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## EDITORIAL.

WE reprint the following from the editorial page of the WOOSTER VOICE.

"Some time ago there appeared in the OBERLIN REVIEW an editorial which attracted considerable attention at the time and

**A Controversy.** has called forth a good deal of debate since. The burden of the editorial was as follows:

"Oberlin is not a technical school. She stands instead for general culture, for scholarly attainments and for literary training. She has but two Ohio rivals in this line—Wesleyan and Reserve."

"A recent number of the DENISONIAN contains a reply to this which is so much to the point that we reproduce it in full here. After referring to the above statement the DENISONIAN says: 'The KILIKILIK (Heidelberg) remarks: 'It is another outcropping of that self-sufficient Phari-

saism which pervades the thots and actions of the life of the larger colleges and universities.' The writer goes further and questions the truth of Oberlin's statement as far as debating is concerned. The RESERVE WEEKLY graciously comments: 'This is to a certain degree true, and we accept the classification with complaisance.' The article then goes on to show how in some ways Reserve is also superior to her two scholarly rivals. Not mentioning Denison, we give our opinion of the relative standing of some of the other Ohio colleges and our boastful trio.

"First, there is Kenyon, whose students easily surpass those of the above three in gentlemanliness of conduct and courtesy of expression—in general culture.' Then take Wooster, who during the last few years has far excelled these Ohio competitors in literary training, as any impartial observer of the results of her efforts in this line will agree. The statement that Oberlin stands high in 'scholarly attainments' is rather vague. If the expression means that the accomplishments of her alumni have given grounds for the remark, the writer overlooks the long line of celebrated graduates to which every college of long and good standing points with pride."

It is a source of great gratification to observe that, in other quarters, we secure commendation for the very qualities we aim to maintain. Our only comment upon the subject of this editorial controversy concerns the relation of the small college to the large university. It is the neglect to discriminate between the two that causes much apprehension. Both have their purposes and both achieve best certain ends. Facts will, we are sure, support the statement that it is the small college which develops "the general culture." We are glad to yield to the large universities excellence in specialization, undergraduate work and in professional training, but we retain to the small college the scholarly viewpoint, the discriminating faculty, the literary appreciation, and we are justified by every bit of past history in so doing.

It is with sincere regret and deepest sympathy that we chronicle the death of Mrs. Hosea W. Jones. Mrs. Jones was visiting in the East when the end came and her death was sudden and unexpected. The sympathy of the undergraduates goes out to Dean Jones in the deepest and fullest measure.

### \* STUDENT STATISTICS.

The following statistics may be taken for full value as they are the result of a wide-spread investigation reaching nearly every member of the student body.

#### BEXLEY.

Nineteen men. Five states are represented—Ohio, Michigan, Massachusetts, Vermont, Pennsylvania, Illinois, and Maryland. Exclusive of Kenyon Seniors, taking Bexley work, five colleges are represented—Kenyon, Williams, Middlebury, St. Stephens and O. S. U.

#### COLLEGE.

**SENIOR CLASS.** Twenty-two men. Five states represented—Ohio, South Dakota, Pennsylvania, Oklahoma and New York. Four men are graduates of preparatory schools, remainder are high school graduates. Nine men are in the Classical course, four in the Philosophicals, three in the Literary and five in the Scientific. Nineteen hours is the average number of recitation hours carried by members of the Senior Class. Ten men are interested in an active manner in some form of athletics. Four men are found on the football squad, three on the baseball squad, three on the track and three on the basketball. One Senior has won the football K, one the basketball, one the track. Ten men are engaged in some literary activity. Six members of Philo and four of Nu Pi Kappa, are found in the class. Three members of the Class are sons of Kenyon men. Three men have brothers who are Kenyon men. One man has three uncles on the roll of Alumni. Eight men plan to enter the business world; four men are preparing for the ministry; three men will study some form of engineering, architecture, journalism, medicine and law claim one man each. The average age of the class is 22 years.

**JUNIOR CLASS.** Twenty men are included in statistics. Four states are represented—Ohio, Kentucky, Michigan and Maryland. Five men come from preparatory schools. Nine men are in the Classical course, five in the Philoso-

phical, two in the Literary and four in the Scientific. Nineteen hours appears to be the average amount of work carried. Eleven men take part in the various athletics. Three men play football, seven baseball, two basketball, the track squad secures three men from this class. Two men are wearers of the football K, three of the baseball and two of the basketball K. Fourteen men participate in some literary activity; seven are members of Philo, five of Nu Pi Kappa. Two men are sons of Kenyon men, one man has two brothers and another three uncles among the alumni. Nine men are preparing for business; four will enter the ministry; three will specialize in engineering; two will study law; one man plans to pursue graduate work. The average age of the class is about 21 years.

**SOPHOMORE CLASS.** Thirty-one men included in investigation. Eight states are represented—Ohio, Texas, Kentucky, Indiana, Illinois, New York, Iowa and Wisconsin. Two foreign countries, Japan and Canada, are also represented. Eleven men are from preparatory schools. Nineteen men are engaged in athletics. Twelve are interested in football, eight in baseball, eight in track and four in basketball. Six men are entitled to wear football K's; two men have won baseball emblems; two track and three basketball. Twelve men are found actively connected with various literary enterprises. Seven men are in Philo, and five in Nu Pi Kappa. Two men are sons of Kenyon men. Six men have had brothers in college; two men are nephews of Kenyon graduates. The majority of the class look forward to a business life. Five men plan to enter the legal profession. Three are to study medicine and two are preparing for Theology. The average age of the class is 20 years.

**FRESHMAN CLASS.** Thirty-two men considered. Six states are represented—Ohio, Missouri, Michigan, Illinois, Kentucky and West Virginia. One foreign country—England—is also represented. Owing to the rules of the Ohio Conference, athletic statistics are somewhat unattainable. Enough is found, however, to warrant the statement that the class will be prominent in every branch of athletics. Ten men are members of Philo, five of Nu Pi Kappa. Three men are the sons of Kenyon men. Four men have brothers and two have uncles among the Kenyon alumni. The average age of the class is nineteen years.

These statistics show many interesting facts. In college are found men from fifteen states, and three foreign countries. Ten men are sons of Kenyon men. Over thirty men have had relatives in college. Over twenty-five per cent. of the student body comes from large cities—cities

with a population of over 150,000. Cincinnati sends eight men, more than any other one city. Over one-third of the members of the student body come from without Ohio. More men are graduates of high schools than of preparatory schools. The largest number of men will enter the business world. Fifteen men are preparing for the ministry. Over seventy-five per cent. of the men are engaged in athletics. Should tennis be included this percentage would be increased. Over fifty per cent. of the students are actively engaged in literary enterprises of one nature or another. The Philosophical course contains the most men, closely followed by the Classical and Literary courses. These three courses can approximate the same number of men but the Scientific course falls short by nearly half of the number in other courses. Few men carry less than sixteen hours a week. Nineteen appears to be the favorite amount of work. Nine is the lowest number of hours carried. Twenty-five the highest. Close examination of these statistics evidences the fact that the college is well balanced. Extremes are rare. A steady, conservative, progressive policy is the rule.

## BASEBALL.

Otterbein, 2.

Kenyon, 9.

Kenyon opened the season of 1907 by defeating Otterbein on the afternoon of Saturday, April 20th. The result of the game was gratifying as practice had been continually interrupted by bad weather. Gilder pitched a strong game for Kenyon, allowing but five scattered hits and striking out six men. Considering the limited amount of practice, the team work of Kenyon was surprising. The infield work together with snap and vim. Clarke played a good game on second, accepting six chances without an error. He also secured two hits. Otterbein lacked team work and was inclined to lose control of the situation.

During the first four innings no runs were scored by either side. In the third inning Otterbein's chances looked extremely good. With a man on first and second, Strahl rapped a hot one toward shortstop. McGlashan caught the liner, doubled the man at second and threw to Eddy at first, completing a triple play. The throw was wide, but Eddy, who was playing first on account of Luthy's absence, made a sensational pick-up. In the fifth Kenyon scored three runs on a hit by Clarke and errors by the Otterbein infield. The next inning brought a reputation and Kenyon made three runs on errors and misplays. In the eighth Otterbein scored on a two-

base hit, a stolen base and an error. In Kenyon's half of the inning, three runs were made on two hits, three stolen bases and a wild pitch. Otterbein scored in the ninth on a base on balls and two hits.

## The Score:

OTTERBEIN.	AB	R	H	PO	A	SB	SH	E
Titus, lf.....	3	0	2	0	0	1	0	0
Strahl, 2b.....	4	0	0	1	3	0	0	2
Funk, 1b.....	5	1	1	9	0	0	0	2
Lloyd, 3b - p.....	4	0	0	2	3	0	0	2
Kring, ss.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Grabill, p - 3b.....	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Watson, rf.....	4	1	0	0	0	1	0	0
Kitner, cf.....	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0
Saunders, c.....	4	0	1	11	1	0	0	0
Totals.....	34	2	5	24	8	2	0	8

KENYON.	AB	R	H	PO	A	SB	SH	E
McGlashan, ss.....	3	1	0	1	4	2	0	0
Finnell, 3b.....	4	2	1	2	3	2	0	0
Cunningham, c.....	4	2	0	5	3	1	0	0
Eddy, 1b.....	3	0	0	14	0	2	0	0
Clarke, 2b.....	4	1	2	2	4	0	0	0
Jones, cf.....	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
Weatherwax, lf.....	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
Lord, rf.....	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Gilder, p.....	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals.....	32	9	3	26	15	7	0	1

\*Kenyon did not take last bat. †Strahl out, hit by batted ball.

Two base hits—Clark, Funk, Titus. Bases on balls, Off Gilder, 2; off Grabill, 1. Struck out by Gilder, 6; by Grabill, 7; by Lloyd, 3. Left on bases—Kenyon, 8; Otterbein, 6. Triple play—McGlashan to Eddy. Double play—Lloyd to Funk. Hit by pitcher—Eddy, Titus.

O. M. U., 0.

Kenyon, 6.

In the second game of the season Kenyon shut out O. M. U. to the tune of 6 to 0. The game was a fast one and lively throughout. Crosby pitched for Kenyon and displayed remarkable form. He allowed but four hits and struck out fourteen men. His control was perfect and he at no time lost the upper hand.

Kenyon's team work and fast fielding was the feature of the game. The team batted far better than in the Otterbein game.

In the second Thomas made a clean two-bagger and went to first on a passed ball. The next man up struck out but Cunningham dropped the third strike. He threw to first and Luthy, by a quick return caught Thomas at the plate.

In the third inning Eddy reached first on a pass. Patterson was hit by pitcher, and Crosby drove a fast one to third scoring Eddy. McGlashan doubled, scoring Patterson and Crosby. In the fifth Crosby reached first on an error by the third baseman and scored on McGlashan's single. In the sixth Cunningham singled, Clarke reached first on an error by the left fielder. A double steal was worked, Cunningham going to third and Clarke to second. Eddy drove both men in with a clean single over second. The game was fast and was one of the kind that encourages rooters.

The score:

O. M. U.	AB	R	H	SB	PO	A	E
Claypool, ss.	4	0	0	0	1	0	0
Peirce, rf.	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
S. W. Brown, lf.	4	0	1	0	1	0	1
Thomas, lb.	4	0	1	0	0	0	0
Miller, cf.	4	0	0	2	0	0	0
Mase, 2b.	4	0	1	0	1	1	1
Edwards, 3b (c)	3	0	1	0	2	3	1
E. S. Brown, c.	3	0	0	0	8	2	2
Cope, p.	2	0	0	0	0	2	0
Total	32	0	4	2	24	8	5

KENYON.	AB	R	H	SB	PO	A	E
Jones, cf.	4	0	0	0	1	0	1
McGlashan, ss.	4	0	2	1	0	1	1
Luthy, lb.	4	0	0	0	8	2	0
Cunningham, c.	4	1	2	1	13	2	0
Clarke, 2b.	4	1	0	1	2	2	0
Finnell, 3b.	4	0	1	1	2	1	2
Eddy, lf.	3	1	1	0	1	0	0
Patterson, rf.	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Weatherwax, rf.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
Crosby, p.	3	2	0	1	0	2	0
Total	33	6	6	5	27	10	4

Earned runs—Kenyon, 1. Two-base hits—McGlashan, Thomas. Three-base hit—Edwards. First base on balls—Off Crosby, 1; off Cope, 1. Left on bases, Kenyon, 3; O. M. U., 8. First base on errors—Kenyon, 4; O. M. U., 3. Struck out—By Crosby, 14; by Cope, 8. Double plays—Luthy to Finnell; Cunningham to Luthy to Cunningham. Passed balls—Cunningham, 1; Brown, 1. Hit by pitcher—Patterson.

"The Neomon" is the Halsteadian name bestowed upon the pretentious mansion located opposite Hanna Hall. These magnificent quarters will long be remembered and the students who have occupied them will long yearn for them.

## THE EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE.

At the Executive Committee meeting, April 18, 1907, the following men were voted basketball "K's."

Luthy, Clarke, Brigman, Jackson, Dun.

Manager Judd of the track team was authorized to arrange for track meets with Otterbein and O. W. U.

Tennis Manager Southworth was authorized to arrange for tournament with Oberlin.

At the Executive Meeting April 25, Manager Southworth of the baseball team turned over \$16.00 to the committee from subscription fund.

A Committee was appointed for the purpose of securing a store room for athletic goods.

## LIBRARY NOTES.

An old and interesting portrait of Lord Kenyon, has been presented to the Library. This small portrait bears the date of 1830. The work is done in the form of a silhouette, which has been touched with some metallic finish.

A set of the works of Ben Johnson has been purchased by the Library. The work is in three volumes and contains a memoir by William Gifford.

In the Outlook for April 13, appears an article by Percival Lowell, entitled "Is Mars Inhabited?" Mr. Lowell has made a consistent study of Mars and has had the planet under his observation for more than twelve years. His observatory is located in Arizona, where it has been shown that the atmosphere is nearly twice as clear as at the naval observatory in Washington and much clearer than anywhere else in the country, since this locality is exempt from all impurities arising from proximity of cities and excess moisture. Hence it is that Mr. Lowell has been able to observe what many great astronomers have not had the opportunity. He has made thousands of charts of the planet and produces evidence of developments which have taken place on Mars that are wholly unaccountable from natural causes.

The May Munsey contains an interesting article on the development of the steamboat from Fulton's "Clermont" to the "Lusitania," one of the Cunard Company's huge turbine steamers.

## NU PI KAPPA.

The meeting of Nu Pi Kappa was held as usual in the Greek room on Wednesday evening, April 29. The roll call showed a presence of twenty-two members. The subject for the evening was a debate on "Resolved, That the United States should establish a more extensive system of shipping subsidies."

The affirmative was argued by Messrs. Kin-kaid and Platt, '08. The negative, by Mr. Hardy and Mr. Cuff, both of the class of 1910. Altho the negative was not well versed in economic principles they made a good stand and entertained their audience in an admirable manner. The decision was in favor of the affirmative.

The society adjourned to meet again one week from the following Friday.

## COLLEGE WORLD.

A Junior Secret Society has recently been organized at Ohio State to which selected men from the Junior Class are eligible for membership under the name of the "Bucket and Dipper"

On Saturday, June 22, the world's athletic championships will be held at the Jamestown Exposition. A handsome banner will be given to the college winning the meet, and gold, silver and bronze medals will be awarded to first, second and third places respectively in each event. Princeton, Michigan, Chicago, Georgetown and North Carolina Universities have announced their intention to enter.

Ohio State has organized the Student Council to organize and systematize all inter-class contests and privileges.

T. Roosevelt, Jr., 1909, was recently elected second assistant manager of the Harvard Crew.

All cuts taken immediately preceding the Easter recess at Yale count double.

Amherst missed the Easter vacation at the appointed time because of a scarlet fever epidemic which necessitated closing the college for two weeks.

First proof of the 1907 "Reveille" has been received. This proof meets the highest hopes of the editors and evidences the fact that the annual this year will be unusually fine. Let every one support this hazardous undertaking.

Dr. G. R. Parker, administrator of the Rhodes scholarship here has announced the list of American candidates who have passed the examinations of the University of Oxford, held throughout the United States. Out of 215 candidates, 138 passed, a larger proportion than ever before. Of the 48 States, all produced candidates except three. Of the 138, 45 will be chosen to go to Oxford next October. The scholarships are worth \$1500 a year.

Michigan has the largest law school in the country, Harvard the largest Academic school, Cornell the largest technical school, and Pennsylvania the largest medical school.

Harvard graduates have raised \$12,500, for the purpose of restoring St. John's Chapel, London, where John Harvard, founder of Harvard College, was baptized and where the body of his father is buried.

A writ of summons has been issued against twenty-seven members of the Class of 1905 of the University of Minnesota for a \$1000 debt incurred by the management of "The Gopher," the Senior souvenir publication.

Ohio Medical University and Starling Medical College have been consolidated. This merger is a step in the direction of state control and will facilitate a union with Ohio State.

On Sunday, the twenty-first of April, Dr. Peirce preached at Oxford. On the fifth of May, he spoke at the Michigan Military Academy at Orchards Lake, Michigan.

The Sophomore Class, under the direction of Dr. Reeves, is making excellent progress in their coming play, "The Buxton Burglary." It is a farce comedy of three acts and will undoubtedly prove a large success.

The repairing of Ascension Hall is making rapid progress and the middle divisions of Old Kenyon begin to assume a look of completion.

W. M. Townsend, '79, the Rev. A. S. Frazer, '80, J. H. Dempsey, '82, Colton Maynard, Yale, '01, H. S. Clark, Yale, '03, A. A. Murfey, J. B. Dempsey, J. S. Johnson, Ray Sims and Lloyd Townsend, were recent visitors on the Hill.

"The Gates of New York" in the Outlook for May concerns the wonderful feats of modern engineering and invention in the transportation and terminal improvements of New York city.



## A Summer Law School.

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THE CINCINNATI LAW SCHOOL offers an eight weeks' course, beginning June third. The work will be under the same professors as during the regular school year.

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### The Cincinnati Law School.

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## Graduate Schools of Harvard University

The following Professional Schools in Harvard University are open to holders of a bachelor's degree

#### Law School

A three years' course leads to the degree of LL.B. Residence for three years is required, but residence at another three years' school may be accepted as a substitute for one of the years of residence at this school. Three annual examinations are required. Inquiries may be addressed to H. A. Fischer, 20 Austin Hall, Cambridge, Mass.

#### Medical School

A four years' course leads to the M. D. degree. The School offers graduate courses open to holders of the M. D. degree, and in its new laboratories offers greatly extended facilities for research. For catalogues, for graduate and summer courses, for research and special courses, address Charles M. Green, M. D., 104 Administration Building, Harvard Medical School, Boston, Mass.

#### Divinity School

This is an undenominational school of theology offering instruction leading to the degree of Bachelor of Divinity. Inquiries may be addressed to R. S. Morison, 5 Divinity Library, Cambridge, Mass.

#### Graduate School of Arts and Sciences

Instruction is offered leading to the master's and doctor's degrees in the following fields: Philology (Ancient and Modern Languages and Literature), History, Political Science, Economics, Philosophy, Education and Fine Arts, Music, Mathematics, Physics, Chemistry, Biology, Geology, and Anthropology. Inquiries may be addressed to G. W. Robinson, 11 University Hall, Cambridge, Mass.

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Instruction leading to professional degrees is offered in the following subjects: Civil, Mechanical, and Electrical Engineering, Mining, Metallurgy, Architecture, Landscape Architecture, Forestry, Applied Physics, Applied Chemistry, Applied Zoology, and Applied Geology. Inquiries may be addressed to W. C. Sabine, 17 University Hall, Cambridge, Mass.