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“EDWIN M. STANTON”
TO BE IN THE LIBRARY

Painting By Charles P. Fislon of Late Secretary of War Is Given to Kenyon

This Painting Will Take the Place of the Picture Lost in Fire of Former Library

Charles P. Fislon has just completed a beautiful water color painting of Edwin M. Stanton, Steubenville’s most illustrious citizen and Secretary of War under President Abraham Lincoln. This picture is a gift of Mr. Fislon to Kenyon College, and it will be hung in the Norton Library.

Some years ago Col. John J. McCook, a graduate of Kenyon College, commissioned Mr. Fislon to paint a picture of Mr. Stanton for the library at Kenyon. The picture was painted and was unveiled with especially appropriate ceremonies at Kenyon, with an address on “Edwin M. Stanton,” by Andrew Carnegie. The picture hung on the wall of the library for several years and was destroyed when the library was destroyed by fire some years ago.

Mr. Fislon completed the painting of the new picture just recently and a handsome frame was ordered and was fitted, and the picture will be shipped to Kenyon College this week. On the picture is a plate bearing the words, “Edwin M. Stanton, Kenyon, 1834, painted by C. P. Fislon.” Mr. Fislon attended Kenyon College in 1833, and was a member of the class of 1834. The picture is the most perfect likeness of any that have been produced, it is said.

But three other paintings of Stanton remain, the one in the War Department, at Washington, one in the possession of his son, Edwin Stanton, at New Orleans, and the other in the Court House in this city. The new picture is of excellent color and is indeed appreciated by Kenyon College which has invited Mr. Fislon to attend the special exercises in connection with its unveiling. The picture is valued at $500.

The above appeared in a recent issue of the Steubenville Gazette.

Steinfeld and Seitz were awarded Phi Beta Kappa last commencement.

CINCINNATI DEFEATS
OUR CRIPPELED TEAM

27-7 Is the Result of Cincinnati Game—Kenyon Fights Hard Against Heavy Odds

Against heavy odds Kenyon came out of the Cincinnati game last Saturday with the short end of a 27 to 7 score. The game was full of fight on both sides. Cincinnati outplayed Kenyon, which fact accounts for the Kenyon line not holding as it should have done.

The bucklhead of “Gacy” played a good consistent game. They were so heavy that they could not be outrun at will in the larger part of the game. The largest gains for Cincinnati were made by the air route. Time after time “Gacy” worked some wonderful formations.

For Kenyon Galberich was easily the star. He broke up many forward passes. Once he intercepted a well-aimed forward pass and dashed down the field for Kenyon’s only touchdown. It was eighty-five yards to the goal line. “Gubly” made his pursuers look ridiculous as he sprinted this distance with most of the Cincinnati team in pursuit.

At center Axtell played a good consistent game. He was one of the few Kenyon men who could break through the Cincinnati line and “Say” usually got his man. Ader played a good defensive game at end and was weak on the offensive. “Davis” had the same old form that he showed in his freshman year. Eckieger again demonstrated his quarterback ability. The score of the Cincinnati game was the result of a strong heavy team playing a light, crippled team.

Coach Kelber was forced to rearrange the line-up that played against Reserve because of the many cripples. Captain Kinder, who had doctor’s orders not to enter the game because of a wrenched knee, persisted in doing so. In the game he had the other knee wrenched and is laid up for perhaps the rest of the season. After the game the Cincinnati alumni entertained the team and roosters at the University club. President Peirce arrived in Cincinnati in time to speak at the banquet.

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GLEE CLUB RESTORED
BY ASSEMBLY ACTION

James P. De Wolf, ’17, Elected Leader; W. J. White, ’17, Manager—Big Tour Will Be Made

One of the most important of Kenyon activities to be revived and reorganized this fall is the glee club. Both leader and manager have been elected, and the prospects for the club are the brightest they have been in the last few years.

James P. De Wolf, ’17, is to lead the club. Mr. De Wolf has much experience. For two years he has successfully directed the Phi. Yorn chair, and he has also had professional training. The college is also fortunate to have one on the faculty who has had considerable experience in glee club work. De Cahall, Dr. Cahall has agreed to assist whenever possible.

As is well known the glee club has done little in the past few years. This was perhaps partly so much the fault of the leader, as of the manager. W. J. White, ’17, will have charge of the business end of the club and under his management, the club ought to take some good trips. He has already sent out a circular letter to the alumni in various places inquiring into the possibility of concerts. A trip to St. Vrain will be attempted very soon. The plans now are to make an extensive tour through Ohio, though trips outside the state may be attempted in the spring.

About fifty men have tried out for the club. The new class has brought valuable material. The club numbers about twenty men and a number of substitutes. There will be a quartette consisting of Messrs. Wood, De Wolf, McKusick and Wattley.

College songs will form a large part of the programme. There will be one or two classics and several comic features.

Kenyon has always been noted for its singing. With this kind of a reputation it is up to the glee club to demonstrate to the “outside world” that the reputation is well founded.

A good glee club is just as much an achievement for a college as a good football team. In fact the glee club makes trips to a good many towns where the athletic teams are never heard of. The glee club has a very important place among college activities.

RESERVE TAKES FIRST
CONFERENCE GAME

First Game of the Season With Otterbein Gives Kenyon 12 to 6 Victory—No Form

The first Conference game of the year with Reserve at Cleveland resulted overwhelmingly for the Kenyon team. Reserve being on the long end of the score, 23-0.

The game started with Kenyon receiving the kick-off. Frequent punts by both teams were costly. The ball was put back and forth with neither team gaining much ground. Near the close of the first quarter, Weinberg returned a punt 30 yards, after which the Kenyon line held, but Weinberg kicked a pretty field goal from the 25-yard line.

In the second quarter, Kenyon came back strong, playing the heavy Reserve team off their feet. The ball was worked to Reserve’s 35-yard line where four downs showed that Kenyon needed a yard. This was the closest the Kenyon team ever came to scoring, costly punts and intercepted passes losing the ball. In this half the Kenyon team was outplayed by the goal team, poor judgment losing the ball for Kenyon at critical moments.

In the second half, Reserve showed a marked improvement in both defense and offense while the intermission seemed to do the Kenyon team little good. Both teams used forward passes and ran to a considerable extent, many passes being intercepted and few successful. Denapel’s running figured in the play, Kenyon was greatly weakened by the loss of Capt. Kinder and Zeman, due to injuries, which forced them to retire.

Line-up:
Kenyon
L. E. Ader
H. T. Ym Voorhis
G. L. Van Voorhis

Otterbein
L. G. Axtell
Zeman
R. G. Zeman

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OTTERBEIN GAME.

In a game which at times was flashy and at other times was very slow, Kenyon defeated Otterbein 12-6 at Westerville. The fact that this was the first game for both teams accounts for the brand of football exhibited. Otterbein fully expected to defeat Kenyon but the rushing of the forwards and the smashing tackling of the Kenyon backfield soon put the Westerville team on the defensive.

The score does not even intimate the superiority of the Kenyon team. The backfield was so strong that after first down, only to lose the ball when the goal was within striking distance.

The first score came as a result of a forward pass which Olenburg had to the 36-yard line with half a minute to play. Schafer threw a pass to Schafstahl who carried the ball over. Schafer failed at an attempt to gain the first down and the ball was recovered by the Otterbein backfield. In the second half Otterbein braced, but their strength was not enduring. After carrying the ball to the 29-yard line, a second attempt was made which was touched by a Kenyon back, Otterbein recovering. On the next play a forward pass was attempted which Olenburg intercepted, but was not able to hold and it went into an Otterbein man's arms and he fell over the goal.

Kenyon's winning score came as a result of a forward pass which Olenburg intercepted and ran 35 yards for a score.

Otterbein carried the ball down the field several times by forward passes and on line breaks, but lacked the force to force it over for touchdowns. The game showed some weak places, but on the whole was a game encouraging to the thirty rookers who accompanied the team. Capt. Kinder, Olenburg and Steinfeld played well for Kenyon, while Langen was Otterbein's best man.

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THE KENYON COLLEGIAN

Local Organization Elected Officers.

This last summer two Kenyon men "roughed it" together in the Northern woods. While on a hunting trip one day the conversation turned to the possibility of organizing a Rifle club at Kenyon. That night around the campfire the project was seriously discussed and it was decided that the two men resolved to endeavor to start a Rifle club at Kenyon.

The President and Dr. Reeves were consulted and both were very enthusiastic about the idea. A meeting was called in the Sterling room, Wednesday, October 6, and about thirty men were present. Dr. Reeves had written to Washington, and had secured a constitution and set of by-laws from the National Rifle Association.

The Rifle club at Kenyon is one of a number fostered by the government in colleges and universities. There are clubs at Michigan, Cornell, Pennsylvania and many other institutions. The club is a military organization and at least the men are required to join the National Reserve. The members learn how to use and properly handle a military rifle.

The government supplies one gun, the latest model Krag, for every five men, and one-hundred and twenty-five rounds of ammunition per man. The only requirement is that there be held each year a competition shoot. The members of the club shooting for a medal offered by the government.

At the first meeting Dr. Reeves presided and read the constitution. He also explained the purpose of the club and made clear several points that were somewhat hazy to the members. Among these was the idea of a range under the care of a military officer and his assistants. The old academy range offers fair possibilities for 200-yard range. This was undoubtedly officially closed until a 1,000-yard range can be secured. Dr. Peavey has kindly offered the south part of Rossie Hall basement for an indoor range which with a judicious expenditure will make an excellent indoor gallery.

An election of officers followed the reading of the constitution. Dr. Bacon was elected secretary and Mr. Mueller, captain of the range. Mr. Hohy, president, and Mr. C. D. Williams, jr., treasurer. The first five articles of the constitution were adopted. The other articles to be adopted at the discretion of the executive committee. The president is the only official of the club.

The meeting was well attended and the men present showed plenty of enthusiasm. This club will fill a long felt want for some sport or recreation that men may take part in, who for various other reasons are unable to participate in other branches of college athletics.

Rifle practice is the best thing in the world to teach a man how to handle his nerves,—how to become master of his body. It is a clean, manly sport and one that every Kenyon man should be interested in, not only for his good but also for the good of his country. For who knows that men who can shoot straight may some day be of use to the government.

The outlook for a successful basketball season is very favorable, as there are four regular players of last year's team back in college, Schafer, Day, Wood and Captain Steinfeld. Schafer, Sanborn and Wise, substitutes last season, will also add strength.

The tentative schedule of games, which was drawn up by Manager Steinfeld at the recent basketball conference held at Columbus, is as follows:

Dec. 11, O. S. U. at Columbus.
Dec. 18, Otterbein at Westerville.
Jan. 15, Denison at Granville.
Jan. 22, Cincinnati at Gambier.
Feb. 19, Ohio University at Gambier.
Feb. 5, Otterbein at Gambier.
Feb. 11, Cincinnati at Gambier.
Feb. 12, Miami at Oxford.
Feb. 18, Canton.
Feb. 19, Akron.
Feb. 25, Akron at Akron.
Feb. 26, Wooster at Wooster.
Mar. 4, Ohio University at Athens.

ALUMNUS DIES.

Word has been received that Thomas Gwone, ex-87, has died in Boston. He was in the scientific course while a student at Kenyon, and matriculated with his class. He was a member of the Nu Pi Kappa literary society, and vice-president of his class in his sophomore year.

Upon leaving college at the end of his sophomore year he spent a few years in the West taking up the vanning business. He then went to Boston, where he was actively engaged in business up to the time of his death.

According to the ruling of the faculty, there will be no military drill at Princeton.

Lafayette may have lace among their sports this year. It is a major sport at Lehigh at the present time.

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To Death In Cleveland.

The Rev. Henry E. Cooke, rector of St. John’s Episcopal parish, Cleveland, and canon of Trinity cathedral, died at his home, on Wednesday, October 6, at three p.m., aged 58 years. Mr. Cooke was a son of Dr. Cooke, the banker, who did so much to finance the Union during the Civil War. He was one of the leading Sunday school men of his diocese, an accomplished musician and the author of tunes to some hymns of the Episcopal hymnal. He had occupied important positions in this diocese for many years. Mr. Cooke had served up to the time of his death as a trustee of Kenyon College. He was elected to the board of trustees in 1907.

Wooster Has New President.

Dr. J. Campbell White, L.D., late general secretary of the layman’s forward missionary movement has been elected president of Wooster College. Dr. White has distinguished himself all over the world as a great missionary leader. Wooster is fortunate in having such a valuable man as chief executive.

The Reserve Rally.

With enthusiasm embodied by a thirty-foot bonfire the student body held their annual rally two days before the Reserve game on the evening of October 7.

During the afternoon the freshman class collected the material from all quarters of Gambier and stacked it in front of Old Kenyon. The fire was lighted in the presence of the student body, members of the faculty and Board. After a strenuous snake dance, speeches were made by Dr. Peirce, Mr. Newhall, Dr. Allen, Coach Kellison and Capt. Kindler. After another snake dance songs and yells were practiced under the direction of cheer leaders Cross and Davie.

Brotherhood of St. Andrew.

At the seventy-third service, Sunday, October 3, R. A. McKinstry, A. R. Seane and F. W. Timberlake were initiated into the Brotherhood of St. Andrew. The Rev. Mr. Winslow had charge of the service.

The Brotherhood meetings are held every Thursday evening at seven o’clock as usual in the Study Room. The officers for the semester are: Director, J. B. Goodwin, ’86; vice-director, J. P. Dauble, ’87; secretary and treasurer, R. L. Burd, ’87; corresponding secretary, F. B. Schauer, ’87. These are about fifteen members in the Brotherhood this year. Mr. Winslow is attended at a meeting and there is great enthusiasm for a real work this year.
New Feature

With the advent of this issue of the Collegian a new feature in the make-up of the paper will be seen. Page five which has heretofore been used for news purposes has been converted into a literary page. A word of explanation may be necessary.

Kenyon, unlike many other colleges, has just one student publication. This sheet must serve for all student literary purposes. Besides giving news matter of interest it must be used as a periodical in which students may express themselves, their ideas, and any literary talent they may have. Page five is therefore open to all Kenyon students who wish to try their hand at writing, whether it be poetry, short stories, sketches or funny "stuff."

Mr. M. G. Nicola, '16, is in charge of this department of the Collegian, and we are fortunate to have as an experienced man as he, to supervise this work. In this issue he has filled the page with one of his own short stories, until the full purport of this department shall be discovered and other men try their hand at the literary. Let us hear from your pages now, and see this page a success. Open letters are invited from students. Send all material to the literary editor.

Our Constitution

It would not be very surprising if in the near future some motion should be made to abolish the Constitution of the Kenyon Assem-

bly. The reason for this would be simply that it is a mere barren, seldom invoked, and ignored statute.

Anyone present at Assembly meetings last year will remember the numerous instances when the Assembly was involved in a great tangle of legal technicalities due not to the intricacies of the constitution, but to previous violations of it. In one especially flagrant case, a clause was actually "suspended" for fifteen minutes in order to pass an otherwise impossible measure. The fact that the motion in question was morally just, made the precedent none the less bad. And the worst of it is that that precedent is being followed this year, as shown in the confusion attendant on the last two meetings. Nobody seems able to get a measure passed except by getting rid of some extra-constitutional legislation. Confusion has already resulted, and more will follow unless the student body makes up their minds that the constitution is not a play-
thing, but an instrument to regulate legislation, and incidentally the only effective means of preventing those hasty actions about which so many complaints have recently been made.

Kenyon Spirit

College spirit or Kenyon spirit are terms which have become so common because of their frequent use, that they are badly misun-
derstood. They are, in fact, pass-
words which we accept and cannot account for. In mass meet-

ings, on the campus, in every phase of college activity, Kenyon students constantly come into con-
tact with that which is known as "Ken-
yon Spirit."

If a man who is physically able, fails to go out for football, he is immediately on the m n d e d and accused in the class of those stu-
dents who lack "spirit." Again a man is severely criticized if he fails to enter into the singing at the commons or neglects attending an Assembly meeting.

There is no doubt that all this does constitute and embody this ambiguous term "spirit." There is no doubt that if a considerable number of students continually failed in their scholastic activities, student government would cease to exist. But looking at the sub-
ject from a broader standpoint, is it not true that true Kenyon spirit goes deeper than merely college activities? For instance does not college spirit constitute moral con-
duct, discipline and greatness of obedience to the rules laid down by the trustees of the college?

For instance such wanton and willful vandalism as burning chairs and "stacking Ascension" is indeed a bitter pill to swallow

for those who are really proud of what is known as Kenyon spirit. And who is to blame for such acts of vandalism, negligence of property? Surely not the freshmen who eagerly grasps the good and bad traditions of the college and would willingly do anything to uphold the dear customs of those who have gone before him. Surely not the upperclassman who enters into all college activities with a vim and works day and night for his class. Neither is it the loiter, or in other words the spiritless, half grown boy who in-

stalls all that is bad in a few win-

ning followers, and wreaks his 

enemy by baseless destruction of property.

There has been and always will be this type of man in college. He represents all that is bad in tradi-
tions. He tells you that the Re-
cession Hall must be stacked be-

cause it has been so for many years. He will tell you that coll-

ege spirit will cease to exist when such traditions are broken down. But turn a deaf ear to his plead-

ing.

Such a man is a disgrace to society and especially to a body of men gathered together for knowledge.

Ascension Hall must not be "stacked" this year and other feats of vandalism must stop. Let the upperclassman stand against such acts of violence and as a re-

sult Kenyon spirit will triumph. If we cannot teach the man who sanctions such acts, let us ignore him. Kenyon spirit is much deep-

er than merely cheering a team to victory.

Gratification

Lovers of the esthetic, in cul-
ninary as well as more spiritual matters, can at last be gratified in Gambier. The student bent upon satisfying the inner man needs no apologies among his classmates, for "half grown boys" who have the doubtful joys of a "lemon sour" or a sarsaparilla, but may at will venture upon the more subtle de-
lights of "individual pies" and skilfully concocted sundaes served in the most charming surround-
ings.

The explanation lies almost di-
rectly across from the Parish House, to the house of the "blue bird tea house" here and there. Half grown students are right at home, and helping to produce the same kind of Kenyon "Pep" that was so much in evidence at Van Hors Field.

More Games

The trip to Cleveland, and the Cincinnati game are things of the past and for the first time in sev-

eral years we realize that the big-
gest half of the football season lies before us. Kenyon once more has that no mistake, that the real, the legitimate, the genuine, the athletic games. A nine-game schedule: Otterbein, Western Reserve, Cincinnati, Antioch, Oberlin, Wooster, Case, Mt. Union, Akron and the Ohio State University. And all of them hard games.

This nine-game schedule means increased effort for the team. It means a better all round team, and in addition, larger prestige and greater honor for this team no
FINIS—(An Allegory of the End of Things)

I made an end of my meal of the flesh of shark, and fell asleep and dreamed a dream.

The sun looked down into space from above, and again I could see the earth.

I am Plutus, the gatekeeper of Hell, thus rewarded by Satan for surrendering the Christ to the Jews. From my out-looking, high on the planet Hell, I can gaze up into chaos and see all planets, even the earth.

Behind me lies the city of Hell, with its tall, slender towers red from the reflections of the fiery gardens where souls burn and twist in pain. In the midst of the city rises the castle of Satan, weirdly splendid, awful—where he and Cleopatra reign, and drink blood cut of wine goblets.

Intently I gaze at the earth. For a hundred years no soul has come to ask admittance to Hell. For a hundred years the earth has been covered with a dense, slowly moving, brown mass, which year by year has seemed to become more solid.

I grooved on the ground. I lie flat on my belly, for my master Satan comes dancing up the hill in the tight embrace of Cleopatra. They gaze at the earth, they smile. They drink, and the blood stabs the lips of Satan’s mistress. They return.

Again I turn my glance to the earth! Zounds! It squirms, writhes, a pulsating mass of animation. Becomes tranquil. A steady buzzing brown color moves steadily over, a horrible scream shrieks through the vastness and suddenly the earth flies through space, a huge caterpillar with a mammoth green spot on its crest.

"Ha! Ha! Ha! Ha!" it reiterates as it springs upward—upward. At my first lying prostration of the desert hot and burns one’s feet. I loved a maiden. We were to wed; but then the caterpillars came. They crawled up over the wet banks of the Nile, small naked ones with yellow spots on their tails, slimy and wet from the river’s bottom. Millions and millions. For six months they poured out, eating and ravaging the nature, drowning the rivers, all rivers. And as they ate and drank they grew larger and larger.

"Finally there was no more food. Men began to die and rot, furnishing more food for the caterpillars."

"Oh God, it was awful!"

"My love and I fled across the desert, and the caterpillars followed."

"I knew the pyramids well, for I had been a tourist in my younger days, and we hid in a secret passage. For seven days we fasted, and my love’s cheeks were hollow and pale, but her eyes still shone with the fire and heat of the hot desert."

"Ah! Frieda, she was beautiful.—long black, ebony hair, gracefully curled figure, eyes that shone as do the stars of the desert at night, lips that were red, red as a vampire’s blood."

"In this passage there was a long row of mumiees, but we alone lived. In a secret place known only to me I found a well deep down in the earth. What did we do for food, Frieda?"

"A huge caterpillar with crafty mind followed us in, squirmed over the hard pavement of the passage, crunched the brittle petrified flesh of the royal mummy nearest the opening, slowly turned, lifted his fore-part and gazed at us fiercely with his glittering blood-shot eyes."

"I embraced, wounded tight his smooth make-like body and bit deep into his flesh. For my love was starting. And I was desperate.

"We lived for many days on his flesh, until nearly all was gone."

"One night as we sat in our dismal chamber, far in the heart of the pyramids, listening with dreadful horror to the peculiar parts of a vast army of caterpillars on the exterior, and worrying over our fate, suddenly from the mummy of the king a faint light spread, un-

"ll the whole chamber was filled with a pure whitish light. Slowly the mummy rose and sat upright."

"Horror stricken, we crouched on bended knees in the farthest corner of the chamber."

"‘Listen,’ said he in a hollow tone. ‘walk three spaces from me, and under a stone you shall find a ruby. Lady, kiss it three, shed a tear upon it, and you shall rise high into the skies to a palace, where there is wine and food and no caterpillars,—once the home of a God who is now no more.’"

"With a slow movement he sank back prostrate and stiff as before. The ceiling absorbed the light. I rubbed my eyes."

"We silently moved towards the mummy. I measured off three spaces, struggled hard and finally succeeded in removing a large stone. I threw the stone, and there before me glittered a gorgeous ruby. I grasped it from its place, and laid it in my love’s white hand. She kissed it in thrice, and a dark red spread from its center like fire. She thought of her mother, who had been too old to flee across the desert with us, and wept.

"A low sweet sound issued from me I know not where, and the ceiling burst apart. High we rose into the lofty skies, my love’s hand firmly holding mine. Finally we shot hurriedly into huge white clouds and swung to and fro, swimming through the skies in a rhythmic motion until before us loomed a mammoth castle built in white. Fleecy clouds that were falling red, blue, yellow, all colors, for it was now twilight and the sun was sinking in dying splendor.

"Here little naked Cupids ushered us into a vast hall, the walls glistening with gems. In the center sparkled and shone a huge diamond which filled the mammoth hall with brilliant light. Sensuous music softly floated down on sweet perfumed breezes from above. In the center of the hall stood a magnificent throne covered with crimson carpet into which we sank with a cough to our ankles. I kissed her long, closing my eyes tight in ecstasy, while the music blended with sweet fairies’ voices in a love song.

Frieda, listen closely! My hands encountered fine plush-like fur. Started, I quickly opened my eyes, beheld, and sunk to the floor. My love had turned into a large caterpillar. No, do not laugh, Frieda; her eyes were the same, large and soft. A thunder clamor shook the castle, a mighty crash rent throughout the hall, and I reached for and found my love in my arms as we fell through clouds, through space, down, down, as if we were falling in a dream, with lawful authority of being dashed to pieces on the earth below, and all sorts, waking to find his heart beating fast and his breath coming quickly.

"Our alighting place was high on the pyramid, and at once I looked down at my love. Unlike the rest of the caterpillars, she was accompanied with this one large green spot alone from her crest. But, Frieda, her eyes were the same as they were years before when I loved her on the banks of the Nile, and they gazed at me tenderly, and filled with love. As I slowly turned from her to hide the horror on my features, I could feel her glance follow my movement.

"I gazed out over the earth to the east, which was covered with densely heaped worms. But to the west as I keenly glanced, I noticed a vast army of caterpillars advancing. They were different than the rest. They resembled my love, for they had fur and a green spot on their crests.

"I gaped with surprise. I pointed them out to her."

"For hours I sat and watched these two grand armies advance towards each other, while my love slowly crawled to the earth."

"At last they met, and began their fight, my love leading the great multitude of brown and green, those from the west."

"For years and years I sat and watched the fight. I alone, the last of humanity, saw these worms struggle and fight for years. As they grew older, as more and more were killed and eaten for food by the survivors, they grew larger. Soon they became mammoth, then huge, then vast.

"Great, it was awful!"

"At last there remained only two of the millions that had begun the fight years before. One must die, or the other would starve, for they had drained all the seas, devoured all humanity."

"They turned simultaneously and gazed at me, for they towered high above the pyramid. I sank down on the hard stone, sick and faint, for one had large, soft eyes, that sparkled as do the stars at
night on the desert. "They hastily turned from me and fought. The earth shook and trembled with the conflict. The pyramids rocked to and fro as does a lily in the breeze."

"My love conquered, and for days she and I feasted on the vanished leader. At last all was gone."

"She turned her eyes upon me and I was dazed for I could see naught but eyes, which were as awful as the owl's eyes to the field-mouse when twilight falls. Her huge jaws opened wide—and my body, like the earth, is soaring through the heavens in her panting." He fell silent, gazing at me in ways like supplication.

"Enter soul!" cry I. A fiendish laugh rings out. A moaning and sobbing follows. The heavens fall, stars shoot upwards, planets drop. A messenger appears on the walls of the city of Hell, crying:

"A huge cathedral hath bitten God, and all is AY."

**ENTHUSIASM IS THE MAIN FEATURE.** Elevation of a glee club leader and manager, the offering of two constitutional amendments, and the clinching of the special train to Reserve were the outstanding features of the October Assembly, held the evening of Oct. 4.

The first business was the election of Mr. White to the Dormitory Committee from the sixth constitutional division. Immediately following this the question of abolishing the glee club according to the recommendation of the executive committee was brought up. After considerable discussion it was decided to retain the club. This gave rise to further discussion as to the election of a leader and manager only, no club to elect a leader according to the constitutional requirements. As a solution to the difficulty a measure was passed empowering the Assembly to elect glee club officers. The Assembly then elected Mr. DeWolf, leader, and Mr. White, manager.

Mr. Hall offered an amendment to the constitution, regarding the formation of a separate constitutional division out of Middle Hanna. Mr. Davey offered an amendment to the constitution regarding the granting of gold emblems to football men. Both amendments were laid on the table for later consideration.

Mr. Davies announced that nine more names were needed to secure the special train to Reserve. Several men spoke in favor of the project and urged the attendance of every student at the Reserve game. The speeches had a good effect, as nine extra names were secured immediately and the special train was assured. Upon this the meeting adjourned.

**RELIGIOUS STATISTICS.**

A canvass of the college shows that there is a majority of Episcopalians in Kenyon. There are a number of Presbyterians and Methodists. The rest of the number includes representatives of many religions while only fifteen have no preference.

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**Orchestra To Be Reality.**

Dr. Barrett, '99, has already promised to stage two Pop Concerts during the coming year. These are to be far in advance of the former ones which this successful orchestra leader has given in previous years. At first the prospects of a college orchestra and a series of concerts for this year were very poor as much of the material which Dr. Barrett had to work with last year has not returned to college, but there are still a number of good singers and performers in college. Dr. Barrett hopes to whip these men into shape for an early concert. This will be supplemented by a new addition to the former program. A dramatic piece will be added. Dr. Barrett has been doing much thinking during the short time since his return to the college. He will soon be ready to send out his call for new material which will have to come largely from the new class and he wishes the co-operation of the old talent in discovering new men.

**Library Open On Sunday.**

If students desire it, the library has been decided to keep the college library open on Sunday afternoons from two to five o'clock if the library is made use of at this time. Last year the library was not open to the students on Sundays. Consequently there arose a protest from many.

Respecting the desires of the students the librarian and assistant will give their Sunday afternoons to the library providing that those who have asked for it will make use of the opportunity. So far the library has been practically empty on Sunday afternoons. This certainly endangers its being closed again.

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Dr. Peirce Makes Trip to Chicago to speak.

In his recent trip to Chicago Dr. Peirce was the representative of the Diocese of Ohio to the Synod of the Episcopal Church. Dr. Peirce stopped at several cities on the way but his main interest lay in the convention at Chicago.

Dr. Peirce left the Hill, Friday, October 5th, and spoke at St. Paul's Church of America in "Science Aspects of the European War." He then went to Cleveland, and Saturday night addressed the Young Men's Bible class of St. Luke's Church.

Sunday he left for Chicago and there spoke at a dinner at the Auditorium Hotel, which was attended by about one hundred people. The subject of his address was "Religious Education."

As a member of the committee on ordinances Dr. Peirce is working on some legislation that will make the Kenyon College closer to the work of the Synod.

Tracks and Plows Made

The Bexley Hall summer school committee recently met in Gambia to draw up plans for next year. The members of the committee are Rev. C. R. Bum, Rev. E. L. Peirce, Rev. J. W. Thomas, and the local minister.

The most important part of the plans discussed was that of establishing in connection with the Bexley summer school a second school institute. This institute if the plans work out, will follow immediately the regular Bexley summer school. If the committee's plans are successful, instruction will be given to a great many Sunday school teachers and thus a great need among Sunday school workers will have been met.

The Bexley Hall summer school committee consists of Rev. C. R. Bum, Rev. E. L. Peirce, Rev. J. M. T. McQuinn, and the local minister.

Rope Hiding Grip Broken

And Spilled Elopers' Scheme

The marriage of Miss Ruth Norton of Urbana, and Wilbur Roach, ex-16, of Columbus, which occurred in Urbana last week, was sufficiently remarked on in a somewhat different manner than was originally intended, according to the Urbana Democrat, which says: "A good story is being told at the expense of the romantic bride, who had planned a different wedding even from the one they finally decided upon. Miss Norton had planned to elope to Columbus, to meet her intended there and was to do so without the knowledge of her parents and friends. Miss Mabel Millner, who accompanied the wedding party to Bellefontaine, however, was fast on the scent and she went to the Norton home to assist in the getaway. Miss Norton had her grip all ready to lower from the upstairs window and when it passed the lower window it was observed by the parents of the soon-to-be-brides. While they were rubbing their eyes at the strange thing they had seen pass the window, the rope broke and precipitated the grip to the ground. This gave the plans away and Miss Norton 'fessed up to her intentions. This was the first the parents knew of the immediate marriage plans, although they suspected that the marriage would eventually take place. She then decided to send for Mr. Roach, secure the license here and go to Bellefontaine, so as to be married in the Episcopal church."

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Opening of Bexley.

The Divinity School of Kenyon College. Bexley Hall, begun its ninety-first year on October 5th. Dr. Peirce gave the opening address in the chapel before the professors and students.

I am sure the proper address before the seminary Dr. Peirce laid special emphasis on the fact that Bexley Hall is the culmination of education in Bexley. That the man who goes to Bexley from Kenyon receives the well-rounded and fullest education for which the institution was founded. That Kenyon was established for the purpose of training young men for the ministry. This purpose is now fulfilled by Bexley Hall.


MORE GAMES

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matter how the battle may swing. Now what has the schedule meant to the rooters? In the past it has been a one-trip schedule of which the game on Van Horn field was a feature. But what this nine-game season should and does mean to every Kenyon man is an increased interest in every game, a spirit which is not bottled up for one game and ended by a bottle, but a continued determination to make the football team our support from start to finish.

And the expression of spirit, which is bound to come from a comprehension of our greatest chances and greater odds is stronger opponents, will show itself not upon one day but upon every day. It is therefore for each and every one of us to do all that is in our power to accompany our team or to see them off, not only to stand back and "cheer" but have a voice of strength to the wheel, in order that this new team with its increased determination, increased fight, and increased spirit will go forward to obtain the deserved, desired, and destined reward of its labors—victory.

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Executive Committee.

Commons: Monday evening, Sept. 27, Dr. Allen was in the chair and other members present were: White, DeWolf, Larecomb and Parker.

Football Manager Hall was granted a budget of $65 for the Otterbine game, and $225 for the Reserve game. It was also decided that the football team go to Westerville, de luxe. The committee also ruled that the number of players taken on the Reserve trip be limited to sixteen. The football manager was instructed that the number of men taken on all other trips be limited to sixteen.

Manager Hall's recommendation of Mr. Twigg, as assistant football manager, was approved. Permission was also granted to take Mr. Picketter on the Cincinnati trip. A budget of $18.13 was granted to Property Manager Williams to cover all miscellaneous football expenses. Permission was also given to the property manager to purchase football stockings and trousers for the use of the varsity.

Cleveland Alumni

Entertain Royally

After the Reserve game Saturday, October 9, the members of the faculty who were in Cleveland, the team and undergraduates of Kenyon were entertained royally at the Hermit Club by the alumni. All the Kenyon men in Cleveland were there from the alumni to the freshmen, Mr. Anderson, '89, was the toastmaster and he called on the different men for short talks. The speeches were all to the point and exceptionally witty.

Or. Perieo's talk was exceptionally good and after him the Coach, Captain Kinder, and the different members of the team spoke. Mr. Cunningham, '08, the man who kicked the goal from the field and won the Reserve game in 1908, and the other alumni were all called on in turn.

The reputation that Kenyon has for singing was not forgotten and the high ceilings re-echoed the sounds of "Stand Up and Cheer" and "The Thrill." Kenyon lost the game it is true, but if the Reserve men could have heard the singing they would have seen that the Kenyon spirit was still alive.

College Students Now

Able To Vote In Ohio

Students from other states may now vote if they were in Gambier last year, and have been in town 30 days previous to election. Ohio students can vote after living 30 days in the town. The privilege of voting requires one year's residence in the state, 30 days' residence in the county and 10 days' residence in the precinct.

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