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OPENING ADDRESSES

Rev. R. Dale LeCount, Pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of College Hill, Cincinnati, was the speaker on the opening day of the 45th year of Cedarville College. Rev. LeCount used as his theme, "It is not that I may die tonight but that I shall live tomorrow," and delivered a challenging and inspiring message. We hope to have the pleasure of again hearing Rev. LeCount.

Rev. E. E. Flack, D.D, of Hamma Divinity School, Springfield, was the guest speaker at the annual convocation service on Sabbath evening, September 11. Dr. Flack delivered a most helpful message on the subject "Character." Music for the convocation services was under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Creswell, Director of the Department of Music.

FACTS ABOUT CEDARVILLE COLLEGE

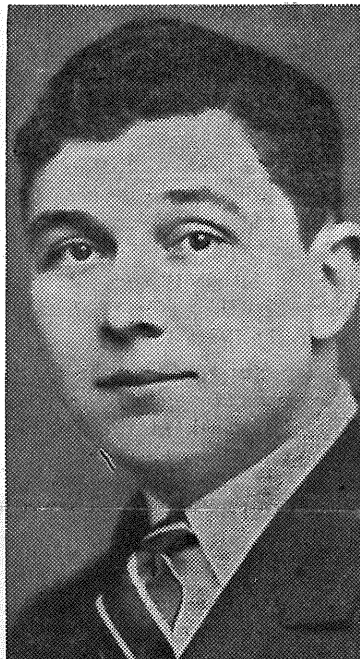
Cedarville College was chartered in 1887. It was opened for instruction in 1894. Cedarville is a co-educational college. It was organized as a liberal arts college with a department of music appended. It has added an educational school for the training of teachers both for the elementary and the high schools. It is recognized by the State Department of Education of Ohio for the training of teachers. One of the oldest theological schools in the United States is operated in connection with Cedarville College.

The graduates of Cedarville College are in practically all pursuits of life and are located in nearly every state of the United States as well as in several foreign countries. All churches have been represented in the student body and almost one graduate in every ten is a minister of the gospel. The faculty of the college have been trained in universities in the United States and abroad.

Contributors to the endowment and current funds are in all denominations. The courses of study in Cedarville College are liberal arts, science, agriculture, normal, music, theology, and preprofessional.

Expenses are kept at a minimum so that the student of the most limited means is able to attend. Most of the graduates of Cedarville College would never have been able to secure a college education if Cedarville College had not kept the expenses at the lowest possible cost. The graduates have secured positions of trust and responsibility and have made good. Cedarville College has an excellent record in providing its facilities to young people of very limited means but of high moral character and ability. Cedarville College is an opportunity to young people of purpose, push and pluck.

NEW SUMMER SCHOOL HEAD



HARRY B. PICKERING

Superintendent Harry B. Pickering will direct the Summer School sessions of 1939, in the absence of Prof. A. J. Hostetler who has asked for release for those sessions. Prof. Hostetler plans to take and enjoy a long deserved rest.

Cedarville College is fortunate in securing the services of Supt. Pickering for the Summer Sessions of 1939. Supt. Pickering graduated from Cedarville College in the class of 1930.

He has taught in high school and been superintendent of Ross Township High School since graduating from college. He is one of the most capable and popular teachers and superintendents in all of this region. Mr. Pickering has been most faithful in securing many students for Cedarville College. He is widely travelled and well informed.

He is pursuing a graduate course in the Ohio State University. He will bring the enrichment of a valuable experience and the interest and well-wishes of a host of friends with him to his new work in Cedarville College.

A FRESHMAN IS CONVINCED

Cedarville College, in my opinion, is one of the best colleges of its size in the United States. Here at C. C. we have all the advantages that the people do at large universities and some which they do not. We have one of the best faculties of any small college in the United States. The fellowship and college spirit here rival that of any other school. I say Cedarville College is one of the best in the United States!

—J. R., Whispering Cedars.

BASKETBALL

The basketball season will open December 2, when the college team meets the Springfield Y. M. C. A., here.

CAMPUS NEWS

Mr. John L. Dorst, our business manager, has been absent from the office for several weeks and has been confined to the Holmes Hospital in Cincinnati where he underwent an operation upon his left eye. His many friends wish for him a speedy recovery.

Chaplain LaCledde Markle of the United States Navy addressed a joint meeting of the Y. M. and the Y. W. C. A., on Wednesday morning, September 14. Chaplain Markle had recently returned from the Samoan Islands where he was stationed for two years as educational director.

Rev. B. N. Adams, Dr. R. A. Jamieson, and Dr. David H. Markle, pastors of the three local churches, have addressed the students at the regular chapel assemblies.

Members of the college faculty and guests enjoyed a steak roast at Bryan Farm on Thursday evening, September 15.

President W. R. McChesney and Prof. A. J. Hostetler attended a meeting of the Ohio Educational Association in Columbus on Friday, October 14.

Miss Helen Santmyer of the Department of English was one of the guests of honor at an interesting meeting of the "Ohioana" organization when they entertained the prose writers of Ohio at a tea in the State Library.

President W. R. McChesney will speak at the First Presbyterian Church in Richmond on November 6, on the subject of "Peace." He will also speak at the Second Presbyterian Church in Portsmouth, Ohio, on October 30, at a service in commemoration of the Sesquicentennial Celebration in the interests of Christian Education.

Mr. Cecil Thomas, '39, of Washington C. H., Ohio spent an interesting and worthwhile vacation in Los Angeles, California, where he was engaged in social service work under the direction of the American Friends Service Committee.

ALUMNI NEWS

VISITORS IN CEDARVILLE

The following alumni were welcome visitors in Cedarville during the summer months: Mr. Paul Brown, '28, and Mrs. Elizabeth Barnett Brown, '26, of Bucksport, Maine; Chaplain LaCledde Markle, '25, and Mrs. Eloise Davis Markle, '23; Rev. Homer B. Henderson, D.D., '24, Pittsburgh; Mrs. Josephine Orr Hill, '11, Homestead Park, Pa.; Mrs. Janet Orr McClellan, '09; Rev. Ernest McClellan, D.D., '09, of Rochester, N. Y.; Rev. Marion S. Hostetler, '32, of Greene River, Utah; Mrs. Wilhemina Mitray Lanning, '12, Presbyterian Missionary to China; Rev. Paul McLaughlin, '34, Winchester, Ohio; Rev. Clair McNeal, '29, Liberty, Indiana; Rev. W. W. Morton, D.D., '06, Louisville, Ky.; Rev. Wm. A. Pollock, '04, College Springs, Iowa; Hilma Raisenen, '30, Ashtabula, Ohio; Mrs. Ellen Tarbox Purdom, '20, Toledo, Ohio; Rev. Rodney Taylor, '32, Sewickley, Pa.; Brenton Turner, '31, Quincy, Mass.; Franklin Trubee, '25, Pittsburgh, Pa.; Rev. Walter Kilpatrick, '35, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Mr. Dan Aultman, '27, Attorney-at-Law of Xenia, is a candidate on the non-partisan ticket for Probate Judge in Greene County subject to the elections, November 8, 1938.

Miss Eloise McLaughlin, '32, has transferred from

the Vandalia Public Schools to the public school system in Dayton, Ohio.

Kenneth Little, '28 is the efficient and popular mayor of Cedarville village.

Our sympathy goes to Rev. James L. Chesnut, '18, pastor of the First Presbyterian Church of Fairmount, W. Va., and Mrs. Mary Chesnut Conley, '17, of Crystal City, Mo., in the recent death of their beloved mother.

J. Lloyd Confarr, '09, assumed the office of Treasurer of Cedarville College on September 1, to which he was elected in the place of Judge S. C. Wright, resigned. The lasting gratitude of the faculty, trustees, alumni, and other friends of Cedarville College is due to Judge S. C. Wright for the faithful and efficient years of service he put in as the treasurer of Cedarville College. We regret that he found it necessary due to the press of his work to resign the treasurership. We earnestly ask the support of all the alumni and friends of Cedarville College to the new treasurer, J. Lloyd Confarr.

Robert White, '32, transferred from the Pittsburg, Ohio school to the Greenville Public Schools, in September.

Bertram Fleming, '29, is a very successful insurance agent in Osborn, Ohio.

Joseph Free, '33, is pursuing work toward the doctor's degree in the field of speech at the University of Iowa.

We regret to report that LeRoy Henderson, '08, is in a serious condition. Our sympathy goes to him in his affliction.

Earl McClellan, '13 and Mary Hastings McClellan, '14, are represented at their Alma Mater by three daughters, Beatrice, a senior, Hazel, a sophomore, and Anna Mary, a freshman.

Mrs. Anna Orr Wilson, '00, vacationed and joined the reunion of the Orr family in the Smoky Mountains in August.

Miss Josephine Randall, '22, had a delightful trip through the western states and Alaska during the summer. She was accompanied by her niece, Miss Katherine Randall, who is a student in Cedarville College.

Miss Betty Tobias, '37, was married to Mr. James Jackson, '39 on August 30.

Announcements were received of the marriage of Miss Florence Sommers, '17, to Mr. Harry Leonard Johnson on September 6, 1938 at Dickenson, North Dakota. Mr. and Mrs. Johnson are residing at Glendive, Montana.

Miss Mary Eleanor Ford, '33, is announcing her approaching marriage to Mr. Arthur McIntyre of New Burlington. The wedding will take place sometime this month.

Miss Martha Waddle, '32, is teaching th's year in the high school at Canal Winchester, Ohio.

Miss Mary Catherine Probasco, '36, transferred from the Osborn Public Schools to the Troy Public School, and Miss Christina Jones, '36, is also teaching in Troy, having transferred from the Lena-Conover school.

Miss Carrie Louise Mount, '35, who has been teaching in the Maple Park School in Middletown, is teaching in the Deer Park Shool near Cincinnati this year.

James Anderson, Kenneth Sanderson and Phillip Shupp, of the class of '38 have enrolled in Ohio State University for advanced courses. Harry Sinks, '38, has

entered Bonebrake Seminary in Dayton, and Wilnot Fischer, '38, has entered the theological seminary at Kenyon College.

Mr. Gale Ross, '37 is enrolled in the Medical College at Ohio State University.

Miss Martha Bryant, '38, is taking a course in home economics at Wittenberg College.

GET A COLLEGE TRAINING

Young people today need to pursue and complete a college course. Conditions in America and other parts of the world are such as to require well-trained leadership of noble purpose and unquestioned high principles and ability. Every worth-while pursuit needs men and women, who can think things through, who have the determination and ability to plan wisely and push their purposes to successful completion.

A college training teaches one to take proper care of the body, develop the mind to think accurately and promptly, and acquire moral principles which will stand the tests that try one's very soul.

Cedarville College offers to young men and women a training under a thoroughly prepared and experienced faculty, who carefully and conscientiously guide students to the ends for which they are best fitted. Classes in Cedarville College are of such a size that they are well organized and each member of the class secures personal attention and instruction.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR SELF-HELP

Arrangements have been made by which a limited number of students from a distance, properly recommended, may be given work sufficient to defray at least a part of their expenses. Scholarships are awarded to high schools in this and neighboring states. Assistance is given to students in finding work. It is believed that no young man or woman, possessed of good health, energy, and determination, need be deprived of the advantages of a college education merely for the lack of means wherewith to defray expenses. Students who are working their way through college are honored by all at Cedarville College, and are given every encouragement and assistance in their laudable efforts to develop their powers and to fit themselves for higher spheres of usefulness.

A limited number of students can get N. Y. A. aid.

COLLEGE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU

In 1914, a College Employment Bureau was established for the benefit of Cedarville graduates and students. An effort is made to find for every student, former student, or alumnus who desires the services of the Bureau, a good position in which he can render efficient service and at the same time earn a good livelihood. So successful has the Bureau been that every senior who wishes to teach is nearly always employed in a good position before commencement. No one need fear that after a course taken at Cedarville College his services will not be in demand, or that he will have any difficulty in finding employment for his developed powers.

SOCIAL CALENDAR

The social events of the opening weeks of the first semester have included the following:

The Big and Little Sister Tea sponsored by the Y. W. C. A., at the home of Mrs. W. R. McChesney on September 12;

Party for college students and faculty given by the young people of the Presbyterian Church in the church parlors on Thursday evening, September 8;

Dinner and party sponsored by the college boarding club on September 20;

The Annual "Y. Mixer" for all the students at the gymnasium on September 27;

Sophomore "weiner roast" at Bryan Farm on October 7;

Party given by the Epworth League of the Methodist Church for the college faculty and students;

The Hallowe'en dance on Friday evening October 21.

CEDRUS

The Cedrus Staff, under the direction of Bennett McNeal, editor, is making fine progress on the 1939 Cedrus. The Cedrus will be dedicated to the typical Cedarville College students, and by popular vote of the student body, Cecil Thomas, Washington C. H., and Elisabeth Anderson, Cedarville, were chosen to share this honor.

Also by vote of the student body, Russell Roberts of Belle Center, Ohio, was chosen as assistant editor.

RELIGIOUS DENOMINATIONS

The following religious denominations are represented in our student body: Methodist, United Presbyterian, Presbyterian, Congregational Methodist Protestant, Church of Brethren, Church of Christ, Reformed Evangelical, Catholic, Friends, Lutheran, Baptist and Reformed Presbyterian. The Methodists have the largest number with the Presbyterians and United Presbyterians ranking second.

DRAMATIC CLUB

Neil Hartman of Cedarville was elected to the office of president of the College Dramatic Club for the first semester. Other officers are: Jane Frame, vice president; Elisabeth Anderson, secretary-treasurer; and Arthur Geake, Elisabeth Anderson, and Fred Lott, play reading committee.

Plans for the first semester include bi-weekly meetings with one act plays to be presented once a month, and talks upon various subjects of dramatic interest to be given at the intervening meetings.

The club will prepare one or two three-act plays for public presentation.

Miss Helen Santmyer and Miss Glenna Basore are the faculty sponsors of the Dramatic Club.

The need of the hour is more religion. If we today would give more thought to the spiritual and less to the material, we would have more in health, happiness and prosperity.

Roger W. Babson.

MEN'S ANNUAL BIBLE READING CONTEST OF CEDARVILLE COLLEGE

The Men's Annual Bible Reading Contest will be held Sabbath evening, Nov. 13, 1938, at the local First Presbyterian Church. The following will read: Cecil Thomas, Ray Sisson, Orval Labig, Robert Peterson, Fred Lott, John Peterson, Clayton Wiseman, Neil Hartman, Cramton Lott, Ned Brown, Royden Johnson, and Bennett McNeal.

It is heartening in these days of cynicism, crime, and dictators that young, red-blooded fellows are ready and willing to stand up for the "Open Book." It is believed that the worthwhile things of their generation will not lack champions.

The patron of this event is Dr. C. M. Ritchie, honored alumnus and friend of Cedarville College. He provides the pecuniary awards. He is willing to do this because his observations made during a life passing the Biblical three score and ten years are convincing proof that "happy is that people whose God is the Lord," and the Book shows the way to God.

Pro Corona et Foedere Christi.

ALPHA THETA TAU

The Alpha Theta Tau sorority held its first social meeting of the year on Tuesday evening, October 4, at the home of Jane Frame. After a program of games and contests, the following girls took the pledge of membership; Helen Chitty, Xenia, Barbara Carter, Yellow Springs; Marcella Tobin, Jamestown; Beatrice Gray, Bainbridge; Doris Ramsey, Cedarville; and Margaret Olinger, South Vienna.

Other meetings have been held on Tuesday afternoon at the Library. Several activities for the year are being planned.

CHI SIGMA PHI

The Chi Sigma Phi sorority is organized this year under the leadership of Pauline Ferguson. We are planning a very active year including a scavenger hunt, socials, tea dances, and at least one all school party.

The sorority has pledged for membership Mary Elizabeth Edgington and Orena Marshall. We are holding meetings every two weeks in our sorority room at the home of Mrs. J. W. Ault.

DELTA KAPPA SIGMA

The stormy year of 1937-38 left Delta Kappa Sigma sadly depleted in numbers but not in determination. This year under the able leadership of President John Peterson we have taken in the following pledges: Clayton Wiseman, Cecil Thomas, Eugene Kavanah, Robert Reed, Justin Northup, Harold Thomas, Arthur Geake, William Lott, and Russell Roberts. With a courage worthy of the cause, they endured the trials and tribulations of "Hell Week" and it was with sincerest pleasure that we gripped their hands and called them "Brothers."

Having completed the initiation ritual we repaired to the college gym where the new members and alumni enjoyed a hamburger fry prepared by the active members. At a late hour the happy group broke up and with a final

round of handshaking went home full of hamburgers and happy plans for the future.

Noah Sharpe, Secretary.

OUR FRIENDS

Cedarville College has a loyal group of helpful friends. Some of these are alumni and others are those who have learned of the high purpose, and splendid work of Cedarville College and thus have become deeply interested in the welfare of Cedarville College.

These friends have from time to time given of their means for the maintenance of the current fund. With their help Cedarville College has been enabled to aid many worthy young men and women in securing their education.

No better cause can appeal to men and women of means than an opportunity to invest in brains and character—in the training of deserving youth for leadership—a leadership efficient and trustworthy.

Never have there been more calls for help for the training of young men and women and never a better cause to support and a more urgent need to aid the worthy boy and girl to be somebody and get somewhere.

Cedarville College is dedicated to the training of deserving young people of limited means that they may be fitted to enter upon a life's work for God and humanity.

For years Cedarville College has been helping, at a sacrifice, such boys and girls; and the group of friends mentioned above have continued to give cheerfully to Cedarville College. We desire to expand this work. Every year we are compelled to turn away many deserving boys and girls simply because of lack of funds. Will you help us to expand and extend this work? Help us to help others! If you are interested in helping us to help worthy boys and girls, without means of their own, to get a college training write to Dr. W. R. McChesney, the president of Cedarville College, Cedarville, Ohio. We offer you a great opportunity to cooperate with us in a great and good cause.

CLASSES HAVE ORGANIZED AS FOLLOWS

SENIORS

President, Clyde Walker; vice president, Cecil Thomas; secretary, Jane Frame; treasurer, Orvil Labig; reporter, Bennet McNeal; student council, Ray Sisson.

JUNIORS

President, Russel Roberts; vice president, John Peterson; secretary, Grace Bickett; treasurer, Irene Goodin; reporter, Dona Zeller; student council, Royden Johnson.

SOPHOMORE

President, Clayton Wiseman; vice president, Neil Hartman; secretary, Betty Rowe; treasurer, Marie Collins; reporter, Charlotte Turner; student council, Jim Northup.

FRESHMAN

President, Bob Peterson; vice president, Orsadee Stewart; secretary, Jeanette Neal; treasurer, Norman Linton; reporter, Jay Peterson.

INFORMATION

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