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Opinion Survey Reveals Campus-Wide Attitudes
by Judy Keller

Half of the students at Wooster find the present system of hours for women "unsatisfactory" and published in a recent poll taken by the Public Opinion class. The results of this poll, in which were included replies from men and women of all four classes, showed that only 44% of those polled favored the present system.

Most students preferred all classes and later week-end hours. In the latter category the most frequently desired was

more late permissions for all

Symphony Opens Fortieth Season
The first concert of the season of the Wooster Symphony Orchestra will open December 7 at 8:00 p.m. with the strains of Karl Maria Von Weber’s overture "Oberon." Following this, William Larned, who has featured as guest trumpeter in the organ department, will be the soloist in the finale of Bachman’s "Concerto for Trumpet." This concert, written as a master’s thesis in 1954, has been performed only twice in this area recently snowfall reminded the staff of other areas and years that yet to come. Pictured above is the walk in front of the bl is as it appears in "normal" Wooster winter weather.

Mayor of Columbus Addresses Meeting
Mr. M. E. Sensenbrenner, Major of Columbus, Ohio, will be the speaker at the United Christian Fellowship evening meeting on Sunday, December 4, at 6:45 in the Chapel. His topic will be "The Road Ahead." Next semester’s officers will be elected at this meeting.

Mr. Sensenbrenner is the first Democratic mayor to be elected in Columbus in 22 years, and he has been back to college as a student and of his humoristic experiences with the younger and "un-" studying students. There will be one showing at 7:30 o'clock in Staut Auditorium to Toledo and give a concert in the Collingwood Presbyterian Church, which will have dedicated a new Hohkamp organ that morning. Young people of the church will serve refreshments.

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Arts, Crafts Sale
An arts and crafts bazaar is being held in the Josephine Long Washburn Museum of Art in Galpin Hall from December 1 through December 14. There will be 94 original signed prints by famous European artists, principally Italian, French, Danish, and English. The prints are being sold at a very low price, as a service to the students and the community. These arts and crafts would make nice Christmas gifts and all items are for sale with prices starting at $2.00 and up.

Sections Throw Rush Functions, Holiday Parties
The Rabbit of Third Section will hold their annual invitation dinner for freshmen this Sunday night, December 4. Myron Lord, ranking chairman, expects approximately 100 guests at the dinner, which will held at the Wooster American Legion Hall. The dinner menu includes fruit cup, pork tenderloin, scalloped potatoes, lima beans, corn, date pudding, and tea, milk, or coffee. Paul Woodford Logen of the speech department will give the after-dinner address. Group singing will be led by Rockey Smith.

On December 9, two sections will have their Christmas parties. Fifth Section’s party will be an informal dance in Babcock Hall between 9:00 and 12:00. Sometimes during the evening, Santa and his helpers are expected to appear to distribute presents to the girls. The seasonal program includes singing Christmas carols.

Seventh Section also plans a Christmas party as its last rush function. The dance is to be held in Lower Andrews from 8:00 to 11:00. There will be open houses in the section.

3500 Fills Quota
On Tuesday, Wednesday, and Thursday of next week, solicitors for the SCC fund-raising campaign plan to collect the remaining $600 worth of pledges. If the fall amount is realized, the campaign will be a success.

Two-thirds of the SCC money each year goes to Wooster’s Student Christian Association and Religious Emphasis Week. The remaining money supports campus religious organizations and the Student Christian Council itself.

Sunday Trip Slated For Concert Choir
Fifty-five members of the concert choir, under the direction of conductor Dr. Richard T. Gore, will leave Sunday at 12:00 p.m. for performances in Toledo and Fremont. At 4:00 p.m. on Sunday, they will sing at the First Presbyterian Church in Fremont, Ohio, where Dr. Gore is already well-known, having participated since 1947 in the Church Music Institute held in that city. After supper in Fremont, they will drive to Toledo and give a concert in the Collingwood Presbyterian Church, which will have dedicated a new Hohkamp organ that morning. Young people of the church will serve refreshments.

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Circle Fetes Mates: Service Celebrates Christmas Dinner will be the order of the day for both the College Circle and the Student Employees during the weeks between now and Christmas.

The annual dinner given by Ford Service for its 140 student employees will be held this year on Wednesday, December 7, at 7 p.m. in Upper Holden. A special program has been planned with Bob O’Meara as toastmaster. "Bucky" Smith has arranged music which will be served by a vocal group. Eventually, every one will participate in carol singing, led by "Bucky" and accompanied by Marlan Shaw on the piano and Leon Shenhammer on the violin.

The College Circle Christmas Dinner will be held tonight (December 2), in Holden Hall. Each of the 140 members of the college will be there, and their guests, and women associated with the college, will do the dinner for their husbands. Interesting entertainment is planned for after the dinner.

Party Crystallizes: Moke’s Spot Rocks
What happens when 27 professors, geography majors get together for a Christmas party? Do they eat ham and turkey, with rock candy or do they behave as normal Christmas goers? This question will be answered on Wednesday, December 7, with the annual Christmas party at the home of Dr. Charles Moke, head of the geography department. Unfortunately the rest of the school will be shut down until December 9, as the party is traditionally a closed affair.

Bob Christy reports that there are currently 23 geography majors.
Concerning Brains And Bankroll

The waning years of the Nineteenth Century and the waxing ones of the Twentieth Century have been filled with tremendous increases in the franchise. The zeal exhibited in the rising tide of democracy, however, has sometimes led to confusion and to certain restrictions on higher education. The words "democracy in education" and "equal rights" have been construed so loosely that the truth of the intentions is far from evident. This false belief is derived from confusion involving the nature of education and the meaning of equality.

The term in modern usage is unambiguous about selecting the best for the highest training. Every American citizen would laugh heartily if you suggested that the institution of baseball is undemocratic because the major league teams are not chosen by your request or your team manager. Does the draftee get his turn at playing general of the armed forces? Would anyone claim the right to fly the airplane on which he is a passenger? The examples cited are absurd because they relate to specific actions where disaster would follow a confusion of ranks and duties.

Subordination of functions does not impair the equality of persons. In education as well as other areas of activity it is possible to make incorrect choices and put forward incompetent members. The idea that every prospective student should be given the benefit of any doubt, the right to education must remain on an equal footing with every other right, name-ly, of course, freedom of speech. The resulting principle shows the power to deserve it. Democracy in education freely endows every man or woman with a right to a college education if he or she is found endowed with the ability to profit by it.

Ideally, it would probably be possible to bring the great majority of boys and girls to the point where they could profit from specialized examinations. Relatedly, the limitations of educators, teachers, time, space, and money make selection nearly inevitable.

To fulfill our definition of democracy in education, real strides are still left to be taken. It has been estimated that for every youth attending college there is one equally capable who cannot afford it. Consequently, our colleges are too much filled with a haphazard mixture of brains and bank accounts. A nation must pay the way of its most valuable natural resource—the intelligence of its youth—if it is to provide a truly scientific education.

There should be no tampering with either the ingredients or standards of quality of education. We must teach those who have not found that wherever they may be and cleared the path that leads to the campus.

J. L. G.

...And Then There Was Pembroke

by Bill Whiting

If you had been attending the College of Wooster in the year 1925, you would have rushed over to Kauke every Friday night right after supper for an evening of intellectual conversation, witty literature, and creative writing. You think not? Then consult the College of Wooster catalogue for the year 1925-26, and you will find on page 16 this paragraph: "Four literary societies are in successful operation, conducted by students under the general regulation of the Fac-ulty. . . . It is expected that every student pursuing a regular course will become connected with at least one of these societies, and faithfully improve the literary advantages thus afforded. All students who are not members of some one of the literary societies are required to give regular exercises in the presence of a committee of the Faculty." Literary Heresy

The entire second floor of Kauke was given over to these four literary societies. One room was equipped with wall-to-wall carpeting, overstuffed chairs, desks, beautiful epigraphs on the walls, and a recital platform. One of these recital platforms still exists in Kauke 201, which housed one of the literary societies and boasted a piano in addition to its other furnishings.

But the recital platforms, while 10 literary societies established and

In Defense of Ivory Towers

To the Editor:

To the upper-classmen of this college, the whipping charge of "Ivy Towerism" is familiar. I must admit that in many of the cases where there were modified idealism (using the more extreme terms) a certain amount of "Ivy towerism and stagnation" was quite justified. However, due to the repeated edictlessness of these reformative impositions, the condemnation "ivy tower" has become an ad-verse mark among students that is given to an unmodulated or stagnated state, whereas the principles which originally supported the name "Ivy Tower": seclusion, single-

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Scots Trample Oberlin In Finale, 47-6; Dingle Grabs Conference Rushing Lead

by Tom Scott

The Wooster Scots wound up the 1955 football season with a resounding 47-6 victory over Oberlin on Wooster's wind and snow swept field before a thoroughly elated group of spectators. Oberlin's kick-off was short and was picked up by Dan Bailey who ran back to the Wooster 41-yard line. The play from scrimmage indicated the pattern of play for the afternoon as Dick Jacobs, in the final half game of his career, scrambled for 30 yards, deep into Oberlin territory. At this point, Wooster received the first of several elfing penalties and kicked back 15 yards. However, this trend of events failed to upset freshman Tom Dingle who went all the way into the end zone on the next play. This particular run by the foot-footed back, gave him the necessary yardage to assure him of the Ohio Conference rushing championship and was, by the way, the first of his five touchdowns for the day.

Oberlin received the kick-off and, with Edwards and Marcus along the line, pushed to their own 49 where a timely fumble was recovered by the Scots' right-tackle, Dave Nolander. Jacobs and Bailey, completely disregarding the cold and bad footing, carried the pigskin over the goal line in two plays for the second score of the afternoon. Bush converted, and the Scots out in front 14-0.

Again Oberlin took the kick-off and, failing to move the ball, were forced to turn it over to the Scots by a punt. The kick to the Oberlin 89 and two plays later went off tackle into the end zone. The conversion was good and Wooster led 21-0.

Scott Rump Continues

The second quarter was a repetition of the first, as Oberlin took the kick-off and again failed to move the ball. Consecutive runs by Jacobs and Dingle set up the score, and it was Dingle who rushed over for his third TD of the day. Bush converted on the kick, and the half ended with the Scots on the long end of a 28-0 score and the reserves holding their own in the field.

In the second half, Wooster received the kick-off and moved the ball to mid-field where Ted Hake's pass was intercepted and returned to the 42. Still, Oberlin couldn't seem to get going and they were forced in punt. The Scots returned the ball to the 59 and gave it to Dingle who went all the way for his fourth, to make the score 34-0.

With four minutes to go in the quarter, Oberlin began its belated move and carried it deep into Wooster territory before the end of the period. On the first series of plays in the final 25 minutes, Hoecker went over for the lone Oberlin score bringing the total to 34-6.

Dingle for No. 5

Oberlin kicked off and the ground game pushed the ball past the mid-field. The ball was forced out of bounds, the kick to the Oberlin 49 and two plays later went off tackle into the end zone. The conversion was good and Wooster led 27-0.

Weiss, in at quarterback, began passing and he succeeded in hitting Dan Hoffner on the eight-yard line. On the next play, "Fifi" pitched to Bailey in the end zone to end the scoring for the quarter.

The Oberlin game wrapped up a very successful season for the Scots as they posted an overall record of seven wins and only two defeats.
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Korner Club, unable to break in to the win column, but with one tie against six losses, brought up the rear.

An all-star dream squad was chosen by team members from the eight sections, Douglas and Korner Club. Here are the first and second string offense and first and second string defense as voted for:

**FIRST STRING OFFENSE**


**SECOND STRING OFFENSE**

Ends: Ted Carillo 5, Bruce Kaye 6, Douglas; Center: John Redden 6, backs: Bob Andrews 8, St. Rachenu 5, Andy Stevenson 2; S. Dick Skeie 1, Bill McNeil 2, John Allen 2, QB: Bob McNeil 1, Douglas.

**SECOND STRING DEFENSE**

Ends: Ed Moore 3, Dave Kuebler 2, Center: Jack Pasquale 7; Backs: Sam Hunt 7, Paul Martin 5, and Bill Crawford 0, tcs: John Lamb 2, S. Petri Zonenville 4, Hank Hopper 3.

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which makes all learning a struggle.

Furthermore, in a church school such as Wooster, compounded by our smallness of enrollment and our liberal arts curriculum, idealism and optimism have become rather predominant. This I think is to our benefit. In many larger schools, one finds a harder core of harsh pessimism and other pessimists as hopelessness. It is my contention that any理想ism which we can become attached while we are here at Wooster will ultimately be to our advantage. For then we will possess that higher type of realism which will never let us become a mere ingredient in the mass. This idealism, setting up a tension within us against the everyday drag of existence will cause us to be constructive members of society. It is this fine blend of idealism and higher realism which, it seems to me, is the aim and product of this college.

Dave Dungan

**Pembroke**

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patient researchers can unearth short stories, poems, and reviews written by many people who are now quite prominent in the campus eye. (And they certainly aren’t students any more.)

Knoll Tollef

The days of the literary societies were numbered, however. They began to drift away from their original purpose and were turning into social clubs. While the fraternities and sororities were gone from the campus, this help ed, but when the sections and clubs started organizing on a large scale, the societies were doomed. Expanding enrollment necessitated second floor Kaske for classrooms, and one by one Willard, Castellan, Russell, etc. dropped out of sight leaving Pembroke to carry vali dity on.

So closed another little chapter in the extensive history of life at the College of Wooster. When one sits in the huge lecture room of Kaske 201 and thinks of the good days that were once had there, one can’t help feeling just a little bit sorry that they’re gone.

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