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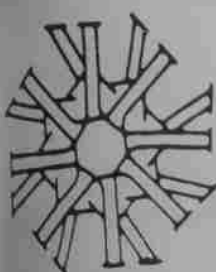
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## Boys + Girls = Kenyon



Veni, Vidi, Vici! The triumphant Ceaser has decided, along with the Constitution Committee of which he is chairman, that not all Kenyon is divided into two parts. Mr. Ceaser, Political Science professor and Kenyon alumnus, and his committee are presenting their constitution after two years of waging a war against faulty campus politics and for the American way. Photo by Leslie Rodnan.

by Rob Murphy

With the inception of the Coordinate College, increased enrollment, and other changes in the past few years, the Constitution for campus government has been in need of a major overhauling. A committee formed by President Caples with Mr. James Ceaser as chairman studied our problems, other colleges' governmental solutions, and after almost two years of deliberation and discussion, has come up with what they believe is the most applicable and workable constitution for the combined Colleges. Though membership in the Constitution Committee has fluctuated during its existence, those proposing this Constitution are Mr. Rice, Mr. Fesq, Mrs. Dunn, Dean Crozier, Dean Edwards, Ann Weister, Tom McGannon, Cathy Carter, Janet Noakes, R. Ben Gray, and Mark Denton.

Some of the Constitution's main features:

-----Increased student access to faculty and administration.

Article V Section I provides for student delegations to the principal administrators and how often they shall meet. The Constitution Committee is proposing to the Faculty Council more student representation (voting power) on faculty committees. Two additional student members for the Curriculum Comm. and two for the EPRA Comm. are proposed as well as an evening up of the numbers of students and faculty on the Off-Campus Studies, Educational Facilities, and Equal

Educational Opportunities Committees.

-----Revised constituencies for Student Council representatives.

Article III Section 3 concerns membership in Student Council. Since representatives by dormitory divisions would be too numerous and cumbersome, constituencies based on class and sex were decided the best possible solution. The 24-member representative body will include four students from each class (two men and two women) plus eight members-at-large of any

stitution.

-----Increased power to the Campus Senate.

Article II Section 2 stipulates that the Campus Senate will receive all reports from Faculty Committees with student membership at the same time the Faculty Council receives them. In the past, Faculty Council received these reports, commented upon them, and then forwarded them to the entire faculty for consideration. The new Constitution would have Senate receive and discuss these proposals and then express an official opinion on them to the Faculty Council.

Section 1 of this same article provides that the Senate will be a forum for the college community, which includes students, faculty and administration.

A student council meeting was held on Sunday, January 16th to discuss the proposed Constitution with members of the committee, among other things. The committee was put on the defensive from the very start; a minority of Council acting as firing squad. Dissension arose mainly around the issue of exactly what kind of a majority of students will pass the proposed Constitution; whether a majority of all students or simply a majority of those who vote. From all appearances all that emerged was a confused thicket of contradictions.

There will be a meeting for anyone who wishes to criticize or discuss the Constitution with the members of the Committee on Monday, January 24th, in Rosse Hall at 4:10 P.M. At the conclusion of their tedious and time consuming deliberations concerning this matter, the Committee would appreciate to hear your comments and suggestions on this matter which affects all of us.

class or sex. This was determined in light of decreasing fraternity influence. Campus activities were also omitted because mention of them need not be made in a Con-

## Mr. Robert Novak Gives Inside Report at PACC

by Dorie Hunkie

The first Distinguished Visitor in Residence of the Public Affairs Conference Center will be Robert D. Novak, Washington columnist and author. Mr. Novak will be the first in a group of experts brought to Kenyon by the Conference to discuss the mass media and modern democracy. Since 1963, Novak has co-authored the widely syndicated political column, INSIDE REPORT, along with Rowland Evans. The column is especially notable because of its emphasis on reporting rather than punditry and because of its rapidly moving dateline. TIME magazine has noted the striking success of the column and attributes to it "a faster growing readership than any of its competitors."

Both men travel the country widely to test grass-roots sentiments for local campaigns and national conventions. Mr. Novak is an expert on the student revolt and has gained practical knowledge of the subject by visiting the most troubled campuses. Mr. Novak's most recent trips outside of the United States were reporting journeys to Eastern Europe in 1969, Southeast Asia (Vietnam, Laos, Cambodia) in 1971, and Japan in September of this past year.

Mr. Novak is a frequent guest panelist and commentator on television. He and Mr. Evans publish a bi-weekly newsletter, the EVANS-NOVAK POLITICAL REPORT, which is distributed nationally. His work has appeared in many of the major national periodicals including ESQUIRE, HARPER'S, the NATIONAL OBSERVER, the ATLANTIC MONTHLY, and the NEW REPUBLIC. Mr. Novak is the author of THE AGONY OF THE G.O.P.,

1964 and has co-authored LYNDON JOHNSON: THE EXERCISE OF POWER, a political biography, and NIXON IN THE WHITE HOUSE: THE FRUSTRATION OF POWER, a comprehensive study of the first two and one-half years of the Nixon Administration.

While here at Kenyon as a guest of the PACC, Mr. Novak will give a public lecture in Rosse Hall. The lecture will be Wednesday February

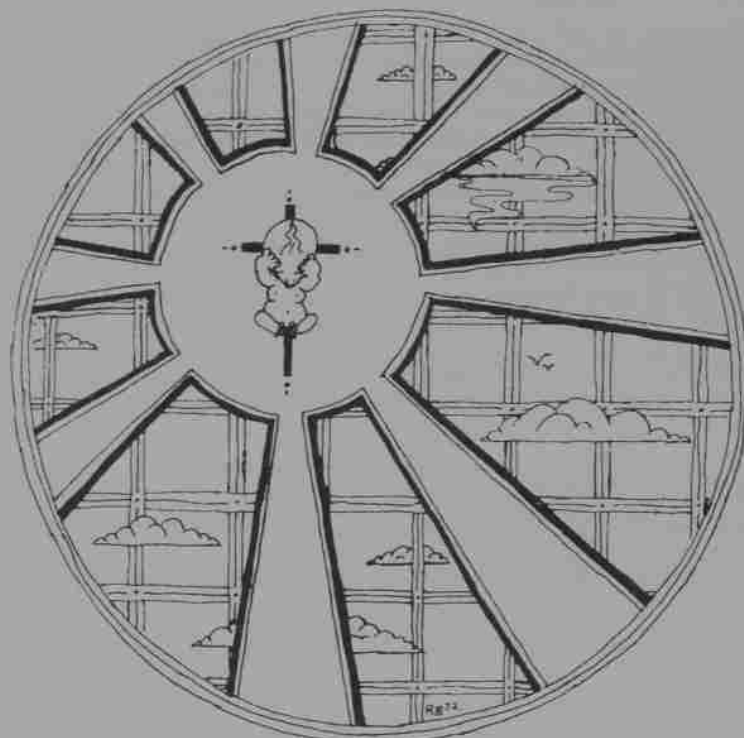


No, this is not an early picture of our dashing German professor. Rather, this is nationally syndicated political columnist, Robert Novak, co-author of Inside Report. Mr. Novak, the first Distinguished Visitor in Residence at the Public Affairs Conference Center (PACC), will give a public lecture in Rosse Hall on February 2nd.

2nd at 8:00 P.M. Mr. Novak will discuss the limitations of the news media. He will also conduct sessions of the PACC seminar and will be available to talk to students. The other Distinguished Visitors in Residence who will serve similar functions at other dates in the year are Martin Diamond, author of THE DEMOCRATIC REPUBLIC and other works, and Tom Wicker, Associate Editor of the NEW YORK TIMES.

These distinguished visitors provide one facet of the conference which is held at Kenyon each year. The other major dimension is the conference itself which will take place in April and which will be composed of participants representing the broadest range of different points of view. Among the conference participants who will be discussing the subject of Mass Media and Modern Democracy are George Herman of CBS, Sander Vanocur, Congressman Bob Eckhardt, Alexander Bickel, Elie Abel, the Dean of the Graduate School of Broadcast Journalism at Columbia, Norman Podhoretz, editor of COMMENTARY, Gertrude Himmelfarb, an author who concentrates on literary and cultural matters, Huw Wheldon, director of television for the BBC, and Mr. Novak. The conference participants meet privately to discuss the topic chosen by the Public Affairs Conference Center.

Since the PACC is an institution of national recognition and importance, and because it is held at Kenyon, a fact we can certainly be proud of and should certainly be aware of, Mr. Novak's lecture next week is one of the most important and interesting to be delivered this year.



Vegetable Seven by Rosecrans Baldwin Jr.

## Son of Antigone Important!

by John Adams

On January 27, 28, and 29 and February 3, 4, and 5, the Kenyon Dramatic Club will present Oscar Wilde's, The Importance of Being Earnest, in Hill Theater. Directed by Harlene Marley, of the faculty of the Drama Department, the production will feature James Dunning, John Gilliss, Mark Rosenthal, Bonnie Levinson, Wendy Linder, Joyce Ott, Penelope Perel, Timothy Welsh, and Robert Eichler. The play is being done as a "straight" piece with no attempts at gimmicks or misguided relevance, if you please; in the words of Miss Marley, the entire show has been "a nellyva fun thing to do" and hopefully will prove as much for its audiences. Curtain is

at 8.30.

One little problem does seem to have cropped up with regard to Dramatic Club productions and that is the matter of tickets. It seems that a number of students were rather distressed at finding tickets for the group's last production of Antigone impossible to come by after a very short while. Tickets may be reserved by students at the box office in Hill Theatre beginning on Wednesday, January 19th - it is advised that tickets be gotten in this way. Tickets are free (that is, their price is included in the students' General Fee) and are available upon presentation of an I.D. card; box office hours are 2 to 4 P.M.



# In Proposed Constitution

To the Kenyon College community, we are submitting this constitution to you for comments and suggestions. Your careful attention and consideration would be greatly appreciated.

James Ceaser, Chairman

Committee: Mr. Rice, Mr. Fesq, Mrs. Dunn, Miss Crozier, Mr. Edwards, Ann Wiester, Thomas McGannon, Cathy Carter, Janet Noakes, Roland Gray III, Mark Denton.

## Constitution for the Campus Government

### PREAMBLE

Instituted in accordance with the delegation of authority prescribed by the Board of Trustees under the Constitution of the College, this Campus Government has as its end the establishment of a climate which will promote the process and aims of liberal education.

## ARTICLE I. Membership in Campus Government and Qualifications for Office

### Section 1.

All full-time students, all faculty members, and administrative officers are members of the Campus Government and may serve in the capacities set forth in this Constitution.

### Section 2.

Any student, faculty, or administrative member of Campus Government who is in residence shall be eligible to hold office as specified under this Constitution.

## ARTICLE II. The Campus Senate

### Section 1. Functions

The functions of the Campus Senate shall be:

- to serve as a forum in which students, faculty, and administrative officers communicate and consider matters of general concern to the College;
- to establish as it deems necessary subsidiary bodies to promote student self-government in the areas of social organizations, classes, and living units;
- to establish as it deems necessary organizations for the regulation and operation of campus activities;
- to legislate rules as appropriate for the regulation of student life and extra-curricular activities;
- to interpret and amend the Constitution.

### Section 2. Powers and Duties

(a) The Senate shall receive upon request all reports or proposals from all Faculty Committees with student membership at the same time that these reports or proposals are communicated to faculty council. In addition, the Senate shall receive upon request reports on all matters of policy proposed by the Committee on Regulations at the time that these are reported to faculty council. On reports from the specified committees, the Senate may formulate an official opinion which shall be conveyed to the faculty by a designated faculty member of Senate.

(b) The Senate shall appoint one of its administrative members to serve as a liaison between the Senate and the administration. It is expected that this Senator shall communicate to the Senate all pending administrative matters affecting student life and that the opinions of the Senate on these matters shall be reported to the administration.

(c) Campus Senate shall have legislative authority over the following matters:

- It may establish subsidiary governmental bodies and other organizations to be published in the Campus Senate Statutes
- It shall legislate rules and regulations for student life and extra-curricular affairs, to be printed with the College Rules and Regulations.

When the Senate legislates in any area under its jurisdiction, its legislation shall, in the case of conflict, supercede previous policies established by any other body of the Campus Government.

(d) Legislative proposals shall be governed by the following procedures: When the Senate initiates a legislative proposal, it shall officially inform the Faculty Council and the Student Council of the proposal. A waiting period of at least 14 days while the College is in session shall elapse before the Senate reconsiders the proposal for possible amendment and final action. The President shall have the power to waive the waiting period when he deems it advisable. Upon final passage by the Campus Senate, the President shall act to ratify or veto the legislation. The legislation shall become effective upon ratification by the President or, in the event that he fails to act upon it, after 21 days while the College is in session.

(e) When a member of the Senate challenges the Constitutionality of any action or policy arising under Campus Government, the Senate shall be the final arbiter of that question. Upon a decision by the Campus Senate, the President of the College shall act to ratify or veto the decision. The decision becomes final upon ratification by the President, or in the event that he fails to act upon it, after 21 days while the College is in session.

(f) The Senate shall have the power to amend the Constitution as outlined in Article IX.

### Section 3. Membership

(a) The Campus Senate shall be composed of five students, three members of the Faculty; the Provost, the Deans, and the President of the College. The President shall be a non-voting member and shall ratify or veto any legislative act of the Senate.

(b) The three faculty members of Campus Senate shall be elected by the Faculty. One of the three shall be designated by the Faculty to serve as a member of both Campus Senate and Faculty Council and shall not be expected to serve on subcommittees of either body. One of the two remaining faculty members shall be designated Chairman of the Senate by the President.

(c) The President and Vice-President of the Student Council shall be members of the Campus Senate. The student body shall elect three students at large in the same manner in which representatives-at-large to the Student Council are elected, as provided in Article III, 3e.

(d) The term of office for each elected or appointed member of the Senate shall be one year.

(e) Should a vacancy occur in the Senate, it shall be filled by appointment for the unexpired term - by the President to replace a faculty member and by the Student Council to replace a student member.

(f) The Senate may extend to Administration, faculty, or students non-voting membership in the Senate for a period of one year when necessary to secure more adequate representation.

The COLLEGIAN is printing this proposed constitution to help the administration make it more readily available to the community and because we feel that it is essential for everyone to understand this result of two years' work to vote sensibly on the issue.

## Section 4. Procedures

(a) The Chairman shall convene the Campus Senate regularly and preside at its sessions.

(b) A secretary shall be hired by the Senate to record and publish official minutes of meetings of the Senate.

(c) A quorum shall consist of no fewer than three student voting members and three non-student voting members in addition to the Chairman. For the Senate to act on a legislative proposal a quorum must be present.

(d) Except in the case of amendment (see Article IX), a majority of the voting members present is required for any action of the Senate, with the Chairman voting only in the case of a tie.

(e) In legislative action the Senate shall follow the procedures described under Article II, Section 2d.

(f) All statements of official action by the Senate shall be issued by the Chairman through the Secretary.

(g) The Senate shall have a budget with funds allocated from the general administrative budget.

## ARTICLE III. The Student Council

### Section 1. Functions

The functions of the Student Council shall be:

- To formulate and express officially the student views concerning affairs of the college;
- to assist and supervise the effective functioning of student activities, enterprises, organizations, and social events;
- to administer elections, appointments, and removals by impeachment for all student offices in the Campus Government.

### Section 2. Powers

(a) The Council shall allocate the Student Activity Fund and supervise its expenditures.

(b) The Council shall initiate proposals for the betterment of student life and for the good of the College as a whole, when necessary referring such proposals to the Campus Senate or other proper agency for further consideration.

(c) The Council shall be responsible for establishing election procedures, for fixing dates within the guidelines of this Constitution, and for supervising all elections of student to the offices of Campus Government.

(d) The Council shall nominate and appoint all student members of committees and delegations (See Article V).

(e) The Council shall have the power to impeach and remove students from any elected or appointed office according to the provisions of Article VIII.

### Section 3. Membership

(a) The Student Council shall be composed of a president, vice-president, secretary, treasurer, and twenty-four representatives, all of whom are to be elected for a one-year term.

#### (b) Officers

(i) The President of the Council shall be the chief student executive officer of the Campus Government. He shall convene and preside at all meetings of the Student Council and Council-convened campus assemblies.

(ii) The Vice-President of Council shall assume the powers and duties of the President in the event of the President's absence and he shall succeed to the Presidency in the event of that position becoming vacant.

(iii) The Treasurer of the Council shall authorize and keep record of all expenditures from the Student Activity Fund, and submit to the Council, once a semester, and at other times upon request, written financial reports of all funds which he allocates. At the end of each semester he shall require a written financial report for each campus enterprise and each organization receiving money from the Student Activity Fund.

(iv) The Secretary of the Council shall be the custodian of all official records, minutes, correspondence, and other papers of the Council, and shall make records available for all members of the Council. He shall keep minutes of all Council meetings and provide copies of the minutes to the members of the Council, members of the Faculty, and Administration, and all student living units.

(c) The election of the officers shall be conducted as follows:

(i) Any eligible student shall be placed on the ballot for the office he is seeking after a petition bearing the signatures of at least 40 students is submitted to the Council at the time specified by the Council. If after the petition deadline there are not at least two persons seeking an office, Council may make up to three nominations for that office.

(ii) Elections for Student Council officers shall be held prior to elections of representatives, at a time specified by the Student Council.

(d) There shall be 24 representatives to the Student Council. Sixteen representatives shall be elected by classes of men and women (see Section e below) and eight shall be elected at large (see Section f below).

(e) The procedure for elections by classes shall be as follows: Any eligible student wishing to run will submit by the deadline a petition bearing 20 signatures from members of his constituency (i.e., freshmen, sophomore, or junior men; freshmen, sophomore or junior women). Students shall vote according to the constituency of which they are members; no two representatives will be elected from each constituency. (Class elections for incoming freshmen will be conducted after their arrival on campus.)

# Coords Become Coeds

The procedure for the election of representatives-at-large shall be as follows:

- (i) Any eligible student wishing to run shall submit by the deadline a petition bearing the signatures of 20 students.
- (ii) Elections for at-large representatives shall be at least one week after elections for class representatives.

If, after the petition deadline for either election, the number of persons seeking the available position is not at least one more than the number of available positions, Council may make nominations to that position.

If a member is unable to serve a full term, he must inform the President of the Council. The Council shall order the vacancy to be filled by a new election by the constituency of the position vacated. If, in the opinion of the Council, the unexpired term is too short to justify an election, the Council shall fill that vacancy by appointment.

The Student Council may extend to any student non-voting membership for a period of one year when necessary to secure more adequate representation.

## Section 4. Procedures

(a) The Student Council shall meet regularly during academic sessions and at such other times as the President of the Council shall determine necessary.

(b) Except for the President of the Council, each voting member present shall have one vote in Council proceedings. The President of Council shall vote in case of a tie.

(c) A Quorum shall consist of 3/5 of the voting membership.

(d) For the Council to conduct official business a quorum must be present. A majority of the members present is required for any action unless otherwise specified.

(e) For making appointments to all student positions outlined in Articles IV and V, the officers of the Council, acting as a committee, shall nominate to the Council students to fill the positions. One week shall elapse before a vote on the nominations is held. Any member of Student Council may submit additional nominations prior to the vote.

(f) Ten faculty members shall be nominated for Judicial Board by the officers of the Council and approved by the Council before being submitted to the President of the College.

(g) The Student Council shall publish By-Laws establishing the arrangements for its internal organization.

## ARTICLE IV. Adjudication of Non-Academic Rules

### Section 1. Initial Procedures for Adjudication

The Deans and the Judicial Board jointly shall have jurisdiction over cases of violation of the non-academic rules of the College. Initial jurisdiction shall reside with the student's Dean, who shall make preliminary inquiry into the nature and circumstances of the alleged violation. Only in cases where he deems the student innocent or feels the infraction merits more than a reprimand or warning may the Dean inform the student of his intention to judgment. The student in any event may have his case referred to the Judicial Board for a full hearing, or he may request the Dean to make a judgment in the case. In the latter event, the Dean may pass judgment in the case, or, if he determines he should not make a judgment, he may refer the case to the Board for a full hearing. The Judicial Board must hear all cases referred to it.

### Section 2. Powers and Duties of the Judicial Board

(a) The Judicial Board shall hear those cases of alleged violation of the non-academic rules of the College which are referred to it as described above, making a finding of innocence or guilt and recommend action to be carried out on behalf of the College by the appropriate Dean.

(b) The Board shall issue a public statement whenever it might increase understanding of and respect for the rules of the College and the rights and responsibilities of the individual.

### Section 3. Membership of Judicial Board

(a) The Judicial Board shall be composed of seven regular members (4 students and 3 faculty) and four alternate members (2 students and 2 faculty). Each year the Student Council shall appoint two regular student members to serve a 2-year term, and 2 alternate student members to serve a 1-year term. Each year the President of the College, after considering a list of ten nominees submitted to him by the Student Council, shall appoint the faculty membership. The terms for the three regular faculty members shall be two years each with no more than two appointed any single year. The term for the two alternate faculty members shall be one year.

(b) The President of the College shall designate one of the three regular faculty members as Chairman. The Chairman shall appoint one of the four student members Recorder of the Board during that student's term of office. The Recorder shall keep an account of the proceedings of the Board, and, jointly with the Chairman, issue all official statements and decisions of the Board.

(c) When it sits, the Judicial Board shall be composed of four students and three members of the faculty. The Board may hear cases only when constituted by membership of seven. If a regular member must be absent from a hearing or if there is an evident conflict of interest for any member, the Chairman shall designate an alternate member to attend that session of the Board as a replacement. In the event that the Board cannot be constituted from the regular and alternate members provided above, the Chairman may appoint ad hoc members from the membership of the Student Council, the Campus Senate, or the faculty.

(d) The Student Council shall appoint one of its members to attend all hearings of the Board as an observer. He shall report to the Student Council only charges, decisions, penalties, and any procedures during a hearing which, in his opinion, violate the rights of the student(s) involved. He shall not take an active part in the hearings except by invitation of the Board.

(e) The student's Dean shall attend all hearings of the Board as an observer. The Dean shall not take an active part in the hearings except by the invitation of the Board.

### Section 4. Procedures for Judicial Board

(a) The Board shall proceed in such a way as to guarantee to all accused persons:

- (i) the presumption of innocence until guilt is proven;
- (ii) due notice of the charge involved;
- (iii) a full and fair hearing, including the right to be confronted with and reply to all evidence pertinent to the inquiry;
- (iv) the privilege of representation at the hearing by a student or Faculty Member

of his choosing, or in cases which may involve infraction of state or a federal law, representation by an attorney;

(v) the right to request pertinent testimony from any person.

(b) The Board shall follow any further procedures established by the Campus Senate for the conduct of disciplinary proceedings and institute as it deems necessary rules for its own internal organization.

## Section 5. Appeals

The decision announced by a student's Dean, in any case of discipline, may be appealed by the accused to the President of the College. An appeal must be initiated within three days of the student's receipt of written notification of the decision. After hearing the appeal, the President may either sustain the decision being appealed or impose an independent judgment of the case.

## ARTICLE V. Delegations and Rules governing student participation on faculty and Trustee Committees.

### Section 1. Student Delegations

Student delegations to the administration, as specified below, shall meet on a regular basis for the purpose of exchanging information and discussing matters of common concern.

(a) The student delegation to the President shall meet with the President at least once every month while College is in session at the delegation's request. It shall be composed of the President of the Student Council and three other students selected from the student body by the Student Council.

(b) The student delegation to the Provost shall meet with the Provost at least once every month while College is in session at the delegation's request. It shall be composed of the Vice-President of Student Council and three other students selected from the student body by the Student Council.

(c) The student delegation to the Vice-President for Finance shall meet with the Vice-President for Finance at least twice each semester. It shall be composed of the Vice-President of Student Council and three other students selected from the student body by the Student Council.

(d) The Student Council shall form ad hoc delegations composed of the Vice-President of Student Council and three other members of the student body to meet with any other administrator at least once a month while school is in session upon that delegation's request.

**Section 2** Student representatives to Trustee and Faculty Committees shall be appointed by the Student Council in the manner specified in Article III, Section 4e. The nature and length of their term in office shall be determined by the Trustee and Faculty regulations, current synopses of which are printed below.

Present student membership on Trustee Committees is as follows: Student Affairs (5), Building and Grounds (2), Degrees (2), Development and Alumni Affairs (2), Finances (2), Academic Affairs (2), the Budget (2), Nominations (2).

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Present student membership on Faculty Committees is as follows: Educational Policy and Resources Allocation Board (2), Curriculum (2), Off-Campus Study (2), Educational Facilities (2), Admission (2), Financial Aid (2), Student Advising (4), Awards and Post-graduate Opportunities (2), Equal Educational Opportunity

## ARTICLE VI. Campus Assemblies

### Section 1. Functions and Powers

The Campus Assembly shall have the right to discuss any issue of concern and to formulate proposals and refer them to the proper agency.

### Section 2. Procedures

(a) Campus assemblies may be convened either by the Chairman of the Senate acting on the instruction of the Senate or by the President of Student Council on the instruction of Council, or in response to a petition bearing the signatures of 100 students.

(b) All meetings of the Campus Assembly shall be open to all members of the Campus Government.

(c) Meetings shall be presided over by the executive officer of the body which convened the meeting.

(d) Meetings and agenda shall be announced at least two days in advance.

## ARTICLE VII. Impeachment and Removal from Office

**Section 1.** Any student holding office in the Campus Government is subject to impeachment for failure to perform the functions of his office, for gross neglect of duty, for failure to execute duly assigned responsibilities, or for violation of the principles and provisions of the Campus Government.

### Section 2.

(a) Impeachment proceedings shall be undertaken by the Student Council acting either on its own initiative by a majority of its members, or in response to a petition to it bearing the signatures of 1/4 of the constituency of the position in question. The President of the Council shall instruct any student who is thus subject to impeachment to appear before Council for a hearing. In the event that it is the President of the Council who is being impeached, the Vice-President of the Council shall conduct the hearing.

(b) Action to remove a student from office shall require a 2/3 vote of the full membership of the Council.

## ARTICLE VIII. Referendum

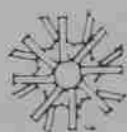
**Section 1.** The student body shall have the right to submit to a referendum any issue which falls within the authority of the Student Council.

**Section 2.** A referendum may be called by a petition to the Student Council bearing the signatures of one-fourth of the student body. When a referendum is called, the President of the Council shall arrange for a special vote on that issue within two weeks.

**Section 3.** If the proposals receive the approval of a majority of the entire student body, it shall be binding on the Student Council.

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## Opinion

We are relinquishing our space in this week's Collegian to print a letter to the editors which we feel is not only articulately and intelligently written but of the utmost importance to the Kenyon community. —L.F., D.L.

To the Editors:

Something has happened at this school which should receive considerable public attention but as of the date of my writing has to date so. A freshman left a party which was held in Old Kenyon on Saturday night and was in such an uncontrollable condition that he wandered down the hill to the tennis courts there to lie down, fall down, or pass out (it makes no difference). He was found there the next day, frozen to death.

The reaction of the student body was, I'm sure, varied but for the most part there was no reaction at all as far as I could discern. It appeared that most students simply labeled it an unavoidable accident and were thankful that it hadn't happened to them. Some almost immediately took up defensive positions against that "boogie man," the administration, and pondered as to whether this would mean a crack-down on parties (i.e. whether or not the Dean would take away our toys). But damned few that I spoke to felt that we should re-examine our parties, ourselves and reconsider our behavior in them. We all seem unwilling to criticize that great Kenyon landmark, the "show."

The time has long since arrived for such a re-examination by each of us; and if it is only at such a tragic moment that we take the opportunity, then at least something may come from the most meaningless waste I can think of.

This last weekend might lend us some examples of our behavior to consider. They are only good examples because they are not unique, but because they are not unique we will have to make an effort to view them objectively.

There were the typical cases of drunken guys "pawing," with a greater or lesser degree of force, the available females. At Kenyon few girls are raped (none that I've heard of) but many are so molested. The question arises: Isn't there something wrong in some one's social thinking if he needs to get drunk in order to approach a girl or if she enjoys or even allows this kind of approach?

There was, as one by-stander put it, "another naked man show" at one of the parties. This was simply composed of a drunk in a hat and overcoat exposing himself to any one who cared to look. Why is it that Kenyon people insist upon making this community nothing more than a microcosm of our overall society instead of trying to make it what it could and should be, something one whole hell of a lot better? And why do we fail to apply the same terms here that we would apply if we saw some drunk exposing himself in New York City? The act itself may not have the same motives but isn't there still something wrong with people who require stunts to get the attention they require.

And finally there were individuals who openly considered suicide and many more who considered it not so openly. In any case, we all know that there have been several attempts at suicide this year. This, if nothing else, should make us stop to reconsider this cold society we have created on "Magic Mountain." Why are we so pre-occupied with a drunken debauch and how healthy is our fascination with the bizarre? We don't help ourselves by perpetuating a patronage for clowns and we don't help them.

This is not a call for absolute temperance and I would stand with anyone against any crack-down from the Dean's office. But that is not anything he wants to do. I'm sure, and any attempt he might make would be futile anyway. We are the only ones who can make this society better for ourselves. We are the ones who are freaking out and attempting suicide and dying in the snow and we are the only ones who can stop it. We can start by using alcohol and drugs as something other than free license to do anything we damned well please. The phrases: "well he was drunk" or "well he was stoned" are too often heard as excuses for behavior which would not be acceptable otherwise. There seems to be no limit to what is excusable while one is "under the influence." This might be a good place to start. The influence we all have on each other is tremendous and we all know it. Therefore, all that remains to be done is for us to stop accepting "well he was drunk" as an excuse and people will either stop doing those things while they're drunk or stop getting that drunk. It is that simple. There is damned little that is good that has ever come out of a "show" and now there is one death. That is not an acceptable account.

Sincerely,  
Josh Bill, '73

## letters to the editors

To the Editors:

As a recent graduate of Kenyon, I ordered my subscription to the COLLEGIAN to be better able to keep up with the changing mood on my campus. I expected to be accosted with the drivel which had comprised most of the paper during my four years at Kenyon. However, I was pleasantly surprised to see how well the two women editors turned a rag of a newspaper into one filled with provocative and interesting features and articles. I have especially enjoyed the increasing number of features on those people and places in Gambier which provide the most enormous pleasure a student finds in his sojourn at Kenyon.

Your editorial in an early issue which bemoaned the lack of enthusiasm on the part of Kenyon students came as no surprise to me. I pity the few who are willing to do a bit more for everyone else at the risk of lowering their accums or missing one party. Since I know from experience that you never get a compliment but are annoyed and disheartened daily by complaints from those less concerned than yourselves, I congratulate you on a job well done. I would also like to warn you, in case you have not yet encountered this problem, that the same professors who are most bent on turning academic pursuits into drudgery and intellectual curiosity

To the Editors:

As a parent I wished my child to Kenyon would go — To enjoy other kids, learn, and inwardly grow. But on reading your paper, I'm really aghast — Abortion! Contraceptives! How long will it last? It all sounds like a cop out to me — relieving one of responsibility. What happened to the goals we all work for — Peace in Vietnam, pollution, poverty and more? Parents don't care about your long hair or dress. But whom do you really think you impress? Booze it up and take your drugs — though I must confess, You'll end up like us old folks, in just one hell of a mess. AND MAYBE WORSE!

Signed, A Concerned Parent

into a race against the budding ulcer, will be those professors who are most critical of your finished product. They don't seem to realize the enormous sacrifices and the overwhelming frustrations which the work you are doing entails.

Name Withheld by Request

To the Editors:

Thanks to the thoughtfulness of Mr. Chambers of the College Bookshop, and to the generosity of 109 Kenyon College students, that many children in Knox County Head Start families received a brand new book of his or her own this Christmas. For most of these children it is probably the first new book they have ever owned. For all of them I am happy to say, "thank you."

The staff also wishes to thank the many Kenyon students who helped

"run herd" on Head Starters who they were guests for lunch at Peirce Hall early in December. PattlePage deserves much credit for organizing this gala event, and Saga for serving such a good lunch.

To Myer Berlow another thank you for giving Head Start a copy of the current year-book, which features a 2-page spread of Kenyon volunteer Mark Heinemann working with one of the Head Start children in the classroom.

This kind of sharing is what makes Head Start a true community action program. Come over to Gate Drive in Mount Vernon someday and see the children in their classrooms. It's where the action is.

Peace in 1972,  
Dorothy Longaker, Director

To the Editors:

Due to the fact that I am a COLLEGIAN staff member, I was able to read Gerry Chalpin's article "Lunatic Ravings," which appears in this issue, before it went to press.

To use the tragic event which occurred at Kenyon last weekend as a general subject matter for a newspaper column, in the first place, seems to me to exhibit an incredible degree of insensitivity toward human suffering. Secondly, to connect the topic of death to that of sex indicated to me that thoughtfulness and compassion are unknown terms to Mr. Chalpin.

If Mr. Chalpin's only thought "that seems acceptable at this time" is the memory of the good times which have passed and the hope for the new ones to come, then his frivolous brain is more vacant than I had first suspected. There is a time and place for almost anything but by my standards and I suspect many others, this was not the time nor the place nor the subject for the ravings of a lunatic.

Signed, Gay Garth '71

## Free the Peirce 8

by Armon Hammer

The eight residents of Peirce Hall confessed under pressure today to shattering the bulbs of the front staircase chandelier with Butter Pecan ice cream. Damages from the alleged vandalism of December 16th amounted to \$4.80.

A spokesman for the Peirce Hall 8 objected to the Administration's "shakedown" methods, but carefully avoided use of the words, "blackmail," or "extortion" in the open press conference. He cited, however, the Administration's tacit offer that "things might go easier" for the 8 if they arranged for a public confession. Rumors had it that a deal might save the defendants 40 to 50 cents.

The defendants plan to appeal immediately. They do not wish to humiliate the Administration, their spokesman told newsmen this afternoon, nor will they filibuster in Student Council unless they are forced to. He said, however, that "the whole affair stinks of McCarthyism, and will stink," he said emphatically, "as long as Mr. Lombard and his people use kangaroo justice while the real bulb-smashers walk the streets."

## Lunatic Ravings

by Gerry Chalpin

Until this past weekend, I had planned to devote this issue's column to a discussion of possible reforms in the present Kenyon curriculum. But a saddening event, one coming regrettably close to home, has changed the topic. The death of Jim McDonald in the early hours of a frigid Sunday morning is an event of such crushing impact that writing on any other topic would be inconceivable as well as impossible. There is no fact of life which has a greater importance for our being than death and it is on that topic that I herein propose to write.

At the time of the writing of this column, there are many thoughts which are present. The circumstances surrounding Jim's death are unclear at this point, but what is known gives the event a bizarre and incredibly unreal aura. It seems as if his death, in a strange way, has an almost logical precision about it; a precision which stands in stark contrast to the careless, carefree life styles which most of us lead. However much death is or has been romanticized and glorified in literature, its proximity never fails to unnerve and discomfort the honest among us.

Various people in our own time have commented on the role of death in life. Rollo May, for one, has argued that the contemporary preoccupation with sex as the paradigm of life is the result of modern man's fear of death, a fear against which, it is said, man has fewer psychological defenses than ever before. May's thoughts are perhaps not so far-fetched as may appear. In his poetry, John Donne used deathly metaphors to talk about sex. And, recently, at a conference held in Minnesota, a Harvard biologist claimed that death comes to only those animals who reproduce in a sexual manner.

But whatever may be the origin of death and its place in our minds, the important problem for us is how to deal with it on an individual, personal level. The more religious among us have, I suspect, less difficulty than the rest when it comes to confronting the reality of death. Those who are biologically oriented can view death as simply a part of a great chain of being and thereby avoid worrying about it at all. For the rest of us, however, there probably isn't much solace or consolation available. The only thought that seems acceptable at this time is the memory of the good times which have passed and the hope for the new ones to come.

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# In order to form ... A More Perfect Kenyon

This constitution, written by Kenyon students in answer to the constitution which appears on pages 2 & 3, is a result of the opinions of those writers, and does not necessarily reflect the opinions of the COLLEGIAN editors and staff.

by John Wiener and Chris Bloom

## PREAMBLE

Instituted in accordance with the delegation of authority prescribed by the Board of Trustees under the Constitution of the Colleges, this Campus Government has as its end the establishment of a climate which will promote the process and aims of liberal education.

## ARTICLE I. Participants in Campus Government (I:1,2)

1. Students shall elect three Campus Senators at-large, and shall elect representatives to the Student Council either from each student section as defined below, and by the procedures defined in Art. IV, S. 3b, for unaffiliated students.

## ARTICLE II. Students

1. Students shall have the following recourses:

a) All students shall have recourse to the Judicial Board either as individuals, or through the President of their student section if they are affiliated with a section, or through the Vice-President of the Student Council.

b) All students shall have the following rights of referendum:

i. (VII: 1)

ii. (VIII: 2)

iii. (VIII: 3)

2. Any group of students shall have the right to petition the Campus Senate for charter as a student section, as defined in article III.

## ARTICLE III. Student Sections

1. No student may be affiliated with more than one section.

2. Sections shall be chartered by the Campus Senate for the duration of one school year, and shall be subject to the revocation of charter by the Campus Senate.

3. Sections shall determine their membership within the guidelines or their own charter, and the guidelines established by Campus Senate Statute which may include uniform range of permissible section size.

4. Sections which are contiguous living units shall be responsible for enforcement of all rules established within its own charter. No such rule shall violate any Campus Senate Statute.

5. Each section shall elect a President and a representative to the Student Council.

6. Each section through its President shall have re-course to the Judicial Board.

## ARTICLE IV. Student Council

1. Functions (I:3)

2. Powers

A-D (II:4: A-D)

For making appointments to all student positions outlined in Articles VI and VIII the members of the Council, acting as a committee, shall nominate to the Council students to fill the positions. One week shall elapse before a vote on the nominations is held. Any member of Student Council may submit additional nominations prior to the vote.

3. Student Council shall elect the following officers: President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer. Any student may be a candidate for Student Council offices. No student shall be in any case both a member and officer of Student Council. Should a representative to the Student Council be elected an officer of the Student Council, that representative's constituency shall elect a new representative.

4. Student Council shall establish procedures for, and charter, all activities, student activities, student enterprises, and organizations.

5. Membership. The membership of Student Council shall be composed of:

A. One representative from each chartered section.

B. Representatives elected by and from the group of students unaffiliated with any section. The number of these representatives shall be determined as nearly as possible to the ratio of the number of all unaffiliated students to the average number of students in each chartered section.

C. The President, Vice-President, and Secretary and Treasurer shall be members of Student Council, with the President voting only in instances of a tie vote.

6. Officers

A. (III: 3 : B (i))

B. The Vice-President shall assume the powers of the President should the President be absent at meeting of Student Council, and shall accede to the position of President should the President be removed from office, for any reason. Also, he shall act as Ombudsman for all participants of Campus Government, and in that capacity shall have the power to bring charges before the Judicial Board on behalf of the participants in Campus Government. He shall submit written reports of his activities in this capacity at the end of each semester and on the request of the Student Council. He shall also sit as observer of the Judicial Board's hearings, as specified in Art. VI.

C. (III: 3 B, (iii))

D. (III: 3: B, (iv))

7. Procedures

A. (III: 4: A)

B. (III: 4: B)

C. (III: 4: C)

D. (III: 4: D)

E. (III: 4: E)

F. Student Council will send as members to Campus Senate, the President, Vice-President, and one member elected from the membership of Student Council.

G. Student Council shall allocate the Student Activities Funds to only those organizations and enterprises that have been duly chartered by the Student Council.

## ARTICLE V. Campus Senate

1. Functions.

A. (II: 1: A)

B. (II: 1: B)

C. (II: 1: C)

D. (II: 1: D)

2. Powers.

A. C (II: 2: A-C)

D. When a participant in Campus Government challenges the Constitutionality of any action or policy arising under Campus Government, the Judicial Board shall be the final arbiter of that question.

E. The Senate shall have the power to amend the Constitution as outlined in Article VI.

F. Judicial Board membership will be approved individually by the Campus Senate from nominations made by the Student Council and the President, as defined in Art. VI.

## 3. Membership

A. Three students shall be elected by the entire student body.

B. The President, Vice-President, and a member elected from the Student Council, by the Student Council.

C. Faculty - Two representatives of the faculty elected by the faculty, one of whom shall be designated by the faculty to serve both as a member of the Campus Senate and the Faculty Council, and the Provost.

D. Administration - The Deans of the college, who shall represent the administration.

E. The President of the Colleges shall sit as a non-voting member.

F. (III:3: D)

G. (III: 3 :E)

H. (III: 3: F)

## 4. OFFICERS

A. The Chairman shall be elected from the membership of the Campus Senate by a majority vote of the membership.

B. The President of the Colleges shall preside over the election of a chairman, and shall vote in case of a tie.

## 5. Procedures.

A-C. (II: 4: A-C)

D. Except in the case of amendment (see Article IX), a majority of the voting members present is required for any action of the Senate, with the Chairman voting only in the case of a tie.

E. (II: 2: D)

F. All statements of official action by the Senate shall be issued by the Chairman through the Secretary, and shall not take effect until filed with the Recorder of the Judicial Board.

G. (II: 4: A)

## ARTICLE VI. The Judicial Board

A. The Judicial Board shall hear those cases of alleged violation of the non-academic rules of the College which are referred to it, making a finding of innocence or guilt and commend action to be carried out on behalf of the College.

## 1. Functions.

B. (V: 2: B)

C. The Judicial Board shall also hear complaints of alleged violation of non-academic rules, statutes, and charters by students, faculty, administration, and all campus organizations.

D. The Judicial Board shall hear cases of alleged violation of the Constitution referred to it.

2. Powers. The Judicial Board has the power to adjudicate all cases brought before it as specified in this article, and to direct those participants in Campus Government involved to take the steps it deems necessary; subject to the Presidential appeal.

## 3. Membership shall be composed of:

A. Four student members nominated by the Student Council and approved by the Campus Senate.

B. Three faculty members nominated by the Faculty Council and approved by the Campus Senate.

C. Two student alternates nominated by the Student Council, and approved by the Campus Senate.

D. Two faculty alternates nominated by the Faculty Council, and approved by the Campus Senate.

E. Ratification shall be by majority vote of the Campus Senate.

F. Tenure shall be a term of two years for regular members, and a term of one year for alternate members.

G. No more than two faculty members may be newly appointed as regular members during any one year.

H. The Vice-President of the Student Council and the appropriate Dean or Deans shall attend hearings of the Judicial Board as observers. They shall not attend final deliberations of the Judicial Board conducted in private.

## 4. Officers.

A. The Chairman of the Judicial Board shall be appointed by the Campus Senate from the Faculty membership of the Judicial Board.

B. The Chairman shall appoint a student as Recorder of the Judicial Board.

## 5. Procedures.

A. The Chairman shall determine the agenda, and shall issue jointly with the Recorder all official statements and permanent decisions of the Judicial Board.

B. i. The Recorder shall register filings of all regulations, charters, and statutes, and constitutional amendments.

ii. Any complaints must be registered with the Recorder

iii. Complainants must simultaneously deliver to the recorder sufficient copies of the complaint for distribution to all persons listed by it.

iv. The Judicial Board shall make decisions based only on those rules and legislations described in which have been registered prior to the submission of the complaint.

v. The Recorder shall notify all involved persons of hearing dates.

vi. The Recorder shall keep an account of proceedings of the Judicial Board and jointly with the Chairman shall issue all official statements and decisions of the Judicial Board, to concerned individuals, the appropriate Dean, and the President.

vii. The Recorder shall issue all permanent writs decision jointly with the Chairman.

C. (III: 3: C)

D. Decisions shall be made by majority vote in secret ballot of the Judicial Board.

E. (IV: 1)

F. Any Judicial Board member may take immediate action on a complaint by registering it with the Recorder and if appropriate making a decision on behalf of the Board which will be valid until the next meeting of the Judicial Board. Such action shall be registered with the Recorder, and effected by the issuance by the acting member of a temporary writ of decision.

G. (IV: 4: A)

H. The Board shall hold its final deliberation in private and make its decision by secret ballot.

I. Any participant in Campus Government may initiate a Judicial Board action by registering his complaint with the Recorder, and where appropriate bringing the complaint to the attention of a regular member of the Judicial Board.

## 6. Appeals.

a. All decisions of or on behalf of the Judicial Board may be appealed to the President of the Colleges. His decision is final.

b. An appeal must be initiated within three days of receipt of written notice of the decision.

c. The President may, after receiving such appeal, either sustain the decision of the Judicial Board, or impose an independent judgement.

## ARTICLE VII. Assemblies

Their Art. VI, with following:

## 1. Functions (VI: 1)

2. Powers. The powers of each assembly will be clearly delineated in the "call."

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3. Membership will be composed of all participants in Campus Government.
4. Officers. The Speaker of the Assembly shall be determined by the "call".
5. Procedures.
- A. Campus Assemblies may be "called" either by the President of the Colleges in response to a petition bearing the signatures of one hundred participants on the Campus Government, or the President of the Student Council, or the Chairman of the Campus Senate.
- B. The "Call" shall:
  - (i) delineate the agenda to be covered.
  - (ii) specify the Speaker of the Assembly, who shall be the issuer of the "call".
  - (iii) delineate the authority to be vested in the Assembly, which can not exceed the powers of Student Council, in the case of the Student Council President issuing the call, and the powers of the Campus Senate in the case of the Chairman of the Campus Senate issuing the call, or the powers delegated by the President of the Colleges when he issues the call.
- C. The "call" shall be issued at least two days in advance of the assembly.
- D. Decisions of the Assembly shall be made by majority vote of the participants in Campus Government.
- E. The Secretary of the Campus Senate shall serve as Secretary to the Assembly.
- F. Any extraordinary procedure within the scope of the "call" may be adopted by the Assembly for the conduct of that Assembly.

### ARTICLE VIII. Student Delegations and Representations

1. (V: 1)
2. Student representatives to Trustees and Faculty Committees shall be appointed by the Student Council. The nature and length of their term in office shall be determined by the Trustee and Faculty regulations.

### ARTICLE IX. Impeachment

1. (VII: 1)
2. (VII: 2)
3. Senate shall have the power to initiate impeachment proceedings against Senators, and members of the Judicial Board.

### ARTICLE X. Amendments

1. (IX: 1)
2. (IX: 2)
3. No amendments shall affect cases pending before the Judicial Board.

### ARTICLE XI. Information

1. All Campus Government organizations, and organizations chartered by Campus Government shall keep minutes or other records of their proceedings.
2. The Secretary of the Campus Senate shall maintain a file of all proceedings as above, and shall make said file available to all participants in Campus Government.

## Money May Cut Trainer

by Sam Barone

Trainer George Christman of the Wertheimer Fieldhouse staff may be dismissed from his duties later this year, the COLLEGIAN learned this week.

Christman, in his sixth year as trainer for Kenyon athletes, may be released due to budgetary considerations, according to Samuel Lord, Vice President for Finance. "Some cuts have been demanded down there (the fieldhouse) and this is one that the Budget Committee has suggested," Lord said.

When asked if the action was likely, Lord at first declined comment but later stated, "Until the

trustees meet on February 19, the action is still in the non-locked-in category."

When questioned about the situation, Kenyon athletic director Phil Morse responded that there was the possibility that Christman would be released and added, "It makes me real unhappy that an important part of the athletic program may be cut. Regarding Christman's 'replacement,' Morse said, "The coaches in the athletic department would assume the duties that George has had at Kenyon."

Provost Bruce Haywood could not be reached for comment.



LORD HEAD Coach Jim Zak yells instructions that he hopes will help his team rally. However, the Lords never quite caught the visitors and dropped third OAC contest in a row.

## More Fun Reading

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### ARTICLE IX. Amendments

**Section 1.** Amendments to this Constitution shall be made by the Campus Senate. To pass, an amendment will require the consent of seven voting members. The Chairman in this case shall be considered a voting member.

**Section 2.** Proposals for amendment may be initiated either by the Student Council, the Faculty Council, the Campus Senate, or the Campus Assembly.

### ARTICLE X. The Chief Executive Officers for Campus Government

**Section 1.** The President of the College shall appoint from the Administration a Chief Executive Officer for the Campus Government who shall have the following responsibilities:

- (a) to supervise and coordinate the operation of all parts of the Campus Government, assisting and advising all organizations under the jurisdiction of the Government;
- (b) to encourage and assist student organizations in assuming responsibility for managing their own affairs; to maintain for each recognized activity and organization a statement of purpose and current roster of officers and members. He may delegate the authority of his office to those organizations which have shown their capacity for self-government;
- (c) to communicate and interpret to the Campus Government administrative policies on health, student housing, dormitories, and dining halls.

### APPENDIX

#### Section 1.

This constitution shall go into effect upon ratification by the Board of Trustees, the Faculty, a majority of the students voting on ratification at the Co-ordinate College and a majority of the students voting on ratification at Kenyon College. Elections at the College will be administered by an Ad Hoc elections committee composed of members of the Kenyon student council and four members appointed by the Co-ordinate Council working under the authority of the Constitutional Committee.

#### Section 2.

The deadline for petitions in 1972 for those wishing to run for Student Council office will be on March 10; for those wishing to run for the Campus Senate, March 10; for those wishing to run for class elections for representatives to the Student Council, March 31; and for those wishing to run for representatives-at-large to the Student Council, April 7. Elections will be conducted as soon as possible after each deadline date. Elections shall be administered

## OVER THE HILL

by Jim Lucas and Carl Mueller

I'd like to buy the world some coke . . .

The United Nation's division of Narcotic Drugs reported in a Newsletter that in 1970, 770 pounds of illicit cocaine was seized around the world. In 1960, the world-wide total was 22 pounds. The Newsletter said "It seems to indicate an increase in abuse. . ." According to the Newsletter, Cocaine was first used in South America. The coca leaf in the Inca Empire was regarded as sacred. Its use was restricted to the Imperial Family.

### Where Was His Get-a-way Crutch?

A Youngstown University student was arrested in a Panty raid in November. He was a member of a group searching the St. Elizabeth's School of Nursing for underwear when the security force arrived. Because of an injured leg, he was unable to run with his cohorts, and he was left to the mercy of the security force. The next morning, he was served with a fast in jail.

### Fratty-tat-tat. Deni-Doo Dood it Again!

While Kenyon's Frats flounder, the Greeks are as strong as ever at Denison University. 40 per cent of the women and 60 per cent of the men pledged a greek society this year.

### Sacred Grasshoppers

In a talk given at Williams College, the Rev. William Sloane Coffin, Yale University related the state of present American society to the Bible. Coffin concentrated on Numbers, chapters 13 and 14, in which Moses sent out scouts to the land of Canaan. Upon returning, all but one of the scouts, Caleb, expressed a desire to return to Egypt for they felt like "grasshoppers" upon viewing "the giants" of Canaan. In relation to present American society Coffin stated that "It is always fear that does us in. Fear destroys from within our ability to deal with our problems. If we think of ourselves as grasshoppers then we effectively divorce ourselves from potential success." Coffin termed this a "protective strategy" which leads to "deliberate failure." After the talk, Coffin stepped from behind the podium to display his new pair of brown bell-bottoms with which he was very pleased.

### Elevated Nausea

Incidentally, does anyone know who blew lunch in the nine-story dorm elevator this weekend?

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### Section 3.

Upon ratification of this Constitution, the Campus Senate statutes shall include the statutes of Inter-fraternity Council and Freshmen Council as outlined in Articles IV and IV of the 1971-72 Kenyon College Constitution. The campus organizations of Publications Board and Film Board, outlined in Articles VIII and X of the Constitution shall be included in the statutes.

### Section 4.

Upon ratification of this Constitution, the Campus Senate rules and regulations shall include both the rules and regulations established for Kenyon College by the Kenyon College Campus Senate, and those established for the Coordinate College at Kenyon by the Co-ordinate Council.



THE STUDENT MEMBERS of the Constitution Committee included (left to right) Ann Wiester, a junior who is one of the original pioneer breed of the Coordinate College. Thomas McGannon, sophomore politico who served as last year's president of Freshman Council, and Roland (Ben) Gray III, a junior who is also a campus Senator.