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CHAPEL CHOIR TO SING IN 14 SERVICES DURING SPRING TOUR

Wednesday, April 2, the Cedarville College Chapel Choir will leave for its fifth annual spring tour. The theme for this year's tour is "Sermons in Song."

The tour will be twelve days in length, during which fourteen services will be presented. The first service will be held in Connorsville, Indiana, and the last in Arcanum, Ohio. Special groups from the choir, under the direction of Jerry Thornton, student director, will sing at Youth Meetings both Sunday evenings. The choir has planned the programs, one featuring songs of praise, and the other featuring songs of service.

The thirty-one members of the choir will be transported by bus with Mr. Dale Thompson driving.

Besides singing, the choir will have opportunity to visit various places of interest in route, among which will be a visit to Don McNeill's Breakfast Club, heard over The A.B.C. Network.

The purpose of the tour, according to William P. Ambrose, choral director, is to win souls to the Lord Jesus. Although the travels of the choir will acquaint many

with Cedarville College, this is secondary to service to God.

The choir plans several appearances this year. It has sung at London Prison Farms and Blessed Hope Baptist Church in Springfield, and a Michigan week-end is planned for May.

WYLANDS' HOST SENIORS TO A DINNER AND CONCERT, CULMINATING 4 YEARS AS CLASS OF '58 ADVISOR

Thursday evening, March 27th, the Seniors were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Wyland at a dinner held in their honor in Bellbrook at the Highview Terrace Restaurant. Following the dinner the group journeyed to Boyd Auditorium, Wilmington College to a concert of works for violin and piano featuring the sonatas of Beethoven, Handel and Prokofiev.

Mr. Wyland has been the class advisor for four years. In appreciation for Mr. Wyland's help and spiritual blessing, the class presented him with a billfold and keychain. Mrs. Wyland was presented with a dozen red roses.

EMERSON PHILOSOPHY "SELF TRUST"
IS FALSE; RELIANCE ON GOD NEEDED

MILLER'S MUSINGS

A Suicide

"Trust thyself", says Emerson. "Every heart vibrated to this iron string". Why does Emerson say that men should trust themselves? Well, he does have a reason. He thinks that man is all-sufficient in himself. Man has no need for a Supreme Power, he says, because man does not need One to guide, help, and protect him; he is capable of sustaining himself. Is this wrong? Should men trust themselves? Could they feel complete on themselves without help from Anyone else? No. There is a God. He is Supreme, Omniscient, and powerful and capable, ready and willing to help us, if men but trust Him.

When men trust themselves men are self-sufficient so in turn when men trust Him they should be "God-Sufficient". In other words when men trust God, it means complete reliance upon Him for what He has for them, I am afraid not many men have learned what real trust is. The reason: Men are too much human and cannot seem to let God have all of them. What say? Are you too human.

A shotgun suicide recently ended the life of Robert G. Young, millionaire President of N.Y.C. Railroad. He did not gain the whole world but he gathered six million plus his vast real estate holdings. He penned this significant poem before he pulled the trigger;

But now I find myself upon a constant downward slope
Which gains in pitch until I see,
Dim, distantly, a void,
From which departed friends have turned tired face
And love has lost its zest,
The quest of fortune ended.

Tragedy of tragedies! This is simply a story of a man who did not know the need of his own heart. St. Augustine could have helped him with his classic conclusion--"O God, our hearts were made to rest in Thee and we are indeed restless until we rest in Thee."

But with loneliness, despair and suicides haunting the wealthy, the masses do not learn the lesson. They must see for them-
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"Hi, Fran" shouts a tall red head to the girl behind the counter. He seems to have succeeded in keeping the campus guessing as to whom he will be seen with next. Fran doesn't pay much attention to him. She is seriously occupied with counting the number of reflections her stove is throwing on the ceiling. Red Head turns to a lanky sophomore draped over the counter.-----

"Say Warren, I heard that the quartett's stay in _____ was especially interesting.

Paul saves the blushing boy from further interogation by resuming his usual stool.

"Say---," says he, "I hear Rosemary especially enjoyed the Toledo tournament game. I wonder why. Here comes my grouchy roomie. What's eating you, John boy?

"Ah; that numb-skull Thomas was wasting my time trying to explain the reason beans grow upside down in China and now I've lost track of the number of seconds until April 2nd."

"Well, look who's here! Esther herself with a pile of letters."

"Y e a h! They're my roomie's. About 20 of them are addressed to some temporary resident of Texas. Here's one to her mom. She ought to feel fortunate!

"Children," interrupts Fran, "It's time to go."

"Can't you even let a fellow finish his coffee?" Keith sounds irritated!

Fran doesn't even answer. In

The project to sponsor the purchase of hymnals for the College Chapel has gotten off to a good start with about 1/4 of the goal attained. A desire has been expressed to have the hymnals in Chapel use by Prospective Students Day, which is April 18. The realization of this aim will require the cooperation of each student. Perhaps the Young Peoples Group or some other organization of your home church would like to donate toward this project. As the opportunity arises during Easter vacation, you may be led to make such a suggestion. These donations should be designated for the Hymnal Fund and sent either to the Students Wives Guild or the office of the College. The name of the organization making the contribution should be included.

Along with any other information necessary such as an "In Memorium" if the book or books are given in memory of someone.

Cans will be placed in the office and in the snack shop for individual student donations. Classes and other school organizations wishing to cooperate in this venture may make arrangements through Mrs. Ruder in the office.

fact, if you look at her closely, you can see she is singing to herself - "I'M getting married, I'm getting married, I'M getting.....

BASEBALL PRACTICE STARTED MON. WITH SIX RETURNING MEN ON HAND

Monday afternoon, March 24, all those interested in playing baseball for the Yellowjackets during the 1958 season gathered in the gym for their first practice in getting conditioned and in shape for the season opener on April 19.

The returning players are: Jerry Thornton (Senior), Lane Moody (Senior), Bob Humphreys (Sophomore), Dave Dautel (Sophomore), Roy Carr (Sophomore), and Merlin Ager (Sophomore).

The new hopefuls are; Dick Jacobs (Freshman), Dan Purdy (Freshman), Dick Cook (Freshman), Jim Erskin (Senior), Ken Doctor (Sophomore), and Dave Cochran (Freshman).

Coach Bowser will coach this

If a man can't be a Christian where he is, it is certain that he can't be a Christian where he isn't. - You are either a missionary or a mission field.

SUICIDE

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selves if a spiritual person can find contentment in material objects. But beyond this, many sons of God fall prey to the deluding power of five cars, nice homes, and money in the bank. The image of God in man cries out for a life commitment of a higher nature than these immediacies. Will you not learn your lesson from the shotgun wounds in Mr. Young's bloody head as it lies on the marble floor of his mansion?

years Blue and Gold nine. Assisting him will be Bob Marcellino, who finished his fourth season last year as a pitcher. He will be coaching the pitching staff.

Last year the Jackets won only two games. Their most impressive victory was the first game of the season. In this game the Jackets handed Wilmington, the eventied Mid-Ohio League Champs, their only defeat of the season.

With spring and good weather coming up, let's get out to as many games as possible this year and give the team a lot of student body support!

Be sure to pick up your schedules in the office. All league games are double-headers.

GAMMA CHI HOLDS BUSINESS MEET

This evening at 7:30 Gamma Chi will hold its monthly business meeting in the chapel. When the business has been discussed, the group will enjoy a program arranged by the program chairman, Fran Cooper. Mrs. Harvey, from Springfield will be the guest speaker. At the close of the program, refreshments will be served in the dining hall.

VARSITY C ENJOYED SPLASH PARTY

On Saturday evening seventeen young people, members of the Varsity Club and their guests, enjoyed a "splash" party at the Springfield "Y." All who went to the party, which lasted from 7:30-9:00, seem to have had a good time.