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## All Ready For Annual Debate

### JUDGE

#### Chosen For Verkamp

Edmund Doyle, '30, Picked To Select Winner Of Medal

A widely discussed topic, "That the powers of the President of the United States be substantially increased as a settled Policy," will be the subject of the thirty-first annual debate sponsored by the Poland Philopedian Society of Xavier University. The debate is to be held tomorrow evening in the Mary G. Lodge Reading Room on the campus, starting promptly at 8:15 p. m.

This will mark the twenty-first year of competition for the Verkamp Medal, founded in 1913 by Joseph B. Verkamp of the Xavier Class of 1877.

The men forming the affirmative team for tomorrow evening's forensic encounter are, in the order of their appearance, Richard D. Kearney, '35, George C. Linfert, '34, and Robert J. Helmick, '35. Edward A. Doering, Liberal Arts Senior, is the affirmative alternate. The negative team will speak in the following order: John P. Brockman, '35, James C. Shaw, '36, and Robert A. Ryan, '34. The negative alternate is Leo E. Koester, '34.

#### Doyle, Critic Judge

Announcement was made today that Edmund D. Doyle, former Verkamp Debate winner and runner-up in the National Oratorical Contest at Los Angeles in 1930, will act as critic judge of tomorrow evening's debate. Mr. Doyle was a member of the 1933 law class of the University of Cincinnati and is at present engaged in legal work with the firm of Alfred T. Geisler.

John A. Brink, chairman of committee on debates in the Philopedian Society, will preside as chairman. The debate is open to the public and a large attendance is anticipated.

### FATHER STECHSCHULTE SPEAKS BEFORE CLUB

The Rev. Victor Stechschulte, S. J., head of the Physics department and operator of Xavier's seismograph station addressed a large group of men belonging to the Ft. Thomas Business Men's Club, and their friends, Tuesday night, December 12. "The Story of Earthquakes," was the title of Father Stechschulte's talk.

### Commerce Club First Meeting

#### President Of University Addresses Students

On Monday evening, Dec. 11, the first meeting of the New Chemistry Club was held in the lecture room of the Biology Building. The meeting was called to order by President Wagner, who introduced Fr. Hugo Sloctemyer, S. J., as the first speaker.

Fr. Sloctemyer's talk gave great encouragement to the many members whose interests run in scientific channels and he stressed the point of "getting the professional manner," especially directed toward those who anticipate entering a professional school later on.

Joseph Nolan and Norbert Volle were the other speakers of the evening. Both men treated on the life of Lavoisier, Nolan discussing the chemist's social life while Volle expanded the Frenchman's scientific achievements in the order which they occurred.

This idea of having several students read papers during the meeting met with approval and it was therefore decided to have at least two members discuss some popular scientific topic at each meeting. Also it has been arranged to have a guest speaker (that is someone from the outside) who is doing work in some scientific branch, for each meeting.

The new constitution, which was drawn up by the officers several weeks ago, was presented and accepted by the members.

### 1933 Christmas Bundle Drive

Sponsored By Members Of Sodality; 100 Needy Families To Benefit

The members of the Junior and Senior Sodality of Xavier University, caught by the spirit of good will which is descending upon all of us with the approach of the Holiday Season, have combined to sponsor a "1933 Christmas Bundle Drive".

On Monday the officers and their staffs started the "drive" by addressing the various classes, requesting the co-operation and assistance of the entire student body in making this project a success. They remarked that there are more than a hundred families in need of food, clothing, and other necessities who are to benefit by this "1933 Christmas Bundle Drive".

Students who wish to "do their part" in this good work are asked to bring their contributions to the Registrar's Office or the College Book Store on class days, or to the operator's desk at the exchange in Hinkle Hall on Sundays and holidays. Anyone unable to bring his offering is requested to leave his address with any member of the committee and it will be called for. All are urged to aid the Sodalists in this way in making this Christmas a really happy one for those in need.

### Skaters To Have Real Time

Special Events To Be Staged On Park Rink Floor For Xavier Couples

A preliminary survey of the Xavier students, who are going to attend the Commerce Club Skating Party, Saturday night, shows that less than ten per cent of them have ever been on a skating rink before. Yet everyone expects to have a good time. Previous experience on skates is not necessary because everyone can skate.

The Commerce Club Skating Party will be held Saturday night from 8 to 11 at the New Chester Park Rink, the newest and finest skating rink in Cincinnati. Mr. Seferino, the manager of the Chester Park Rink, has promised to stage several special events Saturday night which will be of special interest to everyone.

Everyone who plans to attend this party is urged to buy his tickets in advance as the Commerce Club benefits only from the advance sale of tickets. Tickets can be purchased from any member of the Commerce Club for 15c. This ticket, plus 27c paid at the rink, entitles you to a full evening's entertainment at less than the cost of a show.

### Unethical Act Of Journalism

Wilging, Barrett, And Brannen Flam Foozle News Into Free Ad

Attempting to revive pleasant memories of Joyce Kilmer and yet, at the same time, make a dash of money wherewith they might enjoy their Christmas holidays, Tommy Brannen, Cole Wilging, and Charley Barrett have gone into the Christmas tree selling business. Although they state it isn't so much the money that causes them to enter this business, but merely the pleasure they get out of the pastime (we say it's going to be hard work around Xavier) derived from the green tree enterprise, of which they are so proud.

Of course this is all free publicity and such what-nots but it is not as strong as the publicity they wanted to put in this steady sheet. Here is a specimen which these three members of the Christmas Tree Trust wanted to insert—for nothing:

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### Football Banquet

Tom Schmidt, regular varsity end for the past two seasons was elected captain of the 1934 Musketeers at the annual football banquet last Thursday night, which was held at the Hotel Alms.

John Wieth, retiring captain, and Coleman Wilging, an outstanding tackle for three years, were awarded a place on the Legion of Honor.

Letters were given to Wieth, Wilging, Barrett, Jordan, Brannen, Pennington, and Sanders, Seniors; Schmidt, Elder, and Coleman, Juniors; Jonke, Dreman, Wunderlich, Sack, Schmeig, Bucklew, Grogan, and Sweeney, Sophomores. A student manager letter was awarded to Clemens.

Jim Sweeney, Senior fullback, who did not make a letter was given the Xavier Athletic Association honor, for faithful service during the past three years.

The complete schedule could not be announced as thus far only four games have been definitely arranged. They are with: Kenyon, Washington & Jefferson, Centre, and Haskell, all to be played at home.

### OPENER

#### Of Basketball Season

Taken By Xavier; Sack Brings Back Memories Of '31 Captain

Poor offensive play by the Musketeers featured the court opener Tuesday which saw the Pioneers of Transylvania go down to a 48-17 defeat before Xavier.

As predicted, the victory of the Musketeers, although one sided, was not impressive. A lack of team work on the offensive was the chief fault of the 'Crowe coached machine.

Latent power was shown by the Blue and White hoopsters. Several players had dead eyes on the basket but a dirth of co-operation and some sloppy passing saved Transy from an overwhelming loss. Another week of practice will see the polishing of the plays which wear so successful last season.

Although the performance against Transy can be improved upon, the game was not disappointing. Lee Sack brought back memories of the days of his famed brother, Bobby, captain of the 1931 five, and lead both teams in scoring with six baskets and a foul. Co-captains Kenny Jordan and Hal Pennington also continued their performances of last season. Jordan is living up to his reputation as the best bunny shooter to ever don blue shorts. McKenna, sophomore, played only the last four minutes but stole the honors of the second half by scoring three uncanny baskets in rapid succession.

The starting line-up was surprising to many Musketeer followers. The order seemed to be reversed as Pennington and Sack, both air tight defensive players, were seen in the forward positions while Sweeney and Jordan, aggressive offensive men, entered the fray as guards. The feature of this set up was the fact that all four men were forwards in high school.

Two weaknesses were evident which should be corrected before the next appearance of the Musketeers. Only four of the fourteen fouls awarded to the boys were completed for points. Rough play in spots was the other drawback. Sock Wieth, who due to an injury was unable to practice during the past week, was the chief offender in both these departments.

### "HUMANISM OF CHRIST" TO CONCLUDE LECTURES

"The Humanism of Christ" is the topic of the final lecture by Rev. Murtha J. Boylan, S. J., head of the department of philosophy in his series entitled "Studies in the Psychology of Religion." The lecture will be given next Sunday afternoon in Bellarmine Chapel, at 4 p. m.

This will be the last of the Xavier Conferences until after the holiday season.

### Arrangements Made For Alumni Lecture-Series

Dates have been set for the annual Alumni Lecture Series, according to an announcement this week by John P. Murphy, chairman.

Tentative arrangements call for lectures on January 28, February 4 and February 11.

## NEW EDITOR-IN-CHIEF CHOSEN; TO ASSUME DUTIES WITH STAFF AT THE BEGINNING OF NEW YEAR



Raymond F. McCoy  
Retiring Editor

### Clef Club To Give Concerts

Active Business Staff Has Four Engagements For January

Joseph Nolan, Business Manager of the Xavier University Clef Club, with his staff which consists of Joseph Link, Jr., Roland Moores, Leonard Gartner, Richard Reichle, and William Graf Mueller, has announced that the season's concert-engagements will begin after January 1. The Business staff have at present over thirty-five prospects, with four engagements for January.

Rehearsals this week were held on Monday and Thursday evening, because of the Basketball game.

### Xavier Team EIGHT PLACES

By Paul Barrett  
Sports Editor

Pittsburgh, Pa.—A squad of thirty-two players and the coaching staff of Carnegie Tech chose Captain John "Socco" Wieth, captain of the Musketeers of 1933, as captain of their All-Opponent team recently. Wieth received the greatest number of votes polled by any member of the selected teams.

Coleman Wilging and Hal Pennington received honorable mention for their performances against the Skibos this season. These awards were made doubly noteworthy because of the high class of opponents which Carnegie met on the gridiron this fall. Players from Pitt, Purdue, Notre Dame, Michigan State, Washington and Jefferson, New York U., and Temple were eligible for selection on this All-Opponent squad.

Incidentally the tackle and full back posts, the two positions in which Xavier was honored, are the two strongest departments on the All-Carnegie Opponent eleven. Krause of Notre Dame who stood out on the Fighting Irish forward wall against the Army was All-American two seasons ago and would have been this fall had the Notre Dame team enjoyed their customary success. Fehring of Purdue was the unanimous choice for All Big Ten Conference tackle in every selection. But neither man was judged by Carnegie as equal to John Wieth. Cole Wilging was almost as popular with the Scots and polled enough votes for honorable mention.

At fullback, Weinstock of Pitt and Elser of Notre Dame were chosen in that order. Hal Pennington ran next in this tabulation which is also worthy of note.

FIRST TEAM	POSITION	SECOND TEAM
Geisler, Centenary	End	Spehr, St. Louis
Meinhoven, N. Dakota	Tackle	F. Lauterbach, Rice
Coleman, Xavier	Guard	Jonke, Xavier
D. Lauterbach, Rice	Center	Barrett, Xavier
Montgomery, St. Louis	Guard	Schwartz, N. Dakota
Weithe, Xavier	Tackle	Wilging, Xavier
Bickman, S. L. I.	End	Morgan, Centenary
Smith, Centenary	Q. Back	Jordan, Xavier
Oslin, Centenary	H. Back	Hitt, Miss. Coll.
Kane, St. Louis	H. Back	Witt, Rice
Arenz, St. Louis	F. Back	Charbonneau, N. Dakota

### TODAY

#### Seven Seniors Retire

Lange To Choose Assistants Mainly From Members Now On Staff

Cliff C. Lange, '35, succeeds Raymond F. McCoy, '34, as Editor in Chief of the Xaverian News starting with the next edition which will appear after the Christmas holidays in the annual exodus of seniors from the News staff. Robt. Helmick, '35, continues as head of the business staff.

The entire business staff will be carried over in their respective positions except Senior Robert Cappel, of the advertising staff.

Lange has not as yet organized his assistants, but who will from indications, undoubtedly consist mainly of men who now hold positions on the staff.

With McCoy, six other senior members of the staff which has put out this paper for the past year, retire. They are John A. Brink, Editorial Assistant, John P. Roach, sometime Exchange Editor and sometime Reginald Wilberton Wapoose, Edward A. Doering, author of Arts and Letters, Joseph L. Podesta, Headline Editor for the past semester, Howard Linz, Headline Editor for the first part of last year and lately general reporter, and John E. Snyder who reported for the last semester.

"To each of these graduating men," says the Editor, "goes credit for some special phase of the work so necessary in putting out a paper



Cliff C. Lange  
New Editor

each week. Linz and Podesta had the thanklessly difficult job of seeing that headlines were written. Brink had to have one editorial a week in on time and they were up to his usual good standard. Doering held down the difficult position of culture columnist and many a bow the Editor took for his fine work. Besides his two other jobs on the staff, Roach read galley proofs every week at the printer's shop.

#### New Editor

Lange, the next Editor in Chief, is the son of Mr. and Mrs. George H. Lange, 1060 Regina Ave., Price Hill. He attended Elder High and was graduated in 1930.

The next year he spent in the Claim Department of the Western and Southern Life Insurance Company who sent him to Xavier on a scholarship.

Lange gained city-wide renown when a Cincinnati Post reporter interviewed him as he and a companion ascended from the Hopple street entrance of the ill-famed Cincinnati Rapid Transit Company's subway after a tour of discovery which extended from this entrance to Parkway and Walnut and return in hip boots. His picture and the story appeared on the first page of this daily.

### Chess Players Lose Match

Ryan Wins Only Game For Xavier; Return Match With U. C. Soon

Xavier chess team, those boys who make such mysterious moves with the knights, pawns, and bishops of the chess board, played their first outside match of the year Saturday afternoon with the pawn pushers of the University of Cincinnati.

The score was: U. C. 4; Xavier 1. Gene Ryan accounted for Xavier's lone point by winning his game from Rubendunst of U. C. Xavier lost the other four games. Joe Nolan lost to Krehnbrink, Bill Young was defeated by Hatfield, and Roland Moores and Paul Fetlig were beaten by Norris and Stover respectively.

A return match with U. C., will be played this Saturday afternoon in room 56 in the Biology Building. Last weeks games were played at the University Y. M. C. A. on Calhoun Street.

### DANTE CLUB BUSY ARRANGING SCHEDULE

The Dante Club has taken up with several schools and colleges in regard to lectures for the coming year, according to an announcement made by Edward Doering, president.

Letters are being sent to many local schools and to schools in other parts of the country where the club has performed. Although no definite answers have been received as yet, Doering expressed the belief that the lectures will be welcomed in many places.

The club is expected to make several trips to Louisville where it is well known and highly appreciated. The only lecture scheduled by the club so far does not take place until March, and it is the desire of the members to get as many engagements as possible before that date.



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### WE ARE LEAVING—

A year ago when we took charge, we announced that we would consider ourselves successful if we contributed one constructive bit to the tradition of the *Xavierian News*.

Now as we leave, we advance, not with conceit or pride, but with a feeling of satisfaction, our claim for success—our policy of producing in every paper at least one story containing real news and thus to convert this publication from a review to a pre-view, to create interest from indifference and even disgust.

Do you look for news in each edition? If you do we have succeeded; if not, we have tried hard.

Very much fagged, we turn the News over to fresher and consequently more enthusiastic control. Best of luck! It's a job.

### BISHOP CHARTRAND—

Last Friday witnessed the close of a career, the close of an entire life spent in aiding the progress of the Catholic Church in the United States. The death of the Right Reverend Joseph Chartrand, Bishop of Indianapolis, deprives the Hierarchy of America of an untiring laborer in the vineyards of Christ, of a soul whose humility was modeled on that of his Divine Master, of a follower in the footsteps of Christ who accepted every burden of life unflinchingly, who carried his cross rejoicing.

Paramount among the many duties to which he devoted his life was the spread of devotion to the Blessed Eucharist. Through his influence and example the diocese of Indianapolis became famed throughout the country for the number of communicants within its borders.

Yet another of the tasks which he carried out successfully was the development of the diocesan educational system, especially in the Cathedral High School. The number of graduates who are outstanding in the commercial and social life of this section of the country is the striking proof of his achievements in this endeavor.

Bishop Chartrand displayed a keen interest in Xavier University. Throughout all the years of his office, he sent a steady stream of youth to this school, sent them with his personal recommendation and approval. By his death, Xavier, and the entire Catholic Church, loses a sincere friend and a tireless worker.

### CLOTHING, TOYS, FOOD—

Within the coming school week students of Xavier can show their spirit of social mindedness, which has been so sadly negligible in the past, by uniting into one strong phalanx and marching resolutely on to a successful Christmas Bundle Drive which is being sponsored by the combined Junior and Senior Societies.

Here and there about us we can see signs of improved economic conditions; yet, times are still hard and difficult for at least one-half of the seven million unemployed person, many of them fathers of families, here in the United States. Any one with even a minimized spirit of compassion for those who have been economically, and also spiritually—taken in a moral and mental sense, hurt, should try to alleviate some of their distress. It is true that the Charity Organizations of Cincinnati

have been doing the best they can to help many Cincinnatians who are in distress. But in this specific instance, with the Birthday of Christ so near at hand, Xavierians shouldn't leave well enough alone.

The Junior and Senior Sodality moderator and officers fully realize this. And they are inaugurating a drive to collect old clothing, toys, and food so that they might be able to share in the charity work of the city. This is one of the cases that now and then turns up at Xavier in which all true Xavier students should participate. We are confident that this drive will be a success if each student does, at least, a little. After all, is not the biblical story of the Good Samaritan a very beautiful and touching one? One of our past presidents, Theodore Roosevelt, fully realized the significance of this story when he said that this world won't be a good place for any of us to live in, until it is a good place for all of us to live in.

### Commenting

Upon

### Arts and Letters

Edward A. Doering

#### Come to the Theater!

As far as matters theatrical are concerned, the present week is probably the most brilliant in the history of Cincinnati for the last several years. To begin with, another road show has been brought to the Cox and is meeting with the approval of critical audiences daily. The show is "Dangerous Corner," by J. B. Priestly, a play which enjoyed long runs both in New York and in Chicago. The work itself is quite amusing and intensely interesting. Strange to say, the plot revolves chiefly, not about the leading characters, but rather among ensemble groups of the supporting players. In this respect the cast was chosen with discrimination, for the supporting roles are capably performed in the hands of Betty Hanna, Donad Koehler, Charlotte Wynters, Grandon Rhodes, Isabel O'Madigan, and others. The stellar roles (need we mention it?) are correctly executed by two former screen stars, Herbert Rawlinson and Beverly Bayne. Incidentally, next week at this theater we shall witness the first local playing of Noel Coward's famous play, "Design for Living." The lead in this production will be taken by another well-known movie actress, Corinne Griffith.

Of still greater importance to the theatrical life of the city is the week of repertory being presented at the Shubert Theater by Miss Eva Le Gallienne and her New York Civic Repertory Company. "Alice in Wonderland" and "Romeo and Juliet" have been given so far. Both were beautifully done with cast constituted completely of real artists. The former play will be repeated twice today, once tomorrow evening and also at Saturday's matinee. Saturday evening will bring the only performance of Ibsen's drama, "Hedda Gabler," which closes Miss Le Gallienne's engagement.

#### Attend the Concert!

At the Symphony Concert on Friday afternoon and Saturday night

Madame Elizabeth Rethburg, lyric soprano, will be presented. She will sing the Beethoven aria "Ah! Perfido" and a group of Strauss songs. Schumann's Overture, "Manfred," "Morocco," a Symphonic Tableau by Ernest Schelling, and the Sixth Symphony will complete the program. In our comments on this Symphony last week we unfortunately neglected to mention its second movement. This section, entitled "Scene by a Brook," is of ethereal beauty. Beethoven is said to have been inspired for it while walking along a little stream in a woods near Vienna. In grateful memory the Viennese, who appreciate such things, have erected a monument to this movement at the legendary spot beside the brook where inspiration is said to have come to the composer.

#### Read this Book!

Walsh's biography, "Isabella of Spain—the Last Crusader," is a book eminently worth the time given to its reading. It deals with a most interesting period of history in the first place, and is concerned with the life of one of the greatest women who ever lived, Queen Isabella, who brought the nation out of the depths of degradation to its position as the greatest of world-powers, who made possible the discovery of America (without pawning the crown jewels as tradition has it), who changed the destiny of every nation of Europe. Mr. Walsh is always sympathetic toward the much maligned Isabella but never prejudiced; his comments and opinions are backed by substantial documen-

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#### We Reach the End!

With this edition of the *Xavierian News* our term as columnist must end. We sincerely regret the termination of our work and will always look back with pleasure to the time

we spent in "Arts and Letters" in bringing to the attention of others those things which, in our opinion, make life worth while. We extend our best wishes to our successor and say a short "Farewell" to our readers, for our space as well as our time has reached the end.

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# IT TAKES HEALTHY NERVES

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### IRVING JAFFEE

(At Right)—Again Jaffee makes a thrilling finish as he speeds to victory! Winner of 1,000 medals and trophies, including three Olympic Skating Championships, Jaffee has brought the highest skating honors to the U.S.A. Asked recently if he was a steady smoker, Jaffee said, "Yes—but that goes for Camels only. I have to keep my wind, you know, and healthy nerves."

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# Jest Gossip

By Otto B. Schott  
Xavier's Bla-Blod

Not so long ago we wrote in this "call-em" something about there being "plains" out in Missouri. We've received a communication, from Missouri, that we are, geographically speaking, incorrect. This person informs us that our geography is "putrid"; that there are mountains in Missouri; that St. Louis is called "Mound City"; that St. Louis is twice as big as Cincinnati.

And being ever courteous, we say we're sorry for the fox pass. In fact, we had the map of Missouri confused with that of Maine... both of them beginning with an M.

Some Namby-Pamby sort of a Xaverian, resenting our occasional outbreak in honor of the Muses, asked us if we would print this for him in this col'm. For your information we wish to state that the gentleman who sent in this piece of poetry is a brilliant chemist, beside taking to other things.

### CO ; or Carbon Dioxide

If Carbon Dioxide  
Would replace "peroxide"  
Many a blond, earnest feminist  
Would turn amateur chemist.  
They'd have a frequent breathing motion  
To keep them supplied with bleaching to-  
tion.

And the above chemical dig will no doubt cause some biting of upper and lower lips, tapping of feet in high heel shoes, and also some humming and hawing by the members of the "fair" sex. But we know some blonds that are actually nice girls.

This "fair" sex idea again prompts us to communicate with the nine daughters of Jupiter and write:

### NOT THOMAS

There must be an anti-septic  
For such an anti-septic,  
He believe all make are true,  
To which we say, "Pooh, Pooh."

And since Ray McCoy is leaving the editorial chair, and some low-brow is taking his place, we want to do something too. So we're making an agreement with those who read this banality that in case they wish to see their Mus-ic promptings printed in this section of voidness, all they need do is to send it in and if it is printable, it shall be printed. Fearless journalism. Or what-not!

## Pros & Cons

by REGINALD WILBERTON  
WAPOOSE, '86

Well, Reggie wandered instinctively into the News Sanctum for the last time. Many "fans" will doubtless mourn his passing but that is to be expected. You can "please" all of the people some of the time and some of the people all of the time, but you can't "please" all of the people all of the time. What brought that up? We don't know. Just a reflection.

Among those News celebrities who will shed bitter tears when Mr. Reginald Wapoose '86 takes his departure will be the estimable Otto. Dear Uncle Otto. It is with the deepest sorrow that we part com-

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**Avez-vous vu?**  
Reggie had the "misfortune" to miss the fine French drama given here in town the other night. All the boys have been talking about it—whether they had the "good fortune" to see it or not. Who was it who said that "news spreads like wildfire?"

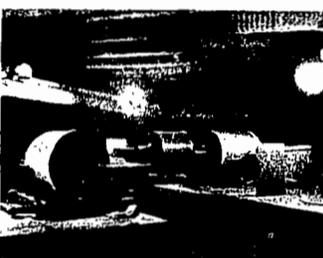
Withal and to wit Reggie backs out of the picture with the grandiose bow made famous by D'Artagnan and his comrades of Musketeer fame. Merry Christmas everyone. It has been a pleasure to have known you.

## Sodality Notes

Xavier's contribution to the National Triduum of Masses and Communions, the Christmas gift of America's youth and Sodality to the Holy Father, surpassed the most optimistic hopes. The three days chosen for the fulfillment of this offering were December 8th, 9th and 10th. During that time Xavier Sodality attended 536 Masses and received 475 Holy Communions!

The reception of new members in to the Sodality will take place tomorrow, December 15th, at 11:00 a. m. in the Chapel. The sermon is to be preached by the Reverend M. Lochbiler, S.J., Professor of English at Milford, the seminary of the Society of Jesus.

A surprising amount of interest has been shown lately in the Students' Mission Crusade. Monday afternoon witnessed the reorganization of the Xavier Unit and an election of a President to head the Unit. William Young, a senior and the chairman of the Mission Committee, was unanimously chosen to head



this department of the Sodality. Arthur Volck, in view of his experience and interest in the Crusade, was chosen a representative at the discussion of a dance and card party to be sponsored by the C. S. M. C.

## Alumni

'25  
Phil J. Kennedy, president of the Varsity "X" Association, was elected to the School Board of St. Bernard, Ohio.

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Harold W. "Buck" Green, former Musketeer quarterback, and coach of minor sports in 1925, visited the Alumni Office prior to the Thanksgiving Day game and discussed the formation of a Xavier Alumni Club in his home town, Washington, D. C. Further plans will be worked out after a survey of the capital territory.

'22  
Leo E. Spaeth, formerly of Cincinnati, is associated with the American Sales Book Company of Peoria, Illinois.

Leo V. Dubois heads the Greater Cincinnati High School League, succeeding another Xaverian, Dr. M. Scott Kearns. Mr. DuBois will supervise the awarding of the Xavier University Athletic Council Trophy, which will be given annually to the League champions.

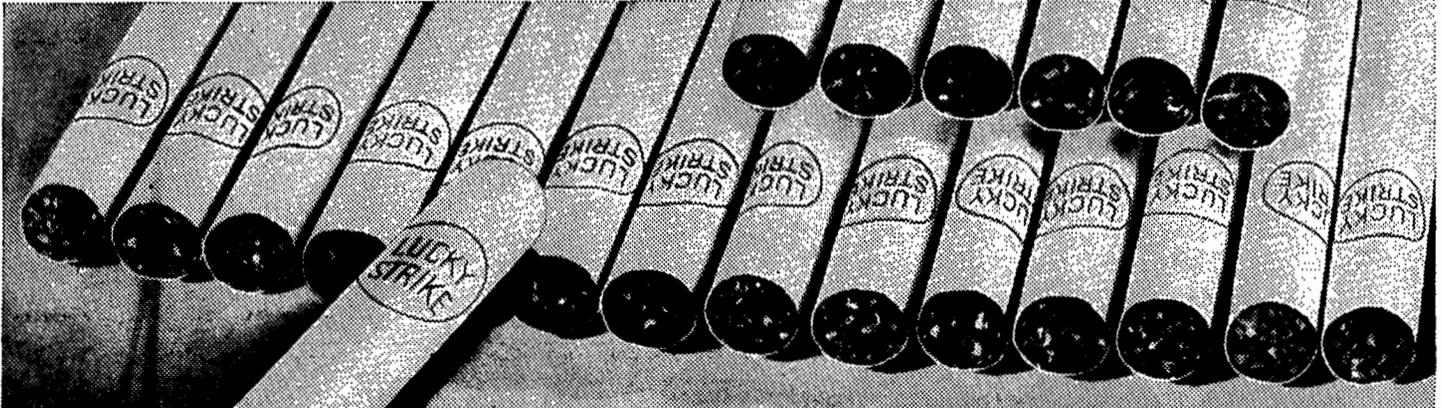
'31  
David F. Harmon, former Musketeer grid captain, and Mrs. Dorothy Eilerman, were united in marriage Thanksgiving Day by Rev. Alphonse L. Fisher, S.J. The ceremony was performed in the President's suite of the Biology Building. Attendants were Thomas J. Daugherty, Class of 1930, and Miss Judy Cooper. The groom is a district manager for the Kellogg Company of Battlecreek, Michigan.

A deep seated earthquake which probably originated in eastern Siberia was recorded at the Xavier University Seismograph station on Monday, December 4. Father Stechschulte, S. J., head of the seismological department, said that the quake which occurred at about 2:30 p. m., was a severe shock followed by minor tremors.

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## Actor Speaks Of Career

English Students Hear Practical Lecture On "Stage"

Herbert Rawlinson, well-known screen and stage actor, favored a large gathering of students Monday with a personal appearance and related to them some interesting sidelights of his career as an actor. Mr. Rawlinson told them of his experiences in the "movies," the hardships encountered in the filming of early motion pictures.

Until six years ago, Mr. Rawlinson was in active picture work in Hollywood, when he returned to Broadway to the legitimate stage, where he will devote the rest of his life.

Commenting on the great work of Mr. Oberfelder, who is endeavoring to revive the "road," by offering Broadway productions at movie prices, Mr. Rawlinson voiced his confidence in this venture.

"There has been a decided impetus to the interest of these road productions in all the cities comprising Mr. Oberfelder's chain, within the last few weeks, and there has been a marked revival similar to the interest shown a few years ago in these productions."

Mr. Rawlinson is appearing this week in the current production "Dangerous Corner," at the Cox Memorial Theater.

Assuring the students of a pleasant evening at the theater, the actor invited his audience to attend one of the performances this week.

## Noted Priest Speaks At Taft

Cincinnatians See Motion Pictures Taken In Remote Wilds Of Alaska

Several thousand Cincinnatians turned out to hear Father Hubbard at the Taft Auditorium last Sunday and they were rewarded with one of the outstanding performances of its kind in the country.

They met a unique personality, a story telling genius, a scientist with the ability to communicate his science to the layman, a clear-voiced speaker, a daring adventurer, a zeal-

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Father Hubbard brought with him two hours of remarkable motion pictures taken in the remote wilds of Alaska and the Aleutian Islands. By this means he took his audience vicariously to regions never before penetrated by man; and he gave visible evidence of his unusual stories that seemingly appear "Munchausenish" (to borrow his own phrase.)

Father Hubbard was brought to Cincinnati by the Xavier University Alumni Association. While here he was the guest of President Hugo F. Sioctemyer, S. J.

He was on the air Sunday evening from 6:00 to 6:15 over Station WLW. J. H. Thuman headed the Alumni Committee that arranged for his appearance here.

## SENIORS AND JUNIORS HEAR FATHER PERNIN

The Junior-Senior assembly was addressed by the Rev. Claude Pernin, S. J., Professor of English and Journalism, Wednesday morning. He reminded the students of the Feast of the Immaculate Conception, and urged them to offer their Holy Communions for their mothers in her memory.

## Rings To Be Ordered Soon

Chairman Walters Announces Prices Of Rings And Pins For 1935

Important announcements were made Tuesday by Edward Walters, '35, Chairman of the Junior Ring Committee concerning the price of this year's Class-rings and pins.

The prices for the senior class rings this year will be as follows:

If 70 pieces of Jewelry can be contracted for, the rings will be \$12.95 and the pins \$6.85.

If 50 pieces of jewelry can be contracted for, the rings will be \$13.50 and the pins \$7.50.

The rings this year will be of the same quality as those of previous years. It was through the bartering of the chairman that the prices of the past year will prevail, taking into consideration the increase in the price of gold, and the Federal Tax placed on each piece of manufactured jewelry.

For the benefit of the students

who wish a ring of better quality, Mr. Walters announced that a ring containing 2 pennyweights more of gold can be secured for \$21.00. The rings of higher quality will not have the hollow-backs as will the rings of the lesser price. The more expensive rings will weigh 11 pennyweights.

The company to which the contract is to be awarded will send a representative to the University this week to secure sizes for the rings. Deposits of five dollars will be collected for the rings and \$2.50 for the pins. This is being done to assure immediate production, and because the Christmas holidays begin next week, deposits must be made as soon as possible.

## BAND TO ENTERTAIN AT BASKETBALL GAMES

With the opening basketball game Tuesday evening at the Xavier Field House, the Blue Coats of the Musketier Band were again present to give the many fans their latest collegiate melodies.

Mr. McEvoy, S. J., Moderator, has announced a proposed Band concert to be given sometime after the first of the year.

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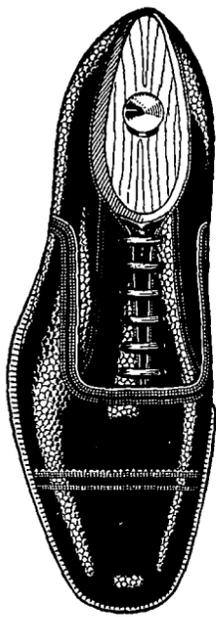
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