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November 1, 1960

HOMECOMING PLAY

The Diary of Anne Frank

The play is based on a diary written by Anne Frank to chronicle the days of seclusion in an Amsterdam attic that began in July 1942, when she was just thirteen, to avoid Nazi arrest and the horrors of a concentration camp. Over the course of two years she made entries vividly chronicling the problems, the courage, the quarrels, the discomforts of the eight people cooped up in the cramped loft, existing on inadequate quantities of food smuggled to them by friendly Gentiles out of their spare rations.

In addition to Jeannie DuPre (Anne) and Keith Webster (Mr. Frank), the cast of the Homecoming play will include Juanita Allford, as Anne's patient mother, close to hysteria, Louann Hawkins (Mrs. Van Daan) as the frivolous and selfish wife of the family sharing the hideaway with the Franks, Hank Cook as her greedy and grouchy husband, Phil Jewett (Peter Van Daan) as the young boy with whom Anne falls in love, Norman Dugan (Mr. Dussel) as the whining, lonely dentist who comes to share refuge, Nancy Shimits (Margot) as Anne's quiet older sister, Steve Nimmo (Mr. Kraler) as the courageous friend who hides the Jews, and Dorothy Rockenstein (Miep) as the young girl who brings them supplies.

HOMECOMING WEEKEND

Many old and familiar faces will be seen around the Cedarville College campus the weekend of November 18-20 when the annual Alumni Homecoming will be held.

Homecoming will officially open on Friday evening, November 18, as the alumni begin to return to their alma mater.

Registration will be held on Saturday, November 19th, from 8:00 to 9:30. Following this, from 10:00 to 11:00 there will be a tour of the campus as well as a review of the numerous displays made by the various classes, clubs, and organizations. As in the past, these displays will be judged by the alumni and first, second, and third prizes will be given. Thus far three classes and one organization have reserved space for displays. More are expected to enter displays, but it is still too early to expect a sizeable number.

Lunch will be served at 12:00 and following this at 2:00 will be the much anticipated alumni vs. the varsity basketball game. Rumors are that the alumni are looking for their first win. With the added increase in alumni, they should be stronger than in years past.

The rest of the afternoon will be spent informally. Tentative plans are for a special activity on Saturday evening, but as yet details are incomplete.

Sunday will find the alumni in church. The special speaker for the morning worship will be Rev. William Brown of Dayton, Ohio, and special music will be offered by the alumni.

CHAPEL PROGRAMS

Wednesday, November 2—Pastor John W. Reed, First Baptist Church, Stryker, Ohio.

Thursday and Friday, November 3 and 4—Rev. Harold Amstutz, A.B.W.E.

FRESHMAN ELECTIONS

When freshmen come into the bookstore looking for art supplies, when they gather for committee meetings, and when they seek out friends for help and ideas, there must be a reason.

Active campaigning for freshman elections began on October 28th. Alert candidates had committees organized, posters painted and campaign plans formulated in advance. Posters were piled up in dark corners before the 28th. With over two weeks of active "stumping" ahead, these posters will be informing the public (freshman class) of all the (ahem) "virtues" and qualifications of each candidate.

Climaxing this period of frenzied campaigning, the elections will be held November 14th. Each candidate will give his testimony before the class.

"Class election is one of the highlights of the freshman year," said Mr. Dale Thomson, advisor of the class. He stressed the importance of electing the best candidates for the future of the class.

MR. GROMACKI

Mr. Gromacki was born September 20, 1933, in Erie, Pennsylvania. He attended Academy High School in Erie and graduated as valedictorian in 1951. His major interests while in school were science, math, and sports. He lettered in tennis and water polo. In city tournaments he was the junior and men's champion in ping pong and junior champion in tennis and golf.

Mr. Gromacki attended Baptist Bible Seminary in Johnson City, New York, and graduated first in his class in 1956. He then attended Dallas Theological Seminary from which he graduated third in the class of 1960. The title of his thesis at Dallas was "Defense of the Petrine Authorship of II Peter." For this paper and other class work he received the Henry C. Thiessen Award in the field of New Testament Literature and Exegesis. Mr. Gromacki feels that the school in Dallas matured him in his Christian life and stabilized his thinking in matters of Scripture.

He was married in 1954 to Gloria Julian from Sedro-Woolley, Washington. She attended the Practical Bible Training School in Binghamton, New York. They have one son, Gary, who is 2½ years old, and they are expecting another child in the first part of April. They are presently residing at 266 Kylemore Drive in Xenia. The Lord willing, Mr. Gromacki will stay here at Cedarville College and eventually begin working on his doctorate in theology.

When asked what he thought of Cedarville, Mr. Gromacki said he certainly enjoys it here. He feels the Lord is bless-

ing the school and admires the Board of Trustees for their vision and faith in the building program.

ALPHA CHI EPSILON HOLDS INITIATION

Thursday, October 20, Alpha Chi Epsilon held an initiation admitting 18 new members. This brings the total membership to 30.

For the formal initiation the club journeyed to a park in Xenia where each new member quoted Philippians 4:8. After a short message from the new advisor, Mr. Gromacki, the members returned to the school dining hall where refreshments were served.

This year's officers are as follows: President, Dave Earnhart; Vice-President, Mark Haseltine; Secretary-Treasurer, Richard Blumenstock; Chaplain, Paul Gathany; Parliamentarian, John Lawlor; and Student Council representative, Chuck Hartzell.

"INTRAMURAL ACTIVITY"

Women's Intramural volleyball season is now in full swing. This program is designed for the student as an opportunity for recreational activity, development of social behaviour, and as a profitable way to release "tension" brought on by *studies!*

We urge all who can to participate in some way. Come over to the gymnasium and cheer your team to victory! We want to see you there on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 7:00 to 9:00.

One student remarked that she is "glad for this time of physical activity and that more girls should take advantage of it."

LIBRARY IMPROVEMENTS

The library has gained new facilities since last year. Mr. Wyland reports that the seating capacity has been enlarged by 275. Last year, 225 was the seating capacity and this year it is 500.

Approximately \$1,000.00 was paid for 150 new chairs and 24 new tables. They have been slightly used, but are "new" to us. Three new gas furnaces were put in this summer and are identical to the ones in the basement of the Administration Building; thus, there should be no more complaints of "cold feet." The big tables upstairs were put into the periodical room to make more room for studying purposes. The stacks on the first floor were taken out and put on the 2nd floor to make room for a new study room. New bookshelves were built in to hold 2500 books. The two guest rooms were made into a conference room and a room for holding audiovisual materials.

Now that the facilities have been improved, the *students* should carry on the "dusting" procedure.

COMING EVENTS

November 7—Gamma Chi—Informal and seasonal meeting

November 11—Alpha Chi—Meeting

November 12—Feature-length film, *Martin Luther*, (1½ hours), sponsored by the library to raise funds for filing cabinets. Admission: 50 cents

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"Power tends to corrupt; absolute power corrupts absolutely."

Lord Acton (1834-1902)

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Tell about the hardships of the Pilgrims.

They came over on hardships.

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In what order do the Gospels come?

One after the other.

WHAT DO YOU THINK...

of college life?

Sue Geysler, Freshman—Fine, except for the rules (lights out).

Phil Brower, Sophomore—College is different.

Keith Webster, Junior—It affords many opportunities. (For what?)

Nancy McDivitt, Senior—As a senior, it's terrific—I'm graduating soon.

NIXON-LODGE RALLY

The Nixon-Lodge Rally held in Cincinnati last week was really an exciting event.

The Auditorium was completely filled and there was a large crowd standing outside which was estimated at ten thousand.

There was an hour of entertainment before the Vice-President spoke. Mr. Henry Cabot Lodge introduced Vice-President Nixon and spoke very highly of his running mate. Mr. Nixon then came to the platform—not by a back entrance but down the main aisle in the auditorium! The reception for him was tremendous.

His speech was very good—very sincere and very forceful. He made one point which was of extreme interest—in order to have peace and freedom, America must trust in God.

One highlight of the evening was at the conclusion when the "Voices for Nixon" which numbered twelve hundred sang "The Battle Hymn of the Republic."

After the televised speech, Vice-President Nixon left the auditorium and spoke to the many people waiting outside.

It is very difficult to understand how any man can say this nation of ours is second in anything—when fifteen thousand people stand and sing from their hearts "The Star Spangled Banner" and repeat "The Pledge of Allegiance" to our flag.

The United States is *not* second to any other nation, and we will maintain our high standing with Richard M. Nixon as our next President.