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# THE XAVERIAN NEWS

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## GALA PROGRAM AWAITS HOME COMERS

### Letter Men to Initiate At Annual Banquet

#### S. A. T. C. GROUP TO MEET AT NEW HOTEL ALMS

#### Dance To Attract

Homecoming Day will find Alumni and former Students renewing old acquaintances and meeting classmates and team-mates of years gone by. Many a goal line will be re-crossed and many home runs be hit again that day when "good fellows get together."

Immediately following the game there will be an initiation of 60 letter men into the "X" Association. This is to be followed by a banquet at which the newly initiated are to be guests of the "X" Association. Joe King is chairman in charge of arrangements. This unusually large number of "X" men is only another indication of the high quality of the St. Xavier teams of the last few years.

William Knecht, Nicholas Brown, and Frank Gauche, are in charge of the letter men's banquet.

The initiation group is headed by Tom Gallagher, Elmer Conway, Mike Hellenthal, Lee DuBois, Dr. Ancel Minor, George Normile, Thomas Hart, "Yobby" Cushing, and Herb Davis.

Joe King, president of the Association is general chairman.

#### Vets To Eat

William T. Shine, chairman of the S. A. T. C., reunion committee in charge of arrangements for the organization banquet to be held 6:30 p. m. Saturday at the New Hotel Alms has announced that Anthony B. Dunlap, '90, will be the principal speaker.

About 100 veterans are expected to attend the dinner.

#### Homecoming Dance

And finally what cream meringue is to the lamon pie the "Homecoming" (Continued on page 4)

### XAVIER REPRESENTED AT PROVINCE MEETING

Rev. Hubert P. Brockman, S. J., president of St. Xavier, Rev. George B. Kister, S. J., regent of the Law, Commerce and Extension Departments, and Rev. John F. Neenan, S. J., superior of the Milford novitiate attended a meeting of presidents of colleges and officials of Jesuit institutions in the Missouri Province, held at Loyola University, Chicago, last week.

## MASQUE PLAY CAST PRODUCES CLASSIC FRIDAY

### PRESIDENT'S WELCOME



President Brockman

Dear Alumni, former Students and Friends of St. Xavier College:

The College once more welcomes back to the campus its students of former days, its host of loyal friends and followers. A cordial reception awaits you all on Homecoming Day, Saturday, November 21st. Your presence will be an honor to Alma Mater and a blessing to yourselves. We are proud of you, whose lives are so signal a benefit to our city, our nation and the Church.

This contact with Alma Mater will renew the memory of the blessed training she gave you and set you about your life-tasks with a newer and sharper zest for what is good and great. In these days of shifting educational programs and uncertain or forgotten standards of faith and morality and even the rejection of the principal that religion must be coupled with education, you will feel once again your present superior power which is the fruit of the training of the intellect united with the religious training of the heart, acquired at old St. Xavier.

This Homecoming witnesses an unusual increase in registration and a congestion of students in the halls of the College. It has been necessary to provide class-room space in the Library building now rising on the east side of the Parkway. Elet Hall is practically filled. By next September adequate class-room and dormitory quarters will be wanting. It has been the routine of the past five

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### Home Coming Week Activities

THURSDAY, NOV. 18, 7:30 p. m.—Annual election of officers of the St. Xavier College Alumni Association in Recreation Hall on the campus.  
8 p. m.—Bonfire Pep Rally, Corcoran Field.

FRIDAY, NOV. 20—Masquers' evening performance of "The Merchant of Venice," the Homecoming Play at the Odeon Auditorium, College of Music, Elm street.

SATURDAY, NOV. 21—Homecoming Day.  
Morning—Greeting and welcome of alumni back to the campus.  
Noon—Reunion luncheon in Elet dining hall.  
12:45 p. m.—Inspection of college campus.  
2 p. m.—Ohio Wesleyan at Corcoran Field.  
6 p. m.—Varsity "X" Association initiation and banquet in Recreation Hall, first floor. Election of officers.  
6:15 p. m.—Annual reunion banquet of Students' Army Training Corps "Militaires," at new Hotel Alms.  
9 p. m.—Homecoming Dance, new Hotel Alms, Walnut Hills. Fostered by the Homecoming Committee including the Varsity "X" Association and the S. A. T. C.

### Alumni Association Election to be Held in Library Thursday Evening

The annual election of officers for the St. Xavier Alumni Association will be held at 7:30 p. m. Thursday in the library on the campus.

Alfred T. Geisler, '08, present head of the graduate body, will preside. Nomination committees have selected the following tickets:

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### WILLIAMS HEADS LOCAL C. S. M. C. CONFERENCE

John Williams, a sophomore in the Liberal Arts Department of the College was elected President of the Greater Cincinnati Local Conference of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade.

### AQUINAS VISITOR

Rev. C. L. Davis, O. P., a professor in Aquinas High School, Columbus, Ohio, visited Rev. Edward J. Morgan, S. J., at Hinkle Hall last week.

### Shakespearian Play To Be Presented

MATINEE FOR HIGH  
SCHOOLS TO BE GIVEN  
TODAY

#### Actors Show Talent

The Masque Societies production of Shakespeare's Merchant of Venice, will be given its first performance this afternoon in the Memorial Hall at the High School building. This matinee is given exclusively for High School students of the city. Friday evening, the classic will again be presented at the Odeon Theatre, on Elm street, near Music Hall. Curtain will be at 8:15.

The production promises to be one of the finest in college theatricals. Two weeks of the months which the play was rehearsed were devoted solely to the eliminating of those faults which stamp non-professional shows as "amateurish". Much time has been devoted in perfecting the smaller details so as to insure the play against being a mere recitation of Shakespeares lines, with scenic background, but an intelligent interpretation of perhaps the most perfect comedy ever written. Rev. John F. Walsh, who is directing the play for the Masque Society has secured some of the best histrionic talent in greater St. Xavier for the production.

Music which is an integral part of the Belasco version of Merchant of Venice which is being used by the Masquers. Eugene Perazzo '27, musical director, will use the lighting (Continued on page 4)

### Xavier Debates Child Labor With St. Viator

Members of the St. Xavier debating team, which is scheduled to meet St. Viator's team sometime in February, will uphold the negative of the subject, Resolved, "That the Child Labor Amendment to the Constitution should be ratified." Rev. Daniel M. O'Connell S. J., Dean, has announced.

The local team will be named after tryouts of interested members of the Philopedian Society. These will be held November 30.

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### MEANS

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## HOMECOMING DAY

Homecoming Day this week will find the campus in festive mood. Alumni and former students, all St. Xavier men will return to the campus for the Ohio Wesleyan game, for reunion banquets and for mingling with present undergraduates. Homecoming Day is near, with all its glamour and joy and glad handclasp and good feeling and mutual wishing each other well. There will be decoration and demonstration and intense excitement on the part of all. Homecoming, coming at a convenient time following the intrasemester tests will find us suddenly jolted by the realization that class attendance and class preparation are not the sole purposes of college life, nor its full benefit, nor its complete enjoyment.

We all desire to show the old grads a good time. We will try to make their visit a pleasant remembrance. The campus will be turned over to the homecomers; plans and arrangements to make the week-end a real reunion have been completed.

Homecoming makes us feel, seniors especially, that it will not be very long when we too will be returning at the annual fall reunion. During homecoming time we shall experience an all pervading something greater than is explainable in mere words. The returning St. Xavier men will also experience a feeling that they are welcome back with open arms, and that warm handclasp await them on all sides.

Welcome back, homecomers — St. Xavier greets you. The undergraduates body is at your beckon to make your stay more pleasurable.

## FIGHT

It often happens in football, that a team will, in the first half of a game, obtain a comfortable lead and then, confident of victory, sit back and take things easy in the final half. Such a condition is, needless to say, usually disastrous and coaches are constantly on the lookout to prevent

their men from falling into such habits. But a team that can come back in the final part, regardless of the outcome of the first two periods, and fight just as fiercely in the face of an overwhelming victory as in that of a crushing defeat, is, in the eyes of a coach, all that can be desired in a football squad. Such a team we have this year.

Game after game, with the score in our favor and facing no imminent danger of defeat, our men have dashed forth on the field in that second half and swept the enemy off their feet by the fury of their attack. This unusual show of strength and of real fighting, always a characteristic of Xavier's teams, has excited the admiration and favorable comment of spectators and of local followers of the game. Our record of no defeats and of being scored on but once stands as a monument to that old "fighting spirit" of this year's squad, and as a reflection of the fighting qualities of our teams of yesteryear. Let's trim Wesleyan and scalp the Indians and give future teams an enviable mark to shoot at.

## PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

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years that when any new facility was provided, e. g. the Alumni Hall the Recreational Building and so on, it was used to its capacity almost at once.

The Liberal Arts College has received high commendation in educational quarters for its consistent adherence to classical education. The department of Education is graduating a larger number of degree and normal teachers, lay and religious, to meet the needs in the archdiocesan educational program. The Law School and its distinguished body of professors are honored in the splendid examinations of their students before the State Bar. The School of Commerce is providing a larger curriculum of studies and rendering a wider service to the community. The Alumni Association by its lecture program and promotional activities is enjoying its usual vigorous life. The Athletic Council is doing its galant share for the honor of the College, as is evident to all. The Xavier Foundation has rounded out another year of unexampled service for the College and the students. All these and other achievements will present themselves to you for this Homecoming.

This is an advance gratifying to old students and friends and benefactors of St. Xavier. But it is also a call to the Xavier spirit to relieve the acute condition of limited facilities and lack of funds, if Alma Mater is to meet the demands made on her by the needs of Church and State for a sufficient body of trained men and trained leaders.

At the same time St. Xavier looks forward with utter confidence in her cause to greater accomplishment.

And never more so than at this Homecoming when she will see more effective loyalty in the old students and the friends who will foregather for the annual fraternizing and renewal of devotion to her, our common Mother.

Faithfully yours,

Hubert F. Brockman,  
President

# Literary Contributions

## A Trip to Europe

By John Tangeman

On Thursday morning, July '16, after the final necessary details of departure had been attended to our band of two hundred pilgrims, forty of whom were from the vicinity of Cincinnati, boarded the Red Star liner, "Pittsburgh," docked at pier 62. Those so fortunate as to be free from the necessity of making a last flying call at the office of Thos. Cook and Son had boarded the ship early, and stood along the rail watching others arrive. All was hurry and confusion. The pier was crowded to the water's edge with people eager to bid their friends and relatives, "bon voyage." The decks and companion ways were encumbered with trunks and valises; and passengers attempting to receive early attention in the matter of procuring deck chairs and blankets.

Finally at precisely eleven o'clock, I was apprised of this by a fellow passenger who, taking his watch from his pocket, loudly remarked, "Eleven to the dot"—with a shrill blast of the whistle, the ropes were cast off, and the first lap of the pilgrimage had begun. It was drizzling, but no one in his excitement paid any heed to the rain.

The sea, except on the second day, was exceptionally calm and serene. On this particular day a slight storm arose. To promenade was to run a great risk. One experienced a peculiar sensation when, one moment, the ship pointed its prow directly at the overhanging clouds, and the next moment attempted to harpoon a great monster of the deep. Under these circumstances, the man who can forestall sea sickness, while most or all of his fellows are in its clutches, forms quite an exalted opinion of himself.

One must in a great measure provide his own amusement on board ship, but there are various indoor and outdoor games, the library, reading room, and lounge to lend assistance. Mass was celebrated every day, and in the evening the pilgrims ascended to the boat deck, where hymns were sung to the Blessed Virgin.

After a pleasant, diverting, and restful voyage of eight days, we dropped anchor at Plymouth, a quaint, drowsy, fishing town on the southeastern coast of England. Late the same evening we crossed the English Channel to Cherbourg, France. Here we were hurried by excited porters into the French customs house. A cursory and faulty baggage examination finished, we went out to the Paris train, which stood but a little distance away. As the train departed we obtained a glimpse of Cherbourg—its queer, two-storied, red tile roofed houses, not old, but unmistakably foreign, its unpretentious customs building, the quay and harbor in the distance—this was all that comprised the little seaport of Cherbourg. We finally realized that we were rapidly approaching the town of Lisieux, the birthplace and home of Soeur Therese, the Little Flower of Jesus.

To Be Continued

## CONTRAST

One was a chap exceeding wise  
Who often did extemporize  
On subjects most profound and great  
In manner learned and sedate;  
He spoke of ethics, evolution,  
Logic, law, the Constitution,  
Science, language, each in turn,  
He had capacity to burn.

The other lad was terribly dull,  
In fact his head was just a hull,  
But quietly he took the boy  
Whose learning was a lasting joy.  
He showed him leaves of mingling  
hues,  
And heavens, holding a thousand  
blues,  
He took the Sun in twilight sky,  
And pointing, asked the Scholar,  
"WHY?"

OZYMANDIAS.

## REVERIE

At eve with the day declining,  
And coquettish evening breeze,  
Their green lap and the moon reclining  
Those caressing china-trees.  
I spy as of old, white and gentle,  
A hand by the lattice vine,  
Hollyhock and four-leaved clover,  
Whose fingers deft entwine.

Subdued those old bells are ringing  
Their shadow and then sunshine,  
Like sounds in the lone, late warbling  
That come from the water-line.  
And the scents of the pale, white  
blossom,  
From the dreamy apple tree,  
Or the pearl from the moonlit, windows,  
Reflect weird light to me.

And the drapery of yawning shadows,  
Those crapes of the day's decline,  
Must hushen then the nestling's  
clamor,  
In the top of the rocking pine.  
But to me in this witch-light grander,  
Grander at evening time,  
Falls a sad and a deeper shadow,  
To banish my vision sublime.  
Don Bernardo, '28.

## ARMISTICE DAY TALK GIVEN BY FATHER NOLAN

Armistice Day services were held in Elet Hall Chapel Thursday, Rev. Thomas J. Nolan, S. J., spoke at the services. Because of a half holiday on Armistice Day the services were transferred to Thursday.

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# HERE ARE WORDS OF NEW MUSKETEER SONG

A new Musketeer song to be sung at St. Xavier College athletic events has been written. The words were composed by Rev. Francis J. Finn, S. J., trustee of St. Xavier, and Miss Florence Moran, secretary of St. Xavier Parish School, who has been interested in the college. Miss Moran has written the words for several songs now on the market. The music is by John C. Pernica.

The words and tune of the song are in keeping with the Musketeer spirit.

## THE XAVIER MUSKETEERS

The Musketeers of storied fame  
By loyalty achieved success.  
Today our Musketeers  
Strive hard to be their peers.  
May Vic'try their efforts bless.  
The blue and white a-crashing by,  
Set our pennant hopes on high.  
Our foes they'll put to rout,  
All Xavier will turn out  
For the gallant Musketeers.

## CHORUS

Three rousing cheers  
For the Musketeers,  
"All for one and one for all."  
For they have the Xavier spirit  
Ever ready at her call.  
For the blue and white  
They will fight, fight, fight—  
So back them with your cheers.  
Give a rah! rah! rah!  
And a Tiger, ah! (shout "RAH")  
For the Xavier Musketeers.

O Musketeers, your welcome waits  
On grid and campus, track and field.  
'Tis yours to set the pace,  
May it prove a winning race  
For the teams that never yield.  
The white and blue a-rushing thru  
Fill the foe's heart with fears.  
As we cheer our boys along  
All our voices raised in song  
For the Xavier Musketeers.

# Ohio Sub-Province Head to Start Work Shortly

## FATHER O'CALLAGHAN HAS HAD VARIED EDUCATIONAL EXPERIENCE



Very Rev. J. J. O'Callaghan

Very Rev. J. J. O'Callaghan, S. J., new head of the society of Jesus Vice-Province, will take up his headquarters at St. Xavier College, shortly.

Father O'Callaghan will administer business affairs of the Ohio district as the new vice-province has been designated.

It was stated that the Vice-Province of Ohio does not mean for the present an entire separation from the Missouri Province, but a partial and experimental division of jurisdiction which if successful will eventuate in the creation of a new and separate province of Ohio.

The headquarters of the Vice-Province of Ohio will be at St. Xavier College.

Very Rev. O'Callaghan was born in Pittsburgh, March 24, 1873. He studied at St. Xavier College, Cincinnati and was a member of the class of 1892. He was instructor in the classics at Marquette College, Milwaukee, from 1899 to 1901, and at St. Mary's College, St. Mary's, Kansas, from 1901-04. He made his theological studies in St. Louis University and at Cleveland during the next five years, after which he returned to Marquette as Professor of Classics, from 1909 to 1914. From 1914 to 1917 he was on the faculty of Loyola Academy, Chicago, and was headmaster there from 1917 to 1922. The following year he was appointed to the position of Dean of the College of Liberal Arts of Loyola University, Chicago.

From 1923 to 1924 he served as head of the Latin Department at St. Xavier College. He became president of St. John's University, Toledo.

Mary had a Thomas Cat,  
It warrbled like Caruso,  
The neighbors swung a baseball bat  
And now it doesn't do so.

### Question Box

Dear Editor: How many times a year does the Annual come out?—Hugh Wynn, '29.

# HERE'S ROSTER OF GRID SQUAD FOR THIS SEASON

George Reynolds (Capt.)	Cincinnati	Quarterback
Bob King	Whitestown, Indiana	End
Jock Reardon	Cincinnati	End
Paul Gosiger	Newport, Ky.	End
Tom Bunker	Cincinnati	End
Charles O'Grady	Cincinnati	End
Jake Weiner	Arlington Heights, Ohio	End
Gordon Nead	Norwood, Ohio	End
Andy McGrath	Cincinnati	End
Otto Wenzel	Middletown, Ohio	Tackle
Carl Steinbicker	Cincinnati	Tackle
Bernny Griffin	Cincinnati	Tackle
Al Hess	Now Albany, Indiana	Tackle
Herb Janszen	Cincinnati	Tackle
Gene Donovan	Urbana, Ohio	Tackle
Dan Tehan	Cincinnati	Tackle
Mark Schmidt	Reading, Ohio	Guard
Mike Queenan	Cincinnati	Guard
Joe Farrell	Akron, Ohio	Guard
Frank Manley	Sloan City, Ia.	Guard
Lou Boeh	Newport, Ky.	Guard
Clarence Specht	Columbus, Ohio	Guard
Jack O'Leary	Newport, Ky.	Guard
Herb Rapp	Hamilton, Ohio	Center
Hal Welge	Cincinnati	Center
Joe Buerger	Reading, Ohio	Tackle
Lou Kearns	Cincinnati	Center
Dick Bray	Cincinnati	Quarterback
Tommy Clinco	Louisville, Ky.	Quarterback
Eddie Dawson	Norwood, Ohio	Halfback
Paul Beatty	Middletown, Ohio	Halfback
Walter Ferguson	Covington, Ky.	Halfback
Eddie Burns	Columbus, Ohio	Halfback
Matt Allgeier	Louisville, Ky.	Halfback
Vince Presto	Barberton, Ohio	Halfback
Joe Meehan	Ironton, Ohio	Halfback
John Williams	Cincinnati	Fullback
Joe Kelly	Cincinnati	Fullback
Mark Scheibert	Middletown, Ohio	Fullback

### Alumni Should Subscribe for the News

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### CLASSIC AT ODEON FRIDAY NIGHT

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melodie's, from Ethelbert's Nevins Suite, "A Day In Venice" for the incidental music played by violin, cello and organ. The St. Xavier High School Orchestra will provide the music between the acts.

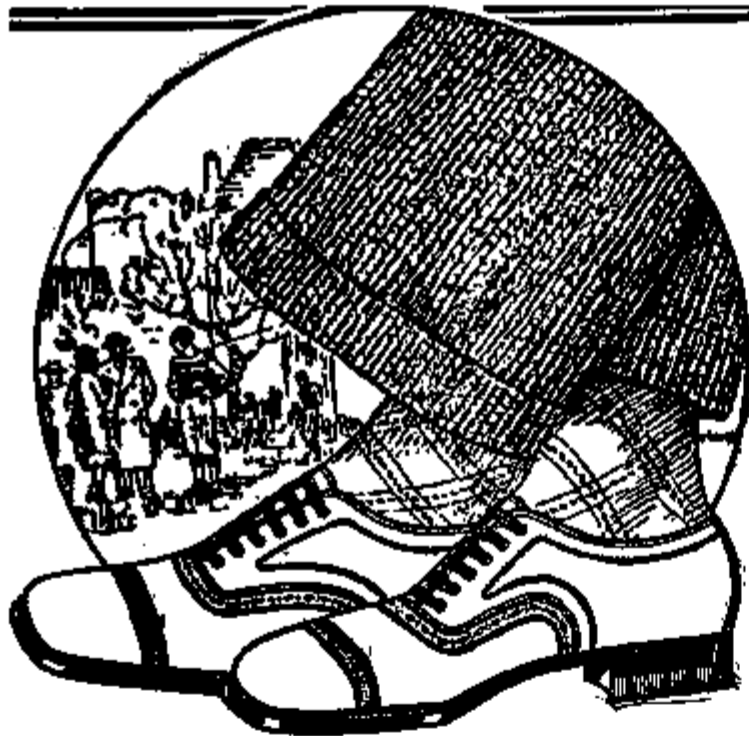
Scenically the "Merchant of Venice" will be the most pretentious effort of the Masque Society. Complete new scenic and lighting embellishments for the five acts were designed by Frank B. Koester '28, and built under the direction of George E. Fern, '27. The unusually

elaborate lighting will require the use of a special switchboard.

To facilitate the changing of the massive scenery the stage crew composed of John Lampe, '28, Assistant Stage Manager; Austin Welsh, '28 Master Electrician; Charles Wheeler, '28 Property Custodian; Gregory Holbrook, '28 and James E. Quill, '28 will be augmented by professional stage hands and electricians.

When I was a boy it was a great joy  
For me to go down to the river,  
But now that I'm old and subject to  
cold

I can't on account of my liver.  
—Memoirs of a Musketeer.



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# VARSITY GRID TEAMS MERIT GRATITUDE, ALUMNUS CITES

## Father Fox Holds Colleges Gain by Sport Activities

### "ENCOURAGE FOOTBALL MEN TO MAKE GOOD" HE URGES

Rev. Albert C. Fox, S. J., president of Marquette University and an alumnus of St. Xavier, in an interview with Lawrence Perry, nationally known sport writer, asserts that an educational institution owes a debt to the student football player who is taking his "hard knocks" literally during the gridiron season. Father Fox is in favor of giving every encouragement to the athlete who is bringing honor to his Alma Mater along with the little personal prestige his activities may carry.

The university, he believes, does owe something to the athlete and he sees that the debt is paid. He does it in this way: He does not let the athlete drift.

He realizes that a football player when the season is on is a pretty tired and lack-luster youth after two hours on the football field. It comes pretty hard to settle down to study or in fact to settle down to anything requiring mental or physical effort.

And so when it becomes apparent that he is slighting his scholastic work, the dean of his department is obligated to see that the athlete re-establishes himself scholastically. He will be tutored if necessary or assisted in some other effective way.

If then the student fails to respond, he is taken from the football squad and dropped from the university.

"It does no good in the first instance," said Father Fox today, "to take him out of football. He will only mope and sink in his studies, whereas under the other method he is inspired, encouraged and helped.

"Does athletic success affect the curve of student enrollment? I don't think so. We certainly don't look for it in that direction. Our growth has been consistent in the past 10 years and our facilities for education as broadcast by alumni and students are the prime factors."

As to colleges whose teams do not meet with recognized standards of eligibility Father Fox said that the curve was ruthless obstructionism. "The medical, legal and other professions are kept clean in this way and college sport can be similarly cleansed when colleges with ideals insist upon similar ideals among sister institutions instead of condoning their evil practices as they now do by meeting them on the field of play."

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## NIGHT PEP RALLY BOOKED FOR THURSDAY

A night pep rally in Carcoran stadium will be held on Thursday for the Ohio Wesleyan game, Saturday. The Student Council is sponsoring the meeting. Alumni and student speakers will make brief addresses. Coaches Meyer and Noppenberger are slated to tell the importance of defeating Wesleyan. The session will start at 8 p. m.

A certain party of Elet Hall brags of having received four rings over the week-end, one from his girl, one from the phone and two under his eyes.

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## Ferguson Leads Musketeers in Total Scoring Honors

Player	T	PT	T	Bray, QB	0	1	1
Ferguson, RH	7	0	42	Total	18	11	119
Allgeier, RH	5	0	30	St. Xavier scored safeties against Transylvania and Kentucky Wesleyan, bringing the season's total to 123 points. One team, Wittenberg, scored 7 points on Xavier as the result of a touchdown and goal kick by Bradley.			
Beatty, LH	2	0	12				
King, E	2	0	12				
Reynolds, QB	1	0	6				
Burns, LH	1	0	6				
Kelly, FB	0	8	8				
Wenzel, LT	0	2	2				

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# HIGH SCHOOL ELEVEN IN TITULAR GAME NEXT

## Elder Game Listed As Important Clash

When our blue and white gridiron performers enter into the battle with Elder on November 20, all high school students without a single exception should be on hand to see the dirt fly. Each team is keyed up to a high pitch, for the game will decide the Catholic high school championship of Cincinnati.

We do not forget that basket ball defeat which Elder administered last spring. We want overwhelming revenge. Attend the big pep meeting and rally before the game. Sweep the team on to victory with your rousing cheers.

## "WINNING AN HEIRESS" WILL BE MIRTHFUL COMEDY

No one has succeeded in learning who the heiress is. Don't forget to be on deck for the mirthful production. No, there will be no charges. Everyone will be admitted free of charge.

Daniel Tobin's cartoon of the cast playing in "The Heiress" has created some excitement. We have heard much comment on Dan's ability as an artist.

## DEBATING UNDER WAY

Each year now boasts of a debating team. The moderator of the first year debating society is Mr. Moore; of second year, Mr. Reardon; of third year, Mr. Doerger, and of fourth year, Mr. Roth.

The purpose in establishing these societies was to encourage public speaking and also provide opportunities for debates with neighboring teams.

Enrollment is wholly voluntary. So come on all of you prospective lawyers and Ford salesmen and receive a free larynx training which will not be any too strenuous and will undoubtedly prove a blessing to you in later careers.—Jack Brennan, '28.

## BE SQUARE ATTRACTS

A request recently came from a teacher in St. Mary's College, Kansas, for a copy of the first "B" class paper, "Be Square."

First "B" class motto: "Be Square!" That is the motto of first high "B".

It is an appeal to all that is best and finest in a student—an appeal to his sense of justice, his sporting spirit, his loyalty to his whole self. Squareness means fair play, a virtue which old St. Xavier tries to instill into our hearts and minds. A motto such as "Be Square" can be nothing but an inspiration, which, while it encourages, warns and directs us to right.—Harry Landenwitsch.

## WATCH FOR WINNER

Watch for the result of the essay contest in next week's issue. If you are the winner, your name will be in print. A book, autographed by its author, will be the prize.

## IT'S TABOO WITH THE DEVIL

Editorial

The sodalities, sponsored by St. Xaviers and other educational institutions, conducted by the Jesuits are considered as requisite and essential to a student's training, as a course in Latin, a position on the team or a weekly shriving. Membership in such a society should be as eagerly sought for as a position on the first team, a member of Father Welland's recently established Latin fraternity, or the acquisition of a letter for distinguished playing. Those who have already become Sodalists have done so with the desire to do something out of the ordinary for the Blessed Virgin, and it was for this very reason that the Sodality was established.

Quite a few have the notion that coming to meetings means singing out prayers, and afterwards listening to a sermon; it is just the contrary, however. The recitation of the office is far from being a mere waste of time, for this same recitation obtains aid in studies. The brief addresses given by Father Leahy, are very beneficial and interesting and never develop into any of those lengthy, boring sermons which newcomers expect.

The entire meeting very rarely lasts more than fifteen minutes, and everyone of you can give such an insignificant portion of the day to the One who gives life.

The enrollment of the Sodality is far below that of previous years. So come on, all non-members, and hand your John Hancock to Father Leahy; this should be done immediately for on the eighth of December all the members will be initiated who have not already made their act of consecration. Many dignitaries will be present at the Mass on that morning.—Jack Brennan, '28

## MIDGETS AND JUNIORS WIN

The undefeated Midgets emerged victorious, 20 to 6, from a slow game with the Winton Place Wildcats. Nolan, Ryan, Anderson, Anton, Thornberry and Ludwig starred.

In the junior game, the Evanston aggregation became discouraged at the end of the first half, and thereby forfeited the game. Xavier had already made two touchdowns on Simone's lightning end runs. Koch showed himself a ready punter; Brogan and Kemme starred in the defense.—Jack Brennan, '28.

## Consul Latin Club Organized By Sophs

A second year Latin club has been organized during the past week under the direction of Mr. Wuellner for all prospective Cicero and Hortensii. This club has been christened "The Consuls." Membership in the club is open only to members of second high classes who have attained a mark of ninety per cent or more in the quarterly examinations. It is the most unique and most aristocratic organization in the high school.

The purpose of the club is threefold: first, to provide an opportunity for the class leaders of various classes to pit their wits against each other, and test their relative merits; second, to develop in those more successful pupils a deeper appreciation of Latin, and a keener knowledge of Latin intricacies, and Roman habits and customs. This program will accord very well with the regular Caesar classes.

Among the many plans laid before the Consuls for their immediate improvement are a flash card system for Latin vocabulary, a reference set of cards for help in Latin grammar and parsing. A set of pictures of famous Romans and their deeds is being purchased. A Latin paper is to be published by the members in which will appear original Latin compositions and Latin comics, just as in the days of old Caesar himself. Perhaps there will be extension work in translation, and surely some attempt will be made "loqui Latine per tempus scholae."

Then, too, we are going to see whether Caesar really was as great a general as folks say he is. To that end, we will study his ability as a general, and lest we should become lopsided in reading of his Gallic wars, we will try to appreciate the greater Caesar, the consummate statesman of all ages.

Membership in the club will count toward the Activity Cup. The club is to meet once a week. Ideas for the improvement of the club will be gratefully received. If one of the Consuls should develop into a Livy or Virgil, we should not be very much surprised. Long life to the purple-togged consuls!

—Daniel Tobin, '28

Freshman: "Do you know trees are green?"

Senior: "So are Freshmen."

## CALENDAR

Nov. 18—Matinee performance of "The Merchant of Venice."

Nov. 20—Elder game at Coreoran Field.

Nov. 23—Consuls meet. Close of Thanksgiving essay contest. "Merchant of Venice" at the Odeon. High school orchestra will furnish music.

Nov. 24—Consuls meet.

Nov. 25—"Winning an Heiress." First appearance of dance orchestra. Winner of Thanksgiving essay contest will be announced.

Dec. 2—Finals in vocabulary test for second year Latin championship.

## Class Officers Arrange Activity Point Scale

At a meeting of all class officers in the library on November 13, the scoring system for the award of the Activity Cup was determined upon. The scores will be kept by members of various organizations who will be appointed for the purpose. Copies of the scoring system are to be given to all class officers. The scores will be published on the bulletin board, and if space permits, in the Xaverian News every two weeks.

Averages above 97: 15 points. First honors 10; second honors 5. A condition in any branch, 2 demerits. The class in each year with the highest class average, 5 points. Membership in any organization, 2 points. (These organizations are debating societies, dramatic society, orchestra, sodality, acolythical, Consuls, athletic teams representing the high school.) Keeping 5-cent minimum in mission collection, 5 points for the class. All articles accepted by the Xaverian News, 2 points. Winning various general prizes and championships, 15 points. Tardiness, 2 demerits. Late for Mass, 4 demerits. Selling tickets for high school play (to be determined later). Any student who joins any organization, and then withdraws, will have two points removed from his class score. His score for attendance at the meeting of that organization while he was a member will be valid.

## Dance Orchestra To Play For School Shows

The long talked of dance orchestra has at last become a reality. The purpose of this orchestra is to furnish light music for high school plays. The personnel includes Donohue and Wieland, trumpets; Schmidt, clarinet; Matre, saxophone; Hartman, tuba; drums and traps, Meiners; piano accompaniment, Franklin Beas.

A tenor banjo, and another saxophone are still needed. Will any one who can play either one or the other instrument kindly report to Mr. Wuellner.—Ed. Wieland, '28

## Aquinas Humbles High School Eleven

Fumbles on the part of our backfield spoiled what would have otherwise been a closely contested game. The backs were so accustomed to holding a wet, slippery ball tucked under their arms for the last few weeks that a dry ball on Saturday seemed unnatural to them, and somehow or other slipped from their grasp. Three of these fumbles, one behind our own goal line, and two on our twenty-yard line, together with fullback Stratsbery's line plunging accounted for the Columbus team's touchdowns. Stratsbery, who weighs 235 pounds, was the star of the game. He was just a bit too heavy for our boys to bring to the ground. Imagine Jimmy Phelan trying to tackle this fellow, whose legs were so big and heavy, that Mairose claimed he could not get his arms around them.

In the second half, after the backs had gotten over the fumbling habit, our team played a fine game.

Aquinas nearly had another touchdown toward the end of the game, when one of our passes was intercepted in midfield and no one seemed to be around to stop the Aquinas player, but Carl Mesh, after a beautiful run, caught up to him and brought him down on the three yard line by a flying tackle. Our line held and Murphy booted the ball from behind the goal line. Aquinas then tried for the field goal and made it from the thirty yard line.

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# ST. XAVIER DETERMINED TO STOP WESLEYAN

## Musketeers Prepared For Tilt Saturday

### "FIGHTING BISHOPS" ARE RENOWNED FOR GREAT PROWESS

By Joe Farrell

The stage is set, the actors ready, and the play will soon be on. The stage in this case is Corcoran Field, and the actors are the football squads of Ohio Wesleyan University, and St. Xavier College. The Musketeers' supreme test of the season is at hand, and for two weeks Coach Joe Meyer has been busy perfecting a defense for the running attack of the Battling Bishops. The eyes of all the teams in the Ohio Conference will be focused on this game for upon it hinges the title of the Conference. A record crowd is expected to be present for the occasion as it is Xavier's Homecoming, and all the old grads will be back to cheer the team on to its first conference title.

The Delaware Bishops have the strongest team in years, and are coming to Cincinnati with the determination of adding Xavier to their already long string of victories. Their most notable achievement this year was a 3-3 tie with Syracuse University on the latter's field. Wesleyan has lost only one game in the last two years, that to Ohio University in the last game of the 1924 season. The Musketeers are ambitious to end the Bishops schedule with the same flourish as did Ohio last year, when "Gravy" Wise upset all dope by intercepting a Wesleyan heave and

running 60 yards for the only touch-down of the game.

The team came through the Akron game with all hands in good shape, and have snapped into the work for the Wesleyan game with a vim that speaks well for their chance of victory. Joe Kelly, and George Reynolds, have both recovered from their afflictions, and are impatient for the starters whistle on Saturday. The game marks the final Ohio Conference appearance of six faithful Musketeers, Captain George Reynolds, quarterback; Jim Boyle, and Jake Weiner, ends; Mike Queenan, and Joe Farrell, guards; and Hal Welge, center. Wesleyan will feel their might before the game is over.

Coach Meyer's sophomore backs, Mark Scheibert, Eddie Burns, and "Ossie" Presto, who made such a fine showing against Akron will undoubtedly have a chance to show their wares against the Bishops. The remainder of the lineup will probably be the same, with Reynolds at his post as field general and Joe Kelly back at full. St. Xavier's All-Ohio candidates, Fude Beatty and Hub Rapp, may be depended upon to strut their stuff for the edification of the visitors.

## Ohio Conference Standing

	W.	L.	T.	Pct.
Ohio Wesleyan	5	0	0	1.000
Oberlin	5	0	1	1.000
St. Xavier	4	0	1	1.000
Kenton	4	1	0	.800
Wooster	4	1	0	.800
Hulkeia-Wallice	4	2	0	.625
Muskingum	3	2	0	.600
Willoughby	3	3	1	.500
Cincinnati	2	2	0	.500
Miami	2	2	0	.500
Denison	3	3	0	.500
Mt. Union	2	2	0	.500
Ohio University	2	2	0	.500
Western Reserve	2	4	2	.333
Care	2	4	2	.333
Heidelberg	2	4	0	.333
Ohio Northern	1	4	1	.250
Akron	1	6	0	.167
Hiram	0	4	2	.000
Otterbein	0	6	1	.000

### Results

Ohio Wesleyan 26, Denison 0.  
Oberlin 18, Miami 7.  
Ohio University 13, Cincinnati 2.  
Wooster 20, Akron 0.  
Heidelberg 39, Otterbein 0.  
Care 14, Hiram 14.  
Muskingum 14, Ohio Northern 6.

### Co-operators Elect

Members of the Co-operators' Society in the evening Commerce department elected these officers for a one-year term: Edward Ostendorf, president; Francis Jacobs, vice-president; Elmer Shubert, secretary, and Helen Romer, treasurer.

## COACH SPEAKS BEFORE FRATERNAL ORGANIZATION

Joe Meyer, athletic director of St. Xavier College is becoming in demand for inspiring talks on athletics. Last week he fulfilled an engagement at the Kehoe Council, Knights of Columbus, Ludlow, Ky.

### AFTER M. D. DEGREE

Lowell Baurichter, A. B., '25, and star football tackle for three years as well as one of the leading men in his class scholastically has entered the University of Cincinnati Medical school.



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