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THE NRA AND COLLEGES

The National Recovery Act and the administrative machinery set up under it were designed primarily to increase employment by means of shortening the hours of labor and thereby better distributing work to be done. A minimum wage clause was inserted in the law to insure an expansion of purchasing power. Increased costs were to be provided for by permitting employers to add these costs to the prices of commodities. The consumers were to be brought into the great national movement by causing them to pledge their support to those employers who agreed to the approved codes.

It has been estimated that more than two million extra men and women have been added to payrolls so far due to the movement. The number of these are students, no one knows; but it seems likely that a goodly number are among the newly employed. No one knows how many parents or brothers and sisters of college students are among the number, but here again there is the likelihood of a considerable number might well be. Ohio State University reports that the N. R. A. has aided the student body very materially in enrollment. However much discouragement may seem to attend the N. R. A. program, it must not be forgotten that a lot has already been accomplished and that the movement, because it is sound in thought, will never stop unless the Americans are willing to give up entirely and acknowledge their inability to solve their economic problems.

FACULTY WOMEN VISIT MUSEUM AT DEARBORN

On Saturday, September 30th, the Faculty Women's Club of Bowling Green State College visited the famous Ford Museum, old village, and attractive inn at Dearborn, Michigan.

About 20 members enjoyed the trip which was the first of the fall season. Dr. Florence Williamson is president of the club which meets once a month during the school year and often takes a trip to some nearby point of historical interest.

CONCERTS

All interested in music will be glad to hear that there will be a series of concerts at the museum in Toledo this fall. On Oct. 18, the first number, Marcel Dupre, the great French organist, will be offered. Concerts will also be given by the Cincinnati, Cleveland, and Minneapolis Symphony Orchestras, the Budapest String Quartet, and the String Trio with which Salzedo, the noted harpist, plays.

FRESHMEN RULES

The below Freshman Rules are submitted to the Bowling Green State College students and faculty in the spirit of wholesome fun, good will, and clean sportsmanship. They are as follows:

1. Freshmen men are not to appear on the campus without wearing their freshman caps. Freshman women are not to appear on the campus without wearing canvas gloves (commonly known as work gloves.) This rule can be abrogated only on Sundays and does not apply to classrooms.

2. Freshman (either sex) shall not wear any high school insignia.

3. Freshman shall always respond to any request for assistance by managers of varsity teams.

4. Freshman must occupy a cheering section designated for them at all outdoor intercollegiate athletic contests.

5. Any Freshman upon request by an upperclassman must be able to sing the chorus of the College song.

6. Freshman must at all times show proper respect to professors and upperclassmen.

It is pre-supposed that these rules will not only be duly enforced by the upperclassmen in a dignified manner, but all upperclassmen will so conduct themselves at all times as to merit the honor and respect of the entire student body.

These rules are submitted by the Seniors, Juniors, Sophomores, and the Bee Gee News and will go into effect at twelve o'clock Tuesday night.

October 3, 1933.

THE FRESHMAN AND HIS FIRST HOMECOMING

Freshmen! Homecoming is your best opportunity to learn more about your college's past to make new contacts, and to meet new friends.

All too often a college student becomes so engrossed in his college life that he loses all contact with the outside world. Such a person is due for a severe jolt upon graduation when he faces the most difficult social, and economic adjustment he must ever make in his life. In Homecoming he has the opportunity of lessening the difficulties of the post-college period by making acquaintances with the alumni, learning the problems being faced by them, and how he can best avoid or meet them. He can well do this, November 3-4, for Bowling Green Alumni is rapidly reaching the place where it represents many different walks of life.

By all means, get the spirit of Homecoming your first year. Start off with the dance on Friday evening. It is the big chance to get acquainted. You may meet people who are superintendents or principals in a school in which you may later apply for a position. Homecoming will be your first college opportunity to promote yourself, not by inflation nor by high pressure personality salesmanship. When a salesman begins his contact with a new customer his first task is to build up confidence in the customer toward himself and that which he represents. Too often people, when meeting new friends, conduct themselves in such a manner that every one at once begins to build up a defense attitude toward them.

Attend the football game Saturday afternoon. There you will first experience that mass college and alumni spirit. There is nothing equal to it. As the squad strives to make Bowling Green in the sport world, you will be inspired to use your talent to make Bowling Green popular in some other line of activity.

Homecoming will give you your first challenge. The old can not bear to yield to the young. You will hear it said, "When I was in school we did so and so, or this and that." The Good Old Days! Freshmen, take that challenge this Homecoming. Become active in one or more of the college organizations in order to make Bowling Green a better place than in "the good old days."

Telephone Operator: "Is this 1749?"
Negro maid: "Yassum."
Operator: "Is this Mrs. Smith's residence?"
Maid: "Yassum."
Operator: "Long distance from Washington."
Maid: "Heh! Heh! Yassum, hit sho is."
Last week marked the beginning of the Hockey and Soccer seasons for girls. There was a good turn-out for practice in both games. Fifty girls were coached in the fundamental skills of hockey by Mabel Grover, Monday and Wednesday. And Wednesday they had their first try at the game itself. Hockey players have been divided into three teams. The soccer players have been divided into two teams, one team made up of girls from town, the other of girls from the dormitories. Next week these teams will begin their regular schedule of games.

A girl's tennis tournament has been in progress since Oct. 6 and will last until Oct. 26. This tournament is conducted according to the ladder system. The names of the girls participating are arranged in order on a board placed near the Physical Education bulletin board. The object of the tournament is to reach first place in the ladder or list of names. One may move to a higher position on the ladder by challenging a girl whose name is farther up the ladder, beating her and exchanging places in the list. No girl, of course, may refuse a challenge. W. A. A. points are awarded for each game played, and further points will be awarded to the girls whose names are in the first five places on the ladder when the tournament ends.

Archery tournaments will be held at four o'clock each Tuesday and Thursday beginning this week.

The first address was delivered by President Nash in a short address. After the inaugural ceremonies, a reception was given to the delegates and their friends.

The affair was dignified, interesting and beautiful. The setting in the mammoth new college building added to the splendor of the occasion. Dr. Williams expressed the desire that social and professional relations between the two colleges would continue to be cordial and to increase.

The Freshmen will have an election of class officers at the end of the first six weeks. Decide on those you wish for candidates. The Freshmen Party will follow soon after organization.

Announcements

Oct. 21—Football at Ohio Northern
Oct. 24—Harp Recital by Salvi
Nov. 3—4—Homecoming

Statement

All students who are interested in working with the Emerson Literary Society or in visiting a meeting are welcome to the open meeting tonight at seven o'clock in room 103A. There will be election of officers, a program of current event talks, and parliamentary drill.

Hallowe'en Social

A Young People's Hallowe'en Social will be held at the Presbyterian church, Wednesday, October 30 at 8:00 P.M. A fine program of games is being prepared consisting of mixers, competition and singing games. All students are cordially invited to attend and join in the fun. Refreshments will be served.

The following is the tentative outline for the Homecoming program:

Friday, 8:00 P.M. Dance.
Saturday, 9:30 A.M. Registration in corridor of Library.
Saturday, 10:30 A.M. Alumni Rally, Room 101 Library (speaker not arranged as yet).
Saturday, 2:15 P.M. Football game.
Saturday, 7:30 P.M. Gold Mask Play (to be arranged)
Saturday, 10:00 P.M. Organization Parties.

Those interested in County Clubs meet in 103A, Wednesday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Something new this year.

Social Committee

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Boy: "Want me to tell you how ten men stood under an umbrella and not one of them got wet?"
Father: "How?"
Boy: "It wasn't raining."

"That musical young man's voice is remarkable for its volume isn't it?" remarked Mrs. Blykins.

"Volume," echoed her husband; "when he gets to telling you what he knows it's a whole library."

Betty Lamp in rolled gold.

Miss Sharpe introduced the new high school critic teacher who spoke to us. Each of the freshmen girls told us why she had come to our college. After a piano solo by Mrs. Sharpe, refreshments were served.
SEVEN SISTER NEWS

The year started off with a bang for the ambitious Sevens. The "bang" was in the form of a Gangster-Moll party given at the Sorority house, which, for one evening, became a notorious night club named "Fly-Mooche." Many well known gangsters were present with their latest molls, and "Floor Show", a huge success, was introduced by the hostess, Canadian Clara—know her? The evening had a tragic ending in the form of a murder—(whoa! 'twas only a game—and, students, beware—Miss Nelson proved very good in her roll of attorney.) We hope none of our guests felt any ill effects from the "bar", and that all had as good a time as we did.

SKOL SCROLLS

The Skol Sorority entertained with a tea, Monday, Oct. 9, at their house, for the pleasure of a group of new students in the college. Dr. Williamson poured tea at a table attractively decorated in the Skol colors. New friendships were made and old acquaintances resumed over the tea cups.

LAS AMIGAS

"What's that? A Studio Party! An artist was there to draw your portraits? I never heard of such a thing!" This all happened, yes, and more too, Tuesday evening, Oct. 10, at 302 E. Wooster street. It was our "Get Acquainted" party of the season.

DELHI DOINGS

The Delhi Fraternity held its traditional semi-annual smoker on Oct. 2. Fifty young men of the college enjoyed the games and entertainment offered by the host. As is the general practice, the boys entertained the dormitories, sororities, and President Williams' home, with serenades which have since been voiced as being both pleasing and welcome.

Delhi has pledged men to fill the place of those who were graduated last year. Three men, Robert Ruth, Merlin Howbert, and Carl Reynolds have taken the responsibility of satisfying the whiffs and fancies of the brothers so that they may at some future time fulfill the duties of members of the organization.

COMMONERS

The Commoners' Fraternity elected Ervin Hagedorn, President, and Howard Braithwaite, Secretary, for the ensuing year. Other officers holding over from last February are Arthur E. Wohlers, Vice-President; Paul Abke, Treasurer, and Wendell Stevens, Corresponding Secretary.

On Tuesday evening, Oct. 17, the fraternity gave the oath to four new pledges, Don Andres, Kenneth Doehring, Walter Panning and Harold Siebert.

Spectator: "I shall be very surprised if that referee doesn't get into hot water after the match."

Ardent Supporter: "Then you'll be surprised. 'E's goin' in the 'orse-trough."

QUILL TYPE DANCE

The Quill Type club sponsored the dance held on Saturday evening at the Men's Gym. The Ohioan's Orchestra again furnished the music. The attendance was not a hundred per cent, but good, considering our sorrows and served as a high ball to our defeated football warriors. For once the boys outnumbered the girls, but Steve did his best in rounding up the girls and sending them to the dance. Bravo! Steve. A plentiful supply of punch was on hand for those who became thirsty.

3-K NOTES

We're:
Planning for Homecoming—great fun.
Trying to study—oh, hum.
Working the pledges—golly, gee.
Having a good time—whoopee!

At least one of my predictions came true; the crowd going to the library has dwindled to about half its original size. It's trite to say it, but I told you so.

You might ask Alice Cleland of the value of riding home from town, only to have to walk back down in order to get what you forgot to get in your haste to ride home! What you don't have in you head you must have in your heels. No reflections on "Pepper"—that was good head work.

Given—1 campus, 866 students, 581 women, x unknown quantity.
Problem—Find the number of football players.
Teaching hint—It may help the pupils to know that most football players limp, walk with crutches, or are seen hurrying toward the gym every afternoon shortly before four o'clock. They put a lot of time into their practice, and deserve our support at the games.

Poet: "I deserve no remuneration for this poem. I merely submit it as a compliment."
Editor: "Then, my dear sir, allow me to return the compliment."

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BOWLING GREEN LOSSES TO BALDWIN WALLACE

The powerful and experienced “Yellow Jackets” of Baldwin-Wallace easily defeated Bowling Green at Berea Saturday. Scoring almost at will the “Yellow Jackets” plunged, passed and kicked for scores in every period. Despite numerous substitutions Baldwin-Wallace scored 15 points in the last period.

The score for Bowling Green came in the second quarter. A pass, that was intended for Shape, was caught by Weber who raced for a touchdown.

Ed Bahoric of Baldwin-Wallace was the “gun” of the game scoring four touchdowns himself. The work of Wentling for Bowling Green was good.

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LETTERS TO A FRIEND

Dear Friend:

From your list of questions, one would gather that you are a student of economics.

I think it wise to take up one question at a time. But this discussion will be barely a prologue to the real facts. First, I shall to the best of my knowledge, answer your question, “Is Man’s Supremacy an Asset or Liability?” (Oh, if I only were a Socrates or a Will Rogers.)

Every day thousands of reasons are given for the present economic situation, but very few are correct. Even mine is far from being correct but I’ll try to be honest.

Every man is out to do or out-do the other fellow, therefore, in a sense every man is an economic crook, according to human nature. One of the chief reasons why man is mired in this so-called world of overproduction is, his struggle for supremacy. He unknowingly has put himself into an eternal cycle, in which some men have greatness three parts, mainly, some men have greatness thrust upon them, others are born great, and still others must achieve greatness.

First, we have men striving for superiority who upon reaching a profitable living point do not stop. By their over-doing their work is no longer an utility. Second, we have inherited prosperity with no utility power whatsoever. Last, we have excess competitive enterprise and then comes the crash and the cycle is complete. We then find man back where he started from with his only consolation, hope. Supremacy of man would be an asset if his power were used in the right way, but when the big business man is schooled in greed, his “Open Sesame!” is a liability. Even so fame has yanked men from the plow and forge, but fame never reached over a picket fence and yanked a dude out of a hammock.

Yours truly till next week,

K. H. S.