westerville, having lived here during the years her son was in school.

Farm Bureau lecturer and organizer, and successful farm operator.

One vacancy appears on the Athletic Board of Control for which Elmo Lingrell, '16, coach at the Middletown, Ohio, high school, and I. R. Libecap, '09, automobile sales manager at Dayton, are candidates.

The names of candidates for places on the alumni council selected from various class groups will also appear on the ballot.

The list is given to you now that you may give some thought to the candidates and vote when the printed ballot comes to your hands.

## OTTERBEIN-YALE MEN TO JOIN BONEBRAKE FACULTY

It has been announced that J. R. Howe, '21, receiving his Ph. D. from Yale in June, and Walter E. Roush, '15, pastor of the United Brethren Church at Barberton, will become members of the teaching staff at Bonebrake Seminary next year.

### O C OTTERBEIN REPRESENTED WELL AT BIRMINGHAM

Out of a group of 35 United Brethren people who lunched together at the Birmingham convention, 14 had some connection with Otterbein either as graduates, ex-students, or officials. These people were gathered from all over the United States. The Otterbein people were very proud of their splendid representation.

F. E. McGuire, '25, represented the largest Sunday School in the denomination that of the First Church, Canton, Ohio.

E. N. Funkhouser, '13, represented the second largest church in Hagerstown, Maryland.

Some of the others present were Mr. E. R. Turner, '17, pastor of the High Street church, Dayton, Ohio and his wife, W. A. Weber, '06, now professor in the theological seminary at New Brunswick, N. J.; H. F. Shupe, ex, editor of the Watchword; Walter Roush, '15, pastor at Barberton, Ohio; Joseph Hendrix, '17, pastor at New Madison, Ohio; S. F. Wenger, '11, pastor of the Presbyterian church at St. Anne, Illinois; A. E. Davis, '81, pastor at Woodville, Ohio; C. W. Brewbaker holding an honorary degree from Otterbein.

President Clippinger was active throughout the convention; Charles Lambert and Charlotte Owen, '27, were also present.

### O C The Class of 1947.

Another of the professors places the name of a youngster on the roll of the class of 1947. This time it is a boy. Robert Floyd Vance, son of Professor and Mrs. Floyd Vance.

Robert Floyd properly belongs to Otterbein, since his father belonged to the class of '16, and is now professor of French and registrar. Mrs. Vance is a graduate of Ohio State, but that doesn't make any difference, as she has been adopted officially. She was professor of Home Economics for one year during the illness of Mrs. Noble.

Robert Floyd has a big brother, Wade, who belongs to the class of '45.

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"Resolved that life is not worth living" has been chosen as a last resort topic to stimulate interest in debating at Washington University.

The entire freshman class of Yale was placed on probation after a riot in protest against removal of the orchestra from their dining room.

## Seven Otterbein Grads Will Get Degrees at Yale

### FOUR TO GET B. D. DEGREE

**President Clippinger Is Invited To Attend Yale-Otterbein Ceremonies.**

Otterbein has long been well known on the campus of Yale University. Our graduates have distinguished themselves and have created a reputation of which the College may well be proud. Perhaps there is no college in the country of equal size that has sent as many excellent students to the graduate and divinity schools of that great university. This year seven Otterbein people will receive degrees from Yale.

J. R. Howe, '21, will receive the degree of Doctor of Philosophy from the Yale Divinity School. He has received many scholarship honors during his three years as a student there. "J. R." was an excellent student while on the campus and in addition participated in many extra-curricular activities, being a member of the football team, editor of the Tan and Cardinal, and active in the work of Philomatheia.

Four Otterbein men will receive the B. D. degree. They are J. O. Todd, '17; Floyd Roberts, '21; J. P. Schutz, '23, and V. L. Phillips, '17. "Joe" Todd was in the active ministry before going to Yale. "Gob" Roberts attended Bonebrake last year following a year of service in Japan. Vernon Phillips will be remembered as the field secretary who served the College so faithfully during the Jubilee year. "Pat" Schutz went to Yale immediately after his graduation and has used a part of his time in New Haven on an Association job. "Pat" also got a wife while at Yale.

Mary Elizabeth Brewbaker Howe will finish her work for the M. A. degree and may possibly secure the degree at this commencement also. "Betsy's" work for the degree is completed but she has not completed the two year residence requirement.

Warren Cogan who spent two years at Otterbein will receive his A. B. degree at this commencement, having completed his work there.

President Clippinger has received a hearty invitation to be present at the graduation of these young people at Yale. He is trying to find some way to be present at this Yale-Otterbein occasion.

O C  
A questionnaire recently submitted by a certain large university to its students revealed the following hitherto unknown facts. H. G. Wells is an American historian; Plato—a Greek mathematician; Isaac Newton—a rich Jew; Steinmetz—a German musician; Bismarck—a sort of doughnut, and Solon—a Hebrew dancer.





The Polygon Club entertained with a dinner party at Bon Air, Friday evening. The special guests were Prof. and Mrs. McCloy, and Mr. and Mrs. M. A. Dittmer.

Mrs. Wilhelminia Kratzer visited with her sister, Florence Prinz, over the week-end. Mrs. Kratzer returned to Dayton with Mr. and Mrs. Prinz, who motored up for Sunday.

Mrs. Leona Hines, of Coshocton, was the week-end guest of Betty Marsh.

La Vonne Steele and Leila Griffen went to La Vonne's home at Creston for the week-end. They attended "Color-Day" at Wooster, on Saturday.

Vera Wright and Clarabelle Steele entertained the Phoenix Club Sunday evening, at lunch. The special guests were Mrs. Hursh, Miss Helen Vance, and Glendora Barnes.

Mrs. Rhea McConaughy Howard visited the Arbutus Club over the week-end.

Mary Mills entertained the Talisman Club at her home, Sunday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. Leshar visited with Elizabeth on Sunday.

Mabel Bordner spent the week-end at her home in Canton.

Elsie Mae Conger and "Wink" Cooksey went to Elsie Mae's home in Dayton, over the week-end.

Mrs. Virginia Taylor Newell was the guest of the Arbutus Club over Saturday and Sunday.

Lorene Smith presided as toast-mistress at the Lotus spring formal banquet which was given at the Maramor, Saturday evening. A theater party followed the banquet.

Othello Rice visited with her cousin at Delaware, this week-end.

Katharine Myers spent Saturday and Sunday with friends in Lewisburg.

Margaret Duerr went to her home in Dayton and attended the track meet Saturday.

Mary McCabe went to her home in Greenville to spend the week-end.

Enid Kizer of Fostoria, was the guest of the Lotus Club on Saturday and Sunday. She attended the Lotus banquet Saturday evening.

Mrs. Gibson, Miss Miriam Houx, and Lowell Gibson motored from Dayton to spend Sunday with Helen.

Lillian Haney visited with Margaret and Ruth over the week-end.

Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Troop were the guests of the Arbutus Club at dinner, Sunday.

Edna Hellar and her Big Sister, Ethel Harris, spent the week-end at Edna's home in Canal Winchester.

Isabel Ruehrmund went to Delaware over the week-end to visit her cousin.

Mildred Lochner spent the week-end at her home in Dayton.

Loretta Melvin spent the week-end with friends in Cincinnati.

Mary Lehman went to her home at Canal Winchester, to spend Friday and Saturday.

The six third floor south-enders of Saum Hall entertained one each of their gentlemen friends, Wednesday night, at an exclusive summer resort along "Alum River Drive."

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## WE HEAR THAT—

Those visiting the Sphinx Club over the week-end were, "Teeter" Adams, '23; "Eddie" Stoltz, '24; Wilbur Coons, '23; "Hoot" Gibson, '23; "Perk" Collier, '23; "Toot" Shaw, ex, and Fred Stevens.

Oron Nichols spent the week-end at his home near Lebanon.

"Jack" Huffer, Howard Minnich and "Dutch" Yochum journeyed to Dayton to see the track meet.

Earl Bender went to his home in Newark to spend the week-end.

Quentin Kintigh and "Al" Mayer bummed to Dayton to see the track meet and spent Sunday at Mayer's home.

Ross Miller and "Fat" Myers spent the week-end at the Otterbein Home, Lebanon.

"Beany" Beelman visited with Cook House friends this week-end.

Norman Trisler, ex, spent Saturday and Sunday with Lakota friends.

"Tim" Newell visited with Cook House friends the first of the week.

Kent Crooks visited with Cook House friends Sunday.

Franklin Young, "Art" Renner, "Rus" Hoover, Earl Hoover and Francis Saul witnessed Otterbein's victory at Dayton Saturday afternoon.

"Shorty" Long and "Kit" Carson

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Bed-time story No. 1.

bummed to Dayton to see the track meet.

Frank Rozelle, ex, of Chicago spent the week-end visiting with friends here.

Philota held its annual banquet, Monday evening, May 3rd, in the U. B. Church parlors. The guests of honor were Dean and Mrs. N. E. Cornet and Prof. and Mrs. J. S. Engle.

Meredith Osborne was forced to leave for his home at Reynoldsburg because of an attack of scarlet fever.

"Bob" Martin, '23, and "Fat" Powell visited Country Club friends over the week-end.

"Lefty" Drexel, ex, visited Country Club Saturday.

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Recount of votes polled for the "Prom Queen" at the University of Indiana showed that the ballot box had been stuffed.

## Christian Endeavor Presents "Everyman" in Church Sunday

The morality play, "Everyman," written about the time of Chaucer, and re-written by Joseph Q. Mayne, '25, for production in modern dress, was presented in the United Brethren church, Sunday night, by members of Section B. Christian Endeavor, assisted by other students of the college.

The pageant sets forth the experiences of Everyman, who, called by Death, seeks someone to accompany him on his terrible journey. Those who promise to go, but turn away when they hear of the perils of the road are Fellowship, Kinsmen, Worldly Riches, Five Senses, Strength, Discretion, and Beauty. Knowledge aids him until Death arrives, but Good Deeds is the only one who accompanies Everyman to the judgement.

The title role was played by Joseph Q. Mayne. Other parts were taken by Dwight Euverard, Zane Wilson, Francis Bechtolt, Duane Harold, Emerson Bragg, Doyle Stuckey, Carl Eschbach, Betty White, Helen Irwin, Sylvia Peden, Elsie Mae Conger, Jean Turner, and Alice Propst.

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## EDITOR AND MANAGER SELECT 1927 STAFF

**Work Will Begin at Once on Next Year's Sibyl. Staff Is Much Interested.**

After careful consideration, Editor Robert Knight, and Business Manager A. O. Barnes, have selected their co-workers for the 1927 Sibyl.

Much interest and enthusiasm is being manifested by the staff. At the first meeting it was decided that work would begin at once and as much accomplished this school year as possible. The editorial staff is as follows:

Assistant Editor, Florence Howard; Athletic Editor, Karl Kumler; Art Editors, Margaret Haney, DeMott Beucler, Mildred Fensler; Faculty Editor, Frances Hinds; Senior Editor, Mary McKenzie; Junior Editor, George Rohrer; Special Feature Editors, Lucile Roberts, Nellie Ambrose, Clyde Bielstein; Activity Editors, Alice Propst, Verda Evans, Marcella Henry; Staff Stenographer, Marguerite Banner.

The business staff is as follows:

Assistant Business Manager, Ernie Reigle; Advertising Manager, George Griggs; Assistant Advertising Managers, Ross Miller, Howard Minnich, Margaret Kumler; Treasurer, Louie Norris; Assistant Treasurer, Ferron Troxel; Circulation Manager, Waldo Keck; Assistant Circulation Managers, Cloyd Marshall, Adelaide Pottenger, Craig Wales, Viola Peden.

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## PROFESSOR L. M. HOERNER TO ATTEND HOME EC MEET

Professor L. May Hoerner, head of the Department of Home Economics, will attend the nineteenth annual meeting of the American Home Economics Association June 28 to July 2 at Minneapolis.

Dr. Anna Phelan of the University of Minnesota, will be hostess to Professor Hoerner during her entire stay in Minneapolis, which she will prolong beyond the time of the convention.

The American Home Economics Association, following the example of the British Association for the Advancement of Science, has planned two evening meetings to attract the interest of the public. Minneapolis advertises many advantages, natural, social, and commercial for such a meeting as that of the Home Economics Association.

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## FRANCES HARRIS GIVES GRADUATING RECITAL

An unusually large audience turned out to hear the pianoforte recital Miss Frances Harris presented last Wednesday evening in Lambert Hall.

This recital is an excellent sample of the splendid work Miss Harris is doing in the Music Department. It included several extremely difficult selections which gave her an opportunity to display her perfection of technique and sympathy of interpretation.

## Mrs. Harmon Visits.

Mrs. L. B. Harmon (nee Gertrude Seaman) visited on the campus last week-end. Mrs. Harmon will attend the summer session of University of Chicago where Mr. Harmon is now going to school.

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## SOPHS BANQUET SENIORS IN U. B. CHURCH TUESDAY

**Only Eighty Students Attend Annual Class Feed. Was Formal Affair.**

The Sophomores entertained the Seniors at a formal banquet Tuesday evening in the parlors of the United Brethren Church. About eighty students enjoyed the affair staged amid alluring decoration, striking orchestral music, soft candle lights, and satisfying quantities of daintily prepared food. The six faculty guests included President and Mrs. Clippinger, Miss Hoerner, Miss Taylor, and Prof. and Mrs. McCloy.

Louie Norris, the toastmaster of the occasion, was introduced by Waldo Keck. Robert Knight, president of the Sophomore Class, gave the welcome, to which the president of the Senior Class, Carl Stair, responded. "Sports," and "Happless Happenings" were the subjects selected by Adelaide Pottenger and Ferron Troxel for their toasts. Alice Propst gave a reading entitled, "Sockery Joins the Lodge." A "heavy" instrumental duet was played by Jack Zimmerman and George Rohrer. John Hudock favored the guests by singing a solo, "Eleanor."

The seven speakers on the extemporaneous program were: President Clippinger, Miss Hoerner, Miss Taylor, Professor McCloy, Viola Peden, Carroll Widdoes, and Craig Wales.

A wide variety of selections ranging from classical to popular were played by the orchestra under the direction of Prof. A. R. Spessard.

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'24. We have just received a little news from Ralph E. Gillman, coach and teacher at Gallitzin, Pennsylvania.

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## SENIORS TAKE VACATION

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necks almost to the breaking point in an effort to find out what was about to happen. Was a Biblical scene about to be re-enacted? Was a cavalcade of pilgrims marching about the Chapel seven times, blowing vociferously on trumpets? All listened attentively for the crash of the proverbial pitchers. But no—the Chapel doors are flung back off their hinges and two dignified gentlemen in top hats and spike tail coats (probably a personification of the Spirit of Otterbein) ushered into view two lines of —!! my imagination fails me. The girls, in frills and hair ribbons, and enjoying lollypops, seemed ready for a lawn fete, while the fellows looked like a remnant of Coxey's Army.

Pandemonium reigned—and during its reign, one energetic being (General Coxey presumably) leaped gracefully to the platform and began reading in thrilling accents a proclamation of freedom to the class of '26. Wild, ungovernable, spontaneous, and bubbling youth greeted in stirring shouts his slightest words.

In dramatic word and gesture he named and rightly named them "tramps and trampesses." The intonation of the words "No one else has honored us, so we honor ourselves"

seemed to carry a special meaning. In glowing pictures he presented the lure of the open road, the untrammelled meadows and the unsullied brooks. As a bride throwing her bouquet he threw clusters of flowers from a beautiful basket (previously presented) to his bohemian brethren. With exultant shouts the pleasure seeking crowd accepted his challenge and as Hannibal crossing the Alps he led his followers to freedom.

N. B. We'd like to know where certain members of the Faculty developed their poker faces.

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