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Baseball, Dance, Track-Meet, Play and Informal Furnish Ample Entertainment

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FIRE PROTECTION IS ASSURED
Better Means of Escape are Being Provided on Buildings Used By Students

After over a year of more or less heated agitation, steps are now being taken to provide better fire protection for the college buildings and better means of escape, in case fire breaks the usual entrances to the buildings in question. Every since the Harcourt fire last winter and, indeed, before it, there was strong sentiment both on the part of the students and outsiders that the fire escapes on the dormitories were inadequate to take care of the needs of all students endangered by a possible conflagration.

While nothing definite has been done with regard to placing hose in the dormitories, measures have been taken to improve the fire-escapes and when the work is completed the runs by students attempting to get out from any of the campus buildings will be reduced to a minimum.

The buildings which suffer change as the result of the fire-commissioners' recommendations are: Old Kenyon, Hanna, Ascension, Copley and Bestley Halls, to together with some changes at Harcourt and the college chapels.

In Old Kenyon balconies will be provided to reach the present fire-ladders, with railings on them at least thirty inches high. These balconies will be located at the second and third story windows and the Bull's Eye windows as additional to the present fire-ladders.

In Old Kenyon balconies will be building, hinged ropes will be provided in the second and third story rooms.

In Ascension Hall, all class doors will be changed to open outward and where double doors are used they will be fitted with double extension bolts. These afford a quick and certain means of fastening and the doors from the inside in the event of a hurried attempt to get out. A pair of stairs leading from Nu Pi Kappa Hall to the Latin Room on the third floor will provide a means of escape through the south end of the building should fire shut off the ordinary entrance.

The doors on Hanna Hall will

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APRIL ASSEMBLY BADLY TANGLED
Illegal Appointment Committee Arouses Talk—Special Session Elects Council

A discussion over the rehiring of the coach and a quibble over the legality of a committee composed the chief business of the April session of the Assembly which met on the evening of April 12.

After the roll-call and minutes, the report of the executive committee was read, corrected and accepted by Mr. Kinder, chairman of the committee to rehire the coach reported that Mr. Mathews had decided to renew his contract as director of athletics. Before this report was accepted, Secretary Goode rose and stated that such a report would not be accepted as the committee was illegally appointed. He based his argument on the rule that no president shall serve on any committee unless special power be granted him by the constitution.

Soon a general debate ensued. Motion was then made and seconded to strike from the minutes the motion appointing the so-called illegal committee. This motion was lost and it finally became evident that one illegally appointed man on the committee rendered its report null and void.

At this juncture a motion to ensure the secretary for interference in the business of the Assembly was made and seconded. This motion was lost by a narrow margin, it being necessary to demand a standing vote.

The difficulty was finally overcome by dropping the discussion and a motion was made by Mr. Axtell authorizing the president to appoint a committee to engage a new coach. The work of the committee, was understood to be subject to the approval of the faculty. Dr. Walton stated on behalf of the faculty that they decided such action on the part of the students. The motion received unanimous support. The committee consists of Messrs. Kinder, Steinfeld and Ader. After some business of minor importance the Assembly adjourned.

Special Assembly, April 19

The Assembly met in special session, Monday evening, April 19 to elect the members of the

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COACH MATTHEWS QUITS ATHLETICS

R. L. Mathews, for three years coach of Kenyon and last season tendered his resignation to the Assembly to take effect the end of this year. After a most successful season the coach has decided to withdraw from athletics, and will leave for Seattle where he intends to enter business. The Assembly has made every possible effort to persuade the coach to stay, and if he were not going into business it is very probable he would be willing to do so.

Three years ago athletes at Kenyon were in a deplorable condition. For several years our football teams had been playing defensive games entirely, hardly ever hoping to come out of a game victorious. In the fall of 1911 only one victory was recorded. In baseball we had no regularly organized team. Whenever a base ball game was arranged, nine men got together to do their best to keep their opponents from running up a high score. As to track, we had not heard of a Kenyon track team for some years.

These were the conditions Coach Mathews had to face when he signed a three-year contract in the fall of 1912. He took a man who not only had to know his business thoroughly but who must necessarily be a fighter. The right man was selected. To prove this one need only compare athletics in 1912 with those in 1915. The work went slow at first but each step was sure, and we began to have more to have winning teams.

His first year Coach Mathews scored victories out of seven games. Last year with a harder schedule he secured three victories and one tie out of a possible seven. This year the coach turned out one of the best teams in the state. Had it not been for a little "hard luck" we would have had a championship team. This year Reserve was beaten for the first time since 1908.

Coach Mathews has also put
The number of avid golfers on the campus this spring is proving a decided plus for the maintenance staff of the campus golf course. The large increase in golfing, however, has placed an added burden on the grounds crew. Good course conditions are a must in order to maintain the requirements of the five-in- 

Kenyon Golf Club Permanently Established

After three years of existence, the Kenyon Golf Club has now reached a point where it may well be classed among the major activities of the college. For the past three years, the golf club has been quite successful, and the results have been seen with keen interest by all the members of the faculty, students, and alumni. The club has been able to maintain a good balance of players, both from the dormitories and from the off-campus areas.

April Assembly

The April Assembly is an annual event that brings together the various organizations and clubs on campus to share information and ideas. This year, the assembly was held in the main hall of the campus, and it was attended by representatives from all the student organizations. The assembly was a success, and it is hoped that it will continue to grow in the future.

Fire Protection

Be made to open outward and knotted ropes will be placed in all third-floor rooms.

In Risse Hall a new exit, at least five feet wide, is ordered with double doors opening outward and provided with suitable platform and stairs reaching to the ground. This will be placed in the southeast corner of the hall.

At Bexley the hall windows on the second and third stories, are to be widened and fitted with iron balconies leading to the fire-escape ladders. These ladders are to be brought within eight feet of the ground.

The southeast door of the college chapel is to be changed to open outward as are also the doors on the buildings at Hascott. At the latter place many other minor changes are to be made to meet the requirements of the fire inspector.

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MELODRAMA TO BE STAGED BY 1918

In Addition to Dance, Sophomores Will Assume Full Charge of Saturday Evening

An innovation at Kenyon this year which will doubtless increase class spirit is the presentation of a play by the sophomores on the Saturday evening of Hop week. It is customary to have the glee club concert or some other form of entertainment on that evening given, as a rule, by some Assembly organization. As the sophomore class this year is larger than usual, its members very fittingly decided not to limit their energies to the dance alone, but to demonstrate their abilities as actors as well.

The play chosen is a two-act melodrama by D. J. Stevens, entitled, "Old Acre Folk," and is bound to keep the audience laughing from the rising of the curtain to the going down of the same after the final act. The scene is laid in a New England farming town and the plot is carefully worked out to emphasize a contrast in characters. It includes the usual deceiver, and a country "squire" whose beautiful daughter is sought to be married by a country boy, much to the disgust of the girl's father. The chief contrast in the play, however, is brought by the difference in time represented in each act. The first act is a summer scene and the second a winter scene and granted warm weather for Hop week, this situation will be fully appreciated.

Not only is the giving of a play by the sophomores unusual but the fact that a melodrama was selected is also out of the ordinary. The presentation of a play at this time of year by the class giving the dance is, it is to be hoped, will not only increase class spirit, but establish a precedent for following classes.

The play is under the personal direction of Mr. Watters and through many of the men in the cast are members of the Puff and Powder Club, many new faces will appear on the Rossie Hall stage. Resides that the play will last about an hour, will be followed by an informal dance. The music for the dance will probably be furnished by some of the orchestra from the previous evening.

The interest manifested by the members of the class is sufficient to warrant an exceptionally pleasant time.

AGED ALUMNUS RECOUNTS TALES

Dr. S. J. Hubbell, '52, in Letter to Philo's President Recalls Early Kenyon

The president of Philo recently received a letter from one of the oldest Kenyon alumni, Dr. S. J. Hubbell, '52, in which the writer recalled many men connected with early Kenyon life, and recounted incidents which, though not important, are nevertheless interesting.

It is evident from the letter that Dr. Hubbell attended the academy before coming to college, as some of the names mentioned are connected with events at Milner Hall. Many of them are of men who have died. He speaks, for example, of "Life" Andrews (Ren- son, '52) whose death was recorded in the last "Collegian." He states that he was 81 years old on March 8 last.

A portion of the letter is here given which may prove of interest to the elder as well as the younger alumni:

"Isn't it singular how well we remember the things that do not count and are so handy in forgetting the important ones which make and mar? This, I think there are few about Gambier who can call to mind. Sosthene Hemco was enough poised at Alphonse Coo to give him battle; I forget the cause. Sosthene was about 5 feet and 4 inches and Coo was over six, but Sosthene wanted to fight so he very bravely shook his fist under Coo's nose and dared him. Coo stopped and picked up a stick about 14 inches square and 14 feet long and threw it its own length saying to Sosthene, "You don't want to fight me, do you Sosthene?" Sosthene had all the fight he had wanted.

You don't remember Phil Stanbury who came to us from West Point do you? Well, we at the Hall were a military set accorded with blue jackets and brass but- tons; there was some talk of getting Phil to put us through the West Point drill, but he refrained.

On old Nelson E. Sweitzer was Aid de Camp to Gen. McCollon in the Civil War. Fearless and im- moral but of course, I think, on the wrong side. You see I was born in Dulcepepper, Virginia near Mud Run and so was a rebel during the war. I could make you tired if I have not already done so recounting the funny things of college life. I will give you one more and quit which (Continued on page 6)
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IN CONCLUSION

As this issue of the Collegian is the final one by the present staff, it is fitting for the retiring editors to make a few remarks editorially in regard to the work of the paper during the past academic year.

It is fortunate that in our initial editorial a year ago, a statement appeared that to make few promises and keep them is an adjective which will be adhered to. This provides, at any rate, a safe means of escape as we step down and out, making room for the next staff. But let us consider more carefully our promises actually made at that time. Like the present senior class it may well be said that they are few in number, yet in this they are true. We have recorded in collegiate activities as faithfully as we could and we have endeavored to present them in as much as may, so far as the truth of our work and have tried to deal with everything connected with the paper from an unprejudiced standpoint.

As is often the case, there has been a lack of interest on the part of many of the members of the board, with the result that the majority of work has devolved on four or five men throughout the entire year. To these men, the editors-in-chief wishes to express his sincere thanks and on the others, who were willing to sit back and say, "Lord, lord," no words will be wasted.

But the trials and difficulties we had to overcome, we can say in all seriousness, that it has been a pleasure to record the activities of the college during the past two months and with very few wishes for the incoming staff we hope that it may be said of those of us, who worked most diligently, that we "kept the faith" that was entrusted to us.

A WORD ABOUT COLLEGE ELECTIONS

For many years, in fact ever since student government was inaugurated at Kenyon, the first Monday in May has been the one in the college year, on which every member of college desires to be present at the Assembly. At this meeting the officers of the Assembly are chosen for the ensuing year. These officers are chosen by the student body through the solicitation of low-students to act as their representatives in all matters pertaining to student government.

It necessarily follows that a "popular" president of the student body is one of the biggest honors that the students can give to one of their fellow students. To this position is attached much responsibility, and therefore a caring, and deliberate choice must needs be made.

As much care should be taken in this choice, were the present president of the college to be picked. The man to receive this honor must not only be a "popular" fellow, but he should be true, representative of his class. He should not only have executive ability, but he should command the respect of everyone in college. And so should the other officers of the Assembly be the same kind of student body.

There is only one way to pick these officers. And that is, that every man in college, irrespective of what he is bound together with certain individuals by should decide in his own mind who will best represent him as head of the Kenyon Assembly. Any man who can not decide this question for himself, but who votes the way somebody tells him is no more fit to vote in the Assembly than a political graver is to vote for the President of the United States. What a weakness is the man who says he is compelled to vote for a certain man? What a man is he, who stands forth and says it is my duty to do as my conscience dictates. It is my personal duty; there is no higher.

Any man who would like to see himself elected to an office in the Assembly, but who nevertheless knows in his heart that there is a better man for the job than he, is nothing more than a coward. He is selfish and injurious to the welfare of the college, for a college is prosperous only so long as the best men for the jobs get them.

The worst of all political crimes is to buy and sell votes. This does not necessarily mean, however, that all illegitimate arrangements whatever with somebody else to secure votes comes under the same head. A man who will stoop so low as to enter into a deal which is against the law, in order to secure an office is a graver of the worst type. The jills are full of such men. Much less has he a right to call himself a member of any college.

Every man in college has signed a pledge not to enter into politics in the Assembly elections. For the men of the class at Kenyon, this pledge is entirely unnecessary. It is only for "those few" which are found in every institution. The public school at Kenyon, as the present is such that no one dare make a political deal. Let all the eligible candidates for the Assembly offices cross-examine them. If any one playing politics they know who they are. No man can expect to be elected to office in such a way and not be found out and ostracized or later. It would require more than mere nerve to sit in the chair of the president of the Assembly knowing that it was not through his own merits that he was there.

WHAT THE ALUMNI THINK

The following letter received by the editor is submitted to the readers of the Collegian but particularly to the benefit of the students of Kenyon College.

"Dear Sir,—This appeal for financial assistance, sent out in the form of a circular letter to the Alumni of Kenyon from the Athletic Association, is ushered in by a moving reference to the claim of "Kenyon spirit." This sentiment is commendable, but its efficacy is more or less impaired by a report concerning the application the students have apparently made of the term.

It is somewhat inexplicable, but nevertheless time-honored, maxim, that the destruction of valuable property must be a manifestation of youthful exuberance. At a certain tender age, the situation is competently dealt with by the "trotting" or "putting" of the perpetrators of such an act of vandalism at the hands of full-grown men it is necessary for the faculty to sit in grave deliberation, has always appeared to me a waste of ammunition, since the affair so palpably calls for the discipline of the woodshed.

Very truly yours,
A Recent Graduate

THE NEED OF CONVINCING AND THOUGHT

Perhaps, no editorial can express in a more convincing way the need of students to think, and the need of students to be convinced of the necessity of thinking. It appears that in this particular race for the position of "Graduating Class" we are all students of the same kind of college student, and that is, that every man in college, irrespective of what he is bound together with certain individuals by should decide in his own mind who will best represent him as head of the Kenyon Assembly.

As the editor has said, by way of defense of those in charge of the discipline of the woodshed, that the committee, under whose power this duty falls, has used its best judgment in dealing with the offenders and it feels confident that the penalties meted out are sufficient to prevent such action in the future. It is gratifying to note that such a large number of students very humbly condemned the foolish trick and were regretful at their own demurrers to the culprit.

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PHILO CLOSES
EVENTFUL YEAR

Kenyon's Oldest Literary Society Does Creditable Work—Future Outlook Bright

The final meeting of Philo was held on Wednesday evening, April 22. Being essentially a business session little was done besides the election of officers who resulted as follows: P. W. Timberlake '17, president; W. J. White '17, vice-president; P. E. Twigg '17, secretary-treasurer.

Before leaving the chair Mr. Bailey expressed his regret at having to leave the presidency of the society and also his appreciation of the honor of having been its president. He wished the society and its future president, success.

There was a short discussion about the purchase of insignias of the society by its eligible men. There is no doubt that before and during commencement the campus will be dotted with the wearers of the engraved "Phil." President Timberlake stated that within the next week or two he would appoint a committee to take charge of the Philo handbooks given at commencement.

A vote of thanks was tendered Mr. Bailey, the ex-president, for his efficient work as leader of the society. A motion for adjournment was then made, seconded and carried.

Philo has, with this meeting, completed in more ways than one, a most successful year. Although meetings were begun somewhat late in the fall, a large and prominent group of men were initiated at the second meeting, and work was begun earnest after Christmas.

Try-outs for the "Street Debbie" brought out several men of ability. Conscientious work on the part of the debaters and support from members of the society resulted in an easy victory over Nopi and the winning of the first prize by the society's president.

The meetings of the society were somewhat handicapped by a lack of interest on the part of a few upper-classmen members, but thanks to those who were loyal, there were a quorum and sufficient discussion at each meeting to prove that Philo does more to attract attention thanattle chairs. This difficulty (not the occasional disturbance) will be overcome next year as there will be a large number of juniors to guide and direct the policy of the society. It is the intention of the new executive to begin operations.

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SENIORS DISPLAY UNUSUAL TALENT

Rehearsals for Pinero's Play, "Dandy Dick," Promise Wealth of Wit and Humor

The senior play which was reported in the last issue of this paper to be progressing has now advanced beyond that stage (if such a thing can be conceived) for each rehearsal held every other day demonstrates a large sum of money can prevent an admirable presentation of the play—so eagerly have the seniors assimilated the spirit of Pinero's farce.

This play contains an abundance of comic situations and the possibilities for personal "business" and "action" are many. The speeches in themselves are not overshadowed in humor except as they are connected with the situations presented. The members of the cast, however, have proved that plenty of amusement can be afforded the audience as even the surprises seen in advance, have, on more than one occasion so con- 

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DEATH CALLS INDIANA TALENT

Hon. Albert C. Bearss, '61, Dies of Appendicitis at His Home in Peru--Loyal Republican

Kenyon lost another worthy alumnus on Tuesday night, April 18, when Albert C. Bearss, '61, of Peru, Indiana, answered the death summons. Mr. Bearss, who was seventy-seven years old, was active and enjoyed good health up until a few days before his death which was brought on by a stroke of apoplexy. He was one of the pioneers of Miami county and a strong Republican, having taken an important part in the politics of his own state.

Mr. Bearss was a son of Daniel E. Bearss, who was lieutenant during the war period under Morton and later premiere as a Republican leader. The son followed the footsteps of his father and after his education in the Peru schools and at Kenyon, he went west with the current of immigrants headed for the California gold fields. He lived in California for a few years and then went to Nevada where he was elected to the legislature at the age of twenty-six.

During this period he made the acquaintance of Mark Twain who was reporting the sessions of the Nevada legislature. Mr. Bearss found that the fighting spirit of his father which he in turn had inherited, ran strong in him and that his life as well as his father's was to be full of adventure.

After eight or nine years of western experiences he returned to Indiana. For a time he was engaged in the mercantile business in Rochester, but returning to Miami county he received the nomination on the Republican ticket for the legislature and was elected.

In 1867 he was married to Miss Madeline V. Lamb, of Coeburn, Ohio, to which union four children were born of whom two are still living. His home life was always marked by a singular devotion to all his family and to his wife, who for many years was an invalid. Mr. Bearss was loved and respected by a large number of friends and acquaintances not merely in his own county but throughout the state. During the last few years Mr. Bearss centered his attention on his business interests and his large farm north of Peru.

The deceased is survived by two daughters, Mrs. R. A. Gould, Mrs. Theodore Enall and a grand-daughter, Miss Madeline Bliss. Three brothers, Oliver, Omer D., and

CAMPUS ASSUMES NEAT APPEARANCE

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Cane Sunday Duty Celebrated by Seniors and Freshmen

Following the custom of recent years, the freshmen, with their new class canes escorted the seniors to chapel on the morning of Sunday, April 18. The event had been postponed from Low Sunday, the usual date, both because of the inclement weather and also because of the fact that the requisite canes had not reached the Hill at that time.

The procession, which was formed at the library consisted of the college choir, the freshmen with the tangible signs of their victory in the cane rush, the two marshals, Messrs. Stinefeld and Smith, and finally the seniors in cap and gown. At the entrance to the chapel the freshmen stationed and formed an arch with their canes under which the seniors marched, and were then escorted by the marshals to their seats.

After the church service, the seniors gathered before the chapel, and sang their class song and the "Ivy Hymn." In line of the absence of several of their classmates, there were only six of the seniors present: Messrs. Bailey, Brunner, Gay- er, Goode, McLaughie, and Seitz. So that the words of the 113 song, "We're few in number" were very concretely illustrated.

Aged Alumnus (Continued from page 3)

is letting you off easy. Jeremiah Clemens, a tailor, had just had a new gold and blue striped sign painted and placed over his shop door. Halloween night a lot of the boys took it down and carried it to John Hazel's room and split it into firewood and burned it in one of those old box stoves with which the authorities used to furnish us. Prox Bronson and Professor Dobbs and Professor Ross of the faculty were on the road to Hazel's room when the signal was given, but we had the sign all burned except a few sticks and as the faculty came to the door, John said in a voice loud enough to be heard outside his door, "Let us pray," and the faculty waited until the last stick was burned and Hazel finished this prayer: "A wicked and adulterous generation seeketh for a sign, but no sign shall be given them except the sign of the prophet Jonas." Well that will do for this time. This is rather disserusive but you will feel perhaps that I have not bored you."

Sophomore Hop (Continued from Page 1)

is a very popular dance there is every reason to expect a large attendance of out-of-town guests both on the part of alumni as well as prospective students.

Following is a list of music for the dances:

1. One Step—Indiana Pol. Trol.
2. Waltz—What is Love?
3. Fox Trot—Good-by Girls I'm Through.
4. One Step—Chatham's My Chinstown.
5. Waltz—Geraldine.
6. Fox Trot—Watch Your Step.
7. One Step—Parenisiance.
8. Waltz—Adela.
10. One Step—Omar Khayyam.
11. One Step—Court-house in the Sky.
12. Waltz—Black Rose.
13. Fox Trot—Bubi Fox Trot.
14. One Step—He's a Rag Picker.
15. Waltz—Sari.
17. One Step—Ko Ku Da.
18. Fox Trot—Chin Chin Fox Trot.
19. Tango—Argasanz."'s.
20. One Step—When You We.
23. Fox Trot—Humpty Dumpy.
25. Waltz—Good-by Everybody.

Extras:
1. One Step—Sister Susie's Sewing Shirts.
2. Waltz—Miliscenc.
3. Fox Trot—The Girl from Utah.
4. One Step—Tip Top Tipperary.
5. One Step—Tipperary.
6. Fox Trot—Reuben Fox Trot.
7. One Step—Janam Trap.
8. Member of Class of '80 Changes Residence

The Rev. A. A. Breese, '80, Bex., St. Louis, Mo., recently accepted a call to Zion church, Greene, N. Y., where he will enter upon his duties the first of next month. Mr. Breese, who, in addition to being curate of St. Mark's church, has charge of All Saints' chapel and is also Arch deacon of the Reading Arch deaconry. His resignation which takes effect April 30, will mark the end of almost twenty-five years' work in the state of Pennsylvania. After graduating from Kenyon and later from Berkeley he began his work at Johnstown and later went to East Machick Chuck where he remained until coming to Lebanon.

The parish to which Mr. Breese has been called is in the Diocese of Central New York and is one of the oldest established in its vicinity. In addition to a beautiful stone church, it possesses a fine rectory and paroch house.

Tennis Embarrasses are Busy

With the completion of the repairs to the tennis courts, practice has started in earnest. A very good schedule has been arranged and the chances of a successful team look very bright.

Captain Schaefer is back from last year and there are several other men who have shown up very well, and the competition for places on the team is keen.

T. E. Davy, '16, has succeeded G. M. Herringshaw as manager of the team and he has arranged several matches. The inter-collegiate tournament held under the auspices of the Ohio Intercollegiate Tennis Association will take place in Columbus on the Ohio State courts on May 20, 21, and 22.

May 1.—Oberlin at Gambier.
May 18.—St. Mary's at Gambier.
May 28.—Wesleyan at Delaware.
May 29.—Ohio at Gambier.
May 31.—Oberlin at Oberlin.
June 4.—St. Mary's at Dayton.
June 14.—Ohio State at Gambier.

Five thousand and twenty-six degrees have been awarded by Oberlin college since it was founded—Ex.

Practice Game With Gambier's Nine

The baseball team dropped a closely contested practice game to the Gambier village team on April 21, the score being 4 to 3.

Although it was only a practice, the game was close and exciting, and both teams played snappy ball.

Holt made his debut as a pitcher for the collegiate, and hold down the hits well except in the seventh, when he allowed two hits, an error, and a wild throw nestled the villagers three runs and the game.

The Kenyon team played an encouraging brand of ball, and were no longer under the fear condition of the grounds the fielding was remarkably good. The Kenyon batters picked up a little in batting, Gallaher having four safeties to his credit, while several others got one or two hits apiece at the expense of Ayre's fast ones.

Doe" Dobie to Take Graduate Work at Princeton

L. B. Dobie, '14, for the past year assistant in the department of chemistry at Kenyon will leave this fall to pursue graduate work at Princeton. "Doe" has had no trouble in demonstrating his ability as a teacher and has won the respect and esteem of all the men in his classes as well as others who are not so fortunate as to be under his personal tutelage.

He has the best wishes of the students for success in his work in the East.
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Candidates for Election to Assembly Offices Announced

The Assembly Council met Thursday afternoon, April 22, and made nominations for the offices of the Assembly for the ensuing year. The following candidates comprise the list:

For President: Messrs. Stein, D. K. Smith, Hall and Axtell.

For Vice-President: Rennie.

For Secretary: Larcom.

Executive Committee (to fill vacancies): Messrs. Rockwood, DeWalt, Forker.

Dormitory Committee: Messrs. Williams, Daver, Larcom, Bowman, Bennis, Hall, Andrews.

Ohio College Press Association To Meet at Delaware

Notice has been received of the annual convention of the Ohio College Press Association to be held in Delaware, May 7 and 8. It is planned to send three representatives from the Collegian staff, the retiring as well as the new editor and the new business manager.

The delegates from the various papers represented will be accommodated by the eleven fraternities, the O. W. U. Union, the Y. M. C. A. and the new Hotel Allen. President Thornburg of the association announces a surprise for those who attend and an excellent program has been arranged. Some of the best journalists in Ohio are scheduled for the event.

The association will attend, as guests of the college, the Denison-Wesleyan baseball game on Saturday afternoon.

Two papers are going to apply for admission to the association and the members will probably take some definite action concerning them at this meeting. The papers already represented in addition to the Collegian are as follows:

Ohio Wesleyan Transcript.

Oberlin Review.

The Denisonian.

The Miami Student.

Cass Tech.

Otterbein Review.

Green and White.

Reserve Weekly.

Wooster Voice.

Eldoniki.

Mt. Union Dynamo.

Northern Light.

Hiram Advance.

The papers applying for admission are the publications of Cincinnati and Wittenberg.

Biology Summer School Will Begin June 16

The printed announcements for the fifth season of the summer course in biology are now out.

The courses offered are the same as in previous years, General, Aquatic and Advanced Biology.

The course is scheduled to begin June 16 and will last approxi-

mately till July 28. It comprises lectures, laboratory work and field excursions. Three or six semester hours credit may be obtained with one or two hundred laboratory hours. This course has been very successful since its inauguration several years ago and there is no doubt but that this year will witness a larger attendance than in former years.

Kenyon 10—Mt. Vernon 11

In a loosely played game marked by frequent disputes, Kenyon lost the first game of the season to the Mount Vernon Y. M. C. A. ball team, 11-30, at Gambler, Saturday afternoon, April 24.

The heaviest scoring was done in the first two innings by the visiting team. In the first inning they scored five runs, and in the second, managed to cross the plate three times. Mueller, pitching for Kenyon tightened up, and no more runs came in until the sixth inning, when one man came home. The seventh was unproductive of scores, but in the eighth they scored two more tallies, while the first three men up in the ninth went down in onetwo-three order.

Kenyon obtained three runs in the first inning, five in the fourth, failed to send a man across the plate in the fifth and sixth, and secured their final two runs in the seventh and eighth.

Considering the fact that this was the first game played this season, the Kenyon team was by no means disappointing. Save for a certain raggedness and lack of cohesion, the present material ought to develop into a formidable aggregation before the season is over.

Gallehar, short stop for Kenyon, was easily the star, both in his ability to clout the ball, and in his skill in stealing bases. Lowry at third, and Grogg at center, played a consistent game throughout, while the work of Mueller in the box was very creditable.

Norich, pitcher for the visitors, handled himself well, and had six strikes out to his credit. With a bush league record behind him, he did not come up to the mark expected, however, as the members of the Kenyon team had no trouble in hitting him. Gilpin at short stop for Mount Vernon, and Van Vorhis as catcher, played heady games, both being especially good when questions involving the decision of the umpire arose.

A fair sized crowd of students and townspeople witnessed the game, but owing to the threatening weather, the attendance was not so large as was expected.

Yale—In a meeting of the Eastern Inter-collegiate Basketball Association, Yale, who won this year's basketball title forced through a ruling which makes basketball a major sport. This automatically debars freshmen and degree men from the game—Ex.

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ALUMNI GATHER IN CINCINNATI

Kenyon Men Plus Friends Reveal True Spirit Before Group of Prospective Students

One of the most enthusiastic gatherings of Kenyon men during the past few months was held at the University Club, Cincinnati, on Saturday evening, April 24, when the Queen City Alumni and their friends gathered for a reunion and banquet. About forty men were present including President Peirce, Bishop Vincent, several Cincinnati men interested in Kenyon, and a number of prospective students.

After a very sumptuous dinner, speeches were made by a few men chosen by the committee on subjects that were of especial interest to them. The point of departure for the various speeches made by the students proved to be the home life at college. J. G. Stewart '02, president of the association acted as toastmaster and after a short speech of introduction, called on President Peirce to make his speech. His opening remarks on the conditions in Gambier were well received. Following came Bishop Vincent, whose interest in Kenyon has always been frankly shown, as it was by his speech at this time. Constant Southworth, '88, city solicitor in Cincinnati, was next to answer the toastmaster's summons. His remarks were to the point and met with hearty applause of all the men present. Following a few remarks by "Max" Long, '05, came a speech on "The Advantages of a Small College," by Mr. Harry Yergason, who, although a Yalie, has become converted to the ideas expressed in the title of his speech. He is an ardent Kenyon enthusiast and his talk was extremely effective and sincere. Kenyon songs were interspersed between the speeches and as is customary, their value was demonstrated by the enthusiastic response of all the men present.

Tennis Team's First Trip was Unsuccessful

The tennis team opened the season somewhat ingloriously when it was played with Ohio University, and Denison defeated the team on April 23 and 24 respectively. The team consisting of Captain Schafer and Albright played both matches away from home, which somewhat accounts for the results.

The first match, at Ohio, was played on courts which were rain-soaked from the previous day, and in no shape for tennis. The contest did not start till four o'clock, and darkness ended the day's play with honors even.

Schafer out-played Pickering and won 6-4, 6-4, without much trouble. Albright, however, seemed nervous, it being his first college match, and lost out to man 4-6, 7-5. In the doubles Ohio won the first set 6-4, while Kenyon got the balance and won the second set very easily 6-1.

At Granville Schafer's work was very gratifying. He clearly outplayed his opponent, Moore, and won 6-4, 6-2. His services were faultless and Moore returned very few of them. Albright appeared nervous again and lost to Scott 6-2, 6-1. Scott played a very creditable game. In the doubles the Kenyon team showed lack of practice and lost 6-3, 6-2.

Junior Busy With Promenade Plans

Amid the hustle and worry of the sophomores in preparation for their Hop, may be discerned a feeling of unrest among the juniors which is for the fact that they are making arrangements for the final dance of the year, June 15.

The committee has been busy for many weeks already, and in an unobtrusive way have paved much of the way for the execution of their part of the commencement program. The arrangement for the music has been made and unique programs have been ordered. The juniors even though deprived of the full use of the damage deposit have resolved to give a good dance and there is little reason to doubt it will be a financial success, since there is invariably an enthusiastic dancing crowd at commencement.

The committee wishes through these columns to urge upon all men who can and are willing, to turn any money left over from their deposits to the chairman of the committee for use in giving the dance. It is hoped that all who are able will be public-spirited enough to help the juniors in this matter.

The following men comprise the committee: Messrs. Steinfield (chairman), Davey, Bennis, Hall, Brown, McDowell and Zint.

Student Campaign Results Show in Coming In

Reports from the Easter campaign for a larger enrollment have been slowly reaching President Peirce, and an approximate estimate shows a somewhat smaller list of prospective students than the two preceding years.

The incomplete record available shows that about sixty men volunteered to visit high schools during the Easter vacation to interview prospective students. These volunteers were assigned to schools in or near their homes, according to the plan followed in former campaigns.

The value of this systematic canvass has been proved in the last but one by the increasing enrollment of the last two years. Realizing this fact, President Peirce advcoated the movement in the March Assembly, and asked the united assistance of the students. It is hoped that late reports will be received and a considerable list of prospective students recorded.

A letter recently received from R. D. Custis, ex-'15, states that he is regaining his health at Ocean-side, California, about forty miles from San Diego. "Bob" asserts that the San Diego Exposition rivals the Pacific Fair in regard to buildings and grounds as well as climate. Many who have visited both think the former much superior.

Next Season Adopted

At a recent meeting of the executive committee, the following football schedule for next fall was submitted to, and accepted by, the committee. It provides for three home games, one of which is with Case. It is a matter of conjecture, at this time, as to what changes for a good showing Kenyon has in the list of opponents which follows:

October 2—Otterbein at Westerville.

October 9—Reserve at Cleveland.

October 16—Cincinnati at Cincinnati.

October 23—Antioch at Gambier.

October 30—Oberlin at Oberlin.

November 6—Wooster at Gambier.

November 12—Case at Gambier.

November 20—Mt. Union at Alliance.

November 25—Akre at Akron.

William T. Allen, ex-’73 was married to Miss Vera Van Ness of Glendale, O., Monday, April 19. The ceremony was performed at the home of the bride’s parents.

The Rev. E. A. White, D. C. L., of Bloomfield, N. J., spent last week in Gambier. While here he was engaged in delivering a series of lectures to Braxey men on church law.

Senior Play

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Steinfield and Gayer are military men. McCaughey, as the sister of the dean, proves himself a worthy widow even though fond of the races. Thompson, as the college chairman of the dean's, is ably fitted to make a happy, eager, free, pleasure-seeking jockey. Mosers, Goode and Stanbery, as the commercial and business men, are bound to meet with satisfaction in their scene which comprises the bulk of the third act. High Moor as Bore, the dean’s butler is already an assured success. His lines are among the wittiest in the play and his voice is well suited to the part.

The result of the last few practices has produced any idea of the part of the cast that the play will prove tiresome or uninteresting as is so often charged by some who attend.

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a little earlier next fall in order to prevent, as far as possible, the irregularities caused by vacation periods and examinations. Thus, it is thought, the society can be of even greater usefulness to the college and increase the scope of its work.