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# The Tan and Cardinal

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## TRACK SCHEDULE IS ANNOUNCED

Manager Kline Has Meets Arranged With Denison and St. Marys.

### THREE LETTER MEN OUT.

Many Have Signed Up for Track and Are Working Out Under Coach Watts.

With the coming of spring it is not surprising that one tires of his long winter's confinement, and grows eager to give expression to his enlivened spirits in some form of out-door athletics. Track, baseball and tennis all have their appeal, but since there will be no baseball season this year, and the varsity tennis courts are still a little Utopian, most of the interest is centered upon track.

At present only two meets have been scheduled, one with Denison on April 20th, and one with St. Mary's on May 25th, both of them away. Arrangements are now under way to schedule meets with several other Ohio colleges, with one or two of them at home. There is also a possibility of a trip to western Pennsylvania.

So far the work has only been general, but this week Coach Watts intends to start the men working on the events in which they are most interested, and begin a definite course of training in each event.

Only three letter men from former years are in college, Barnhart, Love and Higelmire. Each of these men have made good records in the past, Barney in running and hurdling, Love in the distance runs, and Higelmire in the weight events. A large number of students have signed up for track, and are out every afternoon trotting across country, and get-

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### Thoburn Kelser Goes To France.

Thoburn Kelser, son of Rev. and Mrs. Milo G. Kelser, expects to leave within a few days for New York to embark for France where he will engage in foreign transportation work of the Red Cross. Rejected from regular army service because of his eyes, young Kelser has since been trying in every possible way to get in some other work whereby he could help his country. The work which he will soon take up will give him intimate knowledge of the ruin wrought by the Huns as he is a member of a motor train that gives first relief to devastated cities and the victims.

### Choir Will Give Easter

Cantata Sunday Evening.

As a fitting close to the revival meetings in progress at the United Brethren church, the choir under Professor Spessard will sing "The Triumph of the Cross" by H. Alexander Matthews, next Sunday evening. The composer of this work is an organist of unusual ability as is shown by the unique way in which he portrays the story of the crucifixion and its results, in the cantata. Unlike most Easter cantatas, "The Triumph of the Cross," dwells more upon the wonders accomplished through the resurrection than upon the mere historical significance of the event.

The musical story is bound together by the solos of the "Narrator", which part is sung by Miss Audrey Nelson. Other solo parts are taken by Mr. Ward and Miss Neva Anderson.

### PRIZES FOR UPPER CLASSMEN

J. Allison Barnes Offers Three Prizes for Best Short Stories—Contest Ends April Fifth.

Through the efforts of J. Allison Barnes there has been established what is known as the Walter Lowrie Barnes Short Story Scholarship open to members of the Junior and Senior classes who have been in attendance at the College for a period of one year previous to the entry in the contest, to demonstrate their ability as story writers, the winners to receive substantial prizes for their efforts.

The importance of this contest cannot be emphasized too strongly. Aside from the excellent training that is to be derived from such a contest there are three very substantial prizes given to the winners. These prizes are made possible by Mr. Barnes and amount to a total of seventy dollars, given to the successful writers in sums of forty, twenty, and ten dollars each. The rules of the contest state that each story must be based upon some established fact in American history. These stories must be original and of such a character that the historical fact will not be lost entirely. Also they are to contain not less than 6000 words and not more than 15,000.

Unusual interest has been shown in the contest this year as is evidenced by the number and ability of students

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### High School Wins Debate.

The High School debaters, who have been coached by Roscoe Brentlinger, met the team from Canal Winchester Friday night and defeated them. The question was on the government control of railroads.

## SOPH FIVE WINS CHAMPIONSHIP

Class of 1920 Takes Inter Class Basketball Championship for Second Time.

### YEARLINGS ARE OUTCLASSED

Girls Put on Exhibition Game As Preliminary to Boys' Game —Blues Win.

Basketball fans around Otterbein witnessed the last exhibition of the season Saturday evening when the Sophs and Freshmen played for class championship of the college. The game was fast and full of pep and surprisingly clean for a class game. Only seven fouls were called during the game. The bout was an easy walk-away for the Sophs and secured for them the inter-class championship for the season. This speaks well for the basket-ball ability of the class of 1920 and they stand undisputed champions of the school, having also won the class championship of last year.

The result of the game was no discredit to the Freshmen inasmuch as four of the Sophomores were varsity men. Both teams showed good passing and team work and gave the basket-ball enthusiasts a good exhibition in the closing game of the season.

Fox and Miller were high scorers for the Sophs. Miller made eight baskets and Fox secured eighteen baskets and two free throws. Waggoner and Windom starred for the Freshmen and each secured three baskets.

Sophs (58)		Freshies (15)
Meyers	R. F.	Wagoner
Miller	L. F.	Moore
Fox	C.	Bancroft
Smith	R. G.	Windom
Hayes	L. G.	Cornet

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### Red Cross Sends Old Clothing.

Professor Rosselot this morning presented a phase of the Red Cross work that up to this time has had little emphasis. The American Red Cross will send twenty thousand tons of old clothing over seas for the relief of Belgian sufferers. Students living among townspeople may leave such articles as they see fit to spare with their landlady that they may be collected Tuesday or Wednesday.

Any article from pajamas to kid gloves will be accepted. Of course, you should see to it that the socks you send are not so "holey" as not to be recognizable as socks.

### Ohio State and Otterbein

Girls to Stage Debate Here

Sometime near the middle of April there will be staged in the College Chapel a debate between the girls of the Delphic Literary Society of Ohio State University and the girls' team of Otterbein College, upon the question: Resolved: That an international police force should be formed after the war for the purpose of maintaining peace. The girls representing the State University will argue for the negative side of the question while the Tan and Cardinal girls will uphold the affirmative.

The tryouts for places on the home team will be held next Wednesday at 2:00 p. m. In order to make this a success and an event of which Otterbein will be proud every girl that can must come out and try for a place.

### FRENCH PLAY TO BE GIVEN.

Third-year Students Under the direction of Prof. Rosselot Will

Give Three Plays.

On Saturday evening, March 23rd, Professor and Mrs. A. P. Rosselot will present the students of the third year French class in a group of three delightful plays by Marguerite Dupres, "Les Amies du Petit Chaperon rouge", the familiar story of Little Red Riding Hood, "Pauvre Sylvie", a servant girl whose vanity leads her into serious difficulties, and "La Princesse Emeraude", a beautiful princess for whose love a wicked and a good prince contend.

The following characters compose the caste:

**Les Amies Du Petit Chaperon Rouge.**

Le Petit Chaperon rouge, 9 ans—

Miss Grace Armentrout.

Madeleine, 12 ans—Miss Agnes Wright.

Jeanne, 12 ans—Miss Neva Anderson.

Marie, 14 ans—Miss Helen Keller.

Marguerite, 14 ans, amies de Petit—Miss Mary Tinstman.

Louise, 12 ans, Chaperon rouge—Miss Anna Dew.

Suzon, 12 ans—Miss Jessie Weir.

Berthe, 12 ans—Miss Vida Wilhelm.

Le Mere du Petit Chaperon rouge,

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### Dayton People to Feast.

Dayton Otterbeinites are enthusiastic about the Otterbein campaign and are boosting it to the limit. During the Easter vacation an Otterbein reunion and banquet is to be held. Dayton students who are home at the time will participate in the event.



## LIFE IN FRANCE DESCRIBED

## Durrant Writes Parents That He Is Now Engaged in the Actual Struggle.

A letter from Rollin Durrant received by his parents last week informed them that his company was just ready to pull out for active trench service and that the letter would be the last they would receive until they were relieved for a rest.

Letters received by his parents during the past few months are of unusual interest and excerpts from some of them follow:

Under date of January 25 he writes: "It has been good March and April weather here for two weeks. Not near all the Christmas mail has arrived yet so it is still Christmas season for us."

In answer to a letter in which his mother wrote that she wanted to have some of the Barracks soldiers out for dinner, Rollin wrote:

"Remember that you owe it to them, for the French people, who as a whole are too poor to give us anything, do everything for us they can. One night we stopped in a comparatively large city during the coldest weather and the women with whom we stayed, although too poor to have a fire to keep warm with, and ice on the windows a quarter of an inch thick, made a little broth for my bunk mate, and greased his chest with some salve."

In another letter he writes of the conservation measures practiced in France by all the people: "The French people don't use any cream in their coffee, use sugar only in coffee. The men don't eat sweet things at all and the women very little. Most of the people eat boiled pork and vegetables, but they make common cabbage, carrots and turnips taste as good two meals a day and every day in the week, as our variety. In December they didn't get any sugar, in January one-half pound each and in February one pound each."

About Christmas time he wrote concerning several interesting French customs: "An old woman about seventy-five years old lives where we are now staying and she does as much work as a man. She is scrubbing the stone floor now. I guess they must clean up for the year on Christmas for they have scrubbed everything in sight. The old man shaved this morning for once and now the old lady is scrubbing the table, which by the way never sees a table cloth. In most all homes they have only one fire which is an open fire place and on which they do all the cooking. The young lady does most of the cooking and the old lady washes up and does the milking. She washes her dishes in a kettle on the floor and sets the dishes out on the floor to drain."

Some of the difficulties which they are forced to overcome are mentioned in one of the letters: "I have learned now to eat an entire meal with a pocket knife, wear wooden shoes and get along pretty well with French people."

## MUSICIANS WILL APPEAR

## Last Number of Lecture Course Will Bring Musical Guardsmen to College Chapel.

Appearing as the last number on the Lecture Course, the Musical Guardsmen will put on a musical program in the college chapel Monday evening March 25. This organization is composed of six young men who play, sing and act. Their program is of a popular nature and widely varied. These remarkable young men, who stand very high among the Redpath entertainers, form a novelty orchestra and sing glee and solo numbers.

The Lecture Course this year has been under the direction of a committee of citizens working with representatives of the Christian Associations. Although the course has not had the support that it has merited it has been satisfactorily received by the regular attendants. A special effort will be made to fill the chapel for this last number.

## SOPH FIVE WINS

## CHAMPIONSHIP

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Substitutions—Sanders for Cornet. Field goals—Miller 8, Fox 18, Smith 1, Windom 3, Moore 1, Wagoner 3. Free-throws—Fox 2, Wagoner 1. Referee—Brown. Timer—Grabill. Scorer—Hitt.

Prior to the boys' championship game two picked teams of girls played a very interesting and entertaining game. Of course the scoring in this game was not so rapid as in the game which followed, but the players seemed to enjoy it just as well. The teams were known as the Blues and the Whites. For the greater part of the game it looked as though the Blues were going to hold the Whites scoreless but in last half Burtner secured a clever basket and saved the honor of the Whites.

Sebert was the high scorer for the Blues, securing both their baskets. Burtner starred for the Whites.

Blues (4)		Whites (2)	
Sebert	R. F.	Rayot	
McMachin	L. F.	Burtner	
Deitsch	C.	Foor	
Elsea	R. G.	Tinstman	
Campbell	L. G.	Hooper	
Field goals—Sebert 2, Burtner 1.			
Referee—Brown.			
Timer—Grabill.			
Scorer—Hitt.			

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ting their muscles hardened and in condition.

With the three old men as a nucleus, and with so many new fellows trying to show their stuff, Coach expects to be able to develop in a few weeks a team which will make a good showing in the meets and ably represent old Otterbein.

Boost the campaign!

## FRENCH PLAY TO BE GIVEN.

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30 ans—Miss Goldie Morgan.  
La Voisine, 60 ans—Miss Neva Priest.

Mere-Grande, 70 ans—Miss Cleo Coppock.

Le Loup—Norris W. Grabill.

## Pauvre Sylvie.

Sylvie, femme de chambre, 22 ans—Miss Neva Anderson.

Madame Darcourt, 40 ans—Miss Helen Bovee.

Cecile Darcourt, 20 ans—Miss Anna Dew.

Maria, ouisiniere, 50 ans—Miss Cleo Coppock.

Pierre, domestique, 17 ans—Thomas V. Bancroft.

Jeanne, couturiere, 18 ans—Miss Lois Niebel.

Miss Nancy, 40 ans—Miss Jessie Weir.

La Marchande de Gateaux, 40 ans—Miss Audrey Nelson.

Le Vendeur de Journaux, 12 ans—Lisle Roose.

Le Commis Voyageur—Roscoe Brentlinger.

## La Princesse Emeraude.

La Princesse Emeraude, 20 ans—Miss Lenore Rayot.

Le Prince Noir, 35 ans—Robert E. Kline.

Le Prince Saphir, 20 ans—Isaac M. Ward.

La Fee—Miss Rena Rayot.

Mephisto—Frank M. Barnum.

Maitresse Rosalie, la fermiere, 35 ans—Miss Audrey Nelson.

Mion, 15 ans—Miss Lois Niebel.

Premier Soldat—Roscoe Brentlinger.

Second Soldat—Lisle Roose.

Isaure—Miss Helen Bovee.

Aliette—Miss Neva Priest.

Marguerite—Miss Cleo Coppock.

Jeannette, filles d'honneur, de 14 a 17 ans—Miss Mary Tinstman.

Gothon—Miss Helen Keller.

Monique—Miss Vida Wilhelm.

Miette—Miss Neva Anderson.

Suzette—Miss Agnes Wright.

Le Page du prince Saphir, 17 ans—Norris W. Grabill.

Between the plays Miss Nelson and Mr. Ward will sing, and at the close a quartet, composed of Miss Anderson, Miss Nelson, Mr. Ward and Mr. Kline, will sing the French national anthem, "La Marseillaise". Music will be furnished at intervals by the college orchestra.

At the beginning of each play Professor Rosselot will give a brief interpretation of the act, thus enabling everyone to understand the plays, by following the actions and gestures of the players. The plays are typically French, being essentially the same as those presented today in the theaters of Paris. They are the first of their kind to be presented for a number of years, and merit the support of the entire student body. The performance will begin at 8:00 p. m. There will be no charge for admission.

The praises of others may be of use in teaching us, not what we are, but what we ought to be.

—Hare.

## REVIVAL IS MARKED SUCCESS

## Unusual Interest Shown by Congregation and Prospects are Bright for Awakening.

It is remarked on every hand that the meetings in progress at the United Brethren church are the best that have been held in that church in many years. There seems to be on foot a deep going work of grace. There is much serious thought and many people are giving expression to a renewal and deepening of their own religious life as well as a number who have definitely reconsecrated themselves to Christ and his work.

The crowds have been unusually good. Especially have the students gotten back of the meetings in an unusual way. They have done all they could to clear the way for the meetings and have shown a genuine interest in the welfare of the college.

The music has been exceptionally inspiring. There is a large chorus choir that fills the choir's seats and sometimes requires that other chairs be placed for the choir. Prof. Grabill has been at the organ and Prof. Spessard has directed the choir. The college orchestra, with Miss Wright at the piano, has also accompanied the choir.

## PRIZES FOR UPPER CLASSES

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who have already entered. Those who have handed in their names as contestants are Misses Helen Bovee, Lois Adams and Grace Armentrout, and Messrs. R. P. Mase, R. E. Kline, and E. L. Barnhart. Some more entrants are wanted and any who are anticipating entering this phase of work are asked to see Professor Altman. There is no time for delay as the contest closes April 5, 1918.

## Y. W. C. A.

Marie Billman in leading Y. W. C. A. told the beautiful story of Esther, the good Jewish queen, whose life contains so many beautiful lessons for modern times.

First of all, Esther had a firm faith in God which supported her and helped her through the crises in her life; she was intensely patriotic and loyal to her own people, for instead of forgetting them, when she became queen in a foreign land, she risked her life to rescue them from danger.

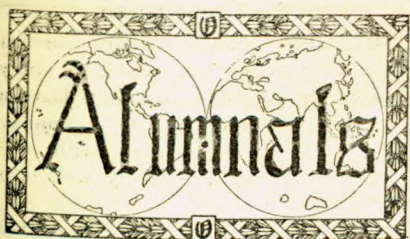
Today we think ourselves practically secure from the danger and suffering that fills the world, and are not preparing ourselves to meet great crises, such as Esther had to meet.

The meeting was for the freshmen especially and the majority of those present took part in the discussion.

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## WHAT OTHERS ARE DOING

Professor Wm. Hutchins of Oberlin has compiled a "Code of Morals" consisting of two parts; one for elementary school children, and the other for high school boys and girls. The "Code" was brought out in a contest conducted under the National Institution for Normal Instruction, and won a \$5000 prize for the author.

The students of the University of Minnesota have formed a Russian Club, the purpose of which is to promote the cultural and social welfare of the Russian students, and to show the outside world that there is much worth while in the Russian language and literature.

Miami—It is now an assured fact that men will not be dismissed this spring for farm and factory labor, according to a statement made by President Hughes.

In order, however, to obtain some of the desirable effects of an early dismissal of those men who would be liable to enter some much needed form of industry as soon as college closes, the Board of Trustees is now contemplating the possibilities of suspending the usual spring vacation in order that the second semester may close one week earlier than in previous years.

Every girl in the University of Oklahoma is writing to at least two soldier boys just to help them pass their lonesome hours.

Wittenberg—Two freshmen were separately, rudely accosted and robbed by daring street robbers near the close of day, in sight of the College buildings.

By defeating Denison and Kenyon during the past week, Miami secured a firm hold on the basketball championship of the Ohio Conference, being the only quintet in the titular race that went through the entire season undefeated.

According to figures compiled by a Boston newspaper, the number of men and women attending college this year is 10,964 less than last year. Eighteen colleges have discontinued athletics.

Upon ascertaining that nearly every man in Washington and Jefferson was going into a war industry or on a farm for the summer, or was awaiting call into active service, the faculty voted to close the Collegiate year two weeks earlier than planned and commencement will be held May 10.

Students of Otterbein have been buying Thrift Stamps. In all stamps amounting to more than \$300 have been purchased, one boarding house taking \$103.

It's only a matter of time until the kaiser will rout the devil from his horny throne and assume it himself, sending old nick to the front line trenches.

'09. Irvin L. Clymer of Chicago, Illinois, was in Westerville on Sunday, the guest of his mother, Mrs. C. A. Sheller and his sister, Miss Mary Clymer, '13.

'98. Mrs. T. G. McFadden (Lonore Good) of Jersey City, New Jersey, is visiting her mother and sister in Cleveland, Ohio.

'08. Raymond D. Bennett who is principal of the High School in Athens, Ohio, spent Sunday at his home in Westerville.

'16. Frank E. Sanders has resigned his position as principal of the Fairview High School, Dayton Ohio, and has volunteered in the Army. He was made production expert in the Production Engineering Department of the Signal Corps and will have his office in Dayton.

'97. Rev. Charles E. Byer of Springfield, Ohio, former rector of the Church of the Good Shepherd in Columbus, will preach at the Lenten service at that church next Wednesday evening.

'78. At the regular meeting of the Olla Podrida Club in Columbus last Friday, Mrs. W. J. Zuck (Jessie M. Zent) read an interesting paper on "Messianic Prophecy." It was one of three papers on the general theme of prophecy, arranged by the club for their Bible day.

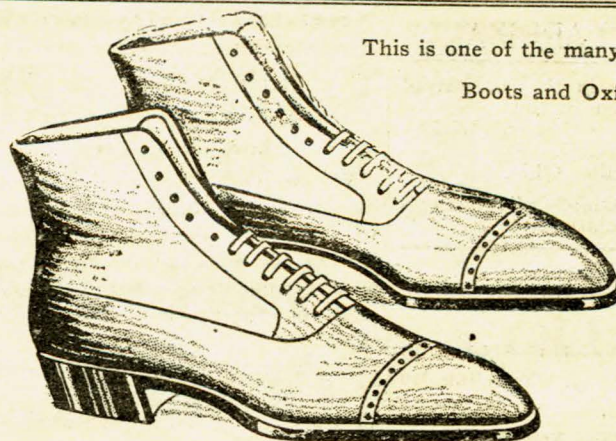
'96. Hon. Jesse E. Eschbach of Warsaw, Indiana, has been selected as the state chairman for Indiana of the the Third Liberty Loan. Mr. Eschbach is speaker of the House of Representatives in his state and has for many years been prominent in political circles.

'11. Rev. Ira D. Warner is having excellent success in his pastorate in Canton, Ohio. On the first Sunday in March there were fourteen hundred present in the Sunday school and fifty-three accessions to the church.

'17. George Sechrist, who has been seriously ill with diphtheritic paralysis at his home in Dayton, is on the road to recovery, according to information from Dayton.

## Otterbein Men Have Strong Teams.

Three of the strongest teams in the Delaware tournament the latter part of the week were coached by former Otterbein men. Wauseon coached by Ivan Sechrist, Piqua by M. A. Ditmer and Westerville by Ray Watts. Westerville and Wauseon were eliminated after hard games but Piqua stands as a favorable candidate for championship honors. In addition to these Otterbein representatives R. F. Martin and "Tink" Sanders were two of the official referees of the contests.



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Let us have faith that right makes  
might, and in that faith let us, to the  
end, dare to do our duty as we under-  
stand it.—Abraham Lincoln.

### What Do You Stand For?

The question: "What do I stand  
for?" is one which has been brought  
into the mind of perhaps every stu-  
dent in Otterbein since the beginning  
of the revival meetings. It is bound  
to present itself as soon as one be-  
gins to take himself seriously. "Do  
I stand for anything, and if I do, is it  
the same thing at all times and under  
all circumstances?" These questions  
demand an answer on the part of  
every individual.

Every person, whether he be con-  
scious of the fact or not stands for  
some few things in the sight of the  
world. It is an undebatable truth  
that every individual exercises some  
influence, great or small, over his sur-  
rounding human beings. Orally he  
may stand in defense of one issue, but  
do his actions verify his words? Out-  
wardly many a man is interested only  
in those things which are unquestion-  
able, yet at heart he is a fiend. All  
of this kind of people are not outside  
the walls of a college, either. Not  
that we would make any personal ac-  
cusations, for we are all of us guilty  
to some degree, but it is too true that  
many persons, college people includ-  
ed, do not in the final analysis, stand  
for those things about which they  
make the most noise. In the end it is  
the real man that counts, and not  
what he may say of himself.

Let's get away from this camou-  
flage of character and be what we are.  
If we stand for anything worth while,  
why not do so under all circum-  
stances?

### Love for the Flag.

We are glad to see on these beauti-  
ful spring mornings that the flag is  
waving over the college campus.  
During the long winter months we  
missed it but now that the weather is  
mild enough that it can be unfurled  
again, we rejoice doubly in the sight  
of it. Was there ever such a flag be-  
fore? To be sure those colors may  
have chanced to fall in somewhat sim-  
ilar combinations before but never un-  
til the day they were used as a sign of  
liberty did they hold the meaning that  
they now convey to every soul that  
loves the right. One can scarcely pass  
in sight of the starry emblem without  
a thrill of patriotism, an uncontroll-  
able feeling of reverence for the prin-  
ciples that the sacred banner stands  
for. May we not all love and revere  
our flag more and more each day of  
our lives!

### Another One On "Our Bit."

If we should be asked the question  
as to what the college is doing in a  
direct way to aid in the prosecution  
of the war, what would we say? Of  
course we would cite the questioner  
to the men on our Honor Roll; then  
to the size of our subscription to the  
"Y" fund. Surely those are wonder-  
ful achievements, but just what has  
the College done in itself?

Last spring compulsory military  
drill was instituted. Bulletins issued  
during the summer gave the impres-  
sion that military drill would be a part  
of the Physical Education program at  
the beginning of the regular school  
year. No such course was begun or  
even offered. A class in First Aid  
was organized early in the year but  
nothing has been heard of it recently.

Occasionally some professor will  
sermonize upon the duties of the stu-  
dent, as regards the war. Such criti-  
cisms of the patriotism of the student  
are apt to be received with little short  
of contempt when there is no visible  
signs of enthusiasm on the part of the  
college administration. The intro-  
duction of some courses that bear di-  
rectly upon the war, as one in Mil-  
itary French for men subject to draft,  
for example, would cause these criti-  
cisms to be received with a better  
spirit.

### Those Who Stay at Home.

The men who cross the sea to fight  
under the American banner in this  
great war for world-freedom have a  
right to expect those of us who re-  
main behind to support them valiant-  
ly. We are reminded daily of the na-  
tion's needs, and a whole hearted re-  
sponse to every demand is essential  
to a successful termination of the war.  
These appeals are not impersonal;  
they are addressed to you and me.  
Not a man, woman or child in Amer-  
ica but is vitally concerned in the is-  
sue, and we are all, in a very true  
sense, factors in the mighty struggle.

When the boys come sailing home  
we want to be able to meet them with

a consciousness that we have failed at  
no point to strengthen and sustain  
them. We shall be grateful to them  
when it is all over; it is our business  
now to establish a firm basis for a re-  
ciprocal gratitude on their part.

The soldier and sailor fights only  
half the battle; we on this side of the  
wide water can not shirk our obliga-  
tion to supply our half of the fighting  
power. Every household, every field  
in America must play its part in this  
struggle.

There must be no heartache in the  
day of peace, no regrets that we  
might have hastened the end by a  
keener realization of our responsibil-  
ities. The thousands over there must  
never question the loyal cooperation  
of the thousands over here.

Meredith Nicholson,  
Indianapolis, Ind.

### A Military Number.

The issue of the Tan and Cardinal  
for next week will be the last for the  
present staff. It is planned to dedi-  
cate this number to the boys who  
have left school to follow the "colors".  
Being a Military Issue we want to  
give as much news concerning the  
boys as is possible. We will also pub-  
lish the Honor Roll again in this is-  
sue. If you have any bit of news  
about one of our soldiers; if you know  
of an address that has been changed  
since January 14; if you have a letter  
from one of the boys that would make  
interesting reading to the students; if  
you know anything at all about any of  
the boys make it known to the staff  
that we may keep each other acquaint-  
ed with the doings of "our" soldiers.

## CLUB TALK

Dear Editor:

An editorial in last week's issue of  
the Tan and Cardinal commented on  
student ethics and mentioned some  
things specifically which are wrong.  
I agree with the spirit of the article  
and think that I have another prac-  
tice to add to the list of objectionable  
ones; that is, the habit of taking  
books out of the library in another  
person's name and allowing a fine to  
accumulate.

Of course, if a fellow is guilty of  
this offense the thing is easily settled  
by going to the man and "boning"  
him for the amount of the fine. In  
most instances he is willing to pay it.  
But what, pray, is a young man to do  
in case a member of the fair sex  
"strings him up" to the tune of forty  
or fifty cents? He can hardly go to  
the girl and demand the money and  
yet he can't help feeling that he has  
not been given a square deal. I sup-  
pose the same thing is true when it  
happens that a gentleman is guilty of  
running up a fine in the name of one  
of the girls. I sincerely hope that  
whoever reads this letter will watch  
out that he or she is not guilty of  
this offense in the future.

Yours truly,

A Victim.

Pat. said to Mike, "You act so  
'd—' loud I can't hear what you talk."

### That Letter Home.

The time passes swiftly for us  
here at college. The week of study  
begins on Monday morning, lasts, a  
day or two, and then it is Sunday  
again. It is the same with the  
year's work, we are hardly well into  
it before it is over.

Back in each of our respective  
"home towns" though it is different.  
The variety of interests we find so  
tempting here is often lacking there.  
To many a mother and father it is  
the letter from the boy or girl at col-  
lege that is the brightest spot in the  
week.

Though we may not realize it when  
we are so busy here they are still in-  
terested in all that we do; our  
achievements, our failures, and our  
good times. That letter home is  
always appreciated and there is noth-  
ing in it which goes unnoticed by  
those who read it.

—Oberlin Review.

### Read The Advertisements.

The Tan and Cardinal calls the at-  
tention of the student body to the  
necessity of patronizing the business  
men who advertise in these columns.  
The Westerville and Columbus busi-  
ness men are spending good money  
to help make the Tan and Cardinal a  
success and naturally they look for  
some returns on their investments.

Undoubtedly the business house-  
who are not running ads this year have  
what they consider good reasons for  
not doing so. But the fact remains  
that they are not advertising, and so  
are not pulling for the college. If  
the students will spend their money  
where it is wanted, the houses that  
are now advertising will realize that  
they will have to run ads regularly to  
get the college trade that they most  
desire.—Business Manager.

### BOOST.

Boost and the world boosts with you,  
Knock and you're on the shelf;  
For the world gets sick of the one  
who'll kick  
And wishes he'd kicked himself.

Boost for your own achievements;  
Boost for the things sublime;  
For the one who is found on the top-  
most round  
Is a booster every time.

Thrift Stamps—Mark them well,  
They'll buy the guns, the shot, the  
Shell  
They'll back the boys—they'll win  
the fight  
They'll make the Kaiser say "Good-  
night!"

If a fool be associated with a wise  
man even all his life, he will perceive  
the truth as little as a spoon perceives  
the taste of soup.—Anon.

Go back to the simple life, be con-  
tented with simple food, simple  
clothes, simple pleasures.

Work hard, pray hard, play hard.  
Work, eat, recreate and sleep. Do it  
all courageously.

We have a victory to win.

—Hoover.



## ASK FOR GIFTS OF BOOKS

## Campaign Being Conducted This Week to Increase Circulating Libraries in Camps.

In keeping with the nation-wide campaign for books for the soldiers and sailors conducted by the American Library Association through the week of the 18th of this month the college will make a drive among the students. The plan is not to raise money for this purpose but to obtain old books from private libraries and collections, for distribution throughout the cantonments and training stations here and abroad.

A recent bulletin of the American Library Association has the following which is timely in this connection:

We have not forgotten that our men who are going to war are human beings. We do not want them to be entirely without home-like influences. The Library War Service of the American Library Association has erected camp libraries at 34 training camps, has furnished trained library service and is circulating books throughout the camps by means of branch libraries in Y. M. C. A. and K. of C. huts and Y. W. C. A. hostess houses. Its service is also extending to naval bases and ships, and dispatch offices are maintained at important embarkation ports. Books are put on transports for use of the men on the voyage and are taken off at the end of the voyage and turned over to the Y. M. C. A. and K. of C. secretaries, to chaplain and Red Cross units for further circulation among the men "over there."

Several hundred thousand books have been placed in libraries by gift or purchase. As the army increases more books are needed. For every man in the service there should be a book in service all the time. A big nation-wide book drive is to be conducted during the week of March 18, and every person is invited to contribute books from his private collection to be sent to our soldiers and sailors. Books taken to the college library marked "Library War Service," will be welcomed.

## Ben Hanby Praised.

Otterbein was mentioned in the Literary Digest of March in connection with the article on Benjamin Hanby. The story told of the writing of "Darling Nellie Gray" and how Westerville was a station on the underground railway. The article also mentioned the fact that Hanby was at the time a student in Otterbein College. According to a statement, in the article, from Mrs. Hanby the song was written at his home he being inspired by the horrible stories of separation in the South.

There once was a soldier quite thin,  
Whose tongue hung away from his chin,  
When asked what was wrong,  
He gulped loud and long,  
And said he was just mustard in.  
—Widow.

## COCHRAN NOTES

The girls of Cochran Hall are busy knitting squares for a Red Cross Comfort. The committee of inspection was appointed by Dean McFadden. They are Florence Reese, Elizabeth Richards and Ida Kittle.

Ruth Conley who has been at her home in Johnstown, Pa. for a few weeks returned Monday.

Miss Lue Davis of Sugar Grove, Pa., was Kathryn Warner's guest at the Hall for Thursday dinner.

Ask Edna Hooper what Otterbein has done for her.

The girls of each class are organized into groups and hold prayer meetings every evening in the different rooms.

Gladys Howard was a guest Saturday evening at the Lutz-Blaker wedding and reception at the Franklin Park church in Columbus.

Friday evening little Margaret and Edwin Burtner and Charlotte Clipping were guests of Virginia Burtner and Helen Ensor at dinner.

Dean McFadden is nursing a badly poisoned arm caused by adhesive plaster.

Alice Hall was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Sanders, '12, of Columbus, Saturday and Sunday.

Miss Mabel Young of Forrest, Ohio, is visiting Marie. They spent the week-end in Chillicothe.

Wilma Woodard of Willard, O., was Lois Clark's guest for several days last week.

Gladys Lake, Rena Rayot, and Alice Ressler were hostesses at a St. Patrick's Day party in the sewing room Saturday evening. The guests were Messrs. Lyle Michael, Ray Harmelink and Roscoe Brentlinger.

The dinner guests at the Hall Sunday were Mrs. Coblenz. Miss Josephine Threewits of Westerville, Miss Gertrude Young of Forrest, Ohio; Stanton W. B. Wood of Chillicothe; O. W. Mourer of Columbus Barracks; G. E. Sipe, E. L. Doty, and E. R. Hayes of Westerville.

Word comes, as we go to press, that Florence Loar has succumbed to the measles. The report does not state, however, how she was exposed to them.

## Married Three Birds.

The wife of a Methodist minister in West Virginia has been married three times. Her maiden name was Partridge, her first husband was named Robins, her second husband Sparrow and the present Quail. There are two young Robins, one Sparrow and three Quails in the family. One grandfather was a Swan and another was a Jay, but he's dead now and a bird of Paradise. They live on Hawk avenue, Eagleville, Canary Islands, and the fellow who wrote this is a Lyre and a member of the family.

—Valley Enterprise.

Boost the campaign!

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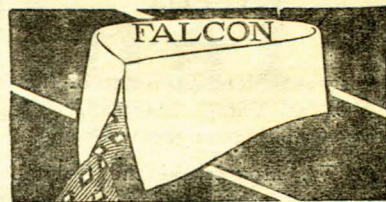
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## LOCALS.

Sergeant Glenn O. Ream of the O. T. C. at Camp Sherman, visited Mary Griffith over the week-end.

O. W. Mourer, of the Columbus Barracks, spent Sunday in Westerville.

"Bill" Vance spent the week-end at his home in Greenville.

Corp. "Al" Elliott, of Camp Sherman, was a visitor in Westerville Sunday.

The Bailey Club, of long standing in Otterbein, has changed to the Bishop Club. Baileys, who are moving to W. Park street, do not expect to keep roomers or boarders any more.

Lieut. Mertz, of Camp Sherman, was in town Sunday evening.

"Bobbie, did you know I was going to marry your sister?"

"Sure, before you did!"

Mark Funk was called to his home at Johnstown, Pa. last week on account of the death of his brother.

Prof. Fritz went to Wooster Friday to judge a debate between Allegheny and Wooster.

Katherine Warner—(in lab) "My ambition is to be the largest lady farmer in the world."

Sergeant Clark Weaver, of Camp Sherman was a week-end visitor in Westerville.

H. R. Brentlinger's brother, Willard, from Dayton visited him Thursday evening and Sunday.

"Cocky" Wood of the Officer's Training Camp, of Camp Sherman, spent Saturday and Sunday in Westerville.

George Darfis, of Pleasantville, Ohio, spent a part of Sunday afternoon with Florence Loar.

Cupid has shot another arrow toward the Dutch House. It seems to have taken effect.

Corporal Lloyd Herwick of Camp Sherman was the guest of his cousin, Vera Stair, Sunday.

"Ah want a day off, Boss, to look for a job for my wife."

"Will you be back tomorrow?"

"Yas, ef she don' git it."

Early Sunday morning several guests had breakfast at the "Metzgar Cafe."

Floyd Seelig, of the Columbus Barracks, visited Andrey Nelson and Densel Hall Sunday.

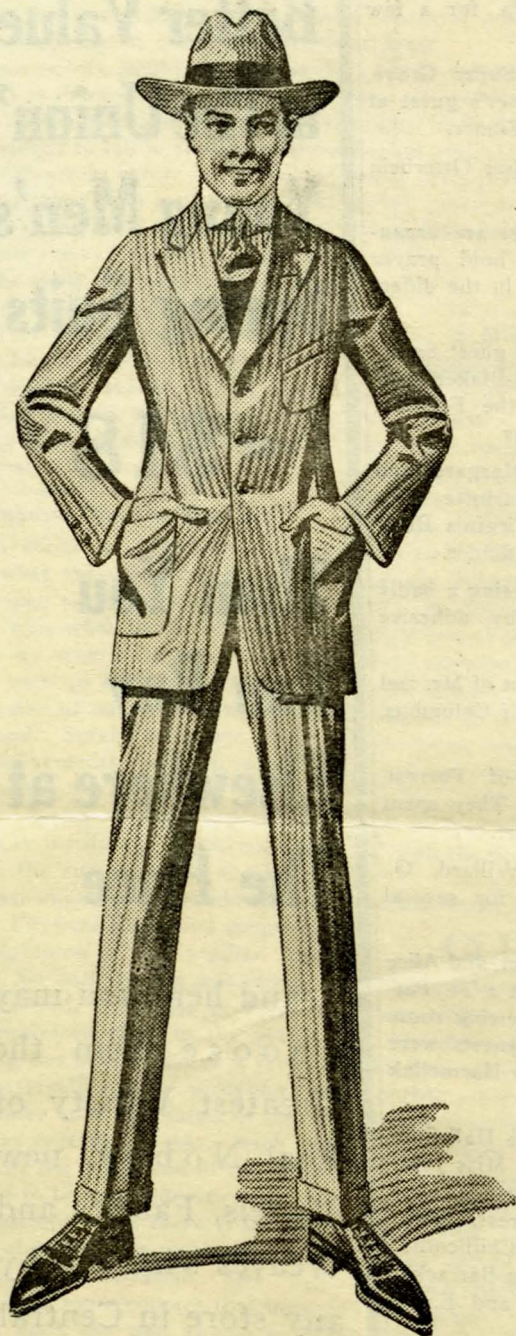
Did you ever see such weather?

We've heard several folks, whose home address is Dayton, crowing over Steele High's success in winning the State Basket Ball championship in the tournament at Delaware.

Rillmond Schear, of Camp Sheridan, Montgomery, Ala. arrived in Westerville Monday afternoon.

An' the measles'll get **you** if you don't watch out!

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# KIBLER CLOTHES

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\$18.50 and \$22.50

President Clippinger arrived home this morning from a trip through Erie Conference. He spent Sunday in Buffalo.

Miss Hazel Montgomery visited Mrs. Chalmers Potts a part of last week.

"Why did the whale give up Jonas?"

"I suppose the fish was trying to help Hoover."

### WESTERVILLE IN DRIVE

Westerville is being organized for the local canvass for contributions to the \$400,000 endowment drive, now being advanced by Otterbein College. A general committee met at the Board of Trade rooms Tuesday evening for the purpose of districting the town and appointing workers. George L. Stoughton is chairman of the general committee and Roscoe

H. Brane is secretary. Other members are Frank Bookman, C. E. Waxbom, Dr. Chas. Snavely, F. N. Thomas, R. W. Smith, B. P. Doty, E. H. Cherrington and H. Griffith.

Rastus, reading inscription on tombstone: "Here lies a lawyer and an honest man."

Rastus: "H'm—m, mighty small grave for two men."