Mermaid Tavern
Election New Host

Robert E. Austin, liberal arts junior from Kansas City, to be the host of the Mermaid Tavern, campus literary club, for the coming year. He succeeds William J. Kyle, Jr., who graduates in June.

This appointment was made possible through the generosity of G. C. W. Rice, who has supplied the tavern with its name. The original owner of the tavern was James T. Rice, who died in 1938.

Senior Club Picnic
Date Set As May 8

Frank J. Nielsen, chairman of the Biological Sciences department, has announced that the annual campus picnic will be held on Saturday, May 8, at Sharon Woods, report that the picnic will feature a baseball game in the early afternoon.

At the regular meeting of the club last Wednesday two interesting speeches were given by S. E. Schuster, associate professor of botany, and Lawrence E. Rinck, arts freshman. The topic was "The Economy of the University and its relationship to the students." The speeches were made to the members of the student body and the staff of the university.

ROTC Instructor
Transferred To Ft. Bragg, N. C.

Technical Sergeant Kenneth D. Shaw, for six years a member of the ROTC class, was transferred last week to Fort Bragg, N. C., to serve as instructor of the artillery school. He is the first member of the class to be transferred to the artillery school.

Seniors Invited to Dinner Dance

The senior ROTC cadets of Xavier have been invited to attend a dinner-dance to be held at the Pavilion Caprice in the Netherland Plaza on Friday, May 13, according to a statement by Major Clinton S. Berrien, professor of military science and tactics. The occasion will be the annual Ball, to be held in the Science Hall entrance and on the grounds of Xavier Union.

J. N. Fine tours are planned for the entire program. William A. Heinemann, president, and Lawrence E. Rinck, arts freshman, are in charge.

SPRING DINNER IS POSTPONED

The Annual Spring Dinner, held consecutively for fifty-two years under the auspices of the Dante Association, has been postponed until next Fall. This announcement was made by Michael D. Centner, Jr., president, with a brief resume of the club's history.

Four Guns Sent to Pine Camp, N. Y.

Major Clinton S. Berrien, professor of military science and tactics, announced yesterday that four of Xavier's 75 mm. guns have been sent to Pine Camp, N. Y., for active duty. The guns were donated by the club last year, and are now being used by the army.

Four Guns' $19,000

The cost of the four guns is $19,000. The club has paid the entire cost of the guns, and is now looking for further contributions to help defray the cost of the guns.

Dante Club To Lecture Today

Members of the Dante Club will present "A Pilgrimage to Lourdes," an illustrated lecture on the miracles of the Virgin to Bernard, this afternoon. The lecture will be given by Michael D. Centner, business manager, and Lawrence E. Rinck, arts freshman.

An annual banquet, held at the University Union, will be held on Wednesday, May 14, at 7:30 p.m. The banquet will be attended by all members of the club, and will feature a talk by the guest speaker.

Dante Club's annual banquet, at which offices for the coming year will be elected, was discussed this week by the officers. A definite date has not been decided upon.

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Major Clinton S. Berrien, professor of military science and tactics, announced yesterday that four of Xavier's 75 mm. guns were transferred to the National Armored Division at Pine Camp, New York. This transfer still leaves sufficient equipment here for the needs of the military department, Major Berrien stated. The four pieces were shipped by the enlisted personnel.

HEIDELBERG TO DINE MAY 17 AT GRAMMER'S

The Economics Club will hold its annual meeting on the 17th of May, at 7:30 p.m., at the Heidelberg Club. The meeting will be attended by all members of the club, and will feature a talk by the guest speaker.
We don't intend to sponsor any candidate for office, himself into the tight shirt, grab-for oneself. But today both sides would attempt to the human race in a naturalistic struggle for the survival individual parts, the relationships between them, but to keep the whole question. Nobody thought of a single viewpoint as being final and in- changeable viewpoint on any topic - by looking at but one breath, guest columnist next well for the student who gets perstition. Mediocrity, the man who couldn't think, for dear life.

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Naturally, there are others who will come up, such as the qualifications of the candidate, parallel with the requirements of the office. In all of these matters, the voter should analyze as far as he is able. The one, em- phatic question he should ask himself is: "Is this the type of candidate I would want to represent me?"

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**IM Bowling All-Stars Named; Softball Opens**

Selections for the first Musketeer All-League Bowling team were announced last week by Innsmurale Director Larry Heim after the championship match between the Kampus Keglers and the Musketeers had been played. Both teams were awarded two matches since their teams had won the first two games of the series. The Keglers came back like the champions to take the final two matches and the title by 748-695 and 777-656.

**Softball League Opens**

The Softball Day League, with eight teams entered in the race for the playoffs, opened last week with Steenbrock's Stoners upsetting the Nomads, rolling up 15-8 runs to 5-6. The Nomads returned to beat the Kampus Keglers, 6-0, as Larry Heim rounded second and shut out his foe. Another pitcher chafed up a shout when Mel Reynolds, last season's top hurler, cut out Sherman's Wonders, as the Gannets won, 5-0.

The other scheduled contest last week was played three times before it finally settled with Brung.~·

**Handball Finals**

The handball tourney reached the semifinal stage at the start of this week, but at press time the results of the matches were unknown. The final will probably be played Friday. Jim Farrell and Tom King were to meet in one of the matches with Geising and Stranlan meeting in the lower bracket.

The table tennis tourney is in its third round with all the favorites except Farrell coming through unscathed. Farrell was eliminated by Ray Pater.

After diligent inquiry it was learned that the Banquet plans would be ready for unveiling by the time next week's issue of the News is ready to go to press.

**Coach Seeman Announces Net Seedings**

Erie Seeman, newly-appointed tennis mentor, announced team seedings this week after watching each of the practice daily court skirmishes. Walt Maloy, sophomore finish was placed for the number one hole by Coach Seeman.

Holding down number two position will be Paul Siegel, who will meet his first outing even though the season has just started. The next two positions fell to Joe Erskine, the lad from Louisville, and John Hayden, Kelly, the Chicago slugger, who will be numbers three and four respectively. The latter two are both members of the News sports staff.

Stan Keller was named for number five, followed very closely by another Louisville contender, Ed Burke, who took number seven for the press.

Dr. Seeman, however, spoke very tentatively of the main part of tennis activity and that program. Essentially he would allow a higher rating by proving himself better than one who holds a higher rank.

These boys should be heard from plenty in the future as representatives of Xavier tennis. Their first match will probably be against Dayton's net men. This encounter will be at Dayton, with possibly a return engagement on the courts here.

The seedings:

1-Walt Maloy
2-Paul Siegel
3-Joe Erskine
4-Ed Burke
5-Stan Keller
6-Joe O'Neill
7-Ed Burke

**Pistoleers Drop Close Match To Kenton Club**

Resuming their shoulder-to-shoulder play, Xavier's Pistoleers, shooting in their usual hard luck, once again took it on the chin as their opposition was supplied this time by the Kenton Country Pistol Club, firing for the first time on the Blue range. The visitors banged out a 1381-1258 victory over the Musketeers, the Keglers had more or less of a bad night. Abner led the field for the blue, taking individual honors with a very respectable 264 target, but the remaining Musketeers who placed were below the 250 mark. Kephues scored 249 and O'Neill, as usual, was among the top men with his 245 total. Rank, Gaskill and Win­ nemaker were the other pistoleers to place for the home squad, all close shaming in the 230's. The other standout of the tournament was the most perfect match which the Pistoleers had ever fired at a match. The Pistoleers were the national champion in the district.

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"Catholics Cannot Afford To Be Luke Warm"—Otto

Press Conference Delegates Discuss "Peace Through Personal Sanctification."

Speaking before over two hundred delegates to the Louis­ville Catholic School Press Conference that was being held at Ursuline College, Rev. Robert L. Otto, professor of journalism at Xavier University, and Our Lady of Cincinnati College, and a member of the editorial staff of the Cincinnati Post, placed the blame for the inactivity of the Catholic laity on the American Catholic. Mainly on the offensive and content to remain there, he advised the delegates that they are morally obligated to share their convictions with others, despite the fact that they would be construed as neglecting Otto also said that in the past, Catho­lics have ignored the opportunity to bring to their non-Catholic neighbor principles so proudly proclaimed, yet so little known.

He declared that "A Job for the Catholic Press, Today and Tomorrow" is furthered the theme of the entire convention, "The Function of the School Press for Peace through Personal Sanctification."

Representing the Xavier University students at the Conference were James L. Centner, editor-in-chief of the Record, managing editor, Lawrence L. Splain, feature editor, and Mr. A. V. Kurucz, faculty moderator. The conference was opened at 9:30 A.M. in the Chapel of the Immaculate Conception, cele­brated by Rev. Alfred F. Horri­gans.

Following the Mass was the opening address, at which the ad­dress of welcome was given by the Rev. Felix N. Pitt, Ph.D., head of the philosophy department, depart­ment at Ursuline College. Dr. Pitt spoke on "The Purpose of the Conference." Sister Mary Louise, head of the School of Education, spoke on "Approaches to Catholic Author­ship." The closing address was given by the Rev. Charles B. Dillard, chaplain of the English Department and Department of English, University of Louisville.

Panel and roundtable discus­sions followed. Speakers and their topics were: Miss Ruth De­vlin, the last president of Xavier's College, "Crouching through the School Paper; Miss Virginia H. Grill, the Xavier College, "Catholic Standards for the College and High School Magazine"; Miss Dorothy Paschall, Ursuline College, "Objectives of the School Paper." Sister Mary Jean, of Saint Xavier High School, Louis­ville, "Influence a Paper 'Ces Wiel.'" Afternoon sessions featured addresses by the following: Sister Mary Kathleen, Sacred Heart Academy, "Living up to Catho­lic Standards"; Miss Camille De­tell, "What the Record Likes to Print"; Rev. Donald J. Patricus, Xavier High School, "The Fight for Catholicism Among the Press"; Miss Genevieve Guiney, Holy Rosary Academy, "That Education"; Miss M. F. Magee, Rhone, Loreto High School, "Organizing and Managing a School Pa­per"; Miss M. A. Eklos, Naz­areth College "Literary and the School Newspaper"; Miss Mary Rhi­ferty, Ursuline College, "The Gossip Column and Family Cro­mation"; Sister Mary Aquinas, Presentation Academy. "Liter­ture, the Background for Jour­nalistic Writing"; and Miss Mary Margaret Whitehead, Marquette University College of Journalism, "The Catholic Jour­nalist Looks at National Defi­.

Concerts Are Scheduled By Choral Group

The Choral Club approaches the final phase with three concerts scheduled for the first part of May.

The first concert will be sung at Our Lady of Mercy Acad­emy in Westwood on Friday, May 4. On Wednesday, May 7, the club will appear at the Pa­wskill Club. The third of the series of concerts will be given at the Hotel Alma on Sunday, May 11. This last concert is open to the public.

It was announced at the Choral Club's last rehearsal that a party will be held at the home of Wal­ter Daye, arts, Jr., member of the Choral Club, Roosevelt College, and Neuus and Muskedixx staffs on Sunday, May 11.

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A two color advertisement concerning Xavier University will appear on the rear cover of the Jesuit Mission, an activity devoted to promoting Jesuit Missions throughout the world.

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