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OLIVET GLIMMERGLASS



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OLIVET NAZARENE COLLEGE

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 1953

HOMECOMING TODAY

Gala Parade New Feature Of Tip-Off

Crowd of 2,000 To Attend Game

10 Floats In Festival

A new feature will be pinned onto the Olivet College Homecoming, Tip-Off, today when a parade will march through the downtown areas of Kankakee and Bradley representing the student body, administration and the Alumni Association.

The group will leave the campus at 1:30 p. m. for the trek into the local communities.

This will be the first year for the parade although the Homecoming event has been held 11 years.

There will be at least 10 floats sponsored by various clubs and organizations on the campus and many other cars driven by alumni, students and faculty members.

Banners are to be provided to identify the Olivet cars in the parade and there are expected to be at least 75 vehicles in the procession.

A student-faculty planning committee has been in charge of making arrangements for the parade-activities. It was composed of Dr. R. Wayne Gardner, Dr. A. Bond Woodruff and Dr. John Cotner, faculty members; and Walter Loftice, Al Wells and Darrell Holland, student members.

OK Fellows? Next Week Is 'Twirp-Week,' Girls Work Hard

Twirp-Week, the one week in the year at Olivet College when it is legal for a girl to ask a fellow for a date, will be held next week for the ONC coeds.

Sponsored by the Women's Residence Association under the leadership of President Jacqueline Spencer, this event is the time when the girl makes the date, picks the fellow up, takes him out, and pays all expenses.

Included in the week's activities are a family style dinner in Miller Dining Hall Wednesday evening and a chapel program on Thursday.

The week is climaxed by the "big" party on Saturday night when a combination scavenger hunt and treasure hunt has been planned by Phyllis McGraw, Marjorie DeBooy and Miss Spencer.

Wagon Wheel To Hold Grand Opening Tonight

The Wagon Wheel, under the management of Wendell Kizzee, will hold its "grand opening" tonight at the Tip-Off basketball game after having been closed for the past two weeks for some extensive repairs.

The student recreation center improvements were made under the direction of the student council with the college administration doing some of the work.



Ready To Hop On Alumni

All keyed up for tonight's battle against the Alumni five is the "O" Club team. Looking through the big "O" they are (left to right): front row — Chuck Taylor, Bob Meyers and Wendy Parsons; second row — Jim Mitchell and Chuck McCullough; back row — Jay Arledge, Bud Johnston, Elmore Wilson and Don Williamson. Moe Hughes was absent when the picture was taken. —(Photo by D. J. Strickler).

12th Annual Tip-Off Is Tonight

Tonight's Tip-Off affair will be the 12th consecutive November that the Olivet lettermen have challenged their youth against the "weight and experience" of those with degrees ranked under the name of Alumni.

Last year's encounter slightly capped the entire Tip-Off picture. With the Olivet team ahead 6-4 in games staged, an Alumni win would have been very profitable to the benefit of the series.

However, very strong underdogs, the "O" Club pulled through, thanks to Chuck McCullough and Cal Johnson, to set the present series rate at 7-4 in favor of the lettermen.

Started In 1941

Tip-Off, the name at least, was originated in 1941, but this was merely the start of intramural basketball. The actual Homecoming affair, with the Alumni engaging the "O" Club, however, didn't start till Nov. 10, 1942, when the Alumni won out, 30-28.

The grads went on to win in '43, '44, and '45, but haven't won since,

with the lettermen winning seven straight.

Some of the members of the '42 team, coached by Prof. Marvin Taylor (currently in doctor's work at Pitt U.) were Ed Harmon, George Snyder, Wendell Wellman, Bob Klingner, Willard Taylor, Louis Gale, Beryl Spross, and Cecil Crawford.

A few women's names popular then were Esther Kendall, Jane and June Starr, Marge Howe, Vivian Ferguson, Jean Strahl, Dorothy Knight, Marge Leitsch, Carol Meyers, Virginia Beals, Betty Brown, Donita

1953 Tip-Off Queen To Be Crowned Tonite

For the second straight year five Olivet young ladies will serve in the court of the Tip-Off Queen at the 12th annual Homecoming celebration tonight.

In the court are Miss Donna Imel of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; Mrs. Marilyn Mattax of Racine, Wis.; Miss Leah Dell Phillips of Des Moines, Iowa; Miss Jacqueline Spencer of Burlington, Iowa; and Miss Marilyn Starr of Jackson, Mich.

The Queen court selections were made under the auspices of the Glimmerglass in an all-student election, and then in another election the girl to reign as queen was chosen.

The crowning ceremony will be held between the girls' and men's games tonight at which time the Queen of the 1953 Tip-Off will be announced.

Olivetians Come From 23 States—5 Nations

Twenty-three states and five countries are represented among the students of Olivet College this year.

Illinois, thanks partially to the Kankakee area, leads the enrollment with 181 students. Indiana closely follows with 170, and Ohio, with 158, comes in third. Ninety-two students represent Michigan, thirty-five Iowa, twenty-four Missouri, and twenty-two Wisconsin.

A total of sixty-four students come to us from outside of our educational zone. Those states and districts represented are New York, Kansas, Akron District in Ohio, California, Minnesota, Florida, Utah, Arkansas, North Dakota, Kentucky, West Vir-

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A Homecoming spirit permeates the Olivet College campus today with the advent of the 12th annual Tip-Off event.

An expected 1,000 alumni and their families are anticipated for the gala celebration which began at 10:30 a. m. with the Alumni chapel program and will be climaxed at 8 p. m. with the "O" Club-Alumni basketball game.

A welcome was extended the alumni by cooperative campus movement when signs were provided for the downtown areas of Kankakee and Bradley. A large banner was stretched across the 200 block of East Court St. in downtown Kankakee welcoming the alumni back to the Olivet campus.

With the large crowd of graduates returning and the present student body and faculty on hand an overflow crowd of 2,000 is expected for the 12th annual Tip-Off basketball game tonight. The girls' tussle starts at 6:30 p. m.

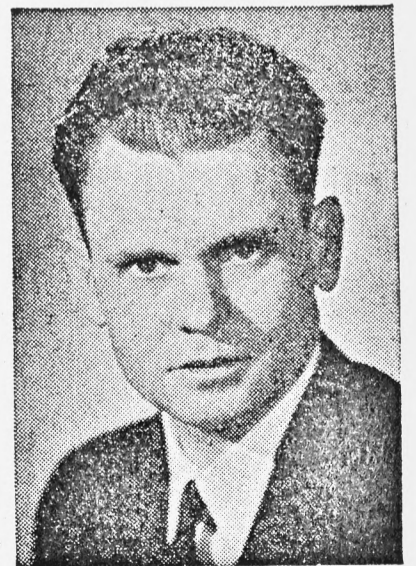
Starr In Charge of Chapel

Dr. Donald Starr, president of the Alumni Association, was in charge of the chapel service this morning. The speaker was the Rev. Leslie Parrott, an Olivet alumnus now serving as pastor of the Flint, Mich., First Church of the Nazarene.

The Orpheus Choir and the Olivet Orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Walter B. Larsen, also performed in the chapel service.

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Rev. Howard To Speak In Missionary Lectures



REV. EVERETTE HOWARD

Rev. Everette Howard, superintendent of the Texas-Mexican District of the Church of the Nazarene, and returned missionary from the Cape Verde Islands, will be at Olivet College next Thursday through Sunday to speak for the annual Missionary Band lecture series.

Rev. Howard will be speaking on Thursday and Friday in the morning and evening, Saturday evening, and Sunday.

Before holding his present position, Rev. Howard and his wife were Nazarene missionaries in the Cape Verde Islands for 16 years.

VanSeggen, and others.

Past scores:		Past Tip-Off Scores	
1942	Alumni 30	—	"O" Club 28
1943	Alumni 34	—	"O" Club 27
1944	Alumni 38	—	"O" Club 20
1945	Alumni 36	—	"O" Club 30
1946	"O" Club 38	—	Alumni 26
1947	"O" Club 30	—	Alumni 22
1948	"O" Club 35	—	Alumni 23
1949	"O" Club 74	—	Alumni 38
1950	"O" Club 49	—	Alumni 40
1951	"O" Club 50	—	Alumni 43
1952	"O" Club 51	—	Alumni 47

Thorpe Draws Name Plate

Bill Thorpe, a freshman from Springfield, Ohio, drew the new name plate which appears on this issue of the GLIMMERGLASS.

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Inquiring Reporter

By Dennis Hill

QUESTION: Would you, as a student of Olivet College, prefer the Lyceum presentations such as the recent Mary Canberg Concert or the all-school barbecue on Friday or Saturday night?

Ora Smith, sophomore—"On Friday nights there are basketball games and work. Saturday night is more or less a free night, and should activities be held on Saturday night it would be lots easier to attend them—from the standpoint of a working student."

Bev Hickler, sophomore—"I would prefer Saturday nights, especially during basketball season. It would also give the working students a chance to attend, and more students might even remain on campus for the weekends."

Linda Cleveringa, freshman—"I think it would be nice if there were events like the all-school barbecue on Friday nights and concerts like Don Cossacks on Saturday nights."

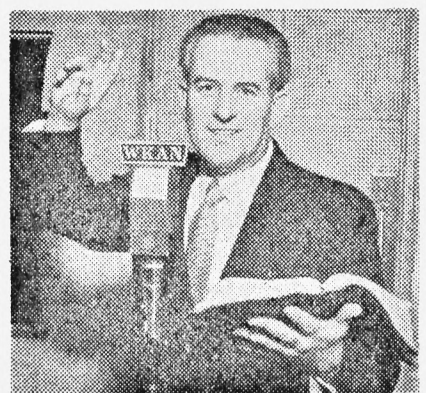
Marvin Hoffert, junior—"As far as I'm concerned, it really makes no difference. However, I think they should be alternated so the working students will have a chance to attend some of the activities."

Donna Diehl, freshman—"I think Friday night would be my idea of a better night for these things. I think they should be alternated once in a while for those that can't attend on that night."

Ada Mae Trimble, sophomore—"I prefer Friday nights because I can sleep later Saturday."

Hilda Hurdle, sophomore—"Either night is satisfactory with me, but I think I would prefer Saturday night since there usually aren't so many activities on Saturday night."

Nees Speaks



By L. Guy Nees

True faith in God is the relationship of one personality to another. Too often we have thought of religion as being just a legal association. There is this legal aspect all right but it is more than that.

It is somewhat like a family. There are, of course, legal relationships in the family but one is not conscious of these relationships nor controlled by them in a normal home where love dwells. So it is in our relationship to God.

In the experience of initial salvation of conversion we come to Jesus Christ as a person. Of course there are the legal facts of justification, adoption, etc. but after one is saved he should be more conscious of the personal, abiding presence of Jesus Christ than of any other fact.

Paul said, "I know whom I have believed . . ." Not just a "what" but a "WHOM"—and what a "WHOM." Now one can sing:

**And He walks with me,
And He talks with me,
And He tells me I am His own;
And the joy we share
As we tarry there,
None other has ever known."**

This personal relationship need never leave us, for Jesus said, "Lo, I am with you always, even unto the end of the world."

This same truth applies to our experience of sanctification.

The Holy Spirit is a Person. The Third Person of the Trinity. Jesus said, "When the Comforter is come, whom I will send unto you from the Father, even the Spirit of truth, which proceedeth from the Father, HE shall testify of me."

In this wonderful experience of the Second Blessing, we surrender ourselves to the Holy Spirit personally. He now is our Comforter, Guide, Strength and Helper in all the times of life.

Don't just think of yourself as merely having an experience, but know that you have a Person. Don't just say I have "it" when testifying of God's saving and sanctifying power. But say I have Him, "Whom to know aright is life eternal."

Smile As Aurora Takes Your Picture

Seventy picture have been taken daily, equaling one every six minutes, this week by the Blankenberg photographer of Kankakee for the Aurora, the Olivet College yearbook.

Two-hundred pictures were taken previous to this week during freshmen orientation. To date 550 settings have been made for the yearbook.

Central Ohio Gives \$14,107 to Olivet

Largest check ever presented to Olivet College was given to President Harold W. Reed last Friday by Dr. Harvey Galloway, superintendent of the Central Ohio District. The amount was \$14,107.

Dr. Galloway presented the money to the school in a chapel service while the Central Ohio motorcade was visiting the campus last Thursday and Friday.

This group was the last of three which visited the Olivet campus this fall on motorcades from the districts. There were approximately 100 persons in the Ohio group.

The other two districts which visited the campus were the Michigan and the Southwest Indiana Districts.

High School To Publish Own Paper—The Sparkplug; Cleveringa-Dale Co-Editors

The Academy students have named their school paper "The Spark Plug" to symbolize the addition to school spirit they hope it will ignite in their student body.

Acting as co-editors, Linda Cleveringa and Don Dale have begun work on the paper and also set up plans for a new student council-pep club, to be named "The Spark Plug Society."

Chalfant Gives Third Annual Lecture Series At Olivet

The third annual Chalfant Lectures were held the week of Oct. 28-Nov. 2. These lectures are sponsored annually by the division of practical theology under the direction of Prof. R. L. Lunsford.

Dr. Chalfant, a former district superintendent of the Chicago Central District, spoke in prayer meeting Wednesday evening, College Church Sunday morning and chapel Thursday, in addition to the 8 lectures he delivered.

His talks were principally directed to the young preachers and the problems they will face in their ministry.

From 23 States

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ginia, Colorado, Tennessee, Georgia, Pennsylvania, Texas and Washington, D. C.

Those countries represented among the sixty-four students are Canada, Cuba, Hawaii, Japan and Guatemala.

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Editorial—Olivetians Do The Job

In the last issue of the Glimmerglass the editorial was headed with the question, "Are You A Shirker?" Since then the answer—NO—has been supplied.

Of course, the editorial ventured the query because of the seeming lack of interest in a proposed Tip-Off parade.

Olivetians have arisen to the task however, and this afternoon, after countless hours of work the past two weeks by faculty and student leaders, the first Olivet College Homecoming parade into Bradley and Kankakee will be held.

At least 10 floats and many other cars will move into the downtown areas today symbolic of the school spirit and fruitful efforts of the student body and faculty.

Because of other activities and lack of money a few clubs or organizations were not able to construct floats this year. But, practically all have voiced their interest to continue the parade tradition next year.

Thus, it is again that Olivetians have proven themselves to be tireless workers, capable of tackling a tough job and making their work meet with high success.

From all indications this afternoon's parade should be an example of the high qualities of workmanship the Olivet constituency possesses.

Glad To See Grads!

There are many things about the Tip-Off event which make it much anticipated by the student body of Olivet College.

Of all the wholesome features of the day one of the most delightful is greeting the Alumni. Many old friendships and acquaintances will be renewed today between present students and faculty members and former students.

The Alumni Association in the recent past has taken positive steps to contribute to Olivet's needs as an educational institution. Among them contributions have been made to the proposed new library building, the green house was constructed, and some new science equipment was purchased.

With the college administration, the faculty and the student body the Glimmerglass joins in saying, "WELCOME BACK ALUMNI."

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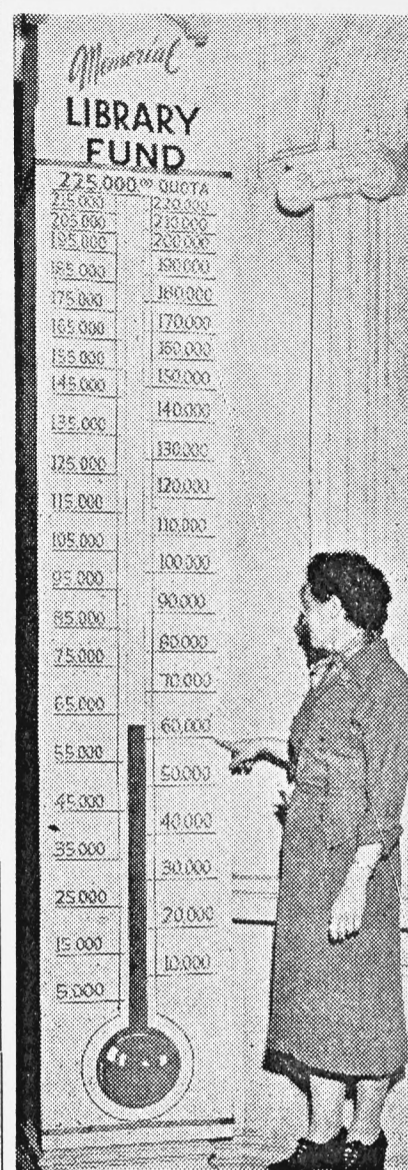
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Miss Ruth Gilley, Olivet librarian, smiles approvingly at the \$61,000 figure which the thermometer in the Foyer of Burke Administration Building shows has been pledged toward the construction of a proposed new Olivet library building at the cost of \$225,000.

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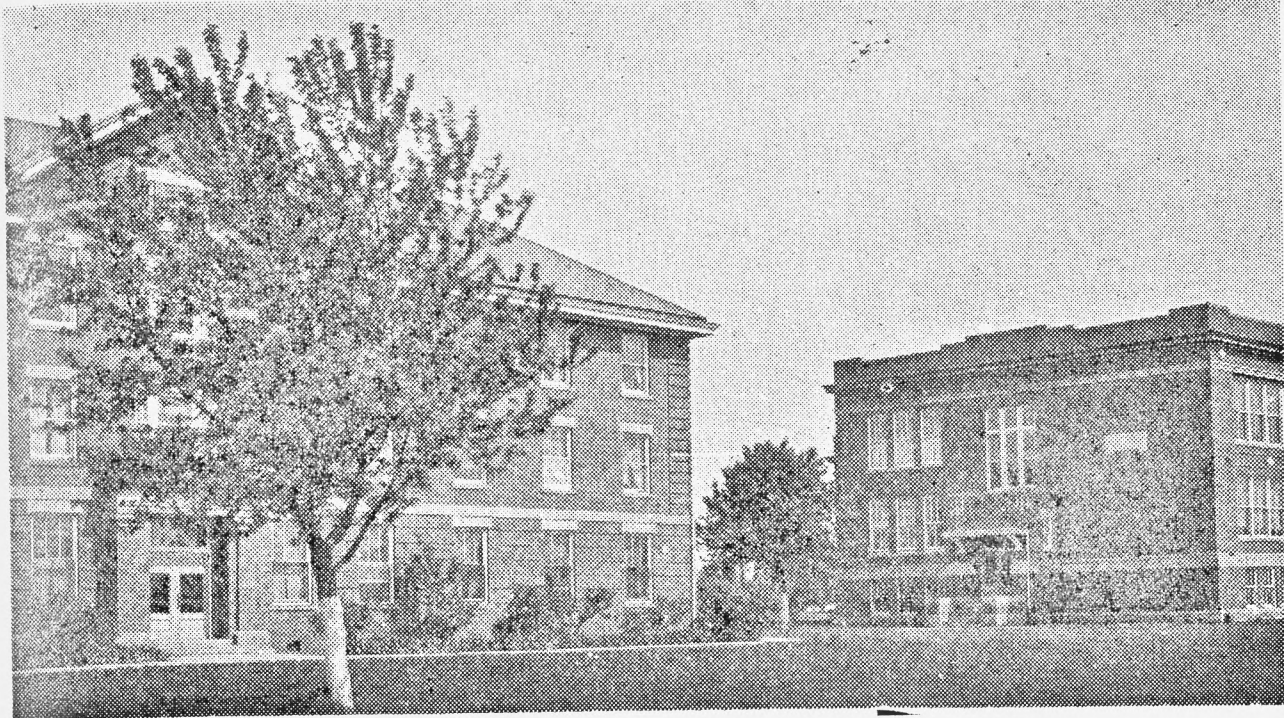
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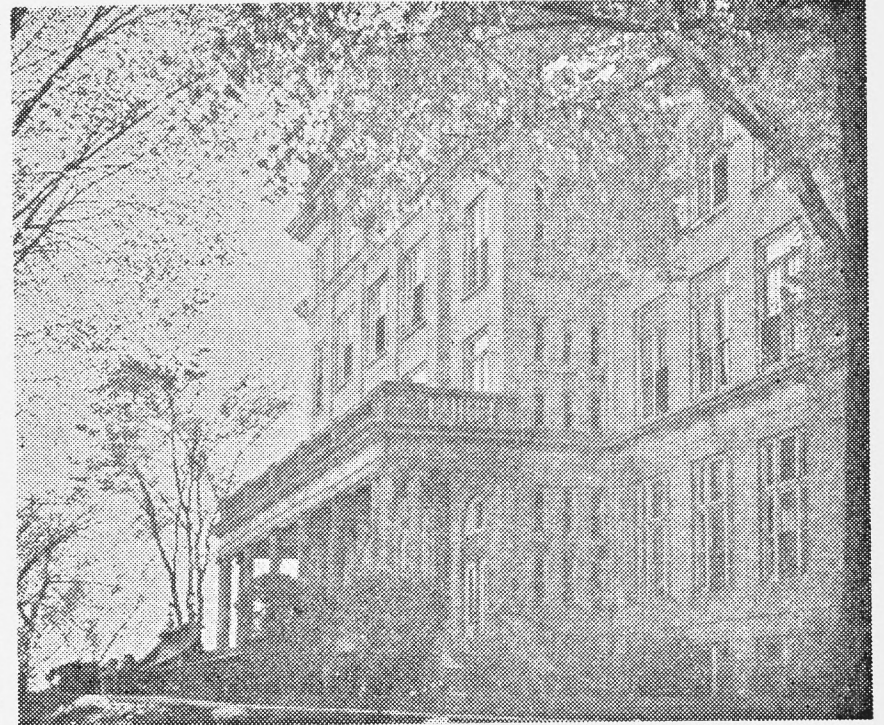
Olivet's 'Old Look'

Olivet's 'New Look'



Olivet Back When

This is how the Olivet College campus looked 15 years ago when it was located at Olivet, Ill. Above is shown the Administration Building (right) which burned in 1939 and Canaan Hall (Women's Dormitory). There were four main buildings on the old campus which presently is the site of a school of another religious faith.



A Better Home

After the fire in 1939 which destroyed part of the "old Olivet campus" the college was moved to its present site in Bourbonnais. This campus contains 108 acres, 11 principal buildings plus a number of residential dwellings. It is valued over two million dollars. Above is shown a side view of the four-story Burke Administration Building.

Religion

In the

SPOTLIGHT



By Millard Reed

The students of Olivet College have concluded that the best possible way to express their appreciation to the alumni is by following the example that they have so nobly set in the past.

We too have let a Christian purpose permeate every part of our education.

Spiritual organizations on our campus are strong. The Student Prayer Band is enjoying a good spiritual year. The Ministerial Fellowship is organizing a church in Braidwood, Ill., under the direction of their capable president, Gene Fuller.

Al Wilson and the Missionary Band are raising funds for a chapel in Japan. Each of these organizations gives an opportunity for advancement in the cause of Christianity.

20 Student Pastors

Our student pastors number 20, not to speak of the many who evangelize on weekends.

Serving on the Northwest Indiana District are George Owens at Indiana Harbor, Joe Niccum at Ova, Russel Turley at N. Judson, Phillip Parks at Stone Bluff and James McCart at the Michigan City Church.

Pastors In Illinois

On the Chicago Central District are the following: Chicago Friendly, Rufus Saunders with Mrs. Lula Williams assisting; West Kankakee, George Psaute; Kempton, Melvin Riddlebarger; Momence, Raymond Barr; Gilman, Walter Frakes; Paxton, Walter Smith; and until the present Walter Loftice has been supplying at the Chicago Miller Memorial.

Melvin Davis is the pastor at the Metcalf Church on the Illinois District.

At Dwight on the Northwest Illinois District is Kenneth McClain. At Sheridan is Joseph Rauch. LaVon Rogers is pastor of the Fairbury Church. Wayne Albright is at the DeKalb Church and Edgar Hamilton at Saunemin.

Pastor at the Grant Park Methodist Church is Booth Cox.

Crowd of 2,000

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At 1:30 the latest Tip-Off feature, a parade into the downtown Kankakee area, will depart from the campus with an expected 75 vehicles to join in the festivities.

Alumni Have Coffee Hour

At 3 p. m. until 5 o'clock the Alumni coffee hour will be held in the William's Hall parlor with the Home Economics department, under the leadership of Miss Jessie Coburn doing the serving.

After the coffee hour a meeting of the executive committee of the Alumni Association will be held. It is composed of Donald Starr, president; Fred Ready, vice-president; Miss Ruth Gilley, treasurer; and Sylvester Smith, executive secretary.

McCullough Works Hard

In charge of making the general arrangements for the Tip-Off basketball games tonight has been Charles McCullough, "O" Club president.

The Girls' "O" Club-Alumni game is slated to begin at 6:30. At the half of the girls' game the brass en-

semble, under the baton of Prof. Carl Bangs, will play.

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Kankakee Color Guard To Perform With Bill Winegar acting as the master of ceremonies there will be several presentations between games including the champion color guard unit from the Kankakee American Legion, the introduction of the players, presentation of the "Old Rusty Keg," the crowning of the Queen and the convocation.

At 8 p. m. the men's game will get underway and at half-time of this contest the Olivetians, a choral group under the direction of Prof. Daniel Liddell, will sing an assortment of musical numbers.

After the men's game the "most valuable player" award will be presented with the trophy donated by the Men's Dormitory Association.

Family Style Dinner Wed.

The first family style supper will be held Wednesday in Miller Dining Hall and if following ones are a success will be continued.

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Campus Clubs Continue Activity; Future Teachers One of Largest

Tip-Off, the most active season on campus, has geared the enthusiasm of the campus clubs into various activities. Several are sponsoring floats for the Tip-Off parade this afternoon.

The Men's Dorm Association announced their officers for this year. They are Cal Mathews, president; Jim Mitchell, vice-president; Bob Crabtree, secretary; Jim Sheckler, treasurer.

Ruth Shearrer, Don Keeling, Ruth Peters, Betty Folkens, Dorothy Dines, Charles Pauley, and Professor Schwada attended the Future Teachers of America Leadership Conference Nov. 11, at Normal University.

"American Education Week" will be observed Nov. 8-14. The F.T.A. sponsored the chapel program Monday in the special emphasis of this week.

FTA now has 103 members.

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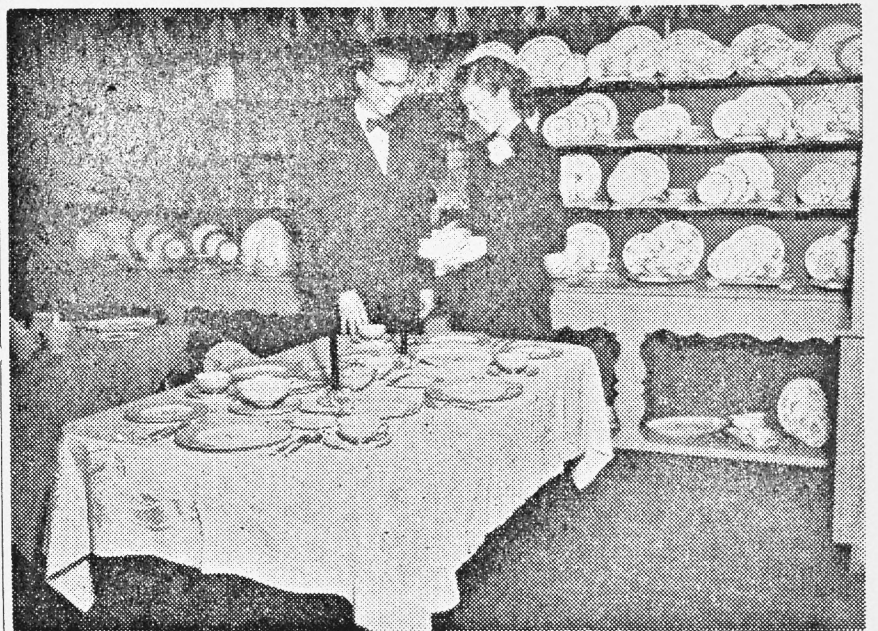
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By Maxine Dawson

When the foyer is crowded with Alumni shouting happy Hello's, when the walks are filled with Alumni remembering old times and old friends, when your own room looks as if an army has moved in, when everywhere you turn you see returning Alumni, then you know once more it's "Tip-Off" time.

To all the Alumni and former students we say a hearty "Welcome Home."

Guess Who?

Congratulations to the Queen and her court! There was a little humorous twist to the balloting for Queen this year. It seems that Miss Ruth Gilley, Mrs. Walter Loftice, Mrs. Boyd Childs, Mrs. Wesley Bently, and Miss Esther Tripp all received votes. Congratulations ladies, it looks as if you have some secret admirers.

All who attended the Halloween party had favorable comments to make on it . . . especially for the "four cave women," Carolyn, Leah Dell, Kathy, and Marilyn, come to think of it girls, you might have a good idea there . . .

The faculty literally "let down their hair" for the evening, Prof. Harvey Collins made a "lovely" bride and Mrs. Jean Olson such a "charming" groom . . . We're wondering where Dr. Walter Larsen ever found those

levies? (and guitar) . . . I think the student body owes the faculty a vote of thanks for the wonderful way they co-operated and the grand job they did.

Squires On The Move

Have you noticed Ginny Sill walking on a cloud lately, I wonder if it's because she and Forest are together so much . . . Jean Ann Lee and Normal Barnes seem to have developed a common interest . . . I hear Bob Squires has moved his wedding date up, "again" . . .

Will Wells Answer?

What is it that makes the Glimmerglass reporters of the female species so interesting to Al Wells? . . . You've heard of the "ten top tunes," well, it seems that Nancie Davis has a list of the "ten top males," fellows if you want to know where you stand see Windy Parsons, I understand he has an up-to-date list . . . Frank Fitzgerald seems to have developed a sudden interest in the mailing room, what's so attractive down there Frank?

Calling all girls! Bill Winegar says, "Don't forget next week is Twirp Week." This is the big chance you've waited for all semester to take out that tall, dark, and handsome fellow, so let's take advantage of it. And just a reminder to Janice Powell, one week of Twirping Jan, not two. See you at the game tonight!

A 'Genuine Sportsman

"One Swell Fellow" Say ONC Students Of Vail, New Athletic Director

By Dave Miller

"A genuine Christian . . . tops in personality and in his field . . . a real shot in the arm to Olivet."

These were just a few of the answers we received when asking prominent students on campus their opinions of Olivet's Athletic Director Elmore Vail.



ELMORE VAIL
. . . Gentle But Firm

It has been a long time since a new professor has been so well accepted, and tremendously greeted as has Prof. Vail. His quiet, sincere attitude has certainly won him everyone's respect and admiration at ONC.

Even in gathering a few facts about him, your reporter found "Coach" very reluctant to discuss himself. He's quick, however, to help someone else, whether it be athletically, scholastically, or mainly spiritually. Truly, his Christian life has been an example of the very finest.

Born In Kansas

"Prof." was born in Goodland, Kan., and at the ripe age of five moved to

Nampa, Idaho, where he was to leave quite an indelible mark on that fair city.

He attended grade, junior, and senior high school at Nampa, and enrolled in our Nazarene school there in 1943 to officially begin his coaching trends.

However, Uncle Sam took three years from him, before re-entering Northwest Nazarene College in 1945. Here, he began his coaching of the college high school, (which plays a full interscholastic schedule) for the remaining three years in college.

Trims Pasadena

Vail continued teaching the high schoolers three years after graduating in addition to mentoring baseball five years and football four seasons.

"Coach" was captain of the NNC basketball quintet which trimmed Pasadena College in their series in California in the 1946-47 seasons three straight games.

Is Proud Dad

He is the proud father of two cute girls, Marilyn Kay, 4, and Sandra Jeanne, 18 months. His eyes light up when talking about them, as well as anticipating his first victory at ONC tonight.

We're sure you'll agree with us that Nampa's loss truly was Olivet's gain.

Poetry Speaks . . .

HOMECOMING SIDELIGHTS

By Joe Herdler

The campus crowd of yesterday is rolling through the gates, And telephone lines carry hopes for those last minute dates. Our gals are downright beautiful and gents, you're looking sharp. "Who's Queen?" Why that's a secret tight as strings on Newby's harp.

Yep Tip-Off time has come again and spirits are in high. The "O" Club and the "has-beens" will be tangling by and by. Old Olivet will roar with life till all the buildings quake, And miles around they'll hear the noise God's happy people make.

Musical Glimmers



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By Anita Richards

Welcome Alumni! We in Goodwin Fine Arts Hall trust you will enjoy the musical events planned for you, our guests, today. During the Homecoming Chapel Hour, the Orpheus Choir and the Olivet Symphony Orchestra, under the baton of Dr. Walter B. Larsen, will present "Amazing Grace," arranged especially for our groups by Richard Shores of Chicago and "God of Our Fathers" arranged by Maddy.

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"O" CLUB SHOOTS FOR 8th STRAIGHT

Big "O" Club Team Is 'Favored'

By Dave Miller

Only three cagers will dwell lower than six feet wearing the purple and white jerseys of the "O" Club in tonight's Tip-Off struggle.

Coach Elmore Vail's favored hardwood boys will average a little over the six-foot margin. Wendy Parsons (5-8), Chuck Taylor (5-9), and Bob Meyer (5-10) will be the smallest men, while the other seven will reach over the preferred mark.

"You never know about these Alumni, so they tell me," says Coach Vail, who will be making his debut for an Olivet Homecoming tonight, having moved here this fall from Nampa Northwest College.

Jay Arledge (6-1) — A sophomore, hailing from Olney, Ill., will be a rough man under the hoop on rebounds defensively, and hook and jump shots offensively. Trojan.

Merrill Hughes (6-2) — A senior, from Ironton, Ohio, and one of the two married men on the squad will be playing his initial Tip-Off game. Indian.

Bud Johnston (6-3) — Sophomore, he calls Benton Harbor, Mich., his home. Another first-nighter in Tip-Off affairs, but proved himself as cager all last year with the Trojans as a frosh.

Chuck McCullough (6-1) — Senior with Alexandria, Ind., his tag. Awarded "most valuable player" trophy last Tip-Off, and will be serving as captain for second consecutive season. (Della will be here, too). Indian.

Bob Meyer (5-10) — Another Trojan sophomore, is a typical PK from

Mt. Sterling, Ohio. Not so tall, but lots of scrap.

Jim Mitchell (6-0) — Better known as an outstanding softball hurler. Jim was, however, a big reason for Tropan co-championship last winter in basketball. Calls Huntington, Ind., his home.

Wendell Parsons (5-8) — This will be the second Homecoming appearance for "Wendy" well-known for his aggressive cage work. "Roundy" is a junior, and favors a small town in Illinois (Eureka). Indian.

Chuck Taylor (5-9) — A senior from Toledo, Ohio, playing in his second Tip-Off game, Chuck, leading scorer in last year's class tourney, has a deadly jump shot. Spartan.

Don Williamson (6-1) — Another senior, but playing his initial Homecoming game, "Pop" will be expected to be doing some "O" Club rebounding in tonight's fray. Trojan.

Elmo Wilson (6-2) — Will be the first Negro to appear in a Tip-Off affair; a very likeable cager, who lives in Kankakee and currently in his junior year. Pace-maker of champion sophs in class tourney last spring. Spartan.

Fall All-Stars

FOOTBALL

Line:

Paul Bassett (S)
Dave Boice (T)
Harry Romeril (S)
Don Williamson (T)
Elmo Wilson (S)
Bob Squires (I)

Back:

Dean Cummings (T)
Sonny Ewing (T)
Fred Fortune (I)
Clarence Fukushima (I)
Gene Phillips (I)

MEN'S SOFTBALL

Catcher:

Bob Crabtree (I)

Pitcher:

Jim Mitchell (T)

Infield:

Don Angle (S)
Bill Bohannon (I)
John Hanson (S)
Vern Fisher (T)
Dave Miller (T)

Outfield:

Gene Houchin (I)
Harold Rose (T)
Jim Smith (T)
Don Watson (S)

WOMEN'S SOFTBALL

Catcher:

Jean Hendershott (I)

Pitcher:

Anna Taylor (I)
Beverly Hickler (T)

Infield:

Norma Blochberger (I)
Rosella Scott (T)
Marge DeBooy (S)
Janet Storer (I)

Outfield:

Esther Leonard (T)
Marilyn Mattax (S)
Eleanor Division (S)
Doris Anderson (I)

Can 'Old Men' Stop Schoolboys?

By Dave Miller

Memories of many games played on the same Birchard Gymnasium will return to the minds of about one dozen Alumni cagers tonight as they jump into that famous uniform to oppose the "O" Club in Tip-Off of 1953.

With their waist lines a little changed, and running to and fro from basket to basket a little harder each time, they will attempt to break the seven-year jinx held on them by the "O" Clubbers.

Dr. Bond Woodruff will coach the Alumni for the second straight year.

Players Listed

Chuck Beatty (5-10) — Class of 1951. Presently a business man in Ft. Wayne, Ind., returning for his third straight Tip-Off appearance. At ONC, he was Indian head coach two seasons.

Don Bell (6-0) — One of the two returnees from the recent class of '53. Currently minister of music at Muskegon, Mich. This will be his third Tip-Off appearance, first for the Alumnus. Indian.

Don Golliber (6-3) — Still adding height to the Alumni. Don returns from the class of 1951, while having taught junior high the last two years at Aroma Park. Trojan.

Jack Nash (5-10) — Returning for his second straight Tip-Off appearance from Seminary at Kansas City, Jack is one of the four Alumni representing class of '52. Indian.

Tom Pauley (6-2) — The high scorer of '52 Tip-Off. Tom also heads back from Seminary for Homecoming activities with classmates of 1952. Trojan.

George Rose (6-2) — Only Service-

man an Alumni team. George also of class of '52, returns for his first appearance in Alumni uniform. Big George missed a furlough this time last season. Trojan.

Don Wellman (6-3) — More height returns from Seminary as Don, a '51 grad, shows up for his third consecutive Homecoming in grad colors. Spartan.

Tom Wood (5-10) — Another of the class of '51, Tom will make his third straight showing. Tom should be in shape with plenty of summer activity, and current coaching at Kankakee. Indian.

Cal Johnson (5-10) — The other recent '53 grad will make his debut in Alumni uniform, before possibly switching to Army kakai soon. Cal is currently coaching in Fairbury, Ill. Trojan.

Clarence (Butch) Ward (6-0) — Known by all, "Butch" returns from coaching duties way down in Atlanta, Ga. Another grad of '52, Butch didn't play last year, but received most valuable player award in Tip-Off of '51. Trojan.

Paul Brenneman (6-0) — Grad of '42 class, returning for his initial Tip-Off appearance. Bradley, Ill. Indian.

Dallas Cheesman (6-0) — Appearing in his initial Alumni affair, Dallas comes all the way from Miami (Ohio) University to renew acquaintances with '51 class grads. Trojan.

Girls Begin Tip-Off At 6:30

With the stroke of 6:30 this evening, Tip-Off activities will officially commence with the tip of the pill in the girls' Alumni-"O" Club battle.

Returning this year for Olivet are, Marilyn (Whiz) Starr, Jackie Spencer, Shirley Strickler, and Martha Morris. New "O" Club members, who may be new in membership, but certainly not new to the cage front, are Ruth Peters, Jean Schray, Margie DeBooy, Violet Schoenwetter, Norma Blochberger, Barbara Strong, and Hattie Lau.

Dr. Willis Snowbarger and Don Watson are coaches of the local forces.

Under Coach Marge Howe for the alumni will be such names as Laura Hiatt, Ginny Ritthaler, Bernice Copeland, Mary Erickson, Donita Von-Seggen, Laura Craig, Vera Johnson and Margaret Harriman.



Dots
... from
DAVE

By Dave Miller

Short Bits: The intramural basketball program will initiate its campaign next Friday night in Birchard gym with the co-champs, Indians and Trojans, clashing Prof. Vail has outlined a six-round, 18-game card for the season, with games on Tuesdays and Fridays Moe Hughes will coach the Indians, but the Spartans and Trojans haven't as yet selected their mentor.

The "O" Club has printed a dandy program for tonight For the first time, an 8-page plan with plenty of pictures. Surely, everyone will want one for a souvenir

Crossing her fingers a few days ago, Marilyn Mattax was in hopes of the return of her soldier-husband, Ed, who was invited to the Tip-Off affair, but was unable to get a furlough Marilyn will be the only unescorted girl in the court tonight, but she still wears that radiant smile.

The six-year-old tradition of handing down the "Old Rusty Keg" will be continued tonight previous to the men's "O" Club-Alumni battle.

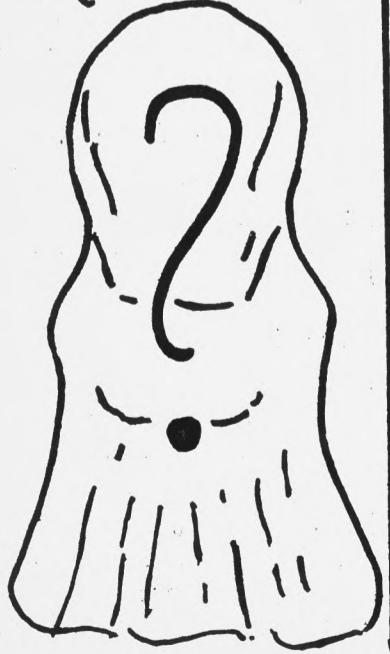
Bill Winegar, master of ceremonies, will award Olivet Coach Elmore Vail and Captain Charles McCullough the aged-keg as a result of last year's victory.

Ironically enough the Keg has never been won by an Alumni team.

Questions Of The Day

By Rhea Buchanan

Queen



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Reigning over the Olivet College Tip-Off Homecoming tonight will be these five young ladies. The Queen, which was selected in an all-student vote, will be announced tonight between games from among these five candidates. They are Miss Jacqueline Spencer of Burlington, Iowa; Miss Leah Dell Phillips of Des Moines, Iowa; Mrs. Marilyn Mattax of Racine, Wis.; Miss Donna Imel of Ft. Wayne, Ind.; and Miss Marilyn Starr of Jackson, Mich.
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