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TRACK MEN

To Compete in Five Events

At Ohio Relays, Friday and Saturday; Coach Tom Sharkey Names Team to Make Trip

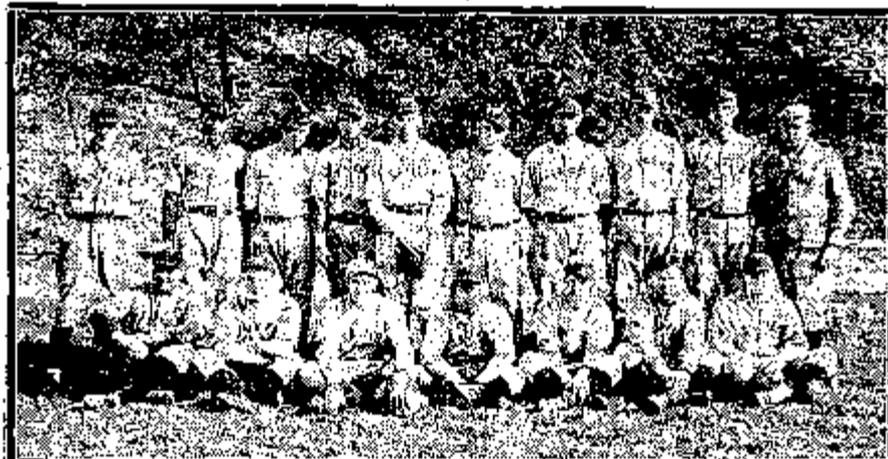
Five St. Xavier College track men will compete in their first outdoor meet of the season at Ohio State University Friday and Saturday when the annual Ohio Relays will be held. Coach Tom Sharkey will accompany the Musketeers to Columbus for the events.

Captain Jack Mahony and Bob Brand are the St. Xavier hurdlers who will compete in the 100 yard dash event. Mahony won the class "B" championship in the century dash last year.

Frank O'Bryan will compete in the open high jump and pole vault events. He is expected to make an exceptionally good showing in the high jump as he has cleared the cross bar at better than a six foot mark several times during the past few weeks.

St. Xavier will have a team in both the 440 and 880 yard relays. The relay team personnel is Captain Mahony, Brand, O'Bryan and Fred Ceras. Ed Hoken will make the trip to Columbus as alternate on the relay team.

THESE MEN MEET CENTRE SATURDAY



After a disastrous game last week-end the St. Xavier College baseball team will try to recoup its forces at Corcoran Field Saturday at 3 p. m. when Centre College plays here. The players shown above are, first row, seated, left to right: Riefago, Schaefer, Daugherty, Sanders, Bill Cline, Cain and Keeley. Standing: Ellsbrock, Bartlett, Holacher, Tapp, Otto, Harmon, Wilke, O'Hara, Putman and Frank King. The Musketeers have won two games and lost one this season. The Colonels have been playing some good baseball and are given an even chance to win Saturday's contest.

TOM DAUGHERTY

Heads Undergraduate "X" Club

Other Officers are McDavitt, Foley and Stotabery; Seniors are Charter Members

An undergraduate letter men's club will aid the development of the athletic program at St. Xavier College. The newly formed undergraduate organization will cooperate with the varsity "X" club on enterprises for the college interests.

Members of the club elected Tom Daugherty as president for a one year term. Daugherty has been prominent in athletics at St. Xavier for several years. He has made two letters in football, one in basketball and is a member of the baseball team.

Other officers of the club include Frank McDavitt, vice president; Harry Foley, secretary and Harold Stotabery, sergeant at arms. The official meeting rooms of the organization will be maintained in the Union House on the Avondale campus.

All letter men at the college who are members of the senior class will be charter members of the club. The organization has about 25 members.

Meyer Outlines Plans For A Greater St. Xavier College

In Letter To "News"

Athletic Director Urges Uncovering of Traditions

The "News" is in receipt of a communication from Joe Meyer, athletic director, in which is outlined a number of enterprising steps which should be taken for the general good of the college.

The "News" believes that all of the ideas are plausible and should receive consideration from the executive board of the college.

Meyer's letter is reproduced in full:

April 23, 1929.

Editor,
Xavierian News,
St. Xavier College,
Cincinnati, Ohio,
Dear Sir:

I notice that the Xavierian News has rapped out on its editorial page a program for the betterment of St. Xavier College. In this connection I would like to suggest that you use your influence to establish a Founder's Day. By this means the early traditions of the college will be vividly brought to the attention of the student body as well as the general public. No doubt many interesting things will be discovered which are not now generally known.

To enhance the beauty of the College a Garden Club, fostered and maintained by prominent women of the community, could be formed. The first thing to be done is to have a comprehensive landscape plan made for the entire college campus. After this has been done, the Garden Club would have something definite about which to center their activities.

What could be the objection to presenting the establishment of a Prize to be given to the student who, upon graduation, has the highest completed average of his four years study in the college of Liberal Arts? It is a well known fact that the Legion of Honour award has become a very desirable honor in the athletic history of the college. It should be only natural that a similar award for scholastic endeavor would attract even more dignity.

At present I am writing an athletic history of the college and it would seem to me that a record of scholastic achievements should be compiled so that every student would know the winners of Intercollegiate Latin Essay contests, Intercollegiate English Oral and Debating contests, not only of the present time, but also of the past. I think that this should be of interest to students, alumni and

"NEWS" LAUDED

By Speakers At Annual Banquet

Held at Union House Tuesday; Royal W. Ryan Speaks; Contest Awards Made.

"The College journal of today has an important part in the development of students for positions in later life even though they may not wish to follow journalism as a career," said Royal W. Ryan, city editor of the Commercial Tribune, speaking at the annual banquet of The Xavierian News of St. Xavier College held Wednesday night at the Union House.

Ryan outlined the various reasons that a college paper might attempt to relieve. About 25 invited guests attended the banquet.

Rev. Hubert F. Brockman, S. J., president of the college, complimented the staff of the paper on the high standard maintained during the past year. Rev. Daniel M. O'Connell, S. J., dean, was unable to speak because of a previous engagement.

Rev. John J. Sullivan, S. J., faculty moderator of the paper and Dr. James J. Young, professor of journalism at St. Xavier, also spoke.

Prize awards of the recently held popularity contest were given to James P. Bolger, most popular student; Paul D. Cain, best athlete; Jack Mulhise, best looking; and E. Witt Russell, named as the student who has done most for Xavier.

A number of past editors and business managers of the paper attended, along with the 1928 and 1929 staffs. George K. Winter, editor, was toastmaster.

Merse J. Cooney, '30, was unsuccessful in an attempt to add to St. Xavier's forensic laurels at the state-wide oratorical contest held at Wittenberg College last Friday. A Capital University man won the contest.

Friends of St. Xavier College, as a general thought, the traditions of the college should be brought more into the foreground, because, after all, these traditions bring the college closer to the student and leave a lasting impression in his mind and as time goes on the hallowed traditions of St. Xavier College will enrich the hearts of her graduates and undergraduates.

Very truly yours,
J. A. MEYER,
Athletic Director.

DEDDENS

Wins Verkamp Medal

In Contest Held At College Library Sunday.

Negative Side Awarded Decision of Critic Judge.

Discuss Independence of Philippine Islands in Final Forensic Contest of the Season.

Anthony T. Deddens, '30, capped a course of several years of debating at St. Xavier College with a victory in the annual Verkamp debate held at the college library Sunday night before a well filled hall. Deddens was named the best speaker of the evening by Carl W. Riell, Cincinnati attorney, who acted as expert critic judge.

Deddens competed in the Verkamp contest last year and has been a member of the varsity debate team during the past year. He is president of the Philopodian Society and has been actively engaged in other college enterprises.

The gold medal symbolical of victory in the contest will be awarded to Deddens on Commencement Day, June 7.

The decision of the critic judge was awarded to the negative side when personnel was John H. Cook, '30; William J. Wise, '30, and Edmund D. Doyle, '30. Deddens' team mates were Louis G. Boeh, '30; and Edwin T. Heilker, '31.

The debate subject was: "Resolved: That the United States Should Grant Complete Independence to the Philippine Islands Within Approximately Two Years Time."

SCORE OF DELEGATES

To Attend Sobriety Conference at Loyola, Chicago, in June.

About twenty delegates from the faculties at St. Xavier College and High School are expected to attend the Catholic Students' Leadership Convention at Loyola University, Chicago, on June 18, 19 and 20. It was announced recently by Rev. Edward Morgan, S. J., the convention will be attended by men from the Catholic colleges throughout the entire United States.

Last year there was a joint convention of the men and women of the Catholic colleges held at St. Louis. This year the convention will be for the men only.

All who are planning to go with the delegation from Cincinnati should get in touch with Father Morgan, who will be in charge of local arrangements.

"News" Offers Prize To Student Writing Best Essay

LOOSE PLAY

Exhibited By Musketeers In

Baseball Contest With Dayton; Flyers Score 23 to 10 Win; Schaefer Clouts Homer.

In a baseball parody the St. Xavier College team was delayed under an avalanche of University of Dayton raps at the Hyde Park Lumber Co. grounds last Saturday to lose by a score of 23 to 10.

Kenny Schaefer and Bob Ellsbrock were the only Musketeers who played up to form. Three St. Xavier pitchers proved ineffective against the Flyers.

Schaefer's batting and fielding was the one bright spot of the Musketeer play. He clouted a home run in the fifth inning.

St. Xavier—	A.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.
Kesley, 1f	5	0	2	0	0	0
O'Hara, 3b	5	3	1	1	0	0
Schaefer, cf	5	3	3	0	0	0
Wilke, 1f	5	2	2	0	0	0
Sanders, 2b	3	1	1	2	0	0
Ellsbrock, 1b	5	1	13	0	0	0
Cain, ss	3	1	2	5	0	0
Daugherty, c	2	0	1	1	0	0
Riefago, p	2	0	0	0	0	0
Putman, p	3	2	2	5	0	0
O'Hara, p	1	0	0	2	0	0
Harmon, p	0	0	0	0	0	0
Tapp	1	1	0	0	0	0
Totals	40	15	27	15		

Dayton—	A.	B.	H.	P.	O.	A.
Carland, 2b	3	0	3	0	0	0
Lutz, 1b	5	2	10	0	0	0
Dehler, 1f	5	2	1	0	0	0
O'Leason, ss	7	0	2	2	0	0
Crush, 2b	5	1	3	4	0	0
Swan, of	7	2	3	1	0	0
Koehl, cf	6	2	2	0	0	0
Baumgartner, c	0	2	0	0	0	0
Reynolds, p	3	1	0	4	0	0
Westerkamp, p	4	3	0	2	0	0
Totals	52	15	27	15		

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Original ideas will count for more than anything else in this contest. Many educators seem to think that a large proportion of the college students are wasting their time. The "News" thinks that most college men are deriving a great deal of benefit from their college training, and wants to know what Xavier men think about it.

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Rev. Hubert F. Brockman, S. J., president of the college, will speak at the College of the Sacred Heart Saturday at 3 p. m. before a meeting of the International Federation of Catholic Alumnae.

Fr. Carrigian To Judge

Papers on "What I Have Gotten Out of College."

By Thompson White

Five dollars in cash and the honor of seeing his work in print in the "News" are the awards offered to the winner of The Xavierian News' contest on "What I Have Gotten Out of College," which opens Wednesday, May 1, and closes Wednesday, May 8.

Contestants are requested to limit their essays to 400 words and to write on one side of the paper only. All manuscripts to be typewritten. A hard do plume only should be written on the essay paper and the name of the author and the name of the author on another piece of paper enclosed with the manuscript. Rev. Edward J. Carrigian, S. J., professor of English at St. Xavier College, will judge the papers.

Essays entered in the contest may be judged in at the registrar's office or to the members of the essay committee, Thompson White and Anton H. Mayer. Essays must be in the hands of the committee by midnight, May 1. The results of the contest will be announced in the May 15 edition of the "News."

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THE NEWS' PROGRAM

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Finality

An anonymous writer has given us his (or her) impressions of finality. What to do if this is one's last moment! What to do or say when one is leaving acquaintances, or familiar places, for the last time! This writer frankly calls it the "embarrassment" of finality. "Clearly something important ought to be done at the time, something having about it this peculiar quality of finality. It should leave a good taste in one's mouth. It should have finish; it should in some way be expressive of something, but — what?"

In solving the question "what?", the writer arrives at a very logical conclusion. Do nothing out of the way! because it will not be a lasting impression. One is more apt to remember the middles of things and their beginnings, rather than their endings. If one takes a last glimpse of a beloved spot as a gesture of finality, does he really retain that in his memory? No, he rather forgets that, and remembers the place as he saw it some other day, some time when he had no thought of finality, and was not consciously storing up its beauty to be kept against the time of finality.

The probability that graduation will approach for every Senior is growing theoretically greater as the clock ticks, yet, are the Seniors more able to realize, now, the finality of these last few days than they were a year, two years, three years ago? And to what end would such a realization be of value?

A cross-section of his four years, showing the average daily impression, is what the departing Senior will take with him. Likewise, too, his average daily effort will sum up the benefit of his college work.

The correct procedure for observing the finality of his college life need not be a source of embarrassment to the Senior. Anything out of the ordinary is a futile attempt.

Swimming Pool

The cry is insistent! "Xavier needs a swimming-pool", says the majority of student voters for the second time in the NEWS' Popularity Contest.

That the need is as urgent as the demand implies is hardly true. The splendid field-house, with hand-ball courts, running-track, and basketball floor, the outdoor tennis-courts, ball-diamond, and grid-iron offer ample opportunity for exercise. Yet, we venture to say that these facilities miss the tastes or opportunities of nearly one-half of the student-body. Intra-mural leagues were inaugurated to give exercise to every student. Still they do not answer the need. They operate on schedule and once a week. The active student often finds a duty conflicting with his intra-mural sport. He drops the latter and must wait another week for the opportunity to come again. On the other hand, a swimming-pool would be available for the student practically whenever he found the moment suspicious.

Perhaps it is an over-developed taste of the student-body to desire perfection, completeness, the best of everything. Yet it is evident that the lovers of the aquatic sport are here in great numbers. The NEWS poll shows that the desire for a "pool" was not just a passing whim of last year's student-body.

Since the tendency is to offer the greatest amount of exercise to the greatest number, the NEWS believes that a swimming-pool would be a welcome addition to the athletic plant from any point of view.

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A Sop's Fables

By ADRIAN A. DAUGHERTY

The News Daquest
It is only fair to the reader to reveal what really took place at the big show last night (Front page readers prepare for disappointment).
As mislaid elsewhere, Winter did the honors as toastmaster. Right good toast, too. In fact, some thought the toast better than the master. But let us not tarry with the banal part of the affair; rather let us hit the aesthetic.

The feature of the evening was Wirt's extemporaneous speech which he had memorized only the night before. Rising to his full height he began in his clear (chumb)-bel-like tone the words that rang out above all the other voices in the room. The tinkling of the piano has not completely subsided yet.
"Gentlemen," ding-donged Wirt, "we are here for a purpose. (Pause). We have come for the express purpose of finding out what it is. Till then we shall have to content ourselves with the little streak of victuals. Man the cauldry: have done with this delay; 1, 2, 3, fall to; eat every man his fill—(at)."

There was a mad rush to be the first to shake the hand of the man who had spoken thusly but a thoughtful individual took a pencil and some card and drew a cord on about him, thereby saving his life.

Our next speaker was none other than the redoubtable ping-pong, Master Cain.

Cain started today
"Aha," quoth he, savagely biting off his words. The reader will wonder at this but not for long. Be it known that

TENNIS SEASON

Opens Friday at Concordan Field

When Vanderbilt U. Team Meets St. Xavier College; Rival Captains to Play.

Holding the best record last is not the policy of the St. Xavier College authorities who mapped out the tennis schedule for the current season.
If there are any stronger tennis teams in the South this year than Vanderbilt University their identity has been kept secret. The Commodores play at Concordan Field Friday in St. Xavier's opener on the courts.
Captain Donald Crum of the Commodores holds the singles title for inter-collegiate play in the South. He will play Captain BUD OJLES of the Mus-

is characteristic of Cain to bite his words off savagely. The football field is liberally covered with such words which he has bitten off there during the past three years. His close friends when questioned on the subject intimated that when even a very young thing Paul was in the habit of biting off one syllable at a time. Later with the advent of years he was enabled to handle whole words.

"I will now tell," his Paul savagely. "Now I become renowned as an athlete. Several years ago I could only with the greatest pain put the shot 88 feet. Then after reading one copy of the Xaverian News I could, if I had been able to, put the shot 89 feet without the slightest touch of pain."

Mullane, on being called upon to utter articulate sounds, merely defended himself for wearing spectacles. He pointed out that it is no disgrace to do so; in fact it is current rumor that the Owl-Eyed forces won the recent war. Jim was eating.

lectors in the feature battle of Friday's play. China is Ohio singles finalist.
The Commodores held victories over Cincinnati College and Sewanee University. Vanderbilt did not lose a match last season and has a veteran team to use against Xavier.
Dr. Wesley L. Purdie is somewhat handicapped by a lack of material this year but Xavier is expected to have its usual strong team.
Charlie Sonnenman, member of last year's team and Seattle Clubbing, winners of the intramural tourney at the college last fall are sure of places on the team. Other prospects are Bob Brand, Jack Wagner and George Winter.

Medical students at the University of Paris are at a loss for corpses. The death rate at the public hospitals in Paris has decreased so much in the last four years that the poor Parisian medical men are simply out of luck for "disks" to practice on.

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THIRD QUARTER EXAMS

ARE NOW HISTORY LIST OF HONORS

By John Brink

The third quarter exams are now history, and the report cards are at home, so that the question of exemption from the final exams is now definitely settled. Exception to the word that is on every tongue at this time of the year. It is an assured reality to those whose grades are around 90, it is a nightmare to those whose grades are about 85, and it is a wishful hope to those whose grades are about 70.

It requires a certain amount of work to keep the marks above 85, but the reward doubly repays any amount of time or energy expended for such a good cause. To leave school a week earlier and during that week to have the satisfaction of knowing that you might at that very hour be slaving over an exam which covers an entire year's matter, are experiences which would delight anyone. The following is a list of those who merited honors in the third quarter exams.

- 1A Class Honors: Reitz, First Honors: Beck, Rabe. Second Honors: Thornberry, Clemens, Chisnal, Gotsch, Feinsinger, Keifer, Shrago, Berry. 1B Class Honors: Gull, First Honors: Schlemmer, Knab, Graham, Schmidt, Pies, McKee, Beuter, Lawler, Brearton, Meyers, Bettelmayer, Worn, Bets, Hartz. Second Honors: Hoop, Ciccarelli. 1C Class Honors: J. Van de Ry, First Honors: Weber, Hartings, Hoop, Dorman, Hadler, Seiwert. Second Honors: Schneider, Hamilton, Junk, Keegan, Bent, Lippert, Burns, Meyer, Rowley. 1D Class Honors: Kuber. Second Honors: Spitzmaier, Scheide, Elaine, Rab, Lagerman, Burkart. 2A Class Honors: Beckman, Wulfkang. First Honors: Kottle, Hurley, Flaherty, Merkle. Second Honors: Brown, Huber, Rehnman, Ryan, Koester, Joseph. 2B Class Honors: Ruth. First Honors: Ohschoblo, Linn, Kabeck. Second Honors: Melius, Backstader, Jonas, Gibson, Thell, Behrweiler. 2C Class Honors: Weyman. First Honors: Deubell, Brink, Forster, Beeg and Honors: Podetz, Benzschabe, Eurl, Olson, Doering. 2D Class Honors: Lottas. First Honors: Buchert, Marthaler. Second Honors: Oker, Kovars, Greine, Gehringer, Meerman. 3A Class Honors: Berkoweyer. First Honors: Welch. Second Honors: Stankovic, Crawford, Rowerskamp, Klip. 3B Class Honors: Bruesch. First Honors: Rinschler, Schandk. Second Honors: O'Brien, Hub, McEvilley. 3C Class Honors: Lorenz. First Honors: Kewicic, Haglage, Measr. Second Honors: Odenmuth, Scharrf, Bremer, Brannlage, Helt, Flynn. 3D Class Honors: Proschler. First Honors: Fox, Thell. Second Honors: Van Clusen. 3E Class Honors: Dollenmeyer. First Honors: Ecker. Second Honors: Stangner, Bense, Hiller, Edkran. 3F Class Honors: Kestlein. Second Honors: Keurney, Woerner, Lindner, Moore, Haller, Schmitt, Dorsey. 3G Class Honors: Fister. 3H Class Honors: Barrett. First Honors: Boring, Risse, Baker, Deem-

Man, Green Hill, Schandk. Second Honors: Miller, Moloney, Ross, Nelson, Henick, Hart. 1B Class Honors: Dreidam, Schmidt. First Honors: Salt, Dalley, Moore, Mengering, Shouderak, Drees, Delbler, Snider, Hochbauer. Second Honors: Seiwert, Dillman, Shaw, Mozur, Fischer, Grayson. 1C Class Honors: Neilsbarn. First Honors: Partusch, Stronghart, Duffey, O'Hara. Second Honors: Wunderlich, Forster, Osterday, Rehter, Lugger, Munkel, Lewis. 1D Class Honors: Trans. First Honors: Wedding, Nulins, Grogan, Knapik. Second Honors: Weber, McDowell, Jung, Landemitch.

KEARNEY IS WINNER

IN SOPHOMORE CONTEST

DORSEY AND McEVILLY, 2ND

By Robert Welch

The Sophomore Eloquence contest was held in Memorial Hall Tuesday Evening, April 23. The speaking as a whole was excellent and the pieces were evenly divided between seriousness and humor.

John E. O'Brien started the program with a capable recitation of "An Italian's View On Irishman," a humorous piece in which he demonstrates how you can never please an Irishman. Edward J. Vondra followed with "How Jimmy Tended The Baby." In this piece he tells how, after the baby has spilled some shoe polish in his face, he, Jimmy, to even matters up, applies a uniform coat of black to the whole baby.

Francis J. Gerst gave "News For The Mississippi," in which a small child spills some embarrassing family gossip to a collector for the Missions.

Thomas J. Schmidt gave a stately, and formal imitation of Hamlet, expounding the principles acting to his players in a selection from Shakespeare's Hamlet "Hamlet's Advice To The Players."

James J. Dorsey gave an excellent recitation called "The Fallen Soldier," in which he portrays Benedict Arnold, the traitor and frailer, dying, alone and friendless, in a dirty garret in London.

Joseph C. Stettinahl recited "The First View of the Statue," in which he tells of the impressions made by the Statue of Liberty on the different immigrants who are coming across the ocean.

"How Baby Played," was thoroughly explained by Richard K. Kearney, who pretended to be an ignorant country yokel attending a musical piano recital.

"The Bald-Headed Man," in which an impulsive small boy on a train, makes things very unpleasant for a certain bald-headed man in the next chair, was well portrayed by Richard C. Reiche. Raymond O. Berkoweyer gave the same piece as did James J. Dorsey, although it was altered slightly, and labeled "The Traitor." Despite this fact, however, the work was well done.

Edward A. Holt, pictured touchingly, a young boy struggling through life, who attempts to lighten the burden of his crippled dying brother, "Little Joe." Ambrose H. Lindhorst with a piece entitled "Christopher Columbus," told of some very startling adventures of Christopher Columbus, which are not to be found in the history.

Joseph M. Stelmets giving "Ope Nibe, The Highest," painted the picture of a boy who has daringly climbed the face of a cliff and finding himself unable to return is rescued just at the moment when he seems about to fall to death.

Robert A. McEvilley concluded the evening with "Eunice's Wedding," a dialect piece which gives every detail of the bride, the church, and the minister, but is climaxed by the fact that the groom failed to show up.

After some lengthy deliberation, the judges announced that Richard K. Kearney, has captured 1st place by a hair's breadth, and that James J. Dorsey and Robert A. McEvilley were tied for second.

The St. Xavier High School Orches-

XAVIER

TROUNCES ELDER IN OPENING GAME

By Ed Fornington

Once again Elder High School was forced to bow to the Blue and White, when Coach Savage's promising ball-players, handed them a nifty triumph, to the tune of 11 to 2. By this victory the Blue Sox hold the upper hand in the Greater Cincinnati Association, and are looked upon as possible winners of the League.

In the first inning the Salts started off at a hot pace. A hit batter, two errors, fielder's choice, and a lory triple by Jim Byrne, netted them four runs. Being of a stubborn disposition, the downcasters gathered three more runs in the second inning due to Joseph's walk, an Elder melt, and singles by Schneider and Stelmets. Xavier then went as it systematically and added one run in each of the three following innings, and one in the seventh. Betenschke pitched effectively, striking out ten ambitious Elder batters, and also fielded his position well. Captain Stelmets, Joseph, and Schneider, looked best with the willow, for the Savagenes, while Donnelly led the Price Hill attack. The

R. I. P.

The Xavier News, speaking for the entire St. Xavier High School wishes to extend its most sincere sympathy and consolation to Mr. McGinnis, J. E., whose most beloved father died during the past week. It also takes this opportunity to assure him that his father has the prayers of the entire school.

LINZ IS FIRST

IN JUNIOR FINALS

KUNZ SECOND

By Jack Hughes

The Junior Eloquence Contest which was held in Hamilton County Memorial Hall Wednesday, April 24, 1929, was won by Lester A. Linz. He showed great creative power in delivering his interesting subject, "The Innate of the Dungeon." John A. Kunz, speaking "Fagin's Last Night Alive," a gripping scene from "Oliver Twist" merit-

ed second place. Forceful delivery and deep emotion marked his recitation. Donald Dixon gave an inspiring picture of the court-room scene from "Madame X" that had piece in which a young attorney unwittingly pleads his own mother's case. Albert Weyman did well with the somewhat humorous but nevertheless tragic "Bobby Bratton." "The Murder Of Nancy," a cutting from Dickens' "Oliver Twist," was vividly portrayed by Kermita Thapa. Frederick Sullivan gave a very interesting and humorous one act play entitled "Moonshine." Jacob Buebert characterized a one act play entitled "The Importance of the Creator." In a young gentleman and a lady have a very difficult time introducing themselves to each other. Edward Doering delivered a vividly beautiful characterization of a scene in the north woods entitled "The Going Of The White Swan."

All the contestants are to be congratulated on their splendid effort and diligent work in preparation for the contest. Robert Imbus, accompanied at the piano by Fr. Brucker, S. J., played several violin selections. George Rooney gave a few popular selections on the saxophone, accompanied by John Reed, '31.

to, under the able direction of Fr. E. F. Brucker, S. J., delightfully aided in passing away the time during the intermissions.

The greatest part of the audience were students. It was rumored that this sudden display of interest was due to the fact that some members of the faculty assigned heavy nightwork and then promised to lift it from all who attended the contest.

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St Xavier Wins Places In Intercollegiate Latin

Steinbicker Wins Fifth

Muckerheide Is Seventh And Worst, Eighth.

Students at St. Xavier College fared exceptionally well in the annual intercollegiate Latin Contest sponsored by the Chicago Province of the Jesuit Order, according to word received by Rev. Daniel M. O'Connell, S. J., dean. St. Xavier scored a total of 13 points to gain second place in the ranking. St. Louis University scored the most points in the contest and the best individual paper was submitted by a Toledo University student.

Paul C. Steinbicker, 29, won fifth place in the Latin contest. He has maintained a very high grade in the subject during the entire four years of his course.

Albert J. Muckerheide, 31, was awarded seventh place in the contest. Muckerheide's showing was remarkable as he has taken only two years of college Latin.

Albert J. Worst, 30, won eighth place in the contest. The St. Xavier and St. Louis institutions were the only schools to place three men in the first ten yards. Eleven schools of the Chicago province of the Jesuit Order participated in the contest.

Timothy S. Hogan, 30, won the Latin contest last year. He was ineligible to participate in this year's contest. Preparation for the contest was directed by Rev. Gregory J. Derschlag, S. J., professor of Latin at St. Xavier. Steinbicker, Muckerheide and Worst will be awarded testimonials for the efforts on Commencement Day, June 7.

CROSS SECTIONS

William J. Wain

Man's ambition or goal in life is to him the most illuminating light in the vast universe; it is a fiery, glowing, perhaps golden sunset or nebula, hovering over a jagged precipitous horizon. Insignificant and minute as man is in the general scheme of things, he is nevertheless an intrepid adventurer, traveling great distances daily, in search of that glided mirage. On some days he makes great progress, but there are other days when he not only fails to advance, but is retarded because of some minor obstacle. The illumined goal is sometimes hidden by a turbid haze, or are the searcher's eyes merely misty? At any rate, his ambition is occasionally withheld from him.

When viewing a goal from afar, man is often appalled by the distance, not that it is unattainable, but he feels incapable of surmounting the difficulties which he must overcome if he would fulfill his purpose. With one eye on the path, and the other on the goal, an ambitious and prudent man makes his way through the brief span of life. He leaves behind him unmistakable signs of fatigue, hunger and sickness, but otherwise he leads his frailty and fear, lest someone of something should take advantage of his weakness.

LESER GINIER.

The most peculiar quality of an accomplishment is that it loses its brilliancy, after it has been achieved. Its light no longer fixes the hopes and aspirations of the seeker, and oftentimes the golden glitter is found to emanate from base metal. Somehow, success does not always bring the happiness which it is said to possess. Perhaps after all, there is some truth in the little proverb: "All that glitters is not gold." Whether or not the adage is

CIRCUS DAYS

To Be Recalled By Program

Outlined for May Fete and Campus Week Celebration; Students Aid With Arrangements.

A program of superior circus acts will be one of the many features of the St. Xavier College May Fete and campus week celebration to be held at the college field house May 23, 24 and 25, according to plans revealed by John W. Donahue, chairman of the entertainment committee for the fete.

Donahue will attempt to make the "circus atmosphere" one of the predominant notes of the three day program. Communications have been received from all corners of the United States offering attractions for the fete. A campus inspection will be held in conjunction with the fete program. Undergraduates will serve as guides for the many thousands of visitors who will visit the campus during the three day period.

All classes of the College of Liberal Arts will have special booths at the fete according to arrangements under way. The annual "College Circus" will be presented on a larger scale than ever before.

Students are urged to dispose of their chance books as soon as possible. Returns may be made to either the class president or at the downtown headquarters of the fete, at 627 Walnut street.

AUGMENT BUSINESS STAFF

Five Assistants Chosen by McGuinness, News Manager.

Appointment of five undergraduates to the business staff of the Xaverian News, student weekly at St. Xavier College, was announced Tuesday by Joseph J. McGuinness, 30, business manager of the publication.

Those named to the staff are Robert W. Ebers and William J. Haas, sophomores; J. Richard O'Dowd, Andrew Schmidt and Philip Overbeck, freshmen.

McGuinness said that the two students who showed the best efforts would be permanently added to the staff for next year. The News will cease publication for the year on May 26th.

True, the satisfaction of achievement is in itself well worth the effort. It is of infinitely greater value than gold or silver.

Yet man would be indescribably bowed, were it not for his pet ambitions. They bolster up the spirit, dispel the terrors of despair, and add an optimistic touch to the man. Were it not for his future hopes, he would probably give up his pursuits, and relax into a life of languid indolence. That is contrary to the very nature of man, for it is his purpose to achieve great things, or at least to strive for something better than what he has previously accomplished. Moreover, man's greatest pleasure is the achievement sense of achievement. Nothing ever equals it.

While the homo is striving for his goal, he derives more and keener pleasure from the mere quest, that he could at any pleasurable pursuit; yet, the pleasure seems to diminish with actual accomplishment. So it is that man continues to strive, to conquer, and to accomplish—the instinct is an integral part of his mental and physical composition. He can do nothing but follow that inexplicable desire.

BOOKLOVERS

To Give Card Party At Alms,

Friday, for Benefit of Library Fund; Student Support Necessary for Success of Affair.

A large host of friends of the college will share in dispensing hospitalities at the annual booklovers' card party and dance to be given at the Hotel Alms Friday evening for the benefit of the St. Xavier College library.

Mrs. Nicholas J. Janson is chairman of a large committee of co-workers who have completed arrangements for the affair. The committee has arranged to have a good dance orchestra in attendance.

Both the Marie Antoinette ballroom and the main corridor of the hotel will be utilized for the evening's program. The College of the Sacred Heart, College of Mt. St. Joseph and the Summit will have representatives in charge of the various booths.

The goal of the organization is higher than ever before and full student support of the affair is necessary for the success of the enterprise.

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