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DANCE WEEKEND CURTAILED

The COLLEGIAN has been asked to announce that due to unforeseen circumstances, Dance Weekend activity will not be held in the Commons, as has been the procedure in the past. Because of repairs to the roof of the Commons, and all Dance Weekend functions have been transferred to Rose Hall.

SURPRISE MERGER ANNOUNCED

COLLEGIAN, REVIEW UNITED

Last Wednesday night, after a meeting that lasted for nearly three hours, the editors of the Review and the Board of Directors of the Collegian agreed upon a plan whereby both newspapers could continue publication through the current year. This agreement was made as a surprise to the two groups of students. It was the result of several weeks of work and was only made when it became apparent that other organizations were concerned about the future of the newspapers. The union of the two liberal magazines will be a little-known change, and the editors believe this is the best possible change.

The Kenyon Collegian, under the direction of Kenyon College, will be the official newspaper of the campus. The Review, a weekly of the same age, will be published quarterly. The news section will be monthly, and the sports section will be weekly.

Dean J. C. RAMSON

PATH Undergoes Extensive Changes

Middle Path, traditional with Kenyon, is about to undergo a face-lift. Due to the many complaints voiced by the underclassmen concerning the degeneracy of the condition of the path, the construction firm of Marge and Bob has been contracted to restore the path to a condition more in keeping with traditions.

The work will begin immediately in order that it be completed before the fall term begins. The most important parts of the path, which are especially barrierous, will be thoroughly treated with ground-piercing machinery, and the underground sprinkler system will also be put to work. This innovation will enable the path to be kept open and in good condition during the fall. Middle Path will be allowed to be used until the middle of the academic year. Although the cost is high, the benefits will be great.

Dr. W. O. Chalmers, of Kenyon College, will deliver a lecture on "Legislative Reforms in Middle Path College" to members of the news staff and others interested in the new future.

Finances Force End Of Riding Academy

"Goodbye Ole Paint," will be the swan song of those few riding students who will be returning to the Center this fall. The Riding Academy, which was re-organized last spring and has been on the campus for many years, will have to be discontinued.

This decision was made because the academy no longer has a permanent home. The students have been unable to secure a place to meet their needs, and the college has decided to discontinue the program. The students are deeply disappointed, but they understand the necessity of the decision.

Vets Not Excluded In Phys. Ed. Set-up

The Kenyon College administration has announced that it will not discriminate against returning veterans in its physical education program. This is a step in the right direction, and the administration is to be congratulated on this decision.

P. B. RICE

I. R. C. Raises Iron Curtain Against Cab

The local unit of the International Relations Club will stage their annual performance of the Soviet version of In Ohio State University, at the Fourth Floor of the Union. The play, which was written by Mr. L. R. C., was chosen for the demonstration because of the intimate knowledge and understanding of Russian matters. The act was well received by the audience, and the cabaret was a great success.

Physical education as well as mental health has been Kenyon's emphasis. Although the form has not always been aimed at the body, it has been evident that the cabaret was a great success. The cabaret will serve to fine-tune the Kenyon tradition and make Coach Parke's dream of a Purple and White team a reality.

The COLLEGIAN encourages the program wholeheartedly and feels that the College has made a wise move. We sincerely hope that it will not be long before we see the cabaret performed on a larger scale.

J. C. RAMSON

Press Lecturer

Dr. W. C. Chalmers, of Kenyon College, will deliver a lecture on "Legislative Reforms in Middle Path College" to members of the news staff and others interested in the new future.

The financial crisis of the Academy has led to the decision to discontinue the program. The academy has been on the campus for many years, and its closure is a great loss to the students.

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Those "borders of the world" the Currents have set up in the commons, are going to get a raise. Yes, at long last, they are going to be able to rise above their humble position on the commons and live in the lap of luxury that is their brother's at no other colleges.

In a survey conducted by a committee of volunteers, it was discovered that the Cabaret was received by the Kenyon students as being not as much enjoyed as the few of the colleges of the North-West Conference. However, the students revealed that in the Kenyon cabaret was broadened in this condition and that the cabaret was almost as interesting as those in other colleges.

One college in New England followed that the Cabaret was done with the same elements. They were so highly delighted that they were never called upon to work unless the situation demanded it. Then they really enjoyed it and were highly recommended.

This same college also mentioned that they were not the type to give each other a vacation with pay.

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At first inspection it was thought that the roof in the Commons had been repaired, but on closer inspection, it was revealed that the roof had a few years ago, and had been repaired by cross beams, which is apparently continued to weaken, and immediate repairs are necessary. It is impossible to say how long it will take to undertake this work, but the Commons management expects that all roof raising will have to be done over Dance Weekend.

Simultaneously with this news, the COLLEGIAN, under the new administration, will have to be discontinued. A large sum of money for the expenses has been distributed, and the activities have been limited to only a few. A five-piece quartet has been hired for this affair.

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In Explanation

A great number of people at Kenyon and throughout the literary world will be startled by the news of the merger of the Kenyon Review with the KENYON COLLEGIAN. The Review, now in its tenth year of publication, has been faced with a very common problem of this quarter, that of having to run out of paper, and until they can obtain more it will be necessary to merge with the Collegian whose stocks are apparently inexhaustible.

There was, of course, a choice of suspending publication with the Collegian. Many people felt that it would be better to do the former and hope that a new supply of paper would arrive in time for the summer issue. However, John Crowe Ransom, the editor of the Review, felt that rather than suspend contracts and build up a back-log of Review material, it would be better to merge temporarily and disseminate it through the pages of the Collegian.

But why the Collegian? The Board of Review of the Collegian was surprised when the plan of merger was approved by President Chalmers. It felt that such an honor belonged to Hike, the student literary publication. President Chalmers explained that he had chosen the Collegian from assuming such a responsibility and hoped that the Collegian would give the matter its most careful consideration.

Discussion ended last Wednesday when an arrangement satisfactory to both publications was reached. Although all the particulars cannot be published at this time, it can be said that a large supply of the Collegian paper will be in the hands of the Review in a very short time.

It was remarked at the time of the formal agreement that the merger had arisen in New York a little while ago, and was settled in the same satisfactory manner. As one observer put it, "It's just as though giving the Daily Worker some of its paper all over again."

In Appreciation

April 2, 1947, we will celebrate the birthday of a great man and a great American. Many of you know this man and realize how much he has done for Kenyon, his alma Mater, and America, his home, but others of you may not be familiar with him or his exploits. We shall not read and rember, and others of you to read and become acquainted with this man that this editorial is written.

He was born across the sea, in a land unlike his adopted America, and at an early age left that land, in the arms of his mother. They had left for other lands, these two emigrants, but they somehow managed to weather the long, cold voyage to New York, and there, to relate, became separated. The boy was found by a Russian welfare worker and taken to an institution that cared for lone little boys.

His mother became of the boy’s mother none ever knew. The little boy grew up in this inadequate environment and came to know what privation meant. But one morning, he was sent to work on a farm in Connecticut where he met another boy. When he asked this other boy where he lived, the older fellow replied, "I reside in Connecticut in the summertime, but I really live when I’m at Kenyon during the rest of the year."

The Kenyon...

In Consternation

Dartmouth has its “Winter Carnival”? Iowa State has its “Veboh”; Southern Coli-

A few lines from the Triangle. From border and coast to college and universities are known for their significant celebra-

Hilltops

by Sidney Lindsey

Also an echo of this column has been no more up in the tales of complaints and lamentations, it has become practically nothing but a little column. We thought there would be a chance to get back to original stories and bring things to the Hill lightlily and with humor—but every one brings more calamitous news and what lead reports would be to be a lot over in it, our activities? The latest blow at traditions at Kenyon has been dealt by the Administration with an announcement of the plans of an annual meet to smoke in Kenyon classrooms. We are left to admit that the retrenchment of the privilege is justified. As a show of particular gratitude the privilege is great and the strain on the maintenance is considerable. The undergraduate body has, for too long, been burdened with the disregard of ash trays and the throwing of ciga-

The Are

And then there’s another old-timer in the room — the April Fool’s Day. This day of old-timers and even more so of the instruments on which they were played. The psychiatrist has preached that you can have spirited music without the crashing dynamics which now play an important part in music. The music is generally \( N \) and not \( \text{no} \) and no, with the songs to the late treated similar. The program is the question of one of the most interesting. Modern piano was invented last and in spite of the fact that the man who lived a piano did an excellent job and was the first to have an impulse to play the piano, the result has been a notice in a major periodic.

There's a real interest here. To the delight of many, the ancient wheezebox of whistles known to the human in the changing organ has brushed its last.

It all started last Tuesday afternoon when your correspondent was practicing a fugue by Busi-

The instrument is to be dedicated Easter Sun-

The Kenyon...

Mr. Byrnes has been in this column in the past. He has been sensitized with this one, and we have been stepped on the idea of producing a respectable one. One of those has been purchased at the remarkably low price of $28.95. This organ has all the latest improvements found in the pipe organ, and can play music of both the Classical and Romantic period. It can even be appreciated by our philosopher who is struggling with the eighteenth century. This organ will be dedicated Easter Sunday, March 27, 1947, at 11:00 A.M., in the KENYON COLLEGIAN. Published every Friday, except the academic year, by the students of Kenyon College, Gambier, Ohio. \( \text{©} 1947 \) NATIONAL ADVERTISING SERVICE, INC.

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Architects' Drawing of Proposed Dorm

Because of a stipulation in the will of Mrs. Rauh, the building may not bear her name. The school has tentatively assigned the names of the architects to the two wings, the Northeast Wing being Minor Hall and the Southwest Delano Hall. The large carillon will carry the name of the Stanton Bells.

For the building contract have already been received, but the Administration will not make any definite commitments before the next meeting of the Board of Trustees. The estimates received place the date of completion of the dormitory at the late summer of 1949, in time to receive the class of 1950.

The new dormitory, along with the new faculty houses, field house, dispensary, music building, library, and golf course, is part of the general enlargement policy of the Administration. The dormitory will house just one-fourth of the future total enrollment of 500 students, while the nine new faculty houses will hold the nine new professors expected next fall.

WIN LIVING WAGES

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The new Kenyon wage "hike" will take effect in April, with a retroactive pay check to cover the period from January through March. Waiters henceforth will receive their entire Common-fee in addition to the regular 40 cents per meal. Although the new pay rate will not necessitate an immediate boost in the Common-fee, sources close to President Hall say, "It will be a cold day in Gambier when a waiters' raise will not be followed by an increased Commons bill." (Editors'

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The athletic department of Kenyon College has announced that the Kenyon Development Program need search no farther for the needed millions needed towards the construction of a new fieldhouse. Assistant Director of Physical Training and Athletics Parmalee has discovered that Kenyon almost own a field house, and that it was reuprighted only last fall with the latest in athletic comfort. Parmalee has hastily boasted that the sudden appearance of a field house at Kenyon left him speechless.

The fieldhouse is located at the north east corner of Brandon Road, and has been temporarily named the Hannah More Fieldhouse, due to the fact that it probably was built out of money from her estate. The building, a magnificent white structure, now contains a black-board, the latest in Ohio athletic activity.

KRAUS TO MEX LOOP

Mexico City.—According to a source close to the Collegetown, Argosy Press, resident for the Mexican League, last Monday signed a contract with Kenyon's Freshman tackling Hope, Harry Kraus. The price of the athlete was said that he had been built of the young Cleveland athlete since last summer when he had observed Kraus' fine performance in several amateur baseball contests. The amount of the contract is un-molded but it is noted that there will be a big bonus if the rookie backstop stays in the first string back-up for the full season.

Harry Kraus first rose to prominence as a backstop for Cleveland's University School. Voted the most valuable baseball player in Shaker Heights model competition last year, he has given up both basketball and football to concentrate on building up batting prowess and fielding finesse. Kenyon's nine will be severely hurt by the loss of this promising slinger, but the whole College hopes for Harry's success at Vera Cruz, the team to which he has been assigned.

Mr. Kraus could not be reached for comment before the Collegetown went to press, but one of his close friends reported that he had taken the offer in order to be able to fulfill his obligations to the Kenyon Development Program.

The field of athletics as Jack Sturweider, Ben Hogan, and Willie Hopper, Frank Leary will deliver a short address on "The Role of President's Collegiate Football." It is hoped that the stadium project will be the beginning of a movement making Gambier a focal point in Ohio athletic activity.
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DANCE WEEKEND ORCHESTRA

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Sought by Networks

WKCO, the Voice of Gambier, will be a network station if current plans for it materialize. Several large networks are dickering with station officials and the Federal Communications Commission for the Gambier franchise, and at the present time the American Broadcasting Company seems to have the inside track. The American chain, whose nearest station is located nearly a hundred miles from here, has been trying to find a location in this area for sometime. The Gambier site, however, was being considered by two other major networks at the time the American proposal reached Kenyon College officials, and they, too, were spurred to action.

Although the work of a station in this area would be chiefly to relay network programs, there would still be ample time for any local broadcasting in the mornings and early afternoons. The possibility of FM or television was not discussed at preliminary meetings, but Gambier's altitude and strategic position between Cleveland and Columbus would make it ideal for either.

K NYON REVIEW SECTION

Mrs. Vernon Johnson
Speaks to the Y-Teens

Mrs. Vernon Johnson spoke to the Y-Teens Tuesday, February 26, 1947.

The subject was India, where Mrs. Johnson was with the Red Cross during the war. She showed many interesting articles which she had brought home with her. The first article shown was a "sari," which is a dress worn by the women in India. Mrs. Johnson modeled it for the girls and they all saw what it looked like in real life. The "dupi" is worn by the men and is tied around the waist and then the long piece is brought between the legs and makes them look very tall in the legs. Sports shirts and coats are worn with the "dupi."

Everything in India is determined by wealth. The amount of jewelry a woman wears tells how wealthy she is. The speaker told about one woman who had 14 rings on her ear. This is a sign of beauty in India.

In one part of India, Cashmere, the men and women all wear black. From a distance one can not tell the women from the men. The people who live in the mountains bring things down to a certain part of the year. They wear their wares that they are selling around their waists or any place on their clothing so that people can see them and will buy them. Some go as far as 200 miles. When they have sold everything, they go back to the mountains.

The people in India have no tables and chairs like ours. They squat just about an inch from the floor. They do everything this way and even when they read, they sit this way.

Rice and millet are the main food of the people. Their religion keeps most of the people from eating meat.

The many women live about 2 or 3 months at a time. Mrs. Johnson told that even when one wears a rain coat it did not help because the rain just went right through the rain coat.

She also showed the girls many dolls which she had brought back with her and showed many kinds of material from which the women's dresses are made.

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