

10-2-1953

Kenyon Collegian - October 2, 1953

Follow this and additional works at: <https://digital.kenyon.edu/collegian>

Recommended Citation

"Kenyon Collegian - October 2, 1953" (1953). *The Kenyon Collegian*. 2051.
<https://digital.kenyon.edu/collegian/2051>

This News Article is brought to you for free and open access by the College Archives at Digital Kenyon: Research, Scholarship, and Creative Exchange. It has been accepted for inclusion in The Kenyon Collegian by an authorized administrator of Digital Kenyon: Research, Scholarship, and Creative Exchange. For more information, please contact noltj@kenyon.edu.

Pajama Parade Tonight at 7:30 P.M.

KENYON COLLEGIAN

A Journal of Student Opinion

Vol. LXXVIII 80

October 2, 1953

No. 1

LORDS MEET SCOTS TOMORROW AT 2:15

WOOSTER HOST TO KENYON

The Kenyon Lords, 1953 edition, invade Wooster's Severance Stadium tomorrow to open another football season against a strong, talented, all-veteran Wooster team. The Scots have another potential powerhouse this year, with 24 lettermen back from last year's squad which won seven, lost one and tied one. (This record includes a 35-19 win over Kenyon.) From last year's squad, only four lettermen are gone, and the Scots find themselves two deep in veterans at every position.

Against this array of talent, Kenyon will field what Coach Bill Stiles calls, "a fair team, but one with the best spirit I've ever had." Returning are sixteen lettermen, led by co-captains Bob MacAllister and Don Marsh. The Lords, who split even in six contests last year, have lost five regulars from the 1952 squad, two backfield men and three linemen. From the backfield, co-captains, quarterback Dom Cabrielle and fullback Ron Fraley have been lost via graduation. Stiles will be hard pressed to replace Cabrielle's passing and Fraley's line smashes. From the line, big Norm Nichol has graduated and Dick Block has reinjured his knee.

Despite these loses however, the team, on paper at least, looks to be stronger in almost all respects. The line is the biggest in years, and potentially one of the best in Kenyon's history. Lining up against the Scots tomorrow, the starting line will be: left end, Gene Mio; left tackle,

Tony Milkowski; left guard, Bob Smith; center, MacAllister; right guard, Stan Walch; right tackle, Jack Harrison; and right end, Marsh. Mio is back after a year's absence and looks very good, both as an offensive end and as defensive linebacker.

Behind this formidable line will be what Stiles calls a "pony backfield," small, light, and fast. Opening at quarterback will be sophomore Bob Rowe, who understudied Cabrielle last year and is a good bullet-passer. Inexperience seems to be his only possible drawback. At the halfback slots will be the sophomore "dual jets," Bill Lowery and Frank Gingerich, both regulars last year and both have shown up very well in practice. Starting fullback will be George Thomas. George not big as fullbacks go, hasn't let size handicap him in practice. Two other men who will see a lot of action in the Lord's backfield tomorrow are Ron Kendrick, freshman quarterback from Lancaster, Ohio, and Hugh McGowan who will play either half or full back.

Kenyon is a one or two touchdown underdog for the game, but the Lords are easily capable of pulling an upset, especially since Wooster could be looking forward to its big clash with Denison the following week.

The entire College of Wooster will be present at The Stadium tomorrow and it would be a good idea for Kenyon to give a good account of itself attendance-wise. Come on up and see a well played ballgame. A few men in the stands may be good for a couple of extra touchdowns.

SSQT TEST NOVEMBER 19

Applications for the November 19, 1953 and the April 22, 1954 administrations of the College Qualification Test are now available at Selective Service System local boards. Freshmen are not advised to take the test in the fall. They should, however, take it in the spring. By spring they will have learned something and, their chances of passing are greatly improved.

Eligible students who intend to take this test on either date should apply at once to the nearest Selective Service local board located in the basement of the Post Office in Mount Vernon.

Applications for the November 19 test must be postmarked no later than midnight, November 2, 1953.

Following instructions in the bulletin procured in Mount Vernon, the student should fill out his application and mail it immediately in the envelope provided to: SELECTIVE SERVICE EXAMINING SECTION, Educational Testing Service, P. O. Box 586, Princeton, New Jersey. The results will be reported to the student's Selective Service local board of jurisdiction for use in considering his deferment as a student.

Class Of '57 Best Since Postwar Era

Mother "T" To Bow Out!

During the past year a much needed step has been made toward expanding the housing facilities of Kenyon College.

The completion of the new dorms, Norton and Lewis Halls, has long been awaited by everyone and will greatly be appreciated by the Freshmen Class who find that the barracks are rapidly becoming unsuitable for living. (see cut).

The first building to be completed by the Steward Construction Company will be Lewis Hall, a gift of the Rauh Estate in honor of David Lewis. The construction will be completed by the fourteenth of October and the rooms will be completely furnished by the twenty-fourth. A tour will be given at that time so that the faculty and village can visit the Hall. Approximately one month later Norton Hall is expected to be ready for occupancy.

The entire cost of the project is approximately \$679,600, of which \$653,900 is already on hand. This leaves a balance of \$25,700 yet to be acquired. There is hope that by the end of the fiscal year both buildings will be paid for in full.

The idea of increasing the total enrollment of Kenyon to nearly 600 students has been forming since 1941. However, due to the war and space limitations, it merely remained an idea for the future. But with the donation of 350 thousand dollars five years ago by the Rauh Estate the wheels of planning were once again set into motion. Last fall it was decided at first to



Huh?

build one dorm in which would accommodate half of the new class. But Norton Hall construction was also commenced when additional funds were forthcoming. Finally last January three barracks in the Harcourt area were torn down and the foundations were laid for the new edifices.

The new twin dormitories will each house 77 students as well as a married proctor and family. All rooms are painted in beautiful pastel colors. Among the many modern facilities are a large wardrobe for each student, a foam rubber mattress, and all new furniture. The buildings also contain sound proof ceilings, a lounge, and gas heating.

Freshmen Are Bakers, Athletes, and Boy Scouts!

As the wordly-wise Kenyon upperclassman comes swaggering into Gambier, he immediately notices many extremely small creatures hustling and bustling aimlessly about. Upon closer scrutinization, these prove to be freshmen, the class of 1957. To the sophomore of wide experience and high intelligence, the "new bunch" seems to be nothing special or noteworthy.

It happens, though, that the present incoming class has a great deal of talent in many varied fields, if high school records are any criterion. Though all have experienced a common homesickness, fear, awe, and incongruity in their new environment, the interests and abilities of the "fuzzies" are being channeled into many different directions.

The class of '57 is assembled from twenty states; the District of Columbia, Hawaii, and two foreign countries, Korea and Colombia.

A breakdown of the number of students from these various areas reads as follows: Ohio 53, New York 17, Pennsylvania 13, Illinois 10, Missouri 7, New Jersey 6, Massachusetts 6, Indiana 5, California 3, Maryland 3, Connecticut 3, District of Columbia 2, Wisconsin 2, and 7 others with one each. The new men number 146 (136 freshmen and 10 transfers). A majority of these are graduates of public high schools. Private schools are well represented, however — a total of twenty-nine preparatory and military schools.

The bulk of the class is housed in the temporary barracks, "T," 2, 4, 6, 8, 9, awaiting the completion of the Lewis and Norton dormitories. A few are staying on the third floor of East Wing, Old Kenyon, the basement of Leonard Hall, and the first floor of Middle Kenyon.

Academically, the class of '57 measures up as the equal of any preceding group. Led by seven Baker scholars,



WADDYA MEAN "THESE ARE MY QUARTERS!"

(Continued on page 6)

KENYON COLLEGIAN

Since



1856

Published bi-weekly during the collegiate year by the students of Kenyon College. (Member of the Ohio College Press Association, Ohio College Newspaper Association, and the Inter-collegiate Press.)

Ethan Allen Turshen **Editor-in-Chief**
Jim Hughes & Bill Humphreys **Business Managers**

Daniel Kramer **News Editor**
Robert Greenberger **Feature Editor**
Christian Schoenle **Sports Editor**

STAFF:

Divisions — E. Davies Graybill & Bob Hudec; Exchange Editor — Ron Winter; Sports — Dan Bumstead, Alan Shavzin, Rog Scherk; Features — Alan Shavzin, Mel Baron, Henry Steck; News — Gene Nassar, Jim Truesdale, Tom Roulund, Lew Portnoy, Dick Hester, Ronald Kuchta; Circulation — Dick Yee; Advertising — Chuck Ewing.

Photography Editor **Hugh Pierce**
Art Editors **Hans Gesell, Al Kidd, Skip Kurris**

For subscriptions or advertising space address the Business Manager, Box 308, Gambier, Ohio.

COLLEGIAN - 1953

The *Collegian's* recent call to arms resulted in a considerable number of recruits from the Freshman Class. Consequently, a good share of the contents of the features, as well as a large part of the entire publication, has been their work. Ideally speaking, the purpose of a college publication is to offer a medium for student expression, in all forms, from all levels. The willingness of the Freshmen in making contributions serves as an encouraging hint of what could be achieved, in the direction of a truly representative newsheet, if their attitude were matched by hearing other voices from other sectors of the student body. We've gotten an excellent start, we believe, owing to the initial effort of the Freshmen; and now all that remains necessary to insure the *Collegian's* success is support from the higher levels, and that is said with no sincere malice toward our Freshman contributors. In short, the *Collegian* welcomes and will appreciate all written reverberation to this first issue.

R. A. G.

INVOCATION...

In the way of kind of an invocation, the following article is an excerpt from the essay written for the English Exemption Test by Barry Gjelsness. It strikes quite a serious note, and may even be out of place here; but that should be no real cause for alarm because what it has to say is worth hearing wherever it might be found. Incidentally, Barry passed the Exemption test.

"Today we live in a mechanized age, an age of power, an era of complicated living that has set up so great a number of goals, worthy and unworthy, that it is a wise man who can learn to live his life for the sake of enriching his spirit rather than himself. We set our sights on curious things — a new car, an expensive home, social prestige, a million dollars — and lose sight of the fact that in so doing our intrinsic worth becomes something quite akin to the proverbial bump on a log. As a nation we have developed to the point where now, unquestionably, we are the leaders of the free world, yet our spiritual ties with other countries and the very real need for understanding them have not developed at all. Indeed, our inventions invariably take the material form. Even as the American people spend their days acquiring wealth and what it will buy, so too does the American government concentrate on the sending of food and money to nations that are much more desperately in need of the one tie that can bring nations together: love and understanding. In striving to comprehend business and government and a myriad other minor phases of man-made society, Americans and indeed, a good part of the world, have forgotten what it means to understand themselves and, just as important, their neighbors. It is one of the great tragedies of this world that people build walls around themselves, made up of all the material goals and selfish loves that mean so little, and slowly starve to death inside. . .

"This, then, is the goal toward which men should work: a realization that we are all so small, as one writer said, that it is meanness to calculate the difference, and that man's one hope is to communicate to his neighbors his own acquired knowledge of what love and understanding mean, and in so doing gradually throw a longer shadow. The two great goals that man must achieve are the realization of love and understanding and the transference of them to his fellows."

MANY CHANGES IN KENYON FACULTY

Interview with Mr. Doraiswami

The world we live in is constantly changing; this statement is hardly profound, but a recent experience has called it again to my mind. Not long ago, people would have scoffed at the idea of anyone not American or British instructing us in the use of our so-called native tongue; but today I am enrolled in a class in the Romantic movement of English literature and find as the instructor a dapper, smiling Indian gentleman with an accent that sounds as if it were nurtured in the inner ivied halls and chambers of Oxford University. This is true, but only indirectly, for the speaker was Mr. Muni-palli Seshadri Doraiswami, professor of English literature at Kenyon College this semester, and dean of the faculty of Arts at Osmania University, in Hyderabad Deccan (Hyderabad south).

At Madras Christian college, Professor Doraiswami received most of his higher education, although he did spend two profitable years at Oxford in the company of our own Professor Sutcliffe. He did his honors work in English language and literature there, (and earned his master's degree), but was prevented from obtaining his doctorate at Oxford because Osmania University, where he began teaching in 1924, was in great



need of his services. Consequently he returned to India and eventually, in 1942, he was appointed professor; in 1945 he was made chairman of the English department; and in 1949 he became Dean of the Faculty of Arts.

Mr. Doraiswami is able to be at Kenyon as a result of a Fulbright travel grant of six months duration. He will lecture here for one full semester, and then will travel on to the University of Chicago, where he will take part in a seminar discussing "Some Aspects Of Higher Education in the United States." Mr. Doraiswami has been much impressed by many phases of our American system of education especially by our generous allocation of funds for educational purposes. He says he is also surprised at the comparative amount of academic freedom and student independence that he finds here in America, something which is practically non-

(Continued on page 6)

AFROTC SUMMER CAMP



R to L: Sherm and Dan

During the past summer, four of Kenyon's AFROTC Cadets reported to summer camp for intensive training. Two of these cadets spent four weeks at Lawson Air Base, Fort Benning, Ga. They are: Major John L. Seaman, Jr. and Major Philip S. Holt. On their tour of Lawson they witnessed a joint Air Force Airborne Demonstration, a Fire Power Demonstration, and were airlifted to Elgin Air Force Base, Florida.

Two other Kenyon men, Sherman P. Congdon of Caracas, Venezuela, and Daniel D. Peterson of Harlingen, Texas,

received detailed instruction on the operation of an air-force wing-base organization in a similar summer camp training program at Craig Air Force Base in Alabama.

The training is designed to supplement AFROTC college training by permitting eligible students to live and work in the environment of an operational Air Force Base and to become familiar with all phases of Air Force Base and all phases of Air Force training, discipline, courtesy, and leadership.

The start of the academic year 1953-54 has witnessed a rather large turnover in the Kenyon College faculty, with eight new men and one woman being appointed. In addition, five members of the teaching staff returned from leaves of absence.

The new professors are as follows: The Reverend Robin G. H. Horne, Muni-palli S. Doraiswami, (see feature), Richard P. Longaker, Charles R. Ritcheson, Jerry L. Blount, Richard E. Shannon, Major Joseph F. Hall, Captain Allen V. Mundt, and Mrs. Kathryn C. Rice.

The Reverend Mr. Horne, visiting assistant professor of Theology on the faculty at Bexley Hall, was formerly curate of St. James Church, Chipping Campden, Gloucester, in his native England. He attended both Cambridge and Oxford, taking his M.A. at Oxford this year.

The Political Science Department is enhanced by the arrival of Mr. Longaker, who assumes the title of assistant professor of Political Science. With a B.A. from Swarthmore College and an M.A. from the University of Wisconsin, he is now completing requirements for a Ph.D. from Cornell.

Mr. Ritcheson, associate professor of History, is having a book entitled "Empire in Crisis: British Politics and the American Revolution," published by the University of Oklahoma Press in the spring of 1954. He holds a D. Phil from Oxford.

Mr. Blount, who will be visiting instructor of biology, has had fellowships from the Rockefeller Foundation and research grants from the Atomic Energy Commission. He has a Ph.D. from Northwestern.

Mr. Shannon, who is now in the process of obtaining his Ph.D. from Ohio State, was graduated from William Jewell College and holds a Master's degree from O. S. U. He is visiting instructor of Economics.

Mrs. Rice, who is the wife of Philip Blair Rice of the Philosophy department, will be visiting instructor in Art. She has studied at both the Cincinnati Art Academy and at the University of Cincinnati.

Major Hall, associate professor of Air Science and Tactics, is a graduate of the University of Oregon, and his colleague, Captain Mundt, has a B.S.F. degree from the University of Michigan.

The five permanent members of the faculty who have returned are Charles Thornton, Professor of Biology; James Brown, Professor of Spanish; Charles Coffin, James H. Dempsey professor of English; Clement Welsh, Associ-

(Continued on page 6)

LORD ELEVEN LED BY MARSH AND McALLISTER

Don Marsh and Bob McAllister, co-captains of this year's Kenyon football team, are both looking forward to a successful 1953 season to wind up their college football careers.

McAllister and Marsh can very well be called the "Mr. Inside and Mr. Outside" of the team in that respective order, McAllister playing center and Marsh holding down the right end spot.

The "Mr. Outside" of the team holds quite a high school and college athletic record. In high school at Geneva, Ohio, he earned three letters in football and three letters in basketball. He's doing even better than that at Kenyon. This year he will earn his fourth "K" in both football and basketball. Don is reputed to be one of the toughest ends in the Ohio Conference.

Don believes that this year's team is much stronger than last year's because of the freshmen, who have added needed depth to the team, and the new substitution rule. In regard to the new rule, Don says frankly, "Nothing better could happen to Kenyon as far as football is concerned."

Marsh, who is head waiter again this year, is a political science major and an excellent student, reading for honors in that field. He is a member of the Sigma Pi.

Right in the middle of all the bloodshed and bruises is Center Bob McAllister, better known as "Mac." McAllister is what you might call a specialist, although he is locally infamous as a "B" basketball player. He earned two football letters at Circleville, Ohio, and is working on his third Kenyon football letter at present. McAllister agrees with Marsh that this year's team is definitely an improvement over last year's. "We have better depth and better spirit," he remarked.

Mac and Don both rated Hobart as Kenyon's toughest foe, but both want to tromp Wooster, particularly McAllister. Mac explained his reason with one of his widest smiles. "My girl goes to Wooster College."

McAllister is also a political science major and, like Marsh, a very good student. At present he is residing in that "haven of comfort," T Barracks, with a proctorship. He will be in Lewis Hall later. Mac is a member of Beta Theta Pi.

FOOTBALL SCHEDULE

October 3, Wooster — away.
October 10, Otterbein — home-coming.
October 17, Hobart — away.
October 24, Capital — away.
October 31, Wilmington.
November 7, Hiram.
November 13, Ashland.



Don Marsh



Bob McAllister

INTRAMURALS START MON., SIX-MAN FOOTBALL

Intramural football starts again Monday with eleven teams entered this year. Two freshmen teams have been added to the league, one from T barracks and one from the other barracks and Middle Kenyon freshmen combined. Games will be played on Mondays, Tuesdays, Thursdays, and Fridays, with make-up games slated for Wednesdays. Last year's champ, South Leonard, looms again as the team to beat.

Badminton also will start next week with eleven entrants in the football league, plus Bexley. Middle Leonard was last year's champ.

The Intramural board voted to raise the annual fee from eight to nine dollars to finance the program. It also elected its officers for the coming year. They are Barry Cahill, president; Gene Schrier, vice president; and Skip Falkenstine, secretary treasurer.

COMPLIMENTS OF

THE ALCOVE

SOCCER TEAM LOOKS FORWARD TO BEST YEAR!

BUTCH and TOOKIE TO CAPTAIN MILLERMEN IN '53

"Butch" Aulenbach, talented co-captain and fullback of the soccer team this year, is beginning his fourth year of soccer at Kenyon. Twenty-one years old, and a member of Phi Kappa Sigma, he hails from Philadelphia, Penn. He attended the Episcopal Academy, where he lettered in soccer his senior year.

sees a bright future for a spirited, hard-working soccer team.

Like Butch, Tookie Cole is co-captain of both soccer and lacrosse this year. Tookie twenty-two years old, a member of Delta Phi and a three letterman in soccer, also went to the Olympic finals in



"Tookie" Cole and "Butch" Aulenbach

At Kenyon he plays both soccer and lacrosse, and is co-captain of the lacrosse team this year. Also his biggest honor to date came in his 2nd year on the Hill. After finishing his booting as a Sophomore, Butch was approached for the Olympics.

Butch is looking forward to a fine year. He believes Kenyon has good material, a great forward wall, and new potential which is picking up the game quickly. "The team," says Butch, "is shooting for revenge in the two Oberlin games and would find great enjoyment in trouncing Earlham." All in all, Aulenbach

Chicago at the end of his Sophomore year. His home is Lakewood, Ohio, and he attended Williston Academy in Massachusetts where he lettered in soccer his last three years.

"The outlook this year," states Cole, "is better than in many years." He points out that with the addition of several Freshmen, the team appears to have more balance than previously. In Tookie's mind the two big objectives are the two Oberlin games and Earlham game, in that order. He is optimistic, especially because of the team's spirit and foresees a very fine season.

The Collegian would like to offer its especial Best Wishes to the newlyweds on the campus. Study hard men!

HOMECOMING: OTTERS HERE

The Kenyon Lords face a comparatively weak Otterbein eleven Oct. 10 for Kenyon's homecoming game.

Otterbein was swamped in their first game, 50-7, by a powerful Ohio Wesleyan aggregation. The Cardinals could muster only 3 first downs to Wesleyan's 17. Otterbein's tackle 235 pound freshman Bob White made his teams only TD when he intercepted an OWU lateral and raced 70 yards for the score.

Otterbein's lineup barring injuries will be as follows:

Ends, Ruh, Brockett; tackles, Belcher, White; guards, Axline, Forman; center, Miller; backs, Reichter, Lintner, Wade, Fields.

BOOTERS FACE DENISON AT 2:30

September 23rd marked the beginning of the 1953 soccer season at Kenyon College. With little more than a week of practice, the team has been developing rapidly under the guidance of Professor Miller, who is starting his third year as head coach. With the returning lettermen as a nucleus and an abundance of new material, hopes are high for a highly successful season.

Attempting to improve upon last year's record of five wins, three losses and a tie, Coach Miller is especially anxious to avenge the three defeats, two by Oberlin and one by Earlham. Kenyon's greatest test will come in the two games with Oberlin, undefeated for the past three years.

Coach Miller looks for his best team in years because of the fine defensive strength of an all-veteran backfield, led by co-captains Aulenbach and Cole and better all around balance. All-American goalie Will Ferguson is also back along with forwards Bo Moore, Dave Cummings, Steve Fedele, Dan Lynch, and halfbacks Jules Kluger, Bill Smart, and Caryl Warner. Freshmen prospects Wallace, Wilkin, Hermes, and Swenson, are additional insurance. In summarizing, Coach Miller stated, "In talent and team spirit, this is the best team in three years." Tomorrow, October 3, Kenyon will play host to a Denison squad which is rated mediocre; their star player comes from Gold Coast, Africa. Following this, the squad journeys to Richmond, Ind. to battle Earlham. This will be the Lord's first real test. With the Denison game as the starting point, the Lords appear destined to become one of the finest teams in the Midwest.

SOCCER SCHEDULE

October 3, Denison.
October 10, Earlham — away.
October 17, Ohio U.
October 21, Oberlin — away.
October 24, Ohio St.
October 30, Denison — away.
November 6, Ohio St. — away.
November 13, Oberlin.

WE HAVE CARS TO RENT
POND
MOTOR SALES, INC.
Columbus at Gay — Phone 24775

Myers Supply Co.
BEER AND WINE
116 West High Street
Phone 23891

D. Garverick
STUDIO
31 E. Gambier St.
Phone 21777

Olson's

Headquarters For Your
School Supplies — Paints
Sporting Goods
107 S. Main St. Mount Vernon

LEMASTERS

Fine Clothing For Men

HOTEL CURTIS

BARBER SHOP

Appointments If Desired
Mon., Tues., Wed.

Phone 71351

Fri. and Sat. 8:00 to 6:00

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

Dear Editor,

Without a doubt the most ostentatious group on the campus is the sophomores. These "wise fools" demonstrate a very sophomoric belief in the "divine right" of sophomore rule. Once they have outgrown the so-called amoebic proportions of freshmen they are ready to assume with a false grandeur an exalted place in society. But how little do they know. They find the Seniors and Juniors too preoccupied to pay them any mind, and so in their immediate confusion they turn to the freshmen as a means of flaunting their newly found power. But once again they are thwarted.

The new freshmen class, always larger in numbers, is stronger in spirit and firmer in purpose than the hopelessly befuddled and by now thoroughly disorganized sophomores who seek to rule them. Devices employed by these second year men soon prove failures: beanies become marks of pride, not humility; the pajama parade becomes not an act of degradation but, rather, a freshman display of obviously finer musical talents; the cane rush and the tug of war which are sophomore attempts at rule by force are, unless the Neanderthal side of the sophomores shows itself, usually won by the freshmen.

So, cast down by a supercilious sneer from their superiors and beaten back by the youthful ruggedness of those below them, the sophomores rapidly develop that which is familiar to all students of psychology: paranoia. When thoroughly overcome by this condition the sophomore's abilities, if indeed he had any to begin with, are before long paralyzed. In uniformed circles this paralysis is termed "laziness", but alas it is not so. To my fellow freshmen, then, I say "Do the bidding of the sophomores for they are only overgrown children who are ill."

Every action, as the physics' law goes, produces a reaction. Human nature, we find, is much the same. After taking psychology 121 the confused sophomore realizes his malady (for this reason 121 is offered first to sophomores) and begins to take stock of himself. Recognizing what he must do, he drops the "more" part of his title and retains the "soph." (For those of you who are unfamiliar with Greek "sophos" means wise and "moros" foolish.) Being thus "Soph" to himself, he then sophisticates himself. For those of you who doubt this let me tell you that

a sophomore is capable of anything. But here we have our reaction: he sophisticates himself to such an extent that he is, after a year, oversophisticated... and a junior. And that is just what a junior is: over-sophisticated. So freshmen need not worry about a real junior. He will be so engrossed with himself that he will not even bother with a freshman. The dangerous ones are the pseudo-juniors. If a person calling himself a junior does molest you do not worry for he is no junior but merely an over-sized sophomore who is not yet "soph" to himself. Give him time... and pity.

Now, there is not much that can be said for Seniors. Seniors are Seniors. And in that one phrase goes all my humble respect for them. They are a hard working group of individuals fully aware of their mission. They are aware that within a few short months they will be entering blue serge or olive drab. For them there is no drinking, unnecessary sex, gambling, or other forms of wild night life.

Unfortunately the Seniors of whom we have just spoken are in a very small minority. The Real Senior... well, the Real Senior should be avoided by any and all Frosh wishing to remain uncorrupted. I think no one will question the fact that chastity is first and foremost in the mind of the Freshman.

A. A. Foc

Jewell Ice Cream & Milk Co.

5 N. Sandusky St.
Mount Vernon, Ohio
Phone 21245

THE LICKING LAUNDRY CO.

A. E. Auskins, Mgr.
7 N. Main St. - Phone 21081
Mount Vernon, Ohio

Ringwalt's

MOUNT VERNON SPORTING GOODS

C. M. "Chuck" Campbell, Prop.
Phone 33876
13 W. High St., Mount Vernon, Ohio

BILL'S PHOTO

24 HOUR FILM SERVICE
Phone 22062
209 W. High Street

Allen Jewelers

7 East Gambier Street

Certified Gemologist

REGISTERED JEWELER
AMERICAN GEM SOCIETY

Dear Editor,

The writer of this epistle is not what one would consider a chronic griper. He is content to take things as they occur, realizing that the many doses of ill luck that have come his way are no one's fault but his own. He loves Kenyon, and spent all summer wishing that he were back in beautiful old Gambier, away from the city humidity, noise, and grime.

But when he sat down to a delicious repast cooked by his dear old mother, and, after the feast was completed, flopped on an easy chair, lit his pipe, and turned his thoughts to old Runyon, a certain peculiar psychological quirk of his mind led him to compare the chops just devoured with what passes for food at Peirce Hall. His brow immediately clouded as he thought of the Friday afternoon special consisting of baked beans, corn bread, a nondescript salad, and, to top it off, applesauce for dessert. Or he glowered at the remainder of the greasy meat which incapacitated him the night before his big final.

Seriously, though, can't something be done about the quality of the food served in the Commons? We Kenyonites are not choosy: we do not need a feast fit for an epicure; all we want is something we can sit down to with gusto after a hard morning of classes or after a trying afternoon of studies or sports.

We realize that it is extremely difficult to cook for four hundred hungry mouths. But

Assembly

On Tuesday, September 29, Dr. Kenneth I Brown, former president of Denison University and now Executive Director of the Danforth Foundation in St. Louis, delivered the opening speech of the college assembly program.

The talk, entitled, "The Art of Receiving," had as its novel theme the idea that anyone can be a generous giver, but that there are extremely few who know how to receive graciously, and in the proper spirit. He illustrated his remarks by inventing three possible sequels to the Biblical Tale of the Good Samaritan, as seen from the point of view of the merchant who had been saved from his assailants. The speaker made the point that this merchant would have been a good receiver only if he had shown to others in the future the same love that the stranger had shown to him.

perhaps closer supervision in the kitchen by the Misses Chard and Kimball could result in less greasy meat. And plain common sense would make these two excellent ladies realize that some of the meals, especially the lunches, served to the students would cause the inmates of any penal institution to break out into riots.

However, let a few much-merited words of praise be added at this point. The breakfasts are uniformly excellent, there is a great variety of tasty vegetable, and nobody can complain about the delicious pastry.

In conclusion, it appears that Peirce Hall meals can be improved with little extra expense and time to the Bobbseys. The undersigned hopes that proper measures will be taken, for the sake of the palates of all despairing Kenyonites.

—Duncan Hines

Ed. Note: This very same space will welcome a reply from either Miss Chard or Miss Kimball, or both.

Compliments of

The Village Inn

Gambier, Ohio

Mount Vernon Beverage Co.

Mount Vernon, Ohio

RANDY'S

18-20 E. Ohio Avenue

DINING ROOM

COCKTAIL LOUNGE

Kenyon Students Always Welcome
OPEN 6 A.M. — 1 A.M.

WOODS HARDWARE COMPANY

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL
8-12 W. High St. Phone 25861
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO
Most Dependable Source of Supply

WORLEYS

Men's Wear
McGregor Sportswear
Arrow Shirts
Varsity Town Clothes
Mount Vernon, Ohio

Dear Cinema Lovers,

Once again the Kenyon Movie Committee is ready to offer another program of fine entertainment to the serious-minded "flick major." This year emphasis is being placed largely on entertainment rather than on so-called "arty" films (foreign imports). This step was taken somewhat reluctantly but nevertheless, it had to be done for financial reasons. Furthermore there is not enough demand on campus for foreign language features, however good they might be.

I would like to call your attention to some of the highlights of this year's film presentations. Such films as "Arsenic and Old Lace," "The Sea Hawk," "You Can't Take It With You," "Five Fingers," and "A Streetcar Named Desire" will be screened. Students that specifically requested the films "It Happens Every Spring," "Kind Hearts and Coronets," and "Mr. Smith Goes to Washington," will be pleased to learn that these are also scheduled to be shown. The heavily requested Alexander Korda productions of "The Ghost Goes West," and "Things to Come" were not available this year due to theatrical re-release.

This year marks the beginning of something new on the campus — a Halloween Midnight Horror Show. In talking with the Dean last spring, he felt that this was a good idea. *Ennaway*, a Boris Karloff epic has tentatively been booked for the gala occasion!

The Film Society is once again offering five more films of distinction from the Museum of Modern Art in New York. The big attraction on the program is the famous "Mutiny on the Bounty" which has at long last been obtained after almost two years of negotiations with the Museum and the film's producer, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer.

Well, there you have a brief preview of our coming attractions. Any suggestions that you have concerning films or otherwise will be greatly appreciated.

Sincerely,
William D. Gray
Student Chairman
Kenyon Movie Committee

COCHRAN MOTOR SALES, INC.

Telephone 23936
14 W. Ohio Avenue
MOUNT VERNON, OHIO

For Dance Corsages.

For Telegraphing Flowers Home or Flowers to Just Say Thank You.

S H A R P S

CARDS — FLOWERS — GIFTS
22 Public Square Phone 34745

PENNEY'S
ALWAYS FIRST QUALITY!

For All Good Foods
STOP 'N' SHOP
Groceries — Meats
Wines — Beer — Delicacies
115 S. Main St., Mt. Vernon, O.

AL SETA'S
TAILORING CO.
MADE TO MEASURE SUITS
REPAIRING & ALTERATIONS
CLEANING & PRESSING
9 East Gambier — Phone 24042

DIVISION DIARY

Ossifers, Storks, ???

Delta Kappa Epsilon

Leading DKE into her one hundred and second year on the Hill are: Norm Schwenk, president; Frank Budd, vice-president; Phil Currier, secretary; Bin James, treasurer; and Bob Hudec, social chairman.

Dame Fortune and the Selective Service Board smiled upon West Wing this summer as all twelve prospective returnees made it back to Gambier this fall.

On September 8, Wild Bill Yohe, '53, was at long last dragged to the altar by Ginger Wilson, formerly of Denison University. The happy couple are now living in Ann Arbor, where Bill is taking graduate work in Economics.

"Has any one seen our Centennial flag?"

Alpha Delta Phi

East Wing faces the grave, new year with a stiff upper lip, because the president of that group is barrel chested Al (Bonzo) Eastman. Bonzo's assistants are Dave Cummings, veep; Chuck Mignon, secretary; Art Goldberg, treasurer; and Dick Fullerton, historian.

Two Alpha Deltas are out for football, Al Kidd, and Gene Mio, who has returned to gay, exciting Gambier after a year beyond the forest. The chapter welcomes Tom Wigglesworth, Alpha Delt transfer from Williams, to Kenyon for a year of good clean fun. To disperse the idea that Alpha Deltas at Kenyon are illiterate, the chapter can point to the fact that Bill Greaves, '53, won the fraternity literary contest, netting himself \$50 and netting the chapter a large, tarnished silver cup.

Psi Upsilon

Life at North Leonard, according to the occupants thereof, flows on like the river of time. Ripples thereof, therefore, would be the election of Dan Lynch to the office of president, and some other officers, including Paul Wolfe, first vice-president; Dave Sexsmith, second vice-president; Gamber Tegtmeyer, recording secretary; Allen Gibbs, corresponding secretary; John Foulke, treasurer, and Paul Belin, historian.

A stork gave Mr. and Mrs. George Dunn an eight and one-half pound boy named Geoffrey, and Dave Sexsmith met Mrs. Sexsmith during the summer and married her.

Iota of Psi Upsilon won the national scholarship cup, given by the Psi U national headquarters to the chapter with the highest scholastic aver-

age, and congratulations are in order.

Beta Theta Pi

South Leonard also has its official hierarchy in the persons of Fred Papsin, president; John Seaman, vice-president; Al McCormick, secretary; Jim Hughes, treasurer; Paul Matthews, recorder; and Chad Vogt, alumni secretary.

Joe Culp and Phil Holt have solved the eternal problem of getting dates for Dance Weekend, because they married two lucky girls during the summer. The Betas now span two continents with Joe Rotolo and Dick Thomas studying in Europe on Fulbright Scholarships. Al McCormick has recently returned from foreign shores but is still in search of the "continental."

Delta Tau Delta

Next to South Leonard is Middle Leonard, and they officers, too, viz., Jim Wallace, president; Dick Miller, vice-president; Bill Humphries, corresponding secretary; and Bill Williams, treasurer.

Twenty-four Deltas returned to Gambier, including Bill Williams, who summered in Europe, a continent. Nasty rumor has it that he absconded with fraternity funds to make the trip, but this seems to be a fabrication of the so-called "junior" actives.

Of last year's graduating class of Delta Tau Delta, word has been received that Tillie McMasters is at the Harvard Law School, Norm Nichol is at the Ohio State Law School, Ron Ryan and Ron Fraley are in the Marines, Hanaford and Roth are attending Northwestern and Carnegie Tech, respectively, and Bill Kinder is in the Navy.

Sigma Pi

East Division's first semester officers are: Bill Archer, president; Gus Dallis, vice-president; Tom Duke, corresponding secretary; Ed Eaken, alumni secretary; Dave Tarbell, treasurer; and Rich Wilson, social chairman.

Six of this year's expected returnees did not. Bob Eisenberg, Bill Howard, Ivan Hamburg, Howie Robbins, John Beal, and Ben McCart have left Gambier for various other campuses.

Wedding bells were heard for two men of Sigma Pi this summer. Jerry McNamara, '53, and Alice Frantz were married on August 22. For further information see Best Man John Trone. September 11 saw Dick Eller and Pat Brosky take the fatal step.

Results of a popularity poll taken recently in East Division show Rich Wilson leading by a sizeable margin. Hmm? "Buckets" Smith, a steady

second, almost fell out of the running due to an incident in Homer a few weeks ago.

Phi Kappa Sigma

At the helm of North Hanna's crew we find: Ron Petti, president; Jim Staub, vice-president; Bill Lund, recording secretary; Sherman Congdon, corresponding secretary; Phil Bentley, alumni secretary; Rog Swigert, treasurer; and Jim Staub, social chairman.

Rumor has it that Al Murphy, '53, was married to Selma Gene Russel in Cincinnati this August. Before the ink was dry, however, Al found himself the proud possessor of a notice to report to the U. S. Navy — O. C. S. to be exact. Short honeymoon, eh what?

After serving seven months in the Marines, after which he was medically discharged, Candido Marquez has returned to Ol' Runyon and Phi Kappa Sigma.

Delta Phi

Guiding the Middle Hanna aggregation this semester are: Jim Kennedy, president; Bo Mohr, vice-president; Bob Snyder, secretary; Wally Carey, treasurer; and Ash Burt, social chairman.

Summer casualties for Delta Phi were three in number. Tom, "Texas", Moore has changed his class from Kenyon '56 to Army '57. Bob Clawson is now a "fighting leatherneck." Love that Paris Island!!

A casualty of a slightly more drastic nature was Pete Purvis. Pete and Polly Hartmann were married on August 22.

Archon

Archon's officers for the first semester had not been elected by press time.

Dick Jankowski is now having his mail delivered via the U. S. Army. Also among those missing from the fold are Fred Trumbore and Ed Hobson.

Everyone else is back at South Hanna and looking forward to another fine year. Congrats, men, for taking the blue ribbon in last semester's scholarship standings.

Middle Kenyon

Under the leadership of Marv Betts, the rejuvenated Middle Kenyon Association is looking forward to an excellent year ahead. With about thirty men having decided to join, the organization expects to have a successful season socially. (despite the loss of green-cheesemaker and beer procurer Felix Pulgram), athletically, and academically.

Of the grads of whom news has been heard, Slim Hasely was married, Evan Lottman, Ed Koran and Sy Weissman

THESPIANS PLAN PRODUCTIONS; "AJAX" NOVEMBER 5th

September 25 — Tonight at 7:30 there was a meeting of the Dramatic Club and all those interested in any field of dramatics. The meeting was held in the Green Room of the Speech Building. Bob Miller, who is the President of the Dramatic Club, started the meeting by introducing various members and officers of the club including the faculty advisor, Mr. Michael. He then preceeded to give a brief resume of the plays that the club had presented in the past.

Miller announced that the first play presented would be a modern translation of *Ajax* by Sophocles. This play is a modern English version written by Morton Segal and Harold (Pat) Williams while they were at Kenyon last year.

There are thirteen male speaking parts in *Ajax* consisting of six solo parts and seven openings in the chorus. There are also four non-speaking parts. The play is casted as follows: Ajax — David Randell; Athena — Barbara Kreutz; Tecmessa — Mary Dell Wintermute; Odysseus — Robert Miller; Agamemnon — Fred Papsin; Menelaus — Cameron Saunders; Tenser — Bill Wendt; Messenger — Eugene Hutchinson; Chorus — Gordon Duffy, Chuck Mignon, Charles Schwarz, Ed Eakins.

The Goldberg Story: "Small Town Boy Makes Good"

New York, N. Y. — Arthur Goldberg has been appointed Chesterfield campus representative at Kenyon College, it was announced here today by Campus Merchandising Bureau, Inc.

He was chosen from applicants throughout the country to represent Chesterfield cigarettes, first choice with America's college men and women. The position will mean valuable experience in merchandising, advertising, and public relations, as the student representatives gets on-the-job training in conducting a sales promotion program.

He is a member of the class of '56, affiliated with Alpha Delta Phi, and member of the lacross team.

are in khakis, and Stan Benjamin is in France on a fellowship to teach conversational English to Frenchmen. It has also been rumored about that Ex-Mu Kap Bob Mezey enlisted in Uncle Sam's fighting forces.

In addition to Betts, the officers are: Barry August, secretary, and Mike Sly, treasurer. At the first meeting Perry Williams bravely volunteered to be House Chairman.

Lenny Benson, Phil Fox, Jr., and Bill Detlef.

The costumes will be of the period, and will be designed and tailored by Mrs. Scudder. The sets have been designed by Jack Brown. George Feinberg is the stage manager, Jim Meyer is the stage crew manager, and the play's producer is Joe Malof.

The play will be presented on the fifth, sixth, and seventh of November, and will last a little under two hours.

Miller went on to say that at some later date there would be some oral readings of plays which would be presented on the stage in the style of *Don Juan in Hell* which recently went on tour across the country. Bob Sealy is producing these readings. The first play to be presented in this manner is *Dutchess of Mouthy*. Sealy made a plea for assistance since he had very little to work with.

The Dramatic Club is also planning to do one of Gilbert and Sullivan's operettas although no definite date has been set.

Miller informed the group that help was needed in every department, and any participant was practically assured of an appointment in one of the various departments.

The meeting concluded at 8:30 P. M.

Compliments of
The People's Bank
Gambier, Ohio
Member of Federal Deposit
Insurance Corp.

TIMS

Carry Out Beer and Wine
Fishing Tackle
667 1/2 North Sandusky
Mount Vernon, Ohio
(Closed Thursdays)

- Records
 - Books
 - Greeting Cards
 - Typewriters
 - Art Supplies
- to meet the
student's needs
at

GELSANLITER'S

St. Paul Society Elects Hughes

At the organizational meeting of the St. Paul Society held Sunday, September 27th the following officers were elected for the first semester.

President, Jim Hughes; Secretary, Jim Riley; Program Chairman, Howie Russell.

The St. Paul Society is the Kenyon Chapter of the United Student Christian Council.

Freshmen

(Continued from page 1)

many others of the group have some sort of financial aid. There are 6 valedictorians, 12 class presidents, 5 school presidents, 24 class officers, 49 presidents of clubs, and 4 presidents of honor societies. Forty-two new students were members of honor societies, 27 of student councils, and three are even Eagle Scouts!

While many frosh are taking a straight liberal arts course, there seem to be some who have pretty much decided upon their future careers. There are 6 pre-theological students, 30 pre-medical men, and 23 pre-engineering aspirants.

The class has piled up in prep school an imposing list of outside activities to its credit. With 48 members of choruses, glee clubs, and choirs, and 28 participating in their high school orchestra or band, Professor Schwartz should be able to uncover a wealth of musical talent. There is also a great deal of writing ability to be found as evidenced by the fact that in our midst are 8 editors of yearbooks, 7 editors of school papers, and 2 editors of high school literary magazines. 39 students worked on school papers, 48 on yearbook staffs, and 5 wrote for the school literary magazine.

The fine Kenyon tradition of excellence in the drama should be upheld by the new men. Forty-eight would-be thespians have taken part in their high school dramatic efforts, while 22 were members of dramatics clubs.

Going down the line, we find 17 members of debate clubs, 5 members of radio clubs, and nine members of chess groups. Nineteen men have relatives who attended Kenyon at one time or another.

Kenyon's up-and-coming athletic department has been strengthened by a promising crop of freshmen to replace graduating seniors. There was a total of 297 letters won by 80 members of the class of '57. There are 15 team captains, 6 in swimming, 3 in soccer, 1 each in football, golf, basketball, and tennis. Treading the campus are a five letter man, 4 four letter men, 17 three letter men, 17 two letter men, and 39 one letter men. Varsity letters have been earned as follows: Football 35, Basketball 24, Track 24, Baseball 15, Tennis 14, Soccer 13, Swimming 7, Golf 5, and others 11.

Interview

(Continued from page 2)

existent in India. One principle we employ at Kenyon appeals to him particularly, and that is the intimate contact between student and teacher. Still another difference between Indian and American colleges, he points out, is the impossibility for an Indian student to work his way through college in India, impossible because of the schedule of classes there. The professor feels that the greatest educational need in India (besides the financial one) is that of trained teachers for the primary grades.

This is the professor's first visit to the United States and he is looking forward to making friends with the faculty and student body; he jokingly said that his teaching was only an excuse to give him this opportunity; he realizes his good fortune in coming to Kenyon, as the intimate intellectual meeting he desires would be less easy to achieve at one of the larger universities, such as Harvard or Yale.

Mr. Doraiswami has always been a fine English scholar, standing at the top of 14,000 students who took the matriculation examination for entrance in Christian Madras. He loves English literature, in general, but he does have a favorite field: "My special pigeon has been old English" he says.

I really should not have stated that Mr. Doraiswami will lecture here, for he makes it quite clear that he encourages a give-and-take proposition, with both the students and himself contributing to the discussion. He feels that more is to be gained by this more informal kind of procedure, on the part of both student and professor than if the course were purely lecturing and note taking.

Professor Doraiswami has been teaching for 29 years and his enthusiasm has never waned; rather it has grown. He receives a great deal from the contact with young minds, which he thinks bring freshness and vitality to books and theories that are threadbare and worn with years of use. He loves the leisure time he now has for calm contemplation, and the love of his work radiates from everything he says concerning it. This sincere interest in what he is doing is one of the most important factors which make him the fine professor that he is.

WKCO To Shine! FCC and DB Comes Thru

The college radio station, long familiar to listeners under the call letters of WKCG has changed its name this year at the request of the Federal Communications Commission to WKCO. Other changes planned for the station seem to indicate that this will be one of its most successful years of operation. Membership in IBS, the Intercollegiate Broadcasting System, has opened new means of communication with other college stations similar in nature to WKCO and has also provided a means to receive popular recordings at a nominal cost from the large record companies.

By far the biggest improvement, according to Dave Ryeburn, the station director, will be the improved service in reception in the dormitories. Plans have been made for laying direct wires to Hanna, Leonard and Old Kenyon, which will mean a stronger signal and better reception in these buildings. Eventually new lines will also be laid to Norton and Lewis Halls, the new freshmen dorms.

Plans for broadcasts this year follow the pattern similar to the one in the past. The station will be on the air from 7-11 P.M. from Monday to Friday. The first two hours will be popular music and news, with a continuation of having occasional lectures by

faculty members during some of these programs. The schedule from 9-11 P.M. will be a broadcast of the Symphony Hall program heard last year, featuring the best in classical music.

There will also be frequent broadcasting of special events, such as football, basketball and baseball games. On open Saturday afternoons the Metropolitan Opera will be re-broadcast over WKCO, and on Sunday afternoons the concerts of the New York Philharmonic Symphony will be transmitted.

The staff members of WKCO invite you all to enjoy the facilities presented by the station and hope you will do so by turning frequently to 580 kc. on the dial, for the best in music, news and sports on your campus radio station.

Faculty

(Continued from page 2)

ate Professor of Religion; and Philip Blair Rice, Professor of Philosophy.

Of the seven professors who left the College, one, Dr. Raymond Cahall, retired; one, Norris Rahming, went to Mexico City to paint; and the remaining five are at other schools. They include Ralph Braibanti, Harold Manner, Ross Yates, John Chalmers, and Erwin Mapes.

**NOT
a textbook
NOT
a propaganda
sheet
NOT
a magazine
that whitewashes
either the Communists
or the McCarthys**

The **New Republic** is America's most informative, independent journal of opinion, bringing you

- accurate, behind-the-headlines coverage of public affairs

- distinguished criticism of literature and the arts

- intelligent interpretation of world events

TODAY, the new **New Republic** is required reading as a corrective to the omissions and bias of the one-party press.

**FOR STUDENTS
AND FACULTY ONLY**
we offer this special rate of
**33 weeks of the
NEW REPUBLIC
for \$3.50 (save \$3.10).**

New Republic

MAIL YOUR ORDER NOW
Student, Faculty Offer

New Republic
230 West 41st St., New York 36, N. Y.
Please send the **New Republic** for 33 weeks at your special price of \$3.50, which I enclose.

Name

Address

City..... Zone.....State.....

GRIN AND BEAR IT

By Lichty



"Well, maybe 2 can live as cheap as one--but of course one of you is going to live on practically nothing!"

THOUSANDS OF USED BOOKS

For all tastes and all purses. BROWSE AT

BOOKS, GAMBIER

Rear of Lynch's Barber Shop

Open Sundays 1:30 to 5:00 p. m.