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OBERLIN ORCHESTRA FEATURED

SYMPHONIES TO HIGHLIGHT REPEAT PERFORMANCE



Thursday, November 10, the Oberlin Orchestra, a leading organization from one of our country's finest music conservatories, will return to the Ashland College campus as the second program in the Concert-Lecture Series for the year 1955-56. The performance, which begins at 8:15 P. M., will be held in Memorial Chapel.

The orchestra is maintained by the Oberlin Conservatory of Music for the professional training of advanced students.

Each year a number of concerts are prepared for neighboring communities or for major tours. The organization made its New York debut in Town Hall in 1952.

The conductor will be David R. Robertson, American conductor and educator. Mr. Robertson has conducted orchestral clinics and festivals in more than twenty states of

the Union, and has appeared as guest conductor of several professional orchestras.

The program will include: Beethoven's Symphony No. 5, the most powerful of that famous composer's nine symphonies; El Amor Brujo by De Falla, a symphonic suite taken from the ballet of the same name, it is a marvelous example of local colour in Spain; and Strauss' Till Eulenspiegels' Merry Pranks, a symphonic poem based

Work on Year Book Begins; "Joe College" To Be Theme

Another school year has started, bringing with it a new yearbook and a new editor. An editor can't do all the work herself so she has a staff to assist her. This staff includes two kinds of people-those who actually work and those who don't. Those who are willing to, and actually want to work are hard to find. There may be 15 staff members working the first few weeks of production. As school gets farther under way, assignments get longer, work gets harder, term papers become due, exams must be given. The staff begins to decrease slowly, then a little faster, until you end up with 4 people putting out the book. Any student who has been editor of his high school annual can verify this. In other words, I need helpers. After pictures start coming in there will be plenty of work. Watch for chapel announcements.

The staff, as it stands now, consists of five people:

Editor: Kay Douglas Ass't Editor: Lynne Conway Bus. Mgr.: Jim Firestone

Ass't Bus Mgr.: Jim Rowsey Sports Editor: Al Brady Faculty Advisor: Prof. Snyder

It's possible that many students don't know how a yearbook is put together and what work it entails. The work is not hard at all. It consists mainly of trimming the pictures and pasting them on cardboard to be sent to the engraving company. Copy must be written and students identified in group pictures. It's up to the editor and business manager to worry about bills and other fine points.

Our theme this year is "Joe College." He makes his way through the book visiting different events and organizations and makes himself at home on the campus-a typical college man.

Club pictures will be taken beginning next week. Announcements will be given in chapel and will also be posted on the bulletin boards. Organizations are large this year and I would like all members to be present for these pictures. If all club presidents will please write up a paragraph of

on a folk legend.

Mennonite Missionary Speaks in Chapel

Those who attended chapel on Friday, October 28, were privileged to hear Rev. Litwiller, a missionary from the Mennonite Church of America to South America. Rev. Litwiller told us about the revolution in Argentina and explained some of the reasons for the revolution. He also gave us an interesting account of the work of the Mennonite and the Brethren missionaries in South America.

their club's purpose, activities, membership, projects, etc., it will help us out. They can be turned in at the Pine Whispers box-Box 6 -in the Business Office.

I also have a request to make of all Seniors. Please get your graduation pictures taken as soon as possible. You may choose your own photographer and have him make a glossy print no larger than billfold size that we can use for the book. This means all January, June, and August graduates.

Student Council Issues Include Key, Circle K Petition and Conference

Student Council met Monday afternoon at 4:00 for their regular meeting this time since the first number of the Concert-Lecture Series was held on our regular meeting night. Our Council president, Chuck Huff extends his thanks to all who took part in any way to make Homecoming the success

The list of names for the KEY student directory has finally been compiled. Esta Belle Doerres and Lynne Conway volunteered to help the KEY editor, Sondra Miley, get things in order for publication. The Council hopes to have the Directory in the students' hands in just a few weeks.

The Executive Committee met last week and set up the Student Council budget for the first semester. It was presented to the Council members who agreed to accept it as planned.

Circle K is petitioning for admittance to the Council and their

new constitution was presented for approval. Each student Council member is asked to read this constitution carefully before the meeting next Tuesday, Nov. 8.

Kent State University is sponsoring a Student Council Conference to be held on their campus Friday and Saturday-Nov. 11 and 12. Any Council member wishing to go please see Chuck as soon as possible. A similar conference was held at Baldwin-Wallace last year but Ashland was unable to send any representatives. This year we would like a good representation from A.C. How about it Council members?

Christian Endeavor Urges Membership

Anyone who is interested in joining College Christian Endeavor is invited to attend the next meeting on November 6th, at 6:30, in the Park Street Brethren Church.

College C. E. is a very lively group of young people who enjoy coming together on Sunday evenings for fellowship and fun. The purpose of C. E. is the same as any church youth group such as M. Y. F. or Luther League-a time of inspiration, fellowship, worship, and a good time.

Membership is open to anyone who is interested. It is a non-denominational organization; and many members belong to such denominations as Methodist, Presbyterian, Lutheran, and Brethren. The average attendance is thirty-

The meetings are varied in nature, depending upon the committee which plans them. There is no set order of service. The entire pro-

gram is put on by C. E. members. C. E. is now having an attendance drive which began October 30 and will last until November 20. The theme for those four weeks is "Each One Reach One," and an attendance goal of sixty has been

The activities of the organization are directed by a cabinet composed of the officers. They are: President, Jim Rowsey; Vice President, Richard Kuns; Secretary-Treasurer, Lila Miller: Social Chairman, Janet Klingensmith and Jim Fiscus; and Publicity Chairman, Jerry Flora.

The cabinet is now in the process of laying plans for the future. These plans will be announced

Frosh Discuss Finances

Friday, October 28, was the date of the first Freshman class meeting since class elections. Jim Ganyard, the newly-elected president, presided. The class officers were introduced and then the following items of business were discussed. Professors were nominated for the position of class sponsors. Class members voted, but the results have not been announced Moneyraising campaigns were suggested. A motion was passed that the Frosh be assessed class dues of seventy-five cents. Finally, it was announced that plans were under way for a Freshman Get-Together.

Congratulations to the Freshmen on their enthusiasm. May you be successful in each of your endeav-

Capacity Crowd **Hears Bennett Cerf**

Those who attended the first of the Concert-Lecture Series on October 25 witnessed one of the biggest crowds ever assembled in the college chapel. Bennett Cerf, popular TV panelist and head of Random House Publishing Company was the speaker of the evening. Mr. Cerf spoke on the necessity of looking at every situation with a sense of good humor. By using his wealth of experiences he illustrated his points colorfully.

Following the lecture there was a period during which the audience was encouraged to direct questions to Mr. Cerf. The lecture and question-answer period both proved to be highly entertaining to the enthusiastic audience.