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# Wooster Voice

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## BARKLEY SPEAKS THURSDAY

### Democrats Seek New Members

### Institute And Young Democrats Sponsor Senator's Speech On Youth In Politics

The Young Democrats will climax their national membership campaign for the 1954-55 school term with Senator Barkley's speech this Thursday. A new feature, affiliate membership cards, will allow the holder to enjoy membership in the Young Democrats even though he is already a member of the Young Republican Club. Membership cards will be on sale starting Tuesday, November 9, and will continue to be sold throughout the year by precinct captains.

The precinct captains are: Holden Annex, Joyce Apple; Korner Klub, Shirley Falteich; Hoover Cottage, Ann Hartness; Scott Cottage, Pru Bacon; Douglass Hall, Jerry Carlisle, Virg Musser; Miller Manor, Donna Musser; Holden Hall, Nancy Orahoad; Westminister Cottage, Pat Campbell; Babcock Hall, Barbara Ghormley; Andrews Hall, Bill Swartz; Second Section, Blake Moore; Third Section, Dick Callendar; Fourth Section, Chuck Kinzie; Sixth Section, Ellis List; Seventh Section, Milt Khoobyarian, and Eighth Section, Dan Collins.

Joe H. Bindley, Director of the Institute of Politics, has just announced that the Honorable Alben W. Barkley, who was recently elected to the United States Senate from Kentucky, has accepted a speaking engagement with the Institute at the College of Wooster. The meeting will be held in the college chapel at 8:30 p.m. on Thursday, November 11, 1954. The doors of the chapel will open at 8:00 p.m. and the public is invited to attend.

At Wooster Mr. Barkley will emphasize the importance of youth in political organizations.

**YD's Renew Drive**  
Co-sponsor with the Institute for this event is the Young Democrat Club, who will launch a renewed effort for a membership drive in connection with his appearance. "Seats at the Chapel will be reserved for Young Democrats," said Virg Musser, Young Democrat president today.

Following the speech the Young Democrats will have an opportunity to meet Mr. Barkley at a reception at Babcock Hall.

Mr. Barkley is best remembered as the "Veep", a nickname he received following his election as vice-president in 1948. His recent election to the Senate, returns him to that body after an absence of

two years. Mr. Barkley was first elected to the United States Senate from Kentucky in 1927, and was re-elected three times. In 1937 he became majority leader of the Senate, a position which he held until 1947, when the Republican victory changed the status to that of minority leader. In 1948 he made the keynote address at the Democratic Convention in Philadelphia and secured the nomination for the vice-presidency.

#### Born in Kentucky

Mr. Barkley was born in Graves County, Kentucky on Nov. 24, 1877. He graduated from Marvin College in Clinton, Kentucky, and completed his legal education at the University of Virginia Law School.

Most of Mr. Barkley's life has  
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## Political Clubs Assisted By Grant; Students Encouraged To Participate

The Institute of Politics has just announced some of the programs and operations of the Institute for the current school year.

A major emphasis of the Institute's program will be in the direction of fostering the activities of both the Young Republican and Young Democrat Clubs on the campus. Since the purpose of the Falk Foundation grant, which supports the Institute program, is to encourage more interest and participation by college students within the party of their particular choice, the emphasis upon assistance to the programs of the

two political clubs is obvious. Institute assistance includes planning programs and securing speakers, conducting receptions for prominent guests, cooperating in the transportation of club members or officers to other important political meetings in the Wooster vicinity, and interesting local, state and national political figures

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her career.

*Tickets for the Buddy Morrow jazz band concert will go on sale Monday in the Student Senate Room. The concert is scheduled for December 3. The price will be \$1.25. Information on the band will be posted on the Senate Room bulletin board.*

## Small Frosh Dorms Give Dance Tonight

This evening, from 9 to 12, Lower Babcock will be the scene of the Bowman-Miller-Westminster formal. The theme, "Rhapsody in Blue," will be carried out by a motif of notes and other musical symbols in the color scheme of blue, black, and white. The dance music will be provided by Bill Chapman and his band.

An auction was held Saturday, October 30, for the purpose of raising funds for the dance. Janet Smith, from Westminster, who was chairman of the sale, reports that the function's success surpassed all expectations.

#### Pennock Named Chairman

The chairman of the formal event is Judy Pennock from Miller Manor. Chairmen of the decoration, refreshment, and entertainment committees are Nancy Calderwood, Mary McKay, and Janet Meesing, respectively. Those who are joining forces to present the occasion are the residents of Bowman Hall, Miller Manor, and Westminster Cottage, and the freshmen women of Babcock Hall. The dance will be open only to the girls of these dorms and their dates. Late permissions of 12:30 will be given to those girls attending.

## Miss Winnifred Wygal Will Speak

Upper Holden Dining Room has been reserved for the YWCA Centennial Banquet which will take place on November 17 at 6:15 p.m. Miss Winnifred Wygal, writer, speaker, and former Secretary of Religion for the National Student YW, will be the after-dinner speaker. Her talk is entitled, "Why We Do Not Dread Birthdays."

Attending the dinner will be 132 girls who will celebrate the 100th anniversary of the founding of the first YWCA in the world. Letters have been sent to former members of the Advisory Board, and to former presidents of the Wooster YW, inviting them to the dinner and informing them of the centennial celebration. Cynthia Kimber, as president of the YWCA this year, will act as mistress-of-ceremonies for the dinner. The decorations, menu, and program will emphasize the birthday party theme.

#### Centennial Committee

Chairmen of the Centennial Committee are Barbara Persons and Peggy Sessions. Student members of it are Dorothy Anderson, Sally Griffith, Joy Hatfield, Marilyn Roth, and Beverly Tresise. Advisers to the committee are Mrs. Iver Yeager and Miss Charlotte Townsend.

Arrangements have been made so that girls who were unable to get meal tickets because of the limited accommodations, can come at 6:45 p.m. for the birthday celebration and for the main program.

Miss Wygal will also speak in chapel on Wednesday morning, November 17. An alumna of Drury College, she did graduate work at Columbia University, Union Theological Seminary, University of Chicago, and Queens College, Oxford. Her travels have taken her to Japan, China, India, Palestine, and Europe, as well as all over North America.

## Senate Continues Two-Day Chapels

The Student Senate unanimously decided Monday night to have more split chapels. A motion was passed which stated that the Senate should sponsor more social topics during these chapels.

The results of the questionnaires handed out during the split chapels were also announced. On the first question, which asked if the discussion stimulated the students' thoughts concerning the issues presented, the results were (Nov. 3) yes-201, no-25; (Nov. 4) yes-147, no-12. The results concerning the second question, which asked if the students felt that these (split chapels) were an effective method of making student opinion known, were: (Nov. 3) yes-195, no-18; (Nov. 4) yes-144, no-8.

*"The Story of Will Rogers" will be shown twice tonight in Scott Auditorium. This Senate-sponsored movie features Will Rogers, Jr. in the role of his father, the home-spun philosopher. The first showing will begin immediately after the pep rally.*

The third question, which asked if the students were in favor of having divided chapel in the future, had the following results: (Nov. 3) yes-200, no-13; (Nov. 4) yes-170, no-5. The last question asked the students which of  
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Food Service saves \$.30 per person on the monthly meal of soup, crackers, and milk. These savings are collected and divided among the projects.

## Dad's Day Addition Causes Enthusiasm

A new addition to the Dad's Day events received an encouraging start last Saturday when approximately 60 parents gathered in Lower Galpin for a period of discussion with the President, Deans, and members of the faculty. Earlier in the morning, the faculty members were in their offices so that students could bring their dads to meet and talk to them individually. Introduced by Dad's Day chairman, Phil Eaton, with the purpose of giving parents and faculty an opportunity to get better acquainted, the idea received enthusiastic comments from many who were present at both the conferences and the discussion.

#### Lowry Opens Discussion

President Lowry opened the discussion period with a brief talk in which he outlined the college program and mentioned current studies of it. The remainder of the time was devoted to questions from the parents, which were answered by a panel composed of President Lowry, Dean Grady, Dean Golder, Dean Young, and Mr. Peyton.

Two questions raised were as follows: "What is a liberal arts college?" and "What are the prevailing occupations of the men and women who graduate from Wooster?" Mr. Peyton answered the first by stating that a liberal arts college attempts to broaden the knowledge and to enrich the life of the student through the framework of method and con-  
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International Affairs survey of which he has accomplished in collaboration with his wife. In this connection, both Dr. and Mrs. Toynbee contributed to the five volumes of the History of War series. However,

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## 151 Scots Donate In Blood Drive For Red Cross

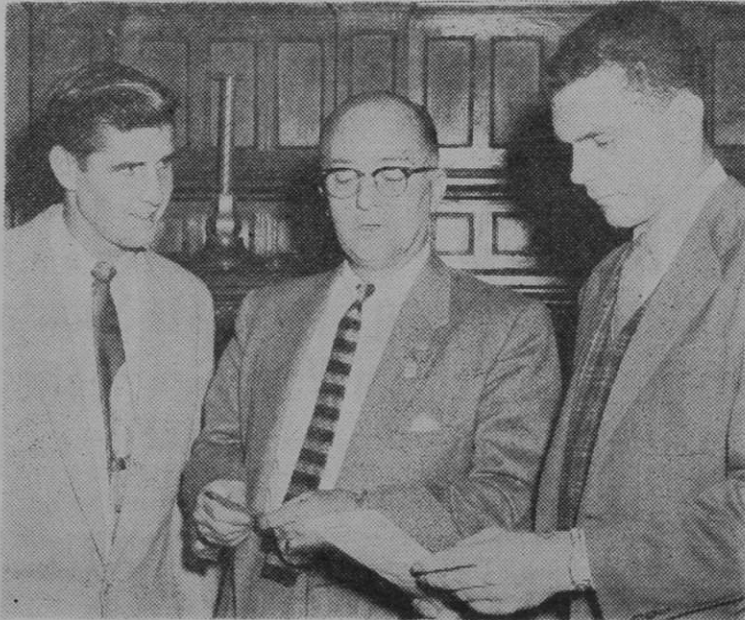
This is a vein subject. One hundred fifty-one pints of the red liquid were contributed to the Blood Drive in Lower Kauke last Wednesday. Although some people were turned away because of their physical condition, only a few people actually failed to appear for their appointments.

*This Sunday afternoon, November 14, at 3 p.m. there will be a book discussion on Arnold Toynbee's A Study of History, abridged by Somervell, at the home of Miss Dunham, 1032 Palmer St.*

Mrs. Mitzi Makinson, general chairman of the Wayne County Blood Program, wished to express her appreciation to all the students and faculty for their cooperation, which made the drive a success. She felt that Mary Ellen Buckstaff and Bob Mitchell, the student chairmen for the drive, did an excellent job in recruiting.

The women running the drive wished to apologize because the donor line was held up for long periods of time. They explained that the problem lay in the fact that not enough nurses came down from Cleveland to help. There were also two nurses who had never worked in a blood drive before.

## Democrats Confer . . .



Virg Musser (left) and Don McNutt (right) confer with Thomas Nichols on campaign strategy.

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in the college clubs and membership.

Some of the personalities who have promised to be or have been on the campus this year under Institute sponsorship include Congressman Frank T. Bow, Oliver P. Bolton, William Ayres, and Robert Crosser of Ohio. Other national figures include Speaker of the House Joseph W. Martin, Jr., Senator Alben W. Barkley, and Senator Thomas Burke. State officials who will visit the campus are Attorney General C. William O'Neill, Lieutenant Governor John

W. Brown and Secretary of State Ted W. Brown. Governor G. Mennen Williams of Michigan has promised an early date in the second semester.

Planning has been initiated for a special program second semester when 50 interested students will be given the opportunity to spend "A Day in Columbus". The proposed trip will include visits to the state legislature and executive offices as well as seminar meetings with various state legislative and administrative leaders.

Another new feature of the Institute program will be a series of weekly radio panels featuring both Young Republicans and Young Democrats discussing important political issues.

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## Barkley Speaks

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been connected with service for the Democratic Party. He was first elected to office in 1921 as prosecuting attorney for McCracken County, Kentucky. He has attended all of the Democratic National Conventions since 1920, and was permanent chairman of his party's convention in 1940.

While serving as vice-president, Mr. Barkley was married on November 18, 1949, to Mrs. Carleton S. Hadley of St. Louis, Missouri.

## Young Republicans, Young Democrats Give Help In Congressional Campaigns

Both Republicans and Democrats asked help from their college organizations in this fall's campaign.

Thomas Nichols, the Democratic candidate for Congress in this district, turned the management of his campaign in Wayne county over to Virgil Musser and the Young Democrats. The club mailed circulars, handled newspaper advertising, and posted signs around the county which urged the election of Nichols. Mr. Nichols himself spoke before the YD's at a meeting in Douglass

Hall to initiate his campaign in this area.

At the same time, the Young Republicans were working for their man, the incumbent congressman, Frank T. Bow. Mr. Bow also left the direction of his campaign in Wayne county in the hands of the college students. The YR's assisted in writing newspaper ads, producing radio skits, and mailing literature for Mr. Bow.

Mr. Bow's contribution to the YR effort was to assist the Institute in bringing the Honorable Joseph M. Martin, Jr., Speaker of the House of Representatives, to the campus.

In addition to the campaigns for Congress, the clubs assisted their respective party organizations in the function of serving party members. Young partisans volunteered to help staff the headquarters in Wooster of both parties, and YR's and YD's were concerned with campaigns to get out the vote, furnishing transportation and baby sitters where needed.

The college group activity continued to the very end of the election. As the ballots were being tabulated at the Wayne County Board of Elections, a Young Republican and a Young Democrat were busily employed assisting the Board.

## Republicans Take The Cake



Republicans Ready For Bow Caravan