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Senators Initiate Social Ad Board To Handle Details

by Tom Scott

As a result of the changing of the by-laws of its Constitution, the Student Senate has, according to Senators, changed its very nature and in the process increased its powers as a student representative organization. Acting under the newly elected president, Sheldon Levy, the Senate has established the social administrative board, which was one of the issues presented during the election campaign.

The purpose of this board is to take over the administration of all Senate social functions and it will, therefore, "free the Senate for investigation of policy matters which it has been unable to do because of the time consumed with these social functions."

The Board will consist of a chairman, who is the elected vice-president of the Senate, a WSGA and an MA representative, as well as the vice-presidents of the four classes, two appointed Senators and two other members, to be appointed by the board chairman.

Academic Board

The Senate went one step further when it adopted the proposal of the committee headed by Don Reiman which called for the establishment of an academic board. This organization, which will work under the Senate and with the faculty, consists of five members: a chairman, Bob Tobey, and four appointed representatives from the four major areas of study on the campus. The purpose of this board is threefold; first, it will coordinate the various honoraries and provide for tutoring students at their own expense. Secondly, it will provide study clinics to aid students in preparation for exams, and finally, it will work with the faculty in the faculty evaluation program.

Sociology Teachers Travel To Meeting

The four members of the sociology department, Mr. James Beers, Dr. F. T. Davis, Mr. T. Q. Evans, and Dr. A. L. Stroup, are attending an annual professional meeting of the Ohio Valley Sociology Society at the University of Pittsburgh today and tomorrow.

At the meetings Dr. Davis is conducting a discussion "Teaching of General Sociology in Liberal Arts Schools." Dr. Stroup is reading a paper on "Marriage and Family."

Members of the Ohio Valley Sociology Society include all colleges and universities in eastern Indiana, northern Kentucky, Michigan, Ohio, and northern West Virginia.

Music Students Give IS Recital

Anne Mayer and Louise McClelland will present a joint piano-voice recital Monday evening at 8:15 in the Chapel. The recital is given in partial fulfillment of Independent Study for the Music Department.

Anne will play Mozart's "Sonata in A Minor," Chopin's "Winter Wind Etude," and Ravel's "Tombeau de Couperin Suite." Louise, accompanied by Loretta Conrad, will sing an aria from Saint-Saen's "Samson et Delilah" and additional songs by Faure, Dupore, and Hayden.



Actress McDevitt, as she arrived on Tuesday, is greeted from left to right by John Gooch, Jan Coulson, Ed Moore, and Jo Cappon.

Campus Prepares For May Day Fete

On Saturday, May 12, the College of Wooster will witness the 52nd presentation of the Color Day Pageant in the stadium.

Great Fad

This year's pageant is entitled, "The Great Color Day Fad," written by Scott Craig, a Senior from Wooster, Ohio. Scott is a Speech major and was also the author of 1954's Color Day script, "Rip Van Wooster." Ed Moore, also a Senior majoring in Speech, is directing the Pageant. Ed hails from Canal Fulton, Ohio.

Crown Queen

Included in the ceremony will be the crowning of Queen-elect, Louise Byers, a Junior from Kenmore, New York. She was chosen from six candidates as a result of votes cast by the student body. Last year's queen, Priscilla Cortelou, will crown Louise, who will be attended by Maid of Honor, Ann Eubank, also a Junior.

All alumni authors since 1921, when Color Day originated, have been invited by the Student Senate to attend this year's Pageant as guests.

La Maison Holds Garden Festival

The French House will hold a Garden Party on May 6 from 2 to 4 in the afternoon. Each set of roommates in La Maison Francaise will be responsible for the decorations of their rooms.

Jane Black is chairman of the affair. Entertainment will be provided.

Dr. Lowry Leads Senate Discussion

On the afternoon of Tuesday, May 8, under the auspices of the Student Senate, President Lowry will discuss the campus plan and some of the questions concerning it. The meeting will be held in Lower Galpin at 4:30 p.m., and is open to all interested students and faculty members.

VOICE Rates

The Wooster VOICE has received a Second Class honor rating for first semester from the Associated Collegiate Press. Competing against all the college newspapers across the country, the VOICE finished 15 points short of a first class rating.

Taking general makeup into consideration, the judges found the appearance of the paper to be "superior." It was felt that the over-all perspective "created interest and appeal." The "balanced" columns denote much attention. It was also felt that the editorials, sports, and news displays consist of good physical properties.

The judges stated that the news coverage and content are "very good." They particularly felt that the news features excelled — grammatically. However, they advocate a "close-up view of the students."

Seminary Head Speaks In Scott

Dr. John A. McKay, President of Princeton Theological Seminary, will be on campus Monday to give an afternoon lecture in Scott auditorium. This former Secretary of the Presbyterian Board of Foreign Missions will speak on "Miguel de Unamuno: the Philosopher of Agonic Struggle."

Graduate of Madrid

Dr. McKay attended the University of Madrid in 1915; received his Doctor of Literature in Lima, Peru, in 1918; and has lived in Montivideo and Mexico City while working with the South American Federation of YMCA.

This clergyman and educator received his Bachelor of Divinity from Princeton where he is now a Professor of Ecumenics in addition to being President, a position he has held since 1936.

Varied Career

In his varied career Dr. McKay has been a philosophy professor, lecturer, writer, magazine editor, and author of numerous books.

The lecture will be presented at 4:15 p.m. and there will be no admission charge.

McDevitt Arrives; Rehearsals Begin

Practices for *The Solid Gold Cadillac* are now well under way. Miss Ruth McDevitt, who is playing the leading role in the Color Day production, arrived Tuesday to join the rest of the cast in rehearsals. The play recently closed on Broadway after a long and successful run, during which Miss McDevitt played the leading role of Laura Partridge.

Miss McDevitt, a Wooster alumna, is staying in Babcock during her visit here and hopes to become acquainted with the Wooster students.

Students Choose French Quarters

"Parlez-vous francais?" These girls will have to. The French department has announced the names of next year's inhabitants of La Maison Francaise otherwise known as Campus Lodge and the French House.

These co-eds elected on the basis of a complex system of seniority are Janet Agnew, Delores Farkas, Mary Janssen, Jena Khadem, Ronalyn Mielke, Nana Newberry, Diane Robenstine, Mila Swyers, and Lillie Trent. Next year they will conduct all business, gossip, and house meetings strictly in French.

The French department announced that there was a waiting list for occupancy of the house and should any vacancies occur they will be filled from that list.

Girls' Clubs Stage Annual Interchange

Saturday, May 5 at 9 a.m. in Lower Babcock the girls' clubs will offer every girl the opportunity to sell anything of value — formals, jewelry, knee socks, hats, gloves, blouses, dresses, etc.

Girls who are interested in participating in this project are asked to bring their articles to Lower Babcock from 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. Friday. The articles will be priced there. All women on campus are invited to participate.

Sections Pull Stops In Harmony Battle At Contest Tonight

by Bill Mosher

The MA Serenade Contest will be held tonight at 8 in the Chapel. All eight sections will strive for recognition as the most melodious section. Seventh Section hopes to keep the first place plaque which they won last year. The selections range from "Stardust" to the "Navy Hymn."

Judges from Mt. Union

Bob Black and Dave Wolff are co-chairmen of the contest. Some 75 cent tickets will be sold at the door.

Contest judges are three men from Mt. Union College, Mr. Lavery, Mr. McIntosh, and Mr. Wheat. The six points they will judge are appearance, precision, selection of songs, intonation, tone quality, and diction.

Phil Eaton Directs

The sections will sing in the following order. Fourth Section, directed by Phil Eaton, will sing "My Lady Walks in Loveliness," "Mood Indigo," and "My Bonnie Lassie." Eighth Section, led by Gene Phleger, will sing "Serenata," "Skip to My Lou," and "Black Is the Color of My True Love's Hair."

Dick Spies will direct Sixth Section in "Molly-O," "Jacob's Ladder," and "Where or When." First Section, singing "Sylvie," "Song of Love," and "Adoremus Te," will be directed by Don Metz. "Oklahoma," "September Song," and "Meadowlands" are the selections of Fifth Section with John Buechner directing.

Seventh Battles

Seventh Section, led by John Wilson, is singing "Joshua and the Battle of Jericho," "Madame Jeanette," and "Stardust." Third Section, directed by Bucky Smith, will sing "Here in Your Arms," "Seeing Nellie Home," and the "Navy Hymn." Directed by John Sharick, Second Section will sing "Juanita," "Wait for the Wagon," and "When You Wish Upon a Star."

Bob Black announces RCA Victor will make a record of the songs. They will come in a black and gold cardboard sleeve and will sell for \$2.70. There will be a deposit of \$1 on each order, and they will be here by the end of May.

Cathedral Dean Talks To Grads

Dr. Lowry has announced that Francis B. Sayre, Jr., Dean of the National Cathedral in Washington, D.C. will be the guest speaker at the 1956 commencement exercises here June 11. Dean Sayre is the grandson of Woodrow Wilson, and Dr. Lowry feels that "it is particularly fitting that he should be the speaker in Woodrow Wilson's centennial year."

Dr. Lowry Recommends

"We are particularly grateful that Dean Sayre can be with us in June," said President Lowry. "Dr. Sayre was a neighbor of the College during his years in Cleveland, and has many associations in Ohio. He comes to us, of course, at a particularly pertinent time."

Editor Asks Change

Our last editorial pointed up some of the thoughts we had experienced on the present system of class attendance. We should like to continue with further clarification of the situation as we see it.

Several members of the college community, both faculty and students, have spoken of restrictions. Doubtless there could not be completely unrestricted class attendance in physical education courses, and perhaps restrictions would extend to laboratories. We feel that students can not afford to miss lab periods, and, therefore, would come to lab required or not. However, we are not too well enough acquainted with these courses to judge.

In a letter to the editor published last week, one student suggested that freedom to cut classes be extended on a Dean's list type basis. This would require meticulous attendance records, not include the student who worked hard but just missed honors, and perhaps have further complications.

On the other hand, such a basis for class attendance might incite more effort on the part of the border-line student. (We don't believe a student should have to be encouraged to work, but we're practical enough to realize it is often the case.)

Another suggestion for restriction, this from a professor, is to limit free cuts to the upper two or three classes. We are not sure this is the best answer. Maturity is not reached at the end of any one year, although an extra year of experience is generally a maturing factor.

Certainly Juniors and Seniors, mature enough to be launched on the often stormy sea of IS, are mature enough to steer their ships to class if the class is worthwhile; perhaps Freshmen and Sophomores who have accepted the responsibility of attending class will be better able to accept the responsibility of IS.

Whatever the result of the present furor, it is time for a change.

—S. R. M

Students, Too

To the Editor:

Attending classes is a privilege. Our parents spend approximately \$1200 a year so that we can attend classes and obtain guidance in our out-of-class work. Why then the complaints about being compelled to attend these precious classes.

Very simple—when we are forced to do something it ceases to be a privilege. Having the opportunity to do something is a privilege, but being forced to do it is not.

Why is class attendance required? It is believed that classes are a major part of college work. I agree. Seemingly it is also believed that students do not realize this. I doubt it. Most students are here to learn and want what will help them to do so.

To be sure, there are some who are unable to make mature judgments, but if some higher authority continues to judge for them, how will they ever learn? Making mistakes is an integral part of learning. If we prevent a baby from standing up because we are afraid he will fall, he will never learn to walk.

As several of our chapel speakers have remarked, a captive audience is not an attentive one. Perhaps students would put more into classes if they became aware that attending lectures was a right, not a requirement.

First hour classes might have a few less students physically present, but they might also have more mentally present—those who came to listen, not just to occupy a chair.

No one can expect every lecture to be awe-inspiring, but lectures, as anything else, can always be improved. We think the possibility of facing a half-empty class would make all teachers more aware of the content of their lectures.

A teacher would tell whether he needed improvement in this area by observing whether the students who were absent were those who cut just for the excitement of getting away with something, or those who cut because the lecture added nothing to the textual presentation of the subject matter.

Most Wooster students are attending classes and learning, and most of them will continue doing so whether classes are compulsory or not. The major result of a system of unlimited class cuts would be improved lectures and more responsible students.

Sincerely,

Peggy Lou Blumberg, Gail Parker, Mary Homrighausen, Hiroko Satow, Millie Webb, Sandra Ingram, Ardyth Schoner, Nancy Korth, Pru Bacon, Sally Wedgwood, Caroline Fix, Janet Agnew, Catherine Tisinger, Joan Zimmer, Phyllis Hancock, Gretchen Braun, Margie Frank, Sylvia Gibbs, Sheldon Levy, Bob Ward, Bob Barnard, Anna Mae Lovell, Sue Stewart, Jean Ralston, Dave Davies, Ralph Morrison, Bev Douglas, Helen Huntchins, Nancy Eales, Kathy Johnson, Alice Hageman, Bruce Hunt, Margaret While, Lenore Lewton, Janie Craig, Muffy McKay, Sally Griffith, Ann Buchwalter, Ronnie Mielke, Dave Messina, Emilie C. Cunningham, Margaret Aston, Jim Cooper, Sue Jamison, Janey Thompson, Kay Kridel, Barbara Farren, Nana Newberry, Jean Wells, Susan Sifritt, Bruce Rigdon, Vic Sapio, Lillie Trent, Ken Heaps, Lee H. Lybarger, David Blanchard, Ron Brelsford, Art Beatty, Marge Braun, Murray S. Blackadar, Gail McGinnis, Jack Hornfeldt, Lois Searfoss, Bob McKnight, Dick Ewing, Dave Siskowic, Robert Liesinger, Bill Walk, Bob Humphreys, Paul Randall, Barbara Nigh, Mary Minor, Lisa Raub, K. Anthony, Peggy True, Edith Powers, Evelyn Schulz, Helen MacInnes, Margi Lindsay, Jim Cortelyou.

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Seven Woosterians Eye Foreign Ports For Year's Study

by Lee Bruce

Seven students of the College of Wooster have been cleared so far by the Registrar's Office to spend their Junior year abroad. Representing the history department will be Robert Calhoun and Catherine Tisinger. Robert will go to the University of Edinburgh in Edinburgh, Scotland, and Catherine will go to Kinnaird College for Women in Lahore, Pakistan.

From Tokyo

There are three students, who are majoring in religion, who are planning to go. Katherine Johnson will go to International Christian University in Mitaka, Tokyo. Rhoda Linton will go to the University of Edinburgh in Edinburgh, Scotland, and Gay Sinclair will go to St. Andrews University in St. Andrews, Scotland.

To Geneva

Margaret Wilson, who is majoring in French, will go to the University of Geneva in Geneva, Switzerland.

This is a plan whereby a Junior may have the privilege of spending the year abroad after applying on a form provided by the Registrar's Office and approved by the designated officers.

Academic Requirements

For the approval the student must have a B average in two years of not less than 60 semester hours taken at Wooster. A plan for Independent Study is arranged in advance with the department concerned. When the student returns he files with the department a report of his year abroad and his own evaluation of his educational experience in the foreign school.

Wooster Sponsors Poetry Conference

by Marilyn Troyer

May 5 the Versewriters' Conference, sponsored by the Ohio Poetry Society, will be held on the Wooster campus. The schedule for the morning includes registration, welcoming addresses and contest reports. At 10:15 there will be a discussion on "Modern Trends and Changing Traditions in Poetry" conducted by Ralph Kinsey and George Bradford with audience participation.

Mr. Kinsey from Wooster

Mr. Kinsey is a Wooster graduate of the Class of '33. He is a lawyer but for the last five years has been writing and has won impressive honors. Mr. Bradford, of the Wooster faculty, is a graduate of the Class of '21. He became a member of the English department in 1928. Mr. Bradford does much writing and judging of poetry.

Workshop on Poetry

At 12:30 Loring Williams will conduct a poetry workshop which will be followed by the poetry tournament. Contestants will read their poems and the audience will serve as judges. Following the business meeting, there will be a social hour with book displays and autographing.

The Ohio Poetry Society is composed of about a dozen chapters in various cities, including one in Wooster. The chapters meet monthly to write and discuss poetry. All Wooster students are invited to attend those parts of the program which interest them.

Mathematics Students Lose Teacher; Professor Williamson Retires This Year

by Shirley Nelson

At the end of this year, Wooster College will lose a member of its faculty who has served the school for 37 years. Dr. Charles Owen Williamson, Professor of Applied Mathematics, is retiring. His retirement will take him away from teaching duties, but not from the field of science. He is planning to do something in the field of engineering, and, as in summers past he will be a county engineer this summer.

Indian Cordiality Amazes Stranger

To the Editor:

There are a number of things that have impressed me about the spirit and attitude of people in India toward themselves as a new nation. Such things one may not notice right away, but when he does he appreciates them.

For one thing, there is far less outright reaction against the West than one might expect or might gather from what is reported in the American press. Far less, too, than there seems to be among many other peoples who have recently obtained their independence from the colonial powers.

Problem: Superiority Complex

One is quick to sense a subtly expressed resentment against the many persisting forms of our Western superiority complex, and admittedly there are occasional outbreaks of more violent anti-Western feeling. But the visitor could hardly be received with more genuine hospitality. An English friend of mine is continually amazed by the friendliness which he believes he has no right to expect.

Still, Signs of Friendship

Cordiality toward individual foreigners is one example. The use and appreciation of the English language by the educated and many of those seeking to be educated is another. Many streets continue to be named after British officials, even the worst. In a park in Allahabad we have a statue of Queen Victoria. Her nose is broken off, but the people of the city have remained hospitable to the rest of her.

Cultural Reclamation

Very naturally and very rightly, much attention is devoted to a recovery of Indian cultural values; but it is very much to the credit of the Indian people that so few see this as an absolute end. There are those here, as everywhere, who look only backward and within, but many others seek for values wherever they may be found.

Democracy in India

The democratic form of government did not arise first in Asia and has had much trouble in establishing itself there, but it is affirmed as an integral part of the New India. Religious values are accepted quite openly, and now many Hindus are ready to learn from those of other faiths. One could only wish that this spirit were as much in evidence in his own country.

Another thing that impresses me is the calm determination with which the most discouraging problems are being overcome. For example, the massed poverty, ignorance, and lethargy of millions of

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From Ohio University Dr. Williamson took the degrees of B.S., M.S., and B.S. in Education. He then taught at Ohio University and Western State Teachers College before coming to Wooster in 1919. His Ph.D. was conferred upon him in 1928 by the University of Chicago, at which time he became a full professor.

When asked if he enjoyed teaching here, the reply was, "I had a good time." This is really the answer that one would expect for Dr. Williamson is a good-humored man with a philosophy of life that is both substantial and calm.

For Country

During the war training period from 1942 through 1945 Dr. Williamson helped out in the war effort. He taught mathematics and navigation for the Civil Aeronautic Administration and War Training Service. At the Navy Flight Preparatory School in Wooster he was an instructor in navigation. To teach fliers naturally required going up in a plane.

Community

Dr. Williamson's services branched out into the community in other ways. He was a City Councilman, and served a term as City Engineer. A long period of activity in the Kiwanis Club has been enjoyed by him and he has held the positions of President, Secretary, and Lieutenant Governor in this organization.

and God

Westminster Church has also been the scene of a lot of Dr. Williamson's activity. He has served as Sunday School Superintendent, Elder, and Trustee, and for the past seven years has been the Church Treasurer.

When the Williamsons came here, there were only three dormitories: Hoover, Holden, and Kendarren. Holden Annex, which had been built at that time, was to be used for only a few more years.

Dr. and Mrs. Williamson will continue to reside at their home on Beall Avenue. People have always found hospitality within its doors. Mrs. Williamson did a great deal of work in the Little Theatre, and so Mr. William Craig was a frequent visitor. One time, when Mrs. Williamson was making apple preserves, who should appear at the house but Mr. Craig and a friend, each with a loaf of bread under his arm.

When the Williamsons' daughter went to college here, many of her friends would go over to the house. The extent of their hospitality was demonstrated the time a husband and wife were having an argument outside. The man asked Dr. Williamson if they could come inside his house and continue it, for they were cold. The fight was carried on in the den.

Memories

This professor recalls friends and past acquaintances: a former student who is now in New Jersey teaching, a friend he sees in Michigan when he goes up there for vacations. Yes, Dr. Williamson has a large grab-bag from which to draw memories, but he says he will always have something to look forward to in the way of scientific discoveries.

Reception Honors Miss Richmond For Thirty Years Of Chorus Work

by Sue Reed

Friday, April 27, was a night Miss Richmond will long remember. Celebrating 30 years of directing the Girls' Chorus, she was presented with three dozen red roses, a gift of past and present members of the chorus, at the conclusion of the spring concert.

Over 50 Present

Over 50 past members of the Chorus were present at the concert and reception afterwards in Babcock Hall. On arriving at Babcock, Miss Richmond was surprised to see many old members, but not until she went downstairs did she realize the full significance of the occasion. There she was met by 250 guests, including old members and parents of present members. The Chorus greeted her with a special dedicatory song with words written by Lillie Trent, set to the tune "Genevieve."

Album and Pearls

Mr. Paul Morrill, Director of Public Relations, presented an album of letters, notes, and pictures sent to her in care of him from chorus members as far back as 1927. Jeanne Herbert, the President of Girls' Chorus, pre-

sented the gift of a pearl bracelet with earrings to match, a gift of the many past members.

Review of Chorus

Judy Young gave a review of the 30 years of the Chorus, following it from its beginning when the girls wore flapper dresses. Marilou Harris modeled such an outfit, much like the one her mother wore when she sang in the first Chorus. Judy presented various highlights, such as the year the Chorus gave "The Mikado." Sue Stuart, Winnie Myers, and Jonnie Gurney sang "Three Little Maids" while Lana Brokaw modeled a kimono.

Appreciation

Miss Richmond introduced her husband, Mr. John Waterhouse, to all present and expressed her appreciation to all past and present members for all they had done. She added that she felt she could close her eyes and see each one of them in her place.

Refreshments and fellowship followed to conclude the evening. Priscilla Cortelyou was in charge of planning the reception.

Pacifist Hits Label Of Stupid Idealism For Peace Efforts

To the Editor:

The world searching for peace today is like a blind man in a dark room looking for a black hat that isn't there. Philosophers and pacifists have always faced dilemmas of this nature.

Unrealistic

A philosopher deals with all eternal reality. A pacifist deals with spiritual reality. These sets of values have tended to become labeled as unrealistic idealism. The philosopher and the pacifist are attempting to solve problems that few ever expect to actually solve.

Paradox Arises

In my years at Wooster there have been many times when I would have gladly swallowed the word pacifism and completely dismissed such thoughts from my mind. Yet, to simply step aside when there is a fight in the wind takes more self-control than most red-blooded Americans are able to master. Then too is when the paradox arises. A pacifist cannot afford to be passive. Trying to prove this usually ends in the discouraging challenge of idealisms.

Another Way

Sometimes, when I clear away the maze and reality of worldly conflict I begin to think again. There must be another way! President Eisenhower says, "In an atomic age there is no alternative to Peace." Karl Menninger says that we all know Quakers are right.

Our intelligence tells us they are right. "But the voice of intelligence is weak," said Freud. Freud added that intelligence is persistent even under the blasts of fear, hate, shame, anger and desire; not

to mention the drowning cries of ignorance.

Pacifists are not a stupid group of idealists. As a group they have the highest I.Q. records in the War Department files. When the world is faced with the possibilities of war, pacifists are one of the few groups that dare to venture an alternative before succumbing to the fate of war. If a pacifist has waited until wartime to answer the plea, he answers in vain.

Barriers to Peace

Real barriers to peace are national pride and economic selfishness. Misunderstanding and fear are likewise tremendous obstructions. Ignorance and prejudices are the seed-beds of warfare. The duty of a pacifist is to have himself recognized as free from all national prejudice. It becomes his business to know and understand, rather than fear, the enemies of peace.

Positive pacifism has a hard enough struggle to be understood without being forced to take the defensive once war is declared. In order for pacifism to become effective, it must begin in peacetime to guard against last ditch despair and war hysteria. The real problem is not war itself, but the causes which are allowed to build up in peacetime.

Fresh Thought

The central need is for fresh thought in pursuing peace. There can only be tragedy in the fact that many of the ablest minds are engaged in driving home the acceptance of national military defense and then fighting the dangerous attitudes that flow from the acceptance of what is advocated. This vicious circle of paradox captures the minds of men involved in it to such an extent that they have neither time nor energy left to strike out in fresh directions. A majority are presently attempting to see hope in futility.

Norm Morrison.

Shaw Conducts Mozart Festival

Next fall the Music Conservatory will present a Mozart Festival, consisting of four events in which they will try to represent all sides of Mozart's musical activities except opera.

Requiem Mass

The first event on November 2 will feature the Concert Choir, soloists, and chamber orchestra in a program to include Mozart's "Requiem Mass. Robert Shaw will appear as guest conductor, marking his third appearance here, the last being in the spring of 1954. Friday, November 31, Dr. Julius Hereford, New York musicologist and teacher of Robert Shaw, will lecture on Mozart and his music, with reference to the particular music played in the Festival.

Concertos

A chamber music concert including the Oberlin String Quartet will be held Saturday afternoon, December 1. That evening there will be an orchestral concert, featuring guest violinist George Poinar of Baldwin-Wallace College and Arthur Loesser, noted Cleveland pianist, playing concertos for their respective instruments.

Girls' Chorus Ends Season In Concert

This Tuesday, May 8, the Girls' Chorus will present their final concert of the season. Miss Richmond, the director, was asked last August to include this program in the chorus' schedule. The audience will include approximately 700 Women's Club members of the Methodist Church of Cuyahoga Falls.

Sacred and Secular

Leaving at 12 noon and performing at 2 p.m., the chorus will present a program of sacred and secular music, including many of the songs which were featured in the Spring Concert Friday, April 27.

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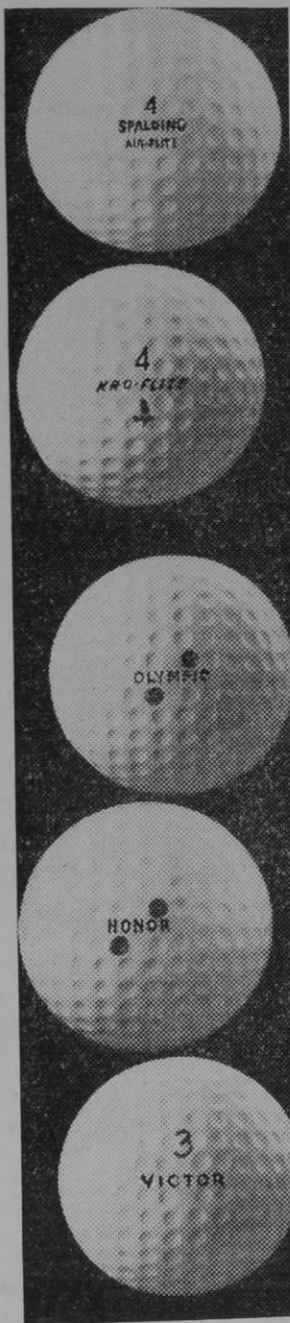
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The Cleveland Champs Regatta will be held Sunday, May 13, at Mohican Sailing Club on Charles Mill Lake located 27 miles west of Wooster on U.S. Route 30. Wooster will play host to Baldwin Wallace, Fenn, and Oberlin. In this regatta Wooster will use three of her recently purchased Dyher Dhow class sailing dinghies.

Sail Round Robin

The clubs will sail round robin which means, in this particular regatta, each school sails three races in each division A and B. The teams will change boats each race to keep it even, and each school will draw a bye in one race each division.

On April 14 and 15 Wooster attended the Ohio Dinghy Champs Regatta at Ohio State University. Wooster finished third in the following field bringing home her first trophy. The scores were Ohio State University 127, Ohio Wesleyan 113, Wooster 103, Cincinnati 86, Xavier 78, Oberlin 76, Baldwin-Wallace 56, and Fenn 10.

Skippers Place

In the A division Skipper Bob Patterson had three first places, one second place, one third place, and two fifth places.

In the B division Skipper Dave Bouquet had two second places, four third places, and one sixth place.

Finish Fourth

Last weekend, April 28-29, at the Cincinnati Intersectional Invitational Regatta at Cincinnati, Wooster finished a very close fourth in a field of eight. The scores of the regatta were as follows: Purdue 65, Xavier 62, Ohio State University 61, Wooster 59, Cincinnati 56, Ohio Wesleyan 48, Indiana 26, and Notre Dame 20.

Compiling 32 points in this regatta, Skipper Bob Patterson walked off with top honors in the A division.

Remaining Regatta

The next regatta Wooster will attend will be the weekend of May 19 and 20 at Xavier. Matching their skills in this regatta will be Xavier, Oberlin, Cincinnati, and Wooster.

Sailors Invited

The club has a very busy schedule. Every Thursday, Saturday, and Sunday those who do not attend the regattas migrate to Charles Mill Lake to try their hand as sailors. Those interested in seeing the first regatta held at Wooster, as well as those interested in becoming future sailors, are invited.

Editor's Note

We reserve the right to cut any letter to the editor over 300 words. Every signed letter to the editor will be printed.

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Letter Writers Appeal To Students, Desire Changes In Formal Program

To the Editor:

Tradition at Wooster and the much chewed-over apathy keep us students doing many things against which we inwardly protest. We believe that the Wooster system of formal dances can be classified in this category of things that need to be revised.

Desperate Dance Chairmen

There are many factors that have brought us to this conclusion. First, everyone has heard the plaintive pleas of unfortunate dance decoration chairmen. There are always desperate announcements in the dining halls — "If every girl would spend one half hour decorating, we would have the decorating done."

Coercing Others

And how many girls have been stopped on their way to study in the library by someone begging, "Please come over and help decorate; there are only three of us doing the whole job." The job of chairman of decorating committees is a harassing one. Either the person does almost all the work herself, or racks her brain thinking up ways to coerce others into helping. Even then, it is usually a few of the faithful who stay up 'til 3 a.m. completing the decorations.

Apathetic Situation

Why then, when it is so difficult to get decorations made for a formal, do we persist in having elaborate decorations for the section formals, the club formals, dormitory formals, class formals, and the three big ones of the year — SCC, Christmas and Spring? As usual, we gripe but don't do anything to alleviate the situation.

Second, we believe that there are so many formals that they are

no longer special occasions. A Freshman was heard lamenting that in high school she looked forward to formals for weeks ahead, while here at Wooster, they become somewhat of a routine. There are at least 23 formals during the school year of approximately 32 weeks. No wonder the decoration chairmen have a hard time getting anyone to help!

Superfluous Functions

Third, after all the complaining we do about giving money for text books, SCC fund, Red Cross, tuition boosts and organization dues, does it not seem out of proportion that we spend more than \$100 freely on decorations and food for a dance that is only a three hour affair? That same \$100 would help to relieve some poverty stricken area where a few cents mean so much. Many students resent giving a dollar here and a dollar there for functions that are sometimes superfluous.

Advocate Action

Lest we seem to be complaining without offering anything constructive, we are for disposing of the class formals and the Inter-Club Formal. There is usually not much enthusiasm over class formals. Inter-Club is just another event in a spring season studded with formal dances.

It is no longer needed to promote Inter-club spirit, because now the clubs work together on such things as the Children's Home Project. We also propose to establish the precedent of dormitory dances as informals and as non-decorated affairs taking place in Compton or Andrews.

Cut Down Size

In order to cut down the size of the dormitory dances, so that

Compton and Andrews will not be too crowded, we suggest having separate dances for the Sophomore and Junior women of Holden and the Annex. We would propose inexpensive class parties—perhaps costume parties—to take the place of the class formals.

We hope that some action will be taken in this matter.

Sincerely,

Marie Montag, Ann Fuehrer, Jane Tinley, Betty Meyer, Ardyth Schoner, Judy Dauber.

Did You Know—

That due to lack of space, student cars may no longer park behind Kauke Hall?

That registration is scheduled for Thursday, May 17? Juniors in the morning, Sophomores and Freshmen in the afternoon.

That also on Thursday May 17, the Selective Service Exam will be given (not to mention Comprehensives)?

That Dr. Lowry will speak at UCF Sunday on "Three Ivory Towers?"

Sections Formalize

May 5 is the date which has been set for the Fifth Section formal, which will take place in Andrews. Many surprises await those attending, especially during the entertainment. The dance will last from 9 p.m. to 12 p.m.

On May 11 Eighth Section is having its annual Dinner Dance. Dinner will be at Smithville, later adjourning to the dance from 9 p.m. to 12 p.m. The theme of the occasion will be "Brigadoon", with its setting in Lower Douglass.

YWCA Springs Annual Carnival

Saturday, May 5, the YWCA is holding their annual carnival in Lower Kauke. The purpose of this project is to raise money to send representatives to the conference at Lake Geneva, Wisconsin this summer. Each of the women's dormitories and the men's sections is in charge of a booth.

The committee reports that pizza will be sold throughout the evening. The time is 7:30 to 11:30 and all are welcome.

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Trackmen Blast Otterbein, Hiram

With 13 first places and a tie for another, the fleet Wooster College track team ran away to an easy victory in last Friday's triangular meet with Otterbein and Hiram. The Scot cindersmen piled up 111 points as compared to 40½ for Otterbein and 7½ for Hiram.

Several good times, in spite of the soggy condition of the track, highlighted the meet. Cash Register ran the 100 in 10.3 while Tom Dingle took the 440 in a respectable 52.1.

Come from Behind

The final event, the mile relay, saw Otterbein take the lead on the first leg and hold it until the race was half completed. However, John Gardner, the number three man of Wooster, pulled ahead and anchor man Cliff Amos won easily.

After having met Capital at Columbus last Wednesday, the Muskingummen will play host to Muskingum tomorrow afternoon.

Half-mile relay — Wooster (May, Stoops, Gardner, Cox) won; Otterbein, 2nd. Time — 1:35.5.

Mile run — Goodfellow (W) won, Schneider (W) 2, Keen (W) 3, Frees (O) 4. Time—4:51.7.

100 yd. dash — Register (W) won, Amos (W) 2, Loeas (O) 3, Mentzer (O) 4. Time —10.3.

440 yd. dash — Dingle (W) won, Gardner (W) 2, Stoops (W) 3, Henn (O) 4. Time—52.1.

120 yd. high hurdles — Norris (O) and Leedy (W) tie for 1, Smith (H) 3, Blais (O) 4.

Pole vault — Justice (W) won, Blais (O) and Mentzer (O) tie for 2, Cochran (W) and Engstrom (W) tie for 4. Height — 11 ft., 6 in.

High jump — Lamb (W) won, Young (O) 2, Ramseyer (W) 3, Stanton (H) and Blais (O) tie for 4. Height—5 ft., 8 in.

Shot put — Rafos (W) won, Diehl (W) 2, May (W) 3, English (O) 4. Distance—44 ft., 9½ in.

Half mile — Goshorn (W) won, Larkin (O) 2, Bunting (W) 3, Lund (O) 4. Time —2:03.6.

220 yd. dash — Register (W) and Dingle (W) tie for 1, Brooks (H) 3, Loeas (O) 4. Time—23.1.

220 yd. low hurdles — Norris (O) won, Leedy (W) 2, Smith (H) 3, Blais (O) 4. Time—27 sec.

Discus — May (W) won, Nelander (W) 2, Rafos (W) 3, English (O) 4. Distance—124 ft.

Two mile — Schneider (W) won, Goodfellow (W) 2, Frees (O) 3, Reigle (H) 4. Time—11:12.6.

Broad jump — Register (W) won, Dingle (W) 2, Campbell (W) 3, Loeas (O) 4. Distance—22 ft., 4 in.

Mile relay — Wooster (Garrison, Stoops, Gardner, Amos) won; Otterbein second.

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The climax of the grueling mile run in last Saturday's Wooster College Invitational Track Meet. Ashland High's Dean LaRue (extreme right) breaks tape for victory. The winner of the meet was Akron North, one of the eight teams participating.

5th (B), 2nd, Lead Softball Leagues

After three weeks of play, the Kenarden softball league standings, on the morning of May 2, are as follows:

BLACK LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
5th (B)	3	0	1.000	
8th	3	1	.750	1½
7th	2	1	.667	1
1st	1	2	.333	2
2nd (B)	1	2	.333	2
4th	0	4	.000	3½

GOLD LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.	GB
2nd	4	0	1.000	
5th	2	1	.667	1½
8th (B)	2	1	.667	1½
6th	1	1	.500	2
3rd	0	2	.000	3
7th (B)	0	4	.000	4

Coming Events

SATURDAY, MAY 5

Baseball vs. Western Reserve
 Track vs. Muskingum
 Golf vs. Hiram and Ohio Northern

TUESDAY, MAY 8

Baseball vs. Muskingum at New Concord
 Golf vs. Wittenberg at Springfield

THURSDAY, MAY 10

Golf vs. Muskingum at New Concord

FRIDAY, MAY 11

Tennis vs. Otterbein

SATURDAY, MAY 12

(Color Day)

Baseball vs. Akron
 Track vs. Akron
 Golf vs. Akron
 Tennis vs. Akron

Christy Paces Attack With Three Hits; Welty Pitches Well As Diamondmen Win

Timely hittin gand steady pitching by Chet Welty were enough to give the Wooster baseball nine an impressive 5-2 victory over Hiram at Solon last Tuesday.

After the Terriers had taken a one-run lead in the first inning on a hit batsman and on base blows by Walt Stochl and Ed Crowley, the Scots came back with two in the second.

Dick Christy and Hank Hopper started things with free passes to first before Don Baltz ripped a single to center for one run. A moment later, Hopper dented the plate when Dick Dannefer fled to right.

Scots Pull Away

Bill Loris singled to open the

third and promptly stole second. A single by Christy, the first of three, was good enough for another run and a 3-1 advantage. Two innings later the Scots sewed up the contest with a pair of runs on nary a hit. In the ninth, Stan Totten laced a two-bagger to right, took third on a wild pitch, and tallied on a sharp single by Christy.

Meet Reserve Tomorrow

The victory was the second one in three games for the Swigartmen who will play host to Western Reserve tomorrow afternoon. Today they battled against the Kenyon Lords at Gambier.

Wooster 6	Hiram 2
AB	AB H
4 0 Bush ss	Lendon lf 4 2
1 1 Sales ss	Slaughter cf 3 0
4 1 Loris lf	Zahn c 4 1
4 1 Totten 3b	Stochl 2b 4 1
3 3 Christy 1b	Crowley rf 4 0
3 0 Ford rf	Felts 1b 3 0
4 0 Hopper cf	Ross ss 3 0
5 1 Baltz c	Rozum 3b 3 0
3 0 Dannenfz'r 2b	Donald'n p 3 0
4 2 Welty p	
35 9	31 4

Score by innings: R H E
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2B—Totten, Welty, Lendon. SO—Welty 8, Donaldson 12. BB—Donaldson 4. Umpires—Romito, Dunn. Scorer—Knorr.

Kenarden Golfers Commence Season

Intramural golf began Wednesday, April 25, as the sections resumed their struggle for supremacy. At this early date only five matches have been completed; others are partially finished.

Showing its heels to the others at this time is Third Section, which has remained undefeated after two starts, trimming Fourth Section to begin the campaign and following with a win over Seventh's B team. Two other sections which started on the right foot were Sixth, which laced Fifth, and Seventh's A team, which handed Eighth its first loss.

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Langmack Heads Wooster Linkmen

With Freshman Pete Langmack gaining medalist honors in firing a cool 76, the Wooster College golf team, coached by Phil Shipe, scored an 11.5 to 4.5 victory over Mount Union last Saturday on the college golf course.

The scoring for the meet, most of which was played in a driving rain, was as follows:

Wooster 11.5		
78	4	Barrett
81	3.5	Miller
84	1.5	Crosby
76	2.5	Langmack
Mt. Union 4.5		
93	0	Tolerton
88	1.5	Daniels
84	1.5	Piper
77	2.5	Meek

The linkmen met Oberlin today and play a triangular with Hiram and Ohio Northern tomorrow.

IN THE HUDDLE

by Skip Hoyer

He'll be back. Attracted by the lure of the boxing world and the cash that goes with it, Rocky Marciano, the pride of Brocton, Massachusetts, should return to the ring within three months. At 31, he is still young and packs a great wallop in the sport. To continue his undefeated string of 49 victories, 43 of which are knockouts, should present an even greater temptation to hit the comeback trail. But for the moment his retirement has left the sports world battling over a long list of names for his successor to the heavy-weight crown.

Patterson Top Choice

At the head of the list is the youthful Floyd Patterson, followed closely by the cocky Archie Moore. An elimination tournament will undoubtedly be held by the IBC. Moore, who is growing old, fought Marciano twice. In 1955 he dropped a close decision, but was slaughtered in the return. The 21-year-old Patterson, who won the 1952 Olympic Middleweight Championship, has a great future and will be an outstanding figure for many years. He's a man to watch.

Following Moore and Patterson as possible candidates are Bob Baker, blubbery Don Cockell, Hurricane Jackson, Jimmy Slade, and Nino Valdes.

Rocky Marciano is an outstanding boxer, but even his unselfish claims at his retirement last week will not prevent him from coming back. Winners never quit.

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villagers must lie as a tremendous burden on the shoulders of those in responsible positions. So what has the government done?

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Eager Spirit

These Community Project workers are under no illusions that their task will be easy, or that their efforts will end all of India's difficulties, but theirs is a spirit of eagerness and determination.

Striking Program

The program is in its infancy, but results are striking—as villagers are guided to make their own decisions and provide voluntary labor, as they develop a sense of self-respect and pride in what they are able to accomplish, and as their neighbors see for themselves how their ways of living can be improved.

Independence Given

The Indian people received their independence only eight and a half years ago. In their relations with their former masters, they might have seized every opportunity to revel in their freedom, but they have chosen to be gracious and mature.

Seek Hard Work

The great weight of their own problems they might have faced either with despair or with the violent forms of total reorganization so evident elsewhere; instead they have sought the way of plain hard work. Further, they are able to face themselves in their new situation with intelligent self-criticism. These attitudes, I believe, bring great credit upon the Indian people.

Sincerely,
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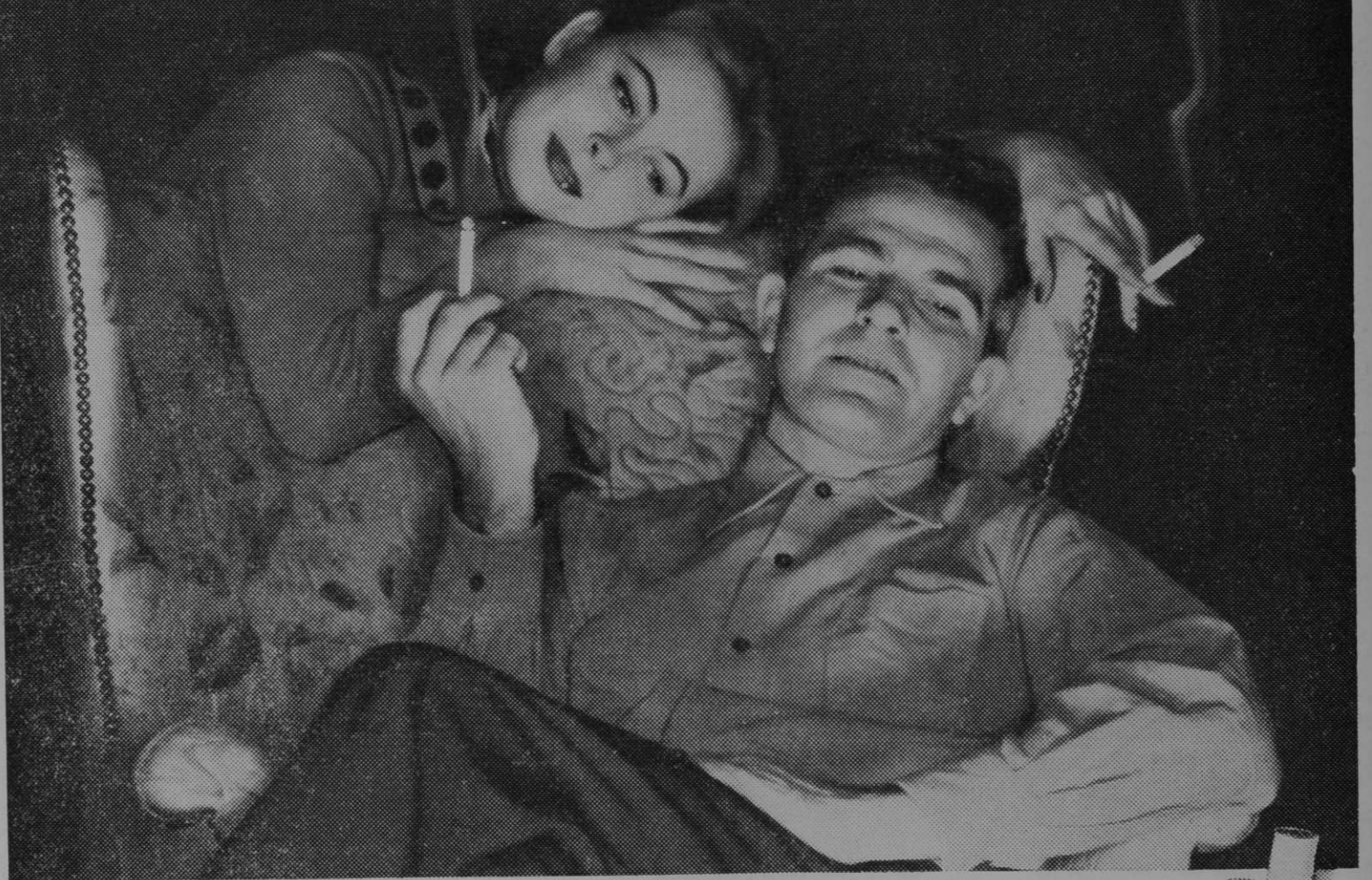
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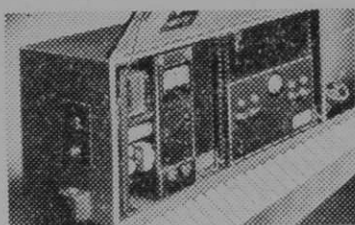
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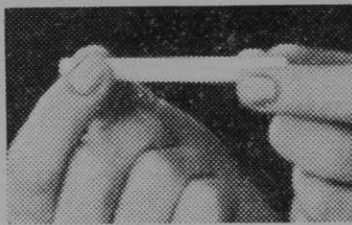
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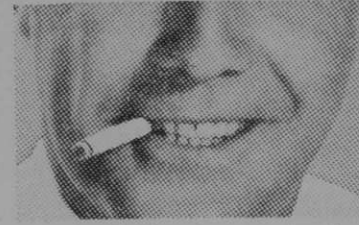
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