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Senior Week

The Senior class of 1931, in an effort to strengthen the bonds of friendship among its members, have set about preparing for their last week of school. After graduation, the members of this class want to come back to their college, they want to boost for her, but in order to want to come back there must be something here for them to come back to, there must be something that they will be proud to boost for.

In the past, the class realizes there has been very little done toward this end.

The first step was to find members who had caught the spirit of this great task. In looking around, the following members were chosen to act as a committee in complete charge of this last week of school: Miss Ruthama Brinkman was chosen as chairman, and those to help her are Miss Jean Robertson, Miss Lucille Young and Mr. Robert Wyant.

When this committee met to discuss plans for their program, they took into consideration the type of activities that would appeal to the class, the cost and whether or not the college would permit them to go ahead with their plans.

After a great deal of discussion including inventing new activities and cutting others out, trying almost in vain to meet the above conditions, the following program is the result:

Class Play "The Scrap of Paper", Friday, May 29.
Senior Formal Recital, Saturday, May 30.
Sunset Picnic, Tuesday, June 2.
"Follow the Will o’ the Wisp", Tuesday, June 2.
Bonfire, Tuesday, June 2.
Hoisting Colors, Wednesday, June 3.
Senior Girl’s Luncheons, Wed., June 3.
Senior Boy’s Luncheons, Wed., June 3.
Sunrise Breakfast, Thursday, June 4.
Senior-Junior Theatre Party, Thursday, June 4.
Breakfast Luncheon, Friday, June 5.
Tree Planting and Exercises, Friday, June 5.
Senior Formal Dinner Dance, Friday, June 5.
Alumnae Day, Saturday, June 6.
Baccalaureate Exercises, Sunday, June 7.
President Reception, Sunday, June 7.
Commencement Exercises, Monday, June 8.
Lowering of Colors, Monday, June 8.

The committee in charge is to be congratulated for the fine piece of work they have done. The members of the class must put forth every effort to make this program a real success.

We surely feel sorry for these starved dormitory girls who eat pop corn at the show. The poor girls are bound to be seen by the little dears on whom they practice their learning.

250 Students Entered in Commercial Contests Here

Choral Class

Gives Program

Thursday evening of last week the choral literature class under the direction of Miss Hall presented a program of vocal music for the Woman’s club. This class has appeared in chapel from time to time. As the purpose of the class is to study various types of vocal music, it was possible to choose numbers of interest through being rarely performed even by professional singers. The program included anthems transcribed from the liturgy of the Russian church, a scottish cradle song, a negro spiritual, two English madrigals, as well as selected choruses of a nature appropriate to the season. Solo parts were sung by Kathryn Sams, Donald Lusk, Maxine Powell and Marjorie Howe, seniors of the music department. Miss Marble accompanied.

AN ORPHAN

Editions of the Bee Gee News as published by the regular staff have been variably described. They have been condemned. They have at times been so run down (by students) that we have been at the point of prescribing Dr. Whoosus’ liver, kidney, stomach and varicose vein pills for that tired, run down, debilitated feeling.

But do not be too hasty. It has a sound body. This is shown by results it already has obtained. Chief among these is the piecing together of a history of the college and procuring use of the college library during the evening.

The Bee Gee News has a mental disease. It is discouraged due to the unsympathetic treatment given it by the student body. It is an Orphan, almost homeless in the student natured wholeheartedly by the agricultural department while other departments better able to care for the News has stood by and merely talked about the problems connected with caring for orphans. It is possible that by this standing around, these other departments have indicated their unwillingness to do anything constructive.

Is this child to starve and die because it has no real home and is scoffed at by the populace? C. E. Britt

College Is Host For Second Time In Two Weeks

For the second time in two weeks, Bowling Green State College has been host to a large group of high school students. Saturday, over three hundred students, winners in 19 sectional contests held all over the state came to Bee Gee to decide state championships. Over 200 faculty members accompanied the students.

During the morning there were a typing contest under the direction of Prof. E. G. Knepper of the Commercial department and bookkeeping tests under Wilbur Rider, president of the Senior class. Miss Nellie Ogle had charge of the shorthand contests in the afternoon. Contestants in the typing and shorthand were classified as A or B, Special, Novice or Amateur. There were Novice and Amateur bookkeeping contests in classes A and B.

These contests were started by Prof. Knepper as an incentive to commercial students. That they have been of value is shown by a state-wide improvement in the speed and efficiency of students’ work.

W. A. Rider, who assisted in the contest has developed a number of champions while teaching in Archibald.

Orchestra Gives Fifth Annual Concert

This year’s program, under the direction of Charles F. Church Jr., had many attractive features. The orchestra had a more complete instrumentation than in former years thus increasing its possibilities as a medium of musical expression. This fact was recognized by the attentive and appreciative audience.

Especially interesting was the piano concerto played by Miss Marble in piano at the college. The great range of dynamic expression possible with the piano was well illustrated by her playing of that first movement of the “Concerto in A Minor” for piano by Grieg. The number was enthusiastically received.

The songs by Misses Maxine Powell and Kathryn Sams, music seniors, were performed in a very creditable manner. The senior class is proud of them.

Other seniors participating in the concert were Howard George, Marjorie Howe, Mary L. Miller, Ollivene Saddoris, and Hollas Dindol.
The Old Refrain

This being a senior edition of our worthy publication, the subject of the editorial comment can safely revert to a time honored topic. The only excuse for this repeated comment is the fact that the offense to the school through the conduct of the student body is likewise repeated; the only reason to believe that some good may come from again mentioning the matter is that several students have shown genuine disgust with existing conditions.

Why is it that every Tuesday there is so much difficulty in calling the chapel assembly to order? Why is it that every speaker dreads to appear before the student body? Why is there such an uproar that the speaker who can be secured can no the heard by half the audience. Not because the program is bad; the offense exists before the program has been announced. Not because the subject is uninteresting; few ever have a chance to hear enough to know what the subject is. Not because the speaker or performer is not capable; no one can do justice to a subject under the conditions that exist. Obviously the correction of a situation, regardless of its nature, resolves on the student body, since the student body does not fulfill its share of responsibility in the securing of desirable conduct.

The fact that such conduct is an indication of bad breeding need not be repeated here. That such demonstratoins are an insult to the speakers seems to be irrelevant to the question at hand. Hence we can only mention the fact that such a condition is a disgrace to the school.

It is a mystery how those who pride themselves in their school spirit can tolerate an affront to the institutions honor within its very walls. It is more of a mystery how those who anticipate securing positions of responsibility can make up a group that will assume no responsibility for its own conduct.

Since this topic has so often been the subject of comment the Author has faint hopes that a few passing remarks will have a rectifying effect on an attitude so deeply inculcated in the general student body. —H. G.
Five Sister News

On Saturday evening, May 2nd, the Five Sisters Sorority held its annual "Mixer". As everyone probably knows, this dance is given for the pleasure of all the members of the fraternities and sororities on the campus. "The Blue Blowers", furnished music which was enjoyed by all.

A combined pledge service and formal initiation was held Tuesday evening, May 5th at Shatzel Hall. Initiation service was performed at which time Florence Smith received her final degree. The sorority is proud to announce their new pledges who are: Virginia Ullum and Monica Fay.

After the services were completed, a short business meeting was held. The sorority house, for which plans are very near completion, was the main topic of discussion.

Marion County Club

The Marion County club closed a year of many enjoyable events with a wiener roast. At six o'clock, May 5, about twenty five members of the club gathered in front of the Administration building from whence they went by auto to Sunset Park. Here a wiener roast and real picnic dinner was enjoyed while all enjoyed the beautiful scene along the Maumee river.

After all decided they could eat no more, not even for the pleasure derived from roasting the wiener, the evening was spent with games, stories and songs.

Thus a year of pleasant social contacts and the annual formal dance were performed.

Seven Sisters

The Seniors of the Seven Sisters Sorority are planning a farewell luncheon to be held during Senior week. Plans are also being made for next years Homecoming and the annual formal dance.

No, Ezra, that thar college feller isn’t crazy. He’s just overjoyed because he has finished practice teachin’.

Sandwiches -- Waffles
Salads

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Country Life

Well, our year is over now, and a very successful year, too. We wound up the season Wednesday night with a clever program contributed by the "Witter's Opera Company" starring such talent as Al Lynn Howard Goldner, Dave Conyers, Willard Ault and Red Witter's, (with apologies to the master of ceremonies). It was hilarious slapstick and we had a large time laughing at it.

The rain didn’t seem to dampen the spirits of the crowd of dancers, nor the flavor of the ‘dogs’ etc. served in the gym.

It has been a lot of fun, and we hope that Mr. Beattie will revive it next year and stand behind it as staunchly as he has this year.

—The Cabinet.

Chapel

The following numbers rendered by the Music department, May 5, furnished the basis for the delightful entertainment of student body and faculty.

Song—(a) April. My April, Milligan. (b) In Lilac Time, Willoughby—Ruby Nell Stover.

Piano Solo—Prelude by Scribe—Sidney Baron.

Songs—Still wie die Nacht, Bohm; In LuxembourGarden, Manning—Maxine Powell.

Piano solo—Summer Night, Grieg—Margorie Sams.

Songs—(a) Disperse of Ye Gallant Knights, Mandelsohn; (b) Owls and Ravens, Mendelsohn—Choral Society.

King’s English

A Chinaman had a toothache and phoned a dentist for an appointment.

"Two-thirty, all right?" asked the doctor.

"Yes," replied the Celestial. "Tooth hurtie, all right. What time I come?"

Woman’s World

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STATE COLLEGE RESTAURANT
Maumee Valley Trip

Wednesday afternoon, June 6th, at 3:00 p.m., approximately one hundred students distributed among nineteen cars, left Bowling Green for a trip through the historic Maumee Valley, under the direction of Prof. John Schwarz.

The “motro-cade” passed through the Village of Tontogany, by the home of General Custer, thence to the site of the Old Indian Mission, Turkey Foot Rock, Dudley’s Massacre and Fort Miami, the party coming to a halt at Fort Meigs, where refreshments and a fire warmed the damp spirits of the party. After the edibles had vanished, Prof. Schwarz gave the group a resume of the activities of the British, the Indians, and the Americans in the Old Northwest, which terminated in 1813 at Fort Meigs.

At 6:30 the group once more headed for Bowling Green, and arrived there a short time later—a bedraggled, mud-splattered group.

Burnett Hough, Marjorie E. Howe, Ralph R. Hummel, Mildred Immel, Clyde R. Krancmut, Alice M. Kille, Margaret Ann Luskey, Donald L. Lusk, Carl J. Mesnard, Freda Elizabeth Meyer, E. Gayle Miller, Mary L. Miller, Lorraine E. Mooney, Wm. Henry Meyers.


Potato chips! Umm! Someone surely was generous when he donated these “Tasty Taters” to the dorm.

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"Boners" is a thin little book fat with laughs, printed by the Viking press, in which have been collected odd bits of "knowledge" as spoken by school children or put in black on white in their examination papers. It is a relief, now and then to relax and laugh with those who called them.

Ali Baba means being away when the crime was committed.

Ambiguity means having two wives living at the same time.

An antidote is a funny story you have heard before.

A blizzard is the inside of a fowl.

A brazier is the kind of garment the Italians wore instead of having their houses heated by furnaces.

A grass widow is the wife of a vegetarian.

An epistle is the wife of an apostle.

A polygon is a dead parrot.

Shakespeare lived at Windsor with his merry wives.

The "Complete Angler" is another name for Euclid because he wrote all about angles.

In Christianity man can have only one wife. This is called Monotony.

The Great Flood was sent because of the large number of dirty people.

Gomorrah was Sodom’s wife.

Climate lasts all the time, but weather only a few days.

Toledo Blade, April 29