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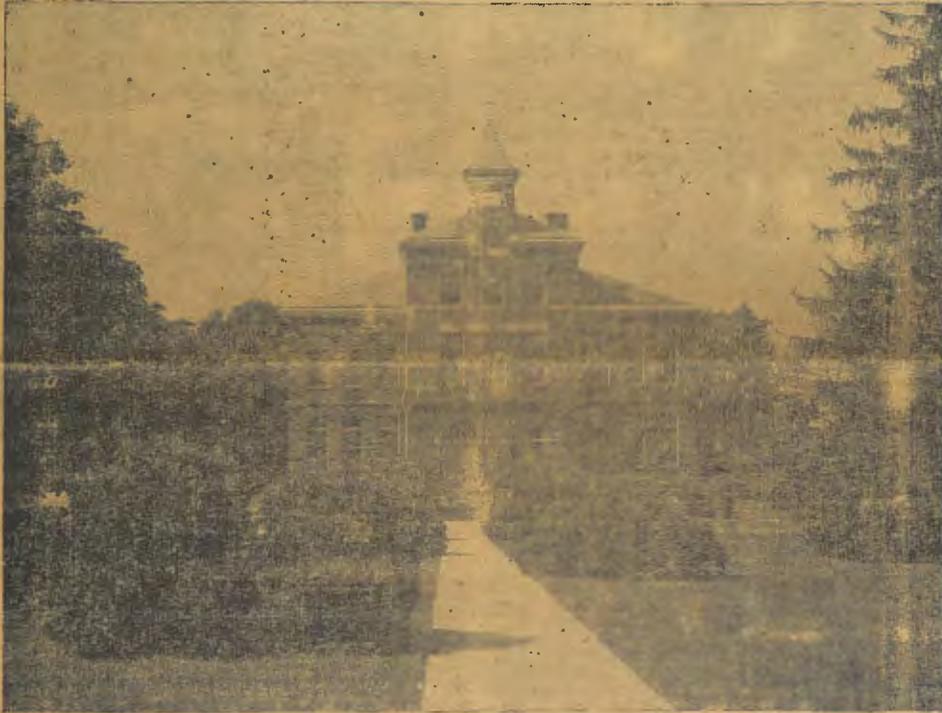
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50th Anniversary Of First Cedarville Commencement

The first graduating class of Cedarville College will celebrate its 50th anniversary on May 29, 1947. Five students received degrees on that first Commencement day. John W. Bickett, who is now minister of the United Presbyterian Church at Clifton; Raymond P. Garbold, who became a missionary in Japan and died there in 1914; Homer McMillan, now Executive of the Home Missions Board in the Southern Presbyterian Church, Calvin Morton, principal of Cedarville High school and passed away September, 1917; J. Alvin Orr, a teacher in North Carolina, Rev. Charles Frederick Goss, a Cincinnati minister and author of several books, gave the first Commencement address on Thursday, June 9, 1897. The Baccalaureate sermon was given by Dr. David McKinney on the Sunday preceding Commencement, in the building where now stands Alford Memorial Gymnasium.

We are asking that reunions be held by the following classes—'97, '07, '17, '27, '37 to help celebrate our anniversary. Next year, we will ask for a reunion of the classes of '98, '08, '18, '28, '38, '48. If you are a member of the classes named above, won't you make a special effort to come? Help us to make this a memorable occasion.

Bible Contest Is Won By Freshman

Clarence Beard, Canfield, Ohio, Cedarville College freshman won the annual Bible reading contest for men held by the college on Sunday evening, November 23, 1946. Conner Merritt, Jamestown, '49, placed second and each received cash prizes.

Six men students of the college
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President Vayhinger Speaks

You will rejoice with us that now we are able to resume our printed Bulletin. The enlarged student body and normal college functions will enable us to send you regularly the news of a greater Cedarville College.

This semester has been one of adjustment: a much larger faculty; a greatly increased student body; a boarding club for some 75 students; the two new dormitories—Rife House and Reid Manor. In spite of labor and material shortages we have had unusual success.

Not the least of the problems has been that of our repairs and redecorations. Our alumni and friends have rallied to our help with cash and pledges to the amount of some \$4,500.

Our needs, however, have not diminished. It will be necessary to secure the full \$15,000 before we can complete our program. For the convenience of those who have not yet made their subscription we are re-printing a copy of the card in another section of the paper.

Fill it out and mail to us at once that we may complete our repair program this spring.

The surplus Property Corporation of the government has promised us a new building to be used for a study hall, commons and for social purposes. This building will release much needed class rooms in the main building.

Our summer school will again stress teaching to help relieve the teacher shortage in Ohio. We shall welcome any information you may have of high school graduates who may be looking forward to teaching. Send us their names and addresses that we may put our latest catalogue into their hands.

Sherwood Eddy Speaks At Armistice Day Chapel

On November 11th at the eleventh hour, the entire student body, faculty and guests gathered in the Chapel to hear Sherwood Eddy, well known lecturer.

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Y. W. C. A.'s Hold Committal Service

The annual traditional candlelight committal service of Cedarville College was presented the 8th of December in the First Presbyterian Church. The service was in charge of the Y. W. C. A. and Miss Helen Tannehill, Clifton, '48, presided during the colorful exercises.

The service was written by the late Miss Frances McChesney who died shortly after graduation from the college in 1931. The service was so well received and effective that it has been used ever since as a tribute to her. The service consists of a series of Biblical readings, choral numbers, organ and piano music which have as the objective the opportunity of freshmen women to commit themselves to the principle for which the group stands.

The service was well attended by the general public and the churches of the village united in its observance. Professor Mrs. Eloise Kling, supervised the presentation of the program.

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Chi Mu Delta

Is Reorganized

After three years of forced inactivity during which the group boasted of 100 per cent of its membership in the armed services, the Chi Mu Delta Fraternity was reorgaized this fall. Five members were among returning G. I's. They elected as president, Bob Allen; vice-president, Keith Wright; Secretary-treasruer, Carl Watkins; and sergeant-at-arms, Bud Irvine.

Active members met with Alumni members on Homecoming, October 26, 1946, and plans were discussed for the future functioning of the fraternity.

Three pledges were initiated and received into the fraternity in Novembér. They were feted at a dinner at the Red Brick Tavern near London, November 20, 1946. The new members are Herbert Markley, Conner Merritt, and Bill Troute.

Chi Mu Delta Fraternity is planning numerous social activities this semester.

Take Part in Lincoln Day at Wilberforce

International night observed at Wilberforce University each year on Lincoln's birthday, February 12, present All-College night in the evening's program. The Cedarville Chorus appeared under the direction of Mrs. Mildred B. Cresell, director of music. The program was as follows: By the Waters of Babylon, Howell; Even Me, Warren; The Lord's Prayer, Malotte; Now the Day is Over, Barnby; Praise Ye the Father, Gonaud.

The chorus is composed of twenty singers and the soloists included Conner Merritt, Kathleen Evans and Max Sisson.

Jay Check of the Dramatic Club gave Lincoln's Gettysburg Address.



Dr. Homer Henderson

Religious Emphasis Week To Be March 17-21

Religious Emphasis Week will be observed at Cedarville College the week of March 17 to 21st. It will consist of chapel services each day from 11 to 12 o'clock and evening services in local and nearby churches. The speaker is Dr. Homer Henderson, '02, minister of Grove City United Presbyterian Church, Grove City, Pa. He has a very successful pastorate and is in wide demand as a speaker. Dr. Henderson will bring a series of virile messages.

Sherwood Eddy Speaks

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er and traveler, give an address on "How to Make a Better World."

Dr. Eddy gave a very interesting address in comparing the Russian economic system with our own economic system. He stated that unless the present generation would take an interest in our country, we should expect a depression, the like of which we have never seen before in the history of or country. Our present generation should take an active part in our government no matter whether it be local, state or federal, if we want to save our nation from the pitfall in which gradually it is falling.

Dramatic Club Names

Stover as President

The Dramatic Club was organized October 1, 1946 with a membership of twenty students. The club is sponsored by Miss Rife and the following students were elected: President, Delbert ("Smokey") Stover; Vice-president, Miss Donna Thompson; Secretary-treasurer, Miss Martha McGuinn; General manager, Adolph Maslar, and William Metterhouse.

The meetings are varied programs—one act plays, skits, readings and "take-offs" and are held bi-weekly.

A Christmas Pageant was given jointly by the Dramatic Club and the College Chorus under the direction of the director Mrs. Mildred B. Creswell in the U. P. Church, December 18th.

Many additional programs are being planned.

College Gospel Team

Is Organized

The Gospel Team was organized for the purpose of presenting religious programs in nearby churches. The twelve members, under the leadership of Ted Harsh has a very interesting program of music, hymn stories, prayer and sermonettes.

They have already filled several engagements and still have many invitations from Selma, Springfield, and Xenia.

Observe Day of Prayer At U. P. Church

Cedarville College held its annual Day of Prayer in the United Presbyterian Church on Thursday, February 6, 1947. Miss Kathleen Evans sang the solo, "Into the Woods My Master Went", by Lutkin. President Vayhinger introduced the speaker, Rev. Reuben Pieters, First Presbyterian Church, Middletown, Ohio. The topic of his sermon was "A New Life For A New Age." It was attended by the junior and senior classes of the high school as well as the student and faculty members of the college.



Rev. Reuben Pieters

Four Are Pledged to Chi Sigma Phi Sorority

Chi Sigma Phi Sorority was founded in 1936 with the purpose of promoting a spirit of sisterhood, not only among the sorority girls but also among all the girls of the college.

The sorority girls have redecorated a classroom in the Science Building for a sorority room. The new room was officially opened by a party during which a candlelight pledging service was conducted. Four girls were pledged to the sorority this semester: Betty Rose Beattie, Beatrice Ervin, Bernice Knecht, and Martha Ann McGuinn.

Bible Contest Is Won

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participated in the event and judging on the selection and reading of Biblical passages was based on enunciation, expression, interpretation, platform presence and general effect. The program was in charge of Professor Frederick Carlsen, head of the college's department of Bible.

The contest has been held by the school forty years, but the men's contest were eliminated during World War II. A similar contest for women of the college will be held in the spring.

SPORTS NEWS

First Football Homecom'g Held in 14 Years

The first football homecoming in fourteen years for Cedarville College students, alumni, and their friends was held Saturday, October 26, 1946. The festivities began at the football game between Cedarville College and Xavier University "B" team held at Cox Field, Xenia. The Homecoming Queen, Miss Helen Tannehill of Clifton, and her attendants, Miss Claire Stormont of Cedarville and Miss Donna Thompson of Springfield were presented by Keith Wright, President of the student body, to the students, alumni and friends before the game. The Cedarville Yellowjackets helped to make the day more of a success by defeating the visiting Xavier University "B" team 20-7.

In the evening the Ladies Advisory Board served a very delicious dinner in the Alford Memorial gymnasium to 200 alumni and friends as well as the two football teams which met on the gridiron in the afternoon. During the alumni meeting the new faculty members were presented. W. Willard Barlow, '27, newly appointed member of the Board or Trustees was introduced.

The festivities were brought to a very fine conclusion by a

dance given by the student body in the Cedarville High School auditorium. The Homecoming Queen and her attendants were presented to the near-capacity crowd, as were the football coaches and captains of the two rival teams.

Coaching School to Be Held August 18-22

Cedarville College will conduct an Athletic Health and Physical Education Clinic during the week of August 18-22. The coaching of football will be taught by Ellis Johnson, former All-American back from the University of Kentucky and now Head Coach at Moorehead State Teachers College. Coach Johnson also played on the last team from Ashland, Kentucky, which participated in the National High School Basketball Tournament conducted by the University of Chicago. Basketball will be taught by Robert Laughlin, Coach of Breckenridge High School, Moorehead, Kentucky, 1946 Kentucky State Champions.

Outstanding men are being secured in the field of Health and Physical Education. Mr. Paul Landis, State Supervisor of Health and Physical education will be with us for a day to discuss Health and Physical Education Problems in the



Mendell E. Beattie

Cedarville Returns To Grid Wars

Cedarville College was once again on the gridiron this fall after 14 year layoff and the Yellow Jackets football team computed a commendable record for a first year team. They ended the season November 22 with four wins and five losses, and one tie game. Guided by Coach Mendell E. Beattie, the squad, composed

of 25 players from 12 schools. One session will be devoted to the care of athletic injuries.

More information on the Coaching Clinic will be available in the next issue.

primarily of freshmen war veterans, gave a good account of themselves throughout the grueling ten-game schedule.

Nearly 2500 fans, including Governor Frank J. Lausche, watched the Yellowjackets open the season against Ohio Northern at Cox Field, Xenia on September 19. First game jitters handed the up-state Polar Bears two first period touchdowns, but then Cedarville found themselves and played the remainder of the game on nearly even terms. The final score was 19-0. The game was marked by Ben McNulty's hard running and tackling and the tenacity of Cedar's line when Ohio Northern approached their goal.

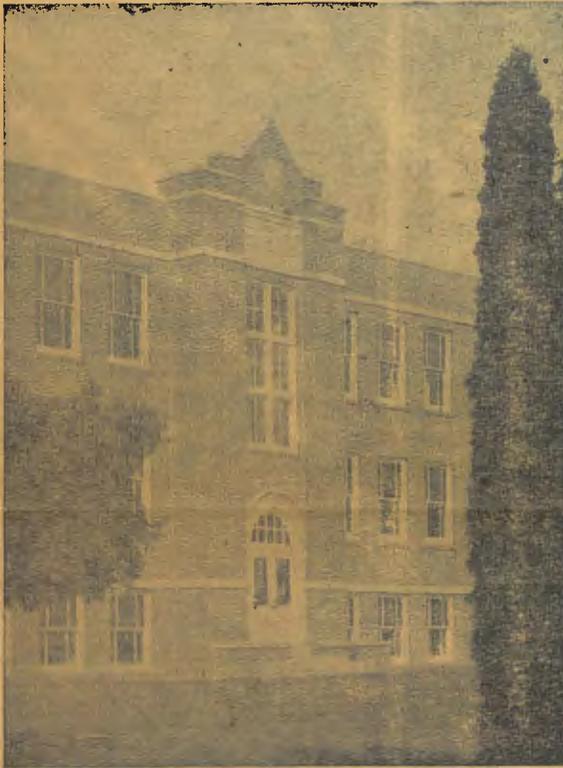
Georgetown College, Kentucky handed the Yellowjackets a 45-0 defeat the next week. The locals never could get up steam while the Kentucky lads displayed smooth backfield precision which clicked time and again.

Taking the air, Cedarville annexed the first win of the season over Canterbury College at Danville, Indiana. The Yellowjackets overcame a 6-0 score against them to win 14-6 in the second half. Birdie McNulty, Ben's older brother, joined the team at this time, with the aid of Bud Shaughnessy completed eleven passes to materially help the Yellowjackets. Continued on Page Four

Cedarville College's First Football Team in Fourteen Years Has Good Season in '46



Row 1. Shaughnessy, B. Rader, C. Jewell, H. Markey, Hopping, Stover, Mauck, Clark, V. McNulty.
 Row 2. Thompson, Hauck, Braley, Machamer, Riley, Loos, Foster, B. McNulty, Minter, Holderby, M. E. Beattie.
 Row 3. Ryan, Preston McNeal, Judy, Rowe, Irvin, Townsley, Wheaton, Stills, Murnaghan.



Elementary Teachers Complete Observation

The elementary student teachers have completed their periods of observation of instruction and are now teaching. Miss Betty Jean Sickles, under the supervision of Mrs. Clyde Walker in the first grade, and Miss Bonnie Dillon, under Mrs. W. R. McChesney in the second, are directing reading activities. Mrs. Beryl Dolphin, under Miss Mildred Trumbo, third, and Miss Betty Rose Beattie, under Miss Frances Kimble, fourth, are teaching arithmetic. In the sixth grade, Warren Talbott is developing the study of

the middle nineteenth century in United States history under Mrs. Arthur Evans, critic teacher.

Nine Studentes Teaching At High School

Beginning the second semester, nine students are teaching in our neighboring high school. They are William Ball, Everett Cottle, Raphael Hofman, Jesse Virgil McNulty, Guy Potts, Edwin Ryan, Thomas Rudisill, Charles Weichsel and Miss Claire Stormont.

We extend our best wishes for their success.

CEDARVILLE COLLEGE

Cedarville, Ohio

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Cedarville Returns

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jackets to the victory,

At Lawrence Tech., Detroit, Michigan, the Yellowjackets played a close game. They missed scoring a winning touchdown in the last minute by only inches. The score at the end of the game was 6-6 although Lawrence Tech was favored to win by a 20-6 margin.

Coming back "home" to Cox Field, Cedarville racked up a thrilling 18-12 verdict over Detroit Tech. The Yellowjackets had to cover 70 yards on three pass plays in the last two minutes for a winning touchdown after blowing a 12-0 halftime lead. A "sleeper" play, Virgil McNulty to Bob Rader, was good for 30 yards. The touchdown pass play went from Shaughnessy to Clark and covered 28 yards.

Cedarville pleased its Homecoming Day crowd by crushing Xavier University's "B" squad 20-7. The Yellowjackets scored early and held the upper hand throughout the contest. The small Cedarville line sparkled as they relentlessly rushed the Xavier backs all day.

After a long trek to Big Rapids, Michigan, to battle Ferris Institute the Yellowjackets experienced an off-night and suffered a 21-0 setback. Their passing attack, here-to-fore a bright spot of their offense, bogged down and led to the loss.

The Cedarville backs had a field day at Rose Poly, Terre Haute, Indiana, and rolled up their highest score of the season. The final was 32-14 as the Yellowjackets capitalized on breaks and scored 26 points in the first half. Utilizing nearly every possible way to score in so doing.

Findlay College had too many guns for the battling Cedars the next week and rolled up a 52-0 score, half of these coming in the final period, over the weary battered locals. Findlay put on the field the best team the Cedars saw all season, and included a host of fleet, tricky backs who couldn't be stopped.

Cedarville ended the season November 22 in a game played at Defiance College. With

Y. W. C. A. Holds Special Place in College

The Young Women's Christian Association holds a special place in the college girls life. It develops a well balanced, integrated individual, — one that is mentally, morally and physically sound. The Y. W. C. A. offers opportunities for participation in a worthy service.

This year, we were glad to have several new members join our society. On September 12th, the Y. W. C. A. had a tea at Rife Hall for the Freshman girls. Two weeks later it joined with the Y. M. C. A. to sponsor a mixer for the entire student body.

Under the capable direction of Claire Stormont, our program chairman, we have enjoyed interesting and informative devotional meetings.

On December 16th, the girls enjoyed their Christmas party at the home of Betty Rose Beattie with a Christmas gift exchange.

The Y. W. C. A. is looking forward to this new semester with great anticipation.

Women's Bible Contest Held at U. P. Church

The Women's Bible Reading Contest was held in the United Presbyterian Church, Cedarville, Ohio on Sabbath evening, March 2, 7:30 o'clock.

Several of our women are participating in this worthwhile activity from which not only the participants but the auditors as well may receive a great blessing.

Under the direction of Mrs. Mildred Creswell, the chorus sang several appropriate selections.

The contest was financially sponsored by miss Margaret B. Rife, Barton, Florida.

the temperature in the 20's, the Yellowjackets of Defiance outbuzzed the Yellowjackets of Cedarville 30-0. A badly crippled Cedarville made this last stand in which several promising players were uncovered.

Congratulations, team, on a very good season!