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LITERARY HAVEN BECOMES INFIRMARY

A familiar Kenyon landmark will assume a new function in the near future when Douglass House opens on Feb. 18th as the Kenyon Infirmary. Under the general charge of Dr. J.F. Lee, the new infirmary is intended only for slight illnesses or recuperative cases, more serious ones still being sent to Mercy Hospital.

On duty constantly at the Infirmary will be the new matron, Mrs. Anne Jopling Lester, mother of Jopling Lester, Kenyon '31. Mrs. Lester will arrive at Kenyon on Feb. 5th, and will have an apartment at the Infirmary.

Mrs. W.E. Camp will also be on
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DANCE TO BE FEB. 13th

The Dance Committee, headed by Bill McMurray, has set Saturday, February 13th for the winter dance. There will be dancing from 10 P.M. until 3 A.M. The name of the band has not yet been announced.

Alpha Delta Phi and Delta Kappa Epsilon, who expect to be living in the Alumni House by dance week-end, will vacate it for their guests.

Others wishing accommodations should make arrangements with members of either fraternity.

DEAN HOAG HEADS PREMETEOROLOGY

President Chalmers announced recently the organization of the faculty responsible for instruction in the Army Air Forces' program in premeteorology as follows:

Dean Gilbert T. Hoag will serve as Chairman of the whole group;

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ENTERTAINMENT COMMITTEE

Inaugurating a new entertainment program for the college community, a faculty-student committee has been formed to plan a series of week-end activities at Kenyon in the near future. With Dean Brown as chairman and Martha Wilson as secretary, the committee includes Mrs. Cahall, Mrs. Brown, Miss Chard, Mrs. Coolidge, Mrs. Norton, Dr. Black, Dr. Hocking, Dr. Ashford, Dr. Salomon, and Mr. Kutler. The student representatives are Ken Kadey and Bob Pennington.

A faculty-student bridge tournament held on Jan. 15th successfully opened the program. Sparky Vail and Jim Graves, as the high scoring students, each receiving a carton cigarettes, as did Dr. and Mrs. Cahall, who led the faculty. The tournament will be continued Jan. 30th. Students who have not already entered may do so by calling Mrs. R.B. Brown.

PLANS FOR ENTRY OF ARMY STUDENTS

Pending the arrival of an officer representing the Army Premeteorological Training Program at Kenyon, the formulation of definite plans for the entry of the premeteorological students will take place. Although the army men were expected to arrive Feb. 1, that date has been postponed probably until Feb. 15.

The living quarters for these students will contain practically all new furniture, a few pieces having been used before by the college. For each two men there will be one double decker bed, one dresser, one desk, and two chairs. Bedding will be provided by the college. A possible plan

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SEVEN FRESHMEN ENTER

Entering Kenyon either as freshman or transfers from other schools, seven new men have taken their places on the Hill for the winter quarter.

Beta Theta Pi has pledged Charles W. Parton of Bronxville, New York, and Don Matthews of Glendale, Ohio. Delta Tau Delta has pledged Thomas O. Yontsey of Covington, Kentucky, and Harry G. Ziegler of Jackson, Michigan is a pledge of Psi Upsilon.

Gordon Felton of Indianola, Iowa; Kevin M. O'Donnell of Cleveland and Richard M. Shaeffer of Kansas City, Missouri have not as yet pledged.

Another new group of men will enter in mid-February as civilians in the Premeteorological Training Program. Students in this class will pay the same charges for tuition and living as the regular Army students, according to an Army ruling.

Although students entering the Army Premeteorological Training must be eighteen years old, men under eighteen may enter the Civilian Training Program mentioned above.

Complications may be expected upon the arrival of the Army Air Corps Students. How will they react upon discovering that their song is the Junior Commando Song?

LITERARY HAVEN BECOMES INFIRMARY
(con't.)

duty two hours each day and four hours on Sunday, as well as when extra help is needed. Mrs. Dial, who was formerly at the Alumni House will have some time there too. The infirmary will have five rooms for patients with twelve beds as well as a dispensary and matron's apartment. Meals will also be prepared there.

Owing to the increasing transportation difficulties, the enlarged student enrollment caused by the Army Meteorology students, the college authorities felt an infirmary was needed at Gambier.

REGISTRATION

Of the three hundred students registered at Kenyon for the Fall term, two hundred-fortyfive have returned for the Winter term. Of these, the majority are in either the Army or Navy Reserve programs, and those who are not, are gradually being drafted. Among those who have already left are Don Ham-mister, Ben Wandel, Bob Sherratt, and Jim Searcy.

Many of the students remaining at Kenyon are moving into new quarters. The Alpha Deltas and Dekes are waiting to move until the double decker beds ordered for their rooms at the Alumni House are delivered in Gambier. These beds were ordered January 19th, and if they arrive soon enough, the two fraternities will move this coming week-end. Otherwise, they will move gradually, as the facilities are provided for them.

DEAN HOAG HEADS PREMETEOROLOGY
(Cont.)

Professor E. H. Johnson will serve as Chairman of the Physics section; Professor Charles T. Bumer as chairman of the Mathematics section; Professor Paul T. Palmer as Chairman of the section of History, Government, English, and Speech.

LEHECKA IN GOLDEN GLOVES ON 29th

One week from tonight Red Lehecka, Kenyon's fine all-round athlete, will climb into the ring at the Cleveland Arena to battle in the Open Welterweight class of the Golden Gloves Tournament.

Winners in the various classes of the local tournament, which is being held Jan. 28, 29 and Feb. 2, 3, will compete in the finals at Boston sometime in April.

Red will be handled by Sparky Rudolph, manager of the sensational Jimmy Bivins, number one lightweight in the nation. Sparky also manages Bobby Richardson, who edged the Redhead out of the Novice Lightweight championship in the 1939 Tournament.

Next week's battle will probably be Red's farewell to sports for the duration. Red announced that his college athletic career was over and unless he goes into the Gloves finals in the Beantown, the Arena fracas will write finis to the career of one of Kenyon's gamest and most colorful athletes. The Redhead was one of the Lords' backfield stars for three years and one of the outstanding baseball players on the Hill. Last June Red was elected captain of the 1943 nine but he probably won't be around to lead the squad when the season opens.

Lehecka has been working out daily in the basement of Rosse Hall since coming back to college after the vacation. Jack Jewitt, Clyde Hein, "Bite" Levinson, and Bud Southard have been working as sparring partners, helping him to pound into form. According to Red, interest in boxing throughout the college is at its greatest peak today. Even when boxing was a part of the intramural program there was not as much interest in the sport as there is this winter. A factor which may have contributed to this interest is Rudy Kuter's encouragement of the sport in his Commando drills.

CAGERS POINTING FOR FIRST WIN

Having absorbed three straight defeats this month, Coach Chuck Imel's quintet is pointing for its initial victory when it takes on Fenn in Rosse Hall tonight.

To date the Lords have bowed to Otterbein, Denison, and Oberlin. They journeyed to Oberlin on the 9th of January and lost 72-46 to the Yeomen.

January 12th saw the team drop a heartbreaker to Denison in a bitterly contested game. The count was 44-39. It was the general consensus after that contest that the team would be much improved by the time it faced Otterbein the following weekend, but the absence of Russ Lynch greatly hampered the Lords when they faced the Cardinals in Rosse Hall.

The game started out as though the Westerville crew were on the way to an easy win, but the Lords pulled up at the end of the half almost within reach of the visitors. During the second half Kenyon several times seemed capable of overtaking the Cards but each time the Redbirds tossed in a couple of baskets to stay out in front. The last quarter found Otterbein adding to its total while holding the home team, and the final score was 52-42.

The play of freshmen Palmer Harbison and Ned Tanner has been one of the highlights in an otherwise drab season so far. Both of these men have displayed great ability and are great favorites with the supporters of the team. Much is expected of Russ Lynch as soon as he gets into his best shape after suffering from an illness last week.

Next Monday night the Kenyon team will face a strong Camp Perry five in Mt. Vernon in an Infantile Paralysis Benefit game. Warren Gerber, former Toledo star, will play for the service five.

PARTY TO BE GIVEN FACULTY

Mr. and Mrs. Charles C. Wright of Cleveland, trustees of Kenyon College, have donated a check to the college to be used for a faculty party which will take place on January 23rd at Pierce Hall. It will be a general games party.

Mrs. B. yes Norton is chairman of the committee sponsoring the affair and her aides include Mrs. W.E. Camp, Mrs. Walter H. Coolidge, Miss Katherine Machen, Miss Lillian Chard, Mrs. Charles T. Bumer, Mrs. Paul M. Titus, Dr. Ashford, Mr. McKinley, and Rev. Thomas Barrett.

Mrs. May Lord and Mrs. Charles M. Coffin head the hostess committee.

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for the use of the two former fraternity parlors in the Bull's Eyes of Old Kenyon has been suggested. One half of each room will be furnished as a lounge, and the other half will have desks for studying. Desks will also be placed in one of the former Middle Kenyon parlors and in a portion of the library.

An Army captain and several non-commissioned officers will be here to manage the basic training.

Since the ban on voluntary enlistments, induction procedure for the Premeteorological Training Program has been changed. Now, after a candidate has been accepted for the training, he must report to his local draft board and request voluntary induction within fifteen days. After induction the candidate is sent to an Army Replacement Center and then assigned to Kenyon or one of the other participating colleges when the training program opens.

TECHNICAL TRAINING EMPHASIZED

New courses pertaining to Civilian Defense and increasing emphasis on technical instruction characterize the curricula of colleges and universities in the states of Ohio, Kentucky, Indiana and West Virginia, it was noted today from a survey just completed by the Fifth Region Office of Civilian Defense under the direction of Dan. T. Moore, Regional OCD head.

According to the survey, many colleges such as Centre College at Danville, Kentucky, and Wooster College in Ohio have reorganized courses dealing with the history of various countries, international relations, post-war reconstruction, and production, with special emphasis on wartime problems.

Scores of new courses have been added. For example, Ohio State University and Denison University both offer introductory courses in the Japanese language. Specialized training is now available in radio technology, industrial safety, all types of engineering, materials inspection and testing, war production accounting, Diesel engines, production supervision, industrial chemistry, navigation, meteorology and a host of other subjects.

Many of the courses are available through the Engineering, Science, and Management War Training Program with the authorization of the U.S. Office of Education. Students generally buy their text books and a few other materials, but course tuition and laboratory fees are paid by the Federal Government. There are numerous schools in the four states that offer Government-sponsored courses. Among them are Fenn College, Cleveland; Miami University, Oxford; University of Cincinnati, and others. Marietta, Muskingum, and Wooster Colleges conduct civilian pilot training programs.