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## "ON TO CINCINNATI" TO SEE GREAT GAME

Wildcats to Meet the Best Team Ever Turned Out at the Queen City College.

## DON'T MISS THE TRAIN

The Wildcats' second hard game of the season comes next Saturday when they meet the strong University of Cincinnati team at Carson Field in that city. The whole strength of the mighty Wildcat machine will be thrown again the combination that Coach George Little has whipped together in University of Cincinnati.

The Cincinnatians are busily preparing for the Wildcats, as reports from that city show and their team will receive some great support from not only the students of the school but from the general public as well. The following despatch from Rhine-land shows how we stand in the eyes of the football fans there and the strength of their team:

"When Kentucky State meets the University of Cincinnati team at Cincinnati it will bump against the finest gridiron aggregation that has ever represented the black and red. Coach George Little has not only whipped together a powerful ultra-organization of the defensive and offensive kind, but has instilled a spirit which has been sadly lacking in former years. The boys have caught some of the coach's fire and pep and in a game they are a live bunch, kidding, knocking, boasting and petting each other into daring deeds and wondrous tackles.

"Every man is a star in his own position, with two and three men ready to step into any one of the eleven positions in case the first man used does not play an almost faultless game.

"The squad this year is the largest that has ever represented U. C. and every man is hustling to hold a job on the first line. The game that U. C. put up against Kenyon made the rooters gasp. Kenyon beat Western Reserve and expected a picnic with U. C. but the manner in which the Black and Red backs tore through the Kenyon line made the Kenyon rooters shudder.

"The defeat of U. C. by Ohio Wesleyan was a fluke, as Wesleyan was equipped with mud cleets which U. C. had failed to take along and floundered around on the muddy field like a fish out of water.

"The work of Ted Baehr, fullback, struck horror in the ranks of Kenyon. He tore through on every attempt for six yards and more. U. C. is not underestimating Kentucky State. Not by a jugful. They have a wholesome respect for Kentucky, remembering

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## LEXINGTON PLAYS FRESHMEN FRIDAY

Fresh From Cynthiana Game Colts Will Attempt to Trim Local High School.

Undaunted by their defeat at the hands of the heavy Louisville Male High School team the Lexington High eleven are coming out to Stoll Field Friday afternoon and attempt to tame the Freshmen. The Freshmen easily defeated the strong Cynthiana team in their own back yard last Friday and consider last Friday's contest easy.

High School has a couple of good players in Robertson, at quarter, and Shouse, at end. The former showed up especially well in the Louisville game, making practically all the gains for his team. Coach Stewart, who is handling the Cuckoo eleven this year, also has the High School team in charge and claim that they will give the State yearlings the fight of their lives before the game is over.

## FRESHMEN EASY VICTORS OVER C.H.S.

Colts Outplay High School Boys and Win Easily, Score 31 to 0.

## MANY STUDENTS GO

The Freshmen team journeyed to Cynthiana last Friday and defeated the High School team of that place by the score of 31 to 0.

The Freshmen scored in every quarter except the third, when the Cynthiana team strengthened and held. At no time did the High School aggregation threaten to cross State's goal line.

Grabfelder, Rodes, Britton and Sturgeon played a star game for the Freshmen, while Dix, Royer, and Durbin performed best for the High School boys.

About two hundred supporters and the cadet band went over with the team in their special train. Such support is encouraging to the teams and causes them to work harder than they would knowing that nobody cares whether they win or not.

The line-up:  
Freshmen. Positions. Cynthiana.  
Haydon .....LE..... Huffman  
Hickerson .....LT..... Dix  
Spalding .....LG..... Ingles  
Dempsey .....C..... VanDeren  
Simpson .....RG..... Land  
Server .....RT..... Ammerman  
Sturgeon .....RE..... Royer  
Rodes .....QB..... McClellan  
Kinne .....RH..... Poindexter  
Grabfelder .....LH..... Mellrain  
Britton .....FB..... Durbin

## ALUMNI DEFENDS ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES

Mr. J. M. Sprague, of Birmingham, Makes Valuable Explanation.

## NO RINGERS AT KY.

Since what they themselves term their "disastrous Kentucky trip," the Mississippi team has done a lot of thinking. The following is a clipping from the Birmingham Daily News, of October 23:

No Ringers at Kentucky, Says President of Alumni. There's always two sides to every question.

A day or so ago the Sporting Editor of The News was informed, by one who probably does not have the best interest of Kentucky State at heart, that that school used ringers.

Today he is informed by the local president of the Kentucky Alumni, who does have the best interest of that school at heart, that Kentucky State is absolutely clean and scrupulous in her athletic activities.

The Sporting Editor of The News believes in fair play, and having given Mr. J. S. Counselman's side of the story, he now receives a communication from J. M. Sprague with welcome. The letter of Mr. Sprague follows:

Birmingham, Ala., Oct. 22. Sporting Editor Birmingham News: Dear Sir: In justice to the Kentucky State University and in order to put the facts before the public regarding the system of athletics at Kentucky State, I would ask that the following be published in reply to several questionable statements that have appeared in The News since the defeat of Mississippi A. & M. by the Kentucky team.

To quote Mr. Counselman, "If Kentucky lived up to their former reputation in preparing for the contest, they probably had several ex-stars from Michigan and other Western universities in their line-up." In a way of explanation would say the old Kentucky University (now Transylvania University) ceased to exist under that name in 1908 and the team that defeated Mississippi A. & M. Saturday was Kentucky State University (previous to 1908 State College of Kentucky).

I would ask the Editor of "On the Level" column where he gets his information that the question of clean college athletics is so little regarded at Kentucky State. As a matter of fact, Kentucky State University is a member of the S. I. A. A. and has been for several years. The Editor of "On the Level" column states that, in speaking of Kentucky, "I always has a pretty good sprinkling of ex-stars from Western gridiron squads and, etc." I now ask either of these parties to produce a single case of ineligibility in the Kentucky State line-up.

The Kentucky State University alumni of Birmingham, in behalf of the university, respectfully ask that this be published.

Yours very truly,  
J. M. SPRAGUE,  
President Birmingham Alumni Kentucky State University.

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## ELECTION OF HONOR SYSTEM OFFICERS

Meeting Will be Called Wednesday at Regular Convocation Period.

The election of officers for the student governing organization will be held Wednesday at the usual convocation hour in chapel. The meeting will be called to order by the vice-president, Wayland Rhoades, the constitution of the organization will be read with a few explanatory remarks following.

All students of the university are expected to be present and to participate in the affairs of the student governing association.

## ANNUAL'S EDITORIAL STAFF HAS MEETING

Work Outlined and Steps Taken Looking Toward Publication.

## TO HAVE OWN OFFICE

The editorial staff of the 1915 Kentuckian held its first meeting Friday October 23, at 3:30 o'clock, in the Journalism department. The members comprising the staff are: Owen S. Lee, editor; Ralph A. Morgan, art editor; associate editors, A. B. Leibovitz, R. S. Ehrlich, Clyde P. Taylor, R. B. Taylor, Wm. H. Noel, Christine Hopkins, Marguerite Schweers and Herbert D. Graham, Junior editor.

The meeting was informal and was given over to a general discussion of the plan to be followed in compiling and publishing the Annual.

It was decided to meet every two weeks for a time, with more frequent meetings as the time for publication approaches.

It is thought that the next meeting, on Friday, October 30, can be held in the new editorial room which is being fitted up across the hall from the Journalism Department. This room will be used by members of the Kentuckian and IDEA staffs.

A suggestion, which will be carried out at once, was offered that an Annual box, similar to The IDEA box, which is placed at the entrance to the Main building, be placed at a conspicuous point to receive contributions from the students. Any one having a story, poem, joke, drawing or snap shot which he thinks might be used, should place it in this box. Snap shots are especially desirable.

Mr. Morgan, art editor, has ten or twelve assistants. The contract for engraving has been given to the Indianapolis Bureau of Engraving.

Announcement was made that the "K" dance brought in about one hundred dollars, which is nearly twice as much as has been obtained from this source in previous years.

## EARLHAM BADLY BEATEN BY THE WILDCAT SCRUBS

Kentucky Team, Composed of Second Team Men, Run Up High Score.

## PASSES EFFECTIVE

In another runaway contest the Wildcats licked the Earnham College team, of Russellville, Indiana, by the score of 81 to 3. The game was featured by the handling of the forward pass by the Wildcats, getting away with nineteen of them to their opponents' none.

Coach Brumage used most of his second string men in the game and had the regular Varsity line-up been used, a larger score might have been made. Gumbert, Clark, Birk and Jake all handled themselves like veterans and gained at will through the Hoosier's line. Tuttle and Hite were being rested for the Cincinnati game next Saturday, but they were not missed. As usual, Park played a fine game, making five touchdowns and kicking nine goals, besides starting all the forward passes. The longest and the most sensational run of the game was made in the first quarter when "Fats" Thompson grabbed the kick-off from Earllham and copied Jim Park's stunt in the Wilmington game by running through the whole Earllham team for a touchdown.

The Wildcats started scoring right off the real. After receiving a kick on Earllham's forty-yard line and returning twenty yards, Captain Park shot a long forward pass to Wright, who carried the ball over for the first touchdown. Scott and Thompson scored touchdowns in this quarter, both making nice broken field runs. Park kicked all three goals.

Earllham's only score came in the third quarter, when after a series of long runs by Logan and Bond, the former dropped a nice goal over from the fifteen-yard line. This was the only time that the Earllham team seemed dangerous. After this Park made two more touchdowns and kicked both goals, making the score at the end of the half, Kentucky 35, Earllham 3.

In the third quarter the Wildcats scored four times. Wright went over twice on long forward passes and Park scored the other two runs. Park, Clarke and Wright went over in the last quarter in which the Wildcats used the forward pass to a great advantage. Spruce and Bond pulled off some pretty runs for the Hoosiers in this period, but at critical moments the Wildcats held them in check and they were unable to come near scoring.

Bond, Logan, Thornton and Spruce played well for Coach Whiteside's eleven, while Morrish, the visitor's

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center, also showed up well. The visitor's center also showed up well. The Hoosier's coach remarked after the game that the Wildcats had the forward pass down as near to perfection as he had ever seen by any team.

The line-up:  
Kentucky State. Earlham  
Wright . . . . . LE. . . . . Bruner  
Crutcher . . . . . LT. . . . . Kelsey  
Smith . . . . . LG. . . . . Kenneman  
Petrie . . . . . C. . . . . Morrish  
Corn . . . . . RG. . . . . Calvert  
Thompson . . . . . RT. . . . . Semler  
Schrader . . . . . RE. . . . . Winslow  
Park . . . . . QB. . . . . Logan  
Gumbert . . . . . LH. . . . . Thornton  
Scott . . . . . FB. . . . . Bowen  
Clark . . . . . RH. . . . . Bond  
Touchdowns—Park, 5; Wright, 4; Thompson, Scott, Clark. Goal from Touchdown—Park, 9. Field Goal—Logan. Substitutions—State: Birk for Clarke; Jake for Gumbert; Clarke for Birk; Gumbert for Schrader; Peak for Wright; Birk for Jake; Wright for Peak; Rice for Crutcher; Tuttle for Gumbert; Schrader for Scott; Reed for Petrie; Sturgeon for Clarke; Earlham—Cpruce for Bond; Mills for Kelsey; Darnell for Logan; Hutton for Bruner. Referee—Henry, of Kenyon. Umpire—Caswell, of Georgetown. Head Linesman—Larson, of Chicago. Score by Quarters—State, 21, 14, 16, 20—81. Earlham—0, 3, 0, 0—3. Time of quarters, 12½ minutes.

Everybody is going to Cincy—Round Trip \$1.50.

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**MINING**  
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J. W. ATKINS HERE.

Mr. J. W. Atkins, '14, a graduate of the Mining College, was in town for a few days last week.  
"Bill," immediately after his graduation, accepted a position with the Standard Oil Company. A corps of engineers was to be sent to South America and Bill was to be one of the party. They reached New Orleans, but from there were recalled to New York, whence they were to go to Europe. This trip was prevented by the outbreak of the European War and Bill is now at work at Stearns, Ky. He says that things will be opened up sufficiently by January 1st for the work to be again taken up in South America, and that he will go there.

**JUNIORS SEE EXCAVATION WORK**

Tuesday at the fourth hour, the class in drilling, quarrying and excavating, journeyed with Professor Barr, to the new L. & N. yards, where extensive improvements are being made. Here they saw, in operation, the various types of drills, about which they have been studying, also the various methods of blasting and the removal of broken material.  
Trips of this character are undertaken quite often by the various classes and are always a source of great interest and quite valuable to the students.

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**"THE PRINCE OF PILSEN."**

"The Prince of Pilsen," the tureful musical comedy by Pixley and Luders, will be the attraction at the Ben Ali Theatre, matinee and night, today. It has been the lot of few musical comedies to survive the vicissitudes of a half dozen seasons, but "The Prince of Pilsen" seems to stand in a class alone and its re-current visits serve to add popularity. Its familiar story has always an air of freshness, its songs are dainty and poetic and the Luders music suggest spontaneity and inspiration rather than the reminiscent plerifings of made-to-order compositions. In vocal strength the present company is one of the best yet heard. John W. Ransome is again seen as "Hans Wagner" with "splintered" speech." Eda von Luke is the widow, Geraldine De Rose the Sidonie, and C. Burke Scott, the lieutenant.

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**"THE GIRL OF MY DREAMS"**

Delightful Musical Play.

"Refined and charming musical play," as the Chicago, Philadelphia, Boston, and New York observers declare, is "The Girl of My Dreams," which will be seen here at the Ben Ali Theatre matinee and night, next Saturday.

It is notable they say, for the "infectious lift of its melodies and for the especially artistic performance of Countess von Hatzefeldt in the leading feminine role of Lucy Medders and Harland Briggs as Harry Swifton, the bachelor, who is "ready to quit and be good."

This delightful musical play has been enthusiastically received in all the large eastern cities including a successful run at the Criterion Theatre, New York City. A large and excellent supporting company includes Irving Brooks, Roberta Taylor, Bud Murray, Marie Grenier, Adele Bou-laise, George Carpenter, John Berkson, and Harry Humphreys, the original De Luxe pony ballet and a big American beauty chorus.

**HONORARY ATHLETIC FRATERNITY SECURED**

State to Have New Body Allied With the Sigma Delta Psi.

Through the efforts of Dr. W. L. Anderson, Director of Physical Education, a chapter of the honorary athletic fraternity, of Sigma Delta Psi, has been secured for State University, and will be installed within the next few weeks. This is a National organization, founded at Indiana University in 1912 and now has fourteen chapters in the larger universities in the East and Central West.

The object of the organization is to encourage comprehensive physical training and development among college students. The membership consists of the charter members, full members and Junior members. The charter members are chosen from the faculty and act as the committee on certification. The following have been selected to found the chapter at State: President H. S. Barker, Dr. W. L. Anderson, Dr. J. W. Pryor, Dr. John J. Tigert, Mr. J. D. Turner and Prof. C.

P. Weaver.  
In order to qualify for membership, undergraduates will be required to make certain records in field and indoor events, which will be given on application.

**CONCRETE PAVEMENT LAID ON THE CAMPUS**

Professor Terrell's Squad of Civics Looking After the Important Work.

Concrete pavements are being laid on the campus from the Gymnasium to the Main building, to the rear of the main building and past the old dormitory to the commons.

These walks have long been needed and will add to the material comfort of all as well as to the looks of the campus.

The new work will comprise 4,000 square feet of walk, which will cost approximately \$550.

Gus McGrath, of this city, has the

contract and is directing the work. The walks were laid off by members of the Civil Engineering Department under the supervision of Prof. D. D. Terrell.

Professor Terrell desires a concrete walk laid also in front of the Civil building before bad weather sets in, the construction of which, he says, could be entirely in the hands of students of the College of Civil Engineering, material for its construction being furnished by the University and could be laid at a cost of six or seven cents a square foot.

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# Agricultural

## DAIRY TEAM WINS SEVENTH PLACE

**P. E. Richards Was Second High Man in Whole Contest.**

The dairy team will probably return from the National Dairy Show at Chicago, Thursday or Friday, accompanied by Prof. J. J. Hooper, who went with them to the big contest.

In a contest of sixteen teams the Kentucky boys as a whole team won seventh place, and although it is of course a disappointment both to the members of the team and to their friends, it is still somewhat consoling to think that there are more teams that ranked below the boys from Kentucky than there were that ranked above them.

Mr. P. E. Richards, of the Kentucky team, was second high man in the whole contest and first on judging Ayrshires. This gave him the \$400 Ayrshire scholarship, good at any agricultural school in the country, in case he wishes to specialize in dairying.

Mr. Richards has demonstrated his ability in other lines of agriculture while a student here, and was last year chosen as a member of Alpha Zeta, in recognition of his work.

The College of Agriculture of the University of Ohio won first place.

## "COST OF CLEANLINESS" DISCUSSED BY ECONOMICS

The Home Economics Club held its regular meeting Monday afternoon. The subject for consideration was the "Cost of Cleanliness." Miss Speck presented the subject from a general viewpoint and Miss Burrier considered it from a more specific angle, taking up particularly the subject of clean mills.

After discussing the diseases which are traceable to the numerous causes, Miss Burrier concluded that clean mills was in the long run less expensive than contaminated mills and that the remedy for our present situation lay in the co-operation of producers, transportation companies, dealers, housewives, health officers, private social agencies and an informed, active and exacting citizenship. A beginning has been made along these lines through inspection of mills and the willingness of the housewife to pay more for pure mills.

## SOPHOMORE NIGHT AT "AG" SOCIETY

"Sophomore Night" at the Agricultural Society Monday night was one of the best meetings of the year and the attendance was good. Of the seven numbers on the program all were presented and included some excellent work.

During the business meeting at the close of the program, Messrs. J. E. McClure, F. O. LaMaster, Angus Gordon and Henry Lewis were initiated.

## FAT STOCK TEAM HAS BEEN SELECTED

The judging team that is to represent State University at the International Fat Stock Show at Chicago early in December has been chosen by Professor E. S. Good, who has been doing most of the coaching of the team this fall. The members of the team are to be S. J. Lowry, W. K. Clore, Wayland Rhoads, W. D. Sutton and J. W. Worthington. J. H. McConnell was chosen as alternate and will accompany the team to Chicago.

## NEW BOOKS RECEIVED AT STATE'S LIBRARY

One Hundred and Fifty Volumes Cover Main Practical Themes.

Approximately one hundred and fifty volumes were added to the University library last week, on various subjects. The Home Economics library of modern knowledge, consisting of some eighty volumes, and the works of the modern dramatists, Ibsen, Materlinck, Shaw, Mackaye, Rostand, Synge and Yeats are the most valuable books. Twenty volumes on rural economical and sociology, dealing with the relation of the county churches as a social center, the life and manners of our rural people were also received.

The following books of much interest to college students are now on the library shelves: "The Freshman and His College," Lockwood; Reeves, "Military Education in United States;" Brink, "The Making of An Oration;" "Intercollegiate Debates," two volumes; Minns, "Southern Prose and Poetry;" Kephart, "Our Southern Highlanders;" Manly, "Manual for Writers;" Cooper, "Why Go to College;" Bryce, "South America;" Adams, "Heroines of Modern Progress;" Reed, "Football for Public and Players;" Rittenhouse, "Little

Book of Modern Verse," and Cattell's "University Control."

The library receives regularly one hundred and seventy-five periodicals, of which one hundred and ten are distributed among the various departments for reference work and then returned to the library. Sixty-four were given to the library, making a total of two hundred and thirty-nine received.

The eighth annual meeting of the Kentucky Library Association is being held at the city library this week and on Friday the members will inspect the University library and visit the various departments of the University.

## 4-"K" CLUB ELECTS.

Monday at noon the 4-"K" Club elected the following officers for this school year. Paul Gerhard, president, Raymond Lavercomb, vice-president, J. A. Elmer, secretary and treasurer, Robert Ehrlich, K. Clore and A. J. Elmer were appointed to make arrangements for the Christmas holiday dance to be given by the club in Covington. Later in the school year the 4-"K's" will give a dance in Buell Armory. About thirty members were present.

## STUDENTS NOTICE!

Tickets for the Hallowe'en party may be had by calling at Dean Hamilton's office Friday morning, between 8 and 9 o'clock, or at noon. Every student must have a ticket. No one admitted without a card; and Friday morning in the time to get one.

## TWO WEEKS "CIVIL" COURSE.

Prof. D. V. Terrell, of the College of Civil Engineering at State University, is arranging a catalogue of a short course in rural highway engineering, which will be offered to Kentuckians free of charge and which will open January 4th and continue two weeks.

## UNIVERSITY NOTES

Dean C. J. Norwood of the college of Mines and Metallurgy of State University, left Monday for Stone, Pike County, Ky., where he will conduct a mining institute of three days duration, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of this week.

State University is to have a tennis team next season, it is reported, which will play some of the Northern and Eastern universities. This undertaking is being promoted by Karl Zerfoss, of the Wildcat football squad and Prof. William Anderson, physical director of the University.

## NOTICE TO STUDENTS.

The exchanges that are received by The IDEA are placed each week in the library. Among these are found papers of colleges and universities throughout the United States and from many high schools of Kentucky. Students are requested not to take any papers from the library.

President Barker and Doctor Tigert addressed the Freshman Class on "College Spirit." Both explained how important it was for Freshmen to have college spirit, and in order to encourage it President Barker said that all who went to Cynthiana with the football team would be excused from recitations and as a large number expressed their willingness to go, it was decided to charter a special train.

The Mining Society held a meeting Friday night, October 23, and the following Freshmen were initiated: L. Reusch, J. McCorkle, L. Walters, J. P.

Hill, E. Flocken and J. T. Higgins.

Prof. C. J. Norwood, of the mining college, will attend a miners' institute at Pond Creek, Ky., this week.

Hon. T. B. McGregor, of Frankfort, addressed the Republican Club of the University last Friday evening in the Natural Science Building.

The Transylvania University football team returned last Sunday night from St. Louis, where, on Saturday, they were defeated by Christian Brothers College team 23 to 3. The locals are all loud in their praises for "Pat" Devereaux, Essen, Sacksteder and Gallaher.

Prof. T. E. Karricker has entered upon his duties as instructor of soil physics, filling the place made vacant by Prof. E. C. Jones. Prof. T. E. Karricker comes well qualified, having a B. S. from Michigan and M. S. from the University of Missouri. Although he has never taught before, he has had experience in actual practice.

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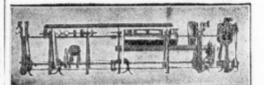
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### PUT NONE BUT SAFE MEN ON GUARD.

There is a liberal representation of alumni on the governing boards of the leading universities of America. The reason for this is obvious. The alumni are educated men. They are deeply interested in the efficiency, reputation and prestige of the institutions from which they were graduated. They are interested in maintaining high standards of scholarship, in the selection of able, well educated men to have charge of the administrative affairs and instructors. On all these conditions they are able to speak for themselves, from observations, from knowledge and from experience.

The Commonwealth of Kentucky, as have many other states, has made provision for representatives from the alumni upon the Board of Trustees of this University. An act of the last Legislature made a practical beginning by adding six members from the alumni, selected by the alumni to the present board of eighteen members, which is already a large body.

The nominating ballots were counted September 15th, from which twelve names were placed on the ballots for final election, all of which ballots must be in the hands of the secretary of the Board of Trustees by noon, December 1.

The IDEA, at all times a partisan of the University, has no desire to offer any selection from the twelve nominees, but urges those who vote to select those who will be of the greatest usefulness in promoting the progress and development of the University. The students desire to see the institution expand and the alumni are in position to accomplish a work which will be of inestimable value to the State and to those who are to follow in their quest for learning.

It is hoped that in the selection pending the voters will choose those and only those who are deeply and intelligently interested in the cause of popular education in Kentucky. Prejudice should be cast aside; capacity, integrity and devotion to the highest ideals of university life and achievement should be the requirements leading to selection.

At this juncture the University needs the services of the ablest of its alumni in order that its progress and development, so marked in the last half dozen years, may be continued.

The IDEA, on its own behalf, and speaking in behalf also of nearly fifteen hundred students and thousands of alumni and friends all over the State and nation, therefore counsels the voters in this unique contest to make choice, prayerfully and only after due deliberation and careful investigation of existing conditions and with eye single to the advancement of the people's university.

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### MISLEADING HEADING WITHDRAWN.

A feature headline that recently appeared in The IDEA, entitled "Out of the Hell Box," seems to have called for criticism from a certain well-meaning quarter.

The term is one which is commonly used in newspaper offices and is intended to designate that commodious receptacle into which broken furniture, ruined type, defaced leads and hundreds of other pieces of riff raff, too numerous to mention, are cast until the printer's "devil" is finally enjoined to box them up and send them to the junk dealer.

It was in this nondescript sense that the heading was used in The IDEA and was intended to indicate merely the flotsam and jetsam of college lore, with and wisdom that float so tumultuously into the editor's sanctum and are too good to be consigned to the waste basket and not sufficiently dignified to be given separate heading.

The IDEA accepts the criticism in the kindly sense in which it was intended, and will not permit the misleading term to offend again.

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### THE DISTRIBUTION OF THE IDEA.

The management of The IDEA wishes to inform all students that they are entitled to only one copy of the paper each week. It would be inconvenient for some one to pass these out when it would be so easy for each student to take a copy from the business agent's office. Every student is welcome to a copy, but please remember that it is placing a hardship on The IDEA to take more than your just share.

### \*\*\*\*\* \* HUM OF THE GADFLY \* \*\*\*\*\*

One sweetly solemn thought

Comes to me o'er and o'er;

I'd rather be a Freshman green

Than a roughneck Sophomore.

—Miami Student

That may be true at some schools,

But not Kentucky State;

For here the Freshman green doth not

Wear hair upon his pate.

It is suggested that the "Buy a bale of cotton and help the South" movement might be changed to "Give a box of grease and help Mississippi."

From the fellow who is always going to get his check next week; from the Freshman who ought to wear an 8 1/2 hat but doesn't; from the sophomore who wears his be-very-decents all winter and wants to tell you about it; from the junior who wants to wager a whole nickel on the game, and the senior who raises a crop of down on his upper lip; from the roommate who never buys his own stamps; from classes on Saturday morning; and the Pat Hall girl who hasn't a book of athletic tickets of her own; from the "cannon law" and "Mighty" Maxson's chemistry lectures; from the first pie cooked by the domestic science freshman and the semi-monthly "dun;" from the chaperones of the dance, and the boy who smokes Pall Malls and offers Old Mills to his friends; from drill; and the fellow who knows that he knows it and wants you to know that he knows it—good Lord, deliver us!

The Michigan Agricultural College has started what it terms a "Get Together" movement. "Red" Horine says that judging from its name it ought to be a good dance.

Now that the faculty has abolished the time-honored custom of clipping the hair of the freshmen, the only way to distinguish one of that species is to observe his actions.

It is rumored that an aero-experimental station is to be established in connection with the University of Cincinnati. Wayne Haffler says that if such a station were to be established here, Spottswood Walford Duke would be the first one to go up in the aero-plane and fall out.

C. M. Harbison, as a journalism student, is very particular not to make mistakes. Only last week when his instructor asked him to write only on one side of the paper, he asked which side.

Jim VanDeren, an "Ag." student, says that freshman heads are beginning to look like wheat fields after harvest time.

The State University Prohibition Club has been organized to compete for \$50 in gold next March. They are lots of fellows who would be willing to hold down a reserved seat on the water wagon for fifty "bones," or any other amount of money.

Commenting on the game of Saturday a week ago, the sporting editor of a Louisville paper says, sez-ze about as follows: "Whenever players grease their pants in order to win a game it is time to get a new deck. It also shows that the tricks of the wrestling game can be used most any old way." We don't need a new deck so long as we can get the same hand when dealt cards from the bottom of the deck, draw treys on place kicks and win the pot in the showdown.

Rufe Watkins says that Tau Beta Pi students are those students who have worked hard for years for the privilege of having to take their meals off the mantelpiece for a week.

"Wildcats Triumph Over Bulldogs," says a headline. If we weren't in a position to know better, we'd think it was a clear case of nature-faking.

In looking over the names of the eligibles for the all-star football team, we note that there is a Peter Rodes, a J. Waller Rodes, a "Doc" Rodes, and a "Doc" Rodes II. With these four on the team there'll be some team; y'know four of a kind are hard to beat.

Transylvania played Christian Brothers at St. Louis Saturday and Christian Brothers won by a score of 23 to 2, due no doubt to the use of Christian Science.

Four straight victories give State 267 points and opponents 16. Tom Taylor says there is still a chance for State to make a good sized score.

In Saturday's game "Touchdown" Thompson made a touchdown from the twenty-yard line on a kick-off and Corn was knocked out. The market report from the gridiron reads: Beef opened at 20 and took a flyer; Corn fell, fluctuated, rose again and remained steady.

Amateur Night, Friday the 30th, will give some of us a chance to show the unsuspecting public that the only difference between we-uns and the stars of the legitimate stage is merely some hundreds of dollars a week.

### AMATEUR NIGHT

A Most Interesting Program Has Been Arranged by Strollers.

Halloween night offers each and every student a great store of fun, if he will grace the Armory with his presence at 8 o'clock. The Strollers have exerted themselves greatly in preparing the following short program which will open the evening's announcement.

I. Readings and impersonations (girls):

Misses Becker, Powell, Stout, Holton, Berkholder (character song), Cregor, Kavanaugh and Parker.

II. Dramatic monologue (boys): Messrs. Frazier, Dean, Kolbreier, Crowder, Wolf and Adams.

III. Music.

Soule & Co. (eccentric musicians), Miss Agnew (eccentric musician), Mr. Herz (violin solo—classic).

IV. Dancing act:

Messrs. Wilson & Nicholson, buck and wing dancing.

V. One-act play:

Evans & Co.  
The Woman's Club has graciously lent its assistance and will serve refreshments at the end of the dramatic program. Let no starving who has an ounce of energy left, fail to present himself at this feast. Well do we remember the "snake dances" of years past and our mouths water at the mention of the luxuries of this occasion.

Last, but not least to some of us, will be the closing of the evening with a dance. Arrangements have been made off good music and everything is just going to spin.

Come out and be one of us. Just one chance a year! Trip the light fantastic and let joy be unconfined!!!

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At a recent meeting of this branch of the American Society of Mechanical Engineers, Mr. E. E. Maggard, of Morehead, Ky., demonstrated his own invention, "the Cosmograph."

The Cosmograph is a portable motion picture projector of extraordinary efficiency. The machine has a stereoscopic attachment and uses standard film and slides. The outfit complete, weighs, in oak carrying case, twenty-five pounds. The case serves as a stand when machine is in operation and is smaller than a suit-case.

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Mr. Maggard himself operated the machine before the society, showing a film entitled, "The Fortieth Running of the Kentucky Derby." Following the demonstration Dean Anderson complimented the inventor, who is a Kentuckian, and extended the privileges of the college for any further developments Mr. Maggard might undertake.

Later Dean Anderson purchased a Cosmograph for use by the college.

## MECHANICALS TEAM DEFEATS CIVILS

Mechanical Seniors Beat Combination of Civils and Miners 12 to 0.

The Senior Mechanical team met and defeated an eleven picked from the Seniors in the Mining and Civil Departments Monday afternoon, on Stoll Field, by the score of 12 to 0.

The contest turned out to be more like a real football game than was expected, but from the time the mechanicals came on the field in their diaphanous blankets it could be seen

that they outclassed their opponents. The mechanicals scored in the first and third quarter, Ireland and Caywood making touchdowns. Goal was missed in both instances. With one exception the civils never threatened their opponents' goal. In the second quarter they secured the call on the mechanical's five-yard line, but could not advance it further.

## MISS CHINN GOES TO MOUNTAINS OF KENTUCKY

Miss Aubin Chinn, head of the Home Economics Department of State University, has gone to Eastern Kentucky in behalf of the extension work of that department. Miss Chinn will be absent from the University on her work in the mountains about three weeks.

## FROM THE SEAT OF WAR.

The Germans have taken Pilsener and are now surrounding Delicatessen where the Wurst is expected. The Belgian Hares have had a falling-out with the Welsh Rabbit and the Swiss Cheese is shot full of holes. This will make the Irish Stew and the English Mustard hot and if the Russian Caviars the French Pastry it may start a Swiss Movement. The Hungarian Goulash and the Spanish Onions are strong for a mix-up and if the Home Preserves are called out and spread over the German Noodles they may Ketchup with the Navy Beans, thereby causing an uprising of the Brussel Sprouts and the Turkey Trot.

"Now Willie, you know I told you not to go in swimming again."

"I know, ma, but Satan tempted me."

"Why didn't you tell Satan to get behind you?"

"Why, ma! I never had a thing on!"

Our college life is full of strife Upon this earthly ball; We work to earn and live and learn, Then die, and forget it all.

"Hear the story of the new comet?"

"Yes, thereby hangs a tale."

## GIVES TALK ON THE BUILDING OF PLAYS

The Strollers and journalistic students enjoyed a very interesting and instructive talk at the Ada Meade Saturday morning, October 24, by Manager H. Van Gurnee, of the Ada Meade Theater and the Gurnee Vaudeville Circuit, which has its headquarters in this city.

Mr. Gurnee's talk was on the mechanical phase of play producing and technical phase of play writing. He demonstrated how the various effects were produced by combinations of lights; how shades could be made to suit any and all settings; how the scenery was handled and methods used by actors and actresses to get their "stuff over the footlights." He also gave hints as to how to write plays, and precautions to be taken to avoid error.

At the Y. M. C. A. regular meeting last Sunday evening Judge Lyman Chalkley addressed the boys on "Sex Hygiene." Dr. J. R. Stucky, prominent physician of the city, will be asked to speak next Sunday evening.

## AMONG SOCIETIES

### PHILOSOPHIAN.

The Philosopher Literary Society met Wednesday night, October 21, at Patterson Hall. The meeting was opened with a piano solo by Miss Frances Geisel. The welcome address was delivered by the president, Miss Lila Estes. Miss Marie Louise Michot gave an interesting talk on "What is the Philosopher?" Prof. A. C. Zembrod sang two French songs and a German folk song. Miss Marie Becker gave a character reading. Miss Mariam Horine gave a talk on current events. The critic's report was made by Miss Rebecca Smith.

After a reading of the constitution by the president, all students were invited to join the society. Refreshments were served.

### HORACE MANN.

The Horace Mann Literary Society held its weekly meeting in Prof. J. T. C. Noe's class room in the Education building. There was an unusually large crowd present and the program was entertaining.

Professor Dantzier's lecture on revised spelling was instructive. He told of the origin of some of our English words and gave examples of simplified spelling.

Miss Margaret Cassidy read a paper on Riley as a poet.

Miss Marie Louise Michot read an original story and Miss Sue Matthews gave a history of Lexington.

### HISTORY CLUB.

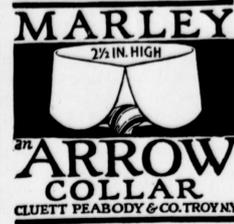
The History Club held a short business meeting Thursday afternoon, October 22, at 4 o'clock, in Dr. E. S. Tuthill's room of the Education Building. Doctor Tuthill presided over the meeting. Mr. C. P. Taylor and Miss Annabelle Grainger were appointed a committee to nominate officers for election.

A program committee, composed of Nat Wood, chairman, Karl Zerfoss, Sue Hunt Frost and Mr. Owen was appointed.

The first Monday of each month at 7:30 p. m. was decided upon as the regular time for meeting.

The Patterson Society held a called business meeting in the basement of the library Wednesday evening. Arrangements were made for the elimination contest which will be held Saturday night, to select the society debating team. It was left to the eight contestants to choose the judges who selected Judge Lyman Chalkley, Professor Baker and Doctor Tigert. Those men trying for the team are J. F. Satley, E. L. Fowler, C. P. Nicholson, G. C. Wilson, J. E. Jones and O. R. Willett.

The Henry Clay Law Society met in the rooms of the Law Department in the Natural Science Building Monday evening and resolved itself into a legislative assembly. B. D. Rountree presided as speaker.



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**ALUMNI DEFENDS ATHLETIC ACTIVITIES**

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The IDEA does not comment. The situation from our point of view requires no discussion.

The action of Mr. J. M. Sprague and the Birmingham Alumni in publicly denouncing the above rumor is indicative of a spirit and interest more than admirable. The IDEA wishes to express the thanks and appreciation of the student body to Mr. Sprague and the Birmingham Alumni.

**A CORRECTION.**

A slight error was made in the report of the Pan Hellenic grades published in last week's IDEA, Kappa Delta winning with an average of 91.1 and Kappa Gamma next with an average of 89.6.

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the 27 to 7 beating administered by State last year, which came most unexpectedly."

Coach Brumage fully realizes the importance of the contest and is preparing his men accordingly. Because the Wildcats administered a defeat comparatively easy last year to the Red and Black team on Stoll Field is no indication that they can repeat as easily with the Cincy bunch in their own back yard. It will take every ounce of energy that the Cats have in them to come out victorious and the support of the school behind them. It is the solemn duty of every able-bodied male student in the University to go to that game in some manner. That Q. & C. special should be crowded to the rail next Saturday morning when it leaves at 8:45 a. m. sharp, for the Queen City.

The probable line up at the start of the game will be as follows:

U. C.	Positions	Kentucky
Palmer	.....L.E.	Wright
Fries	.....L.T.	Crutcher
Morris	.....L.G.	Petrie or Smith
Bryant	.....C.	Bailey
Porter	.....R.G.	Corn or Downing
E. Gregg	.....R.T.	Thompson
Denser	.....R.E.	Schrader
Montgomery	.....Q.B.	Park
Fishback	.....R.H.	Hite
Goosman	.....L.H.	Tuttle
Baher	.....F.B.	Scott

**OWENSBORO HIGH SENDS FRESHMEN**

Twenty-One First Year Men Came to the University from that City.

As a proof that the University is held in high esteem throughout the entire State, the Owensboro High School this year sent twenty-one new students out of a graduating class of fifty-four. Although Owensboro is over two hundred miles distant from the University, the sufficiency and attractiveness of the courses offered induced this large per cent of the '14 class to come here. With this number of new men that school ranks second only to Lexington High of all schools in the State in the enrollment of the Freshman class.

Already some of these new men have made themselves valuable to the class of '18. Robert Hardwick was elected treasurer of the class, having been defeated for the presidency by only a few votes. Jesse Gregory, editor of the High School Voice last year, is doing good work in the journalism department. Ford, forward on the Owensboro basket ball team, which was State High School champions 1913-14, is also here.

Those attending school this year and their courses, are:

- Mechanical—James Hill, Da Casta Maddox, Tom McFarland, Joe Robinson, Arthur Wright, Cary Roberts.
- Arts—Robert Hardwick, Maurice Williams, Robert Davis.
- Agriculture—June Lewis, Russell Hunt, B. T. Fields, Pryor Ringo, Conway Ford, H. C. Cottrell, Wm. Dawson, Riley Dawson.
- Journalism—Jesse Gregory.
- Science—W. Williams, Virginia Stout, Erwina Robinson.

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**PATT. HALL NEWS**  
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Miss Celia Cregor will spend the night with Miss Elizabeth Wright, at Sayre, Friday.

Miss Elizabeth Moore spent Sunday with Miss Natalie Woodruff.

Miss Martha Willis was the guest of her aunt, Miss Sarah Matthews, out in town, Tuesday.

Miss Mary Price was the guest of Miss Elizabeth Moore, Friday.

Miss Laura Lee Jamison spent the week-end with relatives in Cynthiaiana. Miss Martha Willis got a telephone call Monday night.

Miss Aubyn Chinn has gone away on an extension trip through the mountains for three week.

Miss Linda Purnell was the guest of her brother, Sunday.

Miss Elizabeth Rodes spent the night with Miss Carleton Brewer, Wednesday.

Miss Elizabeth Moore was the guest of Miss Mamie Taylor Wednesday night.

The Kappa Deltas entertained with a delightful luncheon Saturday.

Miss Elizabeth Frohman spent the week-end at her home in Fayette Park.

Bisses Mattie McMurtry and Marian Horine spent the week-end at their homes in Nicholasville.

Miss Nat Woods was the guest of Misses Vivien De Laine and Justine Stricker, Monday night.

Miss Sarah Meglone spent the week-end with her parents in Paris.

Miss Elizabeth Eldridge was the guest of relatives in Paint Lick last week-end.

Miss Elizabeth Crow spent the week-end in Versailles.

Mrs. Kavanaugh, of Lawrenceburg, was the guest of her daughter, Miss Aleene, Saturday.

Miss Lois Ammerman spent the week-end at her home in Cynthiaiana.

Misses Ina Darnall, Mary Howard, Judith Beard, Ludie Hollowell, Elizabeth Colegrove and Mollie Johnson went to Argyle Saturday on the geological trip.

Miss Pearl Bastin was the guest of Miss Annie Louise Whitworth last Monday night.

Miss Ruth Cassidy, from Versailles, was the guest of the Alpha Gamma Deltas, Sunday night.

Misses Mary Oglesby and Clara Whitworth spent Sunday with Miss Pearl Bastin.

Misses Marie Stamper, Mary Hamilton, Ruth Corbin and Mary Gruber spent Sunday with Miss Kathrynne Wiley.

Miss Florence Lutkemeier from Frankfort, will spend the week-end with her sister Miss Carolyn Lutkemeier.

Misses Aleene Edwards and Bessie White will be the guests of Mrs. Edwards and friends in Cincinnati for the week-end.

Misses Lois Bartlett and Annie Hodges were the guests of Mrs. Terrel and Mrs. Yeaver at a tea last Wednesday afternoon.

Miss Marie Stamper spent the week-end at Patt Hall as the guest of the Alpha Gamma Delta Sorority.

Dean Hamilton and Miss King will entertain the State Library Commission at lunch, Friday. After lunch the guests will be taken over the University grounds and farm in machines. The advanced and beginning library classes will attend the meetings.

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