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ROBERT BROWN NAMED COLLEGE SECRETARY

Kenyon Alumni to Assume Duties May 1; Will Occupy Adams House

On March 20 President Gordon K. Chalmers made the following announcement to the College community: "I am happy to announce the appointment of Mr. Robert Brown, Kenyon 1913, as Secretary of the College. Mr. Brown has accepted the appointment, and he will take up his new duties in May.

At that time we shall welcome both Mr. and Mrs. Brown as new members of the Kenyon family. Mr. Brown is the son of the Adams House on the Middle Path, which is now being remodelled for them.

An office is being prepared for Mr. Brown in the back room of the Administration Building, where he will be near the AdmissionsOffice. The Publicity Office has been moved temporarily to the second floor of Ascension Hall, where Mr. Brown will have ample room for his office."

The following is a brief biography of Mr. Robert Brown:

Mr. Robert Brown was born in Columbus, Ohio, on May 14, 1893, and was educated at Kenyon College, where he graduated in 1913. He was married to the former Mrs. Robert Brown, who died in 1937. Mr. Brown has been in constant touch with Kenyon College since the time of his graduation, and has been a regular attendant at the annual Alumni meetings. He has also been active in the affairs of the Church and the community of Gambier, Ohio.

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PEW IS VICTORIOUS IN T.K.A. CONTEST

Four speakers for Kenyon in the T.K.A. will compete in the annual Pis Gamma Alpha speech contest, tentatively held March 8 and 11. The winning speaker of the second contest, to be judged by Dr. John B. Schenck, former Pis Gamma Alpha president and sales manager of the Cereal City Store Products Co., will receive Kenyon's second prize of $100. Dr. Daniel P. Pinker, associate professor of philosophy at the University of Chicago, will give the second round of the prize.

The first round was judged by local Crockett, division, national secretary of Pis Gamma Alpha, with Prof. George Auer of Oberlin College as the second round judge. The Kenyon chapter of T.K.A. and the Phi Sigma Kappa society of nineteen chapters, consisting of several years of oral assignments, participated in the first round. The campus of Columbus, Ohio, was associated with Pis Gamma Alpha and the Phi Sigma Kappa, and the Cereal City Store Products Co. will present the prize.

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From the Literary Front
by Paul Hennassett

Out of the Night (Allston, $3.50) contains some of the most violent passages I have ever encountered in a work of fiction. Personally, I am prepared to believe in the truth of the material contained in this text; however, it is just as much a result of the mental and emotional condition existing in a magazine articles about Nazi Germany as of the following the advent of the war.

Let me elaborate: this author is always sensational but often unconvincing. His account of a man who put up to why he should be heeded. German Leader could raise an objection or a counter-argument of some other section in the book is done in that this is the respect that Out of the Night fails. When people begin to doubt the veracity of the statement that he is not going to succeed in driving Germany to his essential point. Perhaps (from my viewpoint) the author included too many of his friends for his personal use, which are stoned by the same brutality of his countrymen that impressed him so that the natural reaction was to blame them as being deliberately inane.
To The Alumni

To ALL—

Kenyon Alumni Office

Dear Kenyon Men,

We are very glad to see you living who loves Kenyon men, anno 1941, Frank Brown, who has just be—

come a member of the College. She is the first female college graduate from the University of Kenyon. She has been accepted to the program in Economics at Harvard University.

As a member of the College, she will be in the company of students from all over the world, and she will have the opportunity to learn from some of the best minds in the country.

We extend our congratulations to Frank Brown and wish her every success in her academic career.

Sincerely,

The Alumni Office

Kenyon College
Construction work on Kenyon's new Speech Building has been progressing steadily and foundations have been laid for the entire basement floor of the new building. In place; steel girders to support the upper floors are being laid this week. The new building, which will house the Department of Speech, was made possible through a gift of $45,000 from an alumnus. It is expected that it will be completed and open for inspection in the spring.

The structure is to be a modern construction and will incorporate the most advanced features developed for speech instruction, as prepared under the direction of Dr. John W. Black, Professor of Speech. Although the most modern materials will be used throughout, the building will retain the collegiate gothic and eclecticism of Kenyon's other buildings on the Hill. The building promises to be an attractive addition to Kenyon's grounds. Buff-colored, spindled shutters will be used for the exterior walls, and the roof will be of variegated green slate.

A modern construction, block, recommended by Dr. Black, will be designed extraordinarily high sound-adjusting as well as a decorative finish.

The site for the Speech Building is in the South Hall and north of Shafer Hall. The site was chosen for the excellent natural slope of the ground. The area will be a sitting park.

GOV'T TRAINS GRADE
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POLO TEAM DOWNED IN OVERTIME GAME

True to their custom of playing big universities, the Kenyon poloists tackled the Michigan State University squad. The door polo team last Saturday at East Lansing, Kenyon went to the Michigan polo team after only a close game that was decided at the last second as Michigan scored one goal to win 12-11. This was Kenyon's first win against the intercollegiate polo since the Lords played Harvard and eventually came out the semi-finals of the National Indoor Intercollegiate Polo Tournament in 1939.

The game was played in a whirlwind fashion with not a foul being called since the referee had decided to "keep the game fast." Besides playing a strong riding half and being mounted on horses with which they were pleased, the Lords realized that among the Michigan squad the speed of the year was a 23.3 in weight.

With Willard Abbott playing and Captain Cook back in the saddle of his trusty horse, the Kenyon squad defeated the Michigan State five goals to one. Kenyon's five defensive goals each were scored in the first five minutes of the game, and Michigan State leding 1-0 at the end of the first period. The Kenyon team was formed around the five game goals which made the Michigan State games in the game. As the game continued, the Michigan State made a 3-2 victory over Kenyon in the third period. After the entire game was over, the Michigan State team was awarded a medal which was presented to the Michigan State team.

Eck was awarded a gold medal, and the Kenyon team was given a silver medal for their efforts. The annual awards were the first in the long history of Kenyon rowing in the huge collection of gold medals that Kenyon's swimmers have won.

Run-Up Reporter

PAOLOZZI NOTED FOR ALL-CONFERENCE BASKETBALL TEAM

Gabe Paolozzi, captain of Kenyon's basketball squad received honorable mention on the 1941-42 All-Ohio Conference basketball team. Although Gabe is only serving his second season as a member of the Kenyon team, he was selected to lead his team through the past year. Gabe was one of the short men on the Lord's court, but this fact did not hamper his playing. He was one of the best defensive men in the conference. Gabe made his signature in aggressiveness and leadership, which he lacked in height. In the last five games of the season Gabe supplemented his defensive ability by putting up a three-point record.

Gabe does not confine his athletic abilities to the basketball court; last year he was captain of the varsity team and chief of the Kenya's basketball program at the Kenyon. At the close of the 1940 football season, Gabe was selected to the 1941 Purple and White eleven.

SAM COOK

SPRING SPORTS SCHEDULE

Kenyon College — 1941

TRACK

April 19 — Fen\nApril 21 — Otterbein\nApril 23 — Denison\nApril 26 — Ashland\nApril 29 — Oberlin\nMay 1 — Oberlin\nMay 3 — Wooster\nMay 6 — Wooster\nMay 8 — Wooster\nMay 10 — Dennison\nMay 12 — Denison\nMay 15 — Oberlin\nJune 2 — Alumni

BASEBALL

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SPECIAL EVENTS

Thursday, March 31 — Conference at Gambier
Thursday, April 1 — N.C.A.A. at Northwestern

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McNeil, Guernsey

Win Double Title

Don McNeil, national singles tennis champion, teamed with Frank Guernsey to win the doubles title at the national indoor doubles title at the Tennis Classic in the Ohio State Student Union.

It was McNeil's first complete season in tennis, but despite the long lay-off of the winter months, he managed to have a successful season in the singles competition.

In the finals, McNeil was paired with Bob Keepers of the University of Cincinnati, while Guernsey teamed with Bob Kalamazoo and W. E. Fenn of the Ohio State University.

The former Kenyon College tennis player teamed with W. E. Fenn of Michigan State University to win the doubles title at the Michigan State Invitational in Kalamazoo, Michigan.

The victory was McNeil's second singles title in a year, and his first doubles title.

McNeil and Guernsey gained a national reputation as a doubles team, and both players are expected to have a successful season in 1942.

Three Men To Go To Intercollegiates

Kenyon swimming will have only three swimmers to represent the school in the National Intercollegiate Swimming Championships this year. Coach Chuck Imel will take Captain Bob Russo, senior breast-stroker, and the two sophomore freestylers and back-strokers, Bill Blacka and Blacks, and Professor Albon of the swimming team.

The three men will swim in the 220-yard medley relay event, as a team, and Tanner Brown will make the 100-yard breast-stroke. The team will also have two individual events, respectively.

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The season in review

Key to the Ohio Conference meet was the opportunity for the swimmers to show off their swimming ability.

The Kenyon men continued to be strong and won the meet with a score of 309 to 188. The meeting was held at the one hundred yard dash and the 100-yard medley.

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ALUMNI PLAN DANCE

The Alumni Association will hold its second annual dance at the Alumni Center in Cleveland, Ohio, on April 19, 1941. All alumni and undergraduate students are cordially invited to attend the affair.

MINES VISIT HILL

Lieutenant Kermit C. Zeig, commanding officer of the United States Marine Corps visited Kenyon on Thursday, April 1, 1941. The Corpsmen arrived on campus on March 31 and 12 to discuss opportunities for officer training in the Marine Corps Reserve with men who were interested.

Coach Bob Weaver stated that the first practice would be held after Spring vacation. Any and all students are welcome to try out for the team.
Singers Hold Reunion

Elm members of the Kenyon
singers met with the active
groups of the organization at
Philip Hall last Monday ev-
ing. Under the direction of
Mr. Edward C. Weist the
songs sang numbers used in
the concerts of previous sea-
sons.

Freshman Play

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Dr. Murray, Murray, and Herbert Long distin-
guish themselves in small parts.

Mr. Robert Brown was
President of the college in
the season before the
first direction caught the spirit of the
play as did the gay set painted
in Easter-colors.

The final curtain was fol-
lowed by an introduction to
the Kenyon stage of an old
theatrical custom when the
audience added the cry of
"Author! Author!" to their
chorus. Dr. Murray gen-
trally responded with a few well-
chosen words which verified
the general opinion that he is an
overmodest playwright who far
underestimates the importance of his work.

Bruggmann

(Continued from page 1)

Ohio State University: "The
Role in the War"; Norman
Chaiman, head of the Social
Party in the United States,
"What Should Be America's
Role in World Affairs?"; Her-
Nadette Schwartz, Professor of
History at the University of
Chicago, "The United States
and the War"; Ho, Robert
Cromer, Representative to a
Congress from the 21st Ohio
District, "Humanity and the
Hinduism to its At-
trator and authority of
sides, "Minor Ancient
Modern"; W. T. Benda, Otto and
Felt-Lauging, muscians;
Gallou, Robert Gray, sometime lecturer
at the University of
London, "Education Reform and
After the War"; Henry C.
Wolf, journalist, and Dr.
"Some Aspects of Current In-
ternational Relations"; Louis
Hemfield, playwright and a
Diplomat, "France"; Richard
Salomon, professor of history
at Kenyon College, "What
Mean is a Student in Two
These Days".

TO GIVE RETIRED

Marion Anderson, one of the
few great singers of this
time, will be presented in a
recital at the Columbus Mem-
orial Hall, Friday, April 4 at
3:30 P.M.

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