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LAST MONDAY'S session of the Student Senate voted to adopt the program of open dorms proposed last fall by the Student-Faculty Committee on Student Affairs, and the open dorms will take place tonight in the men's dorms in spite of mild administration warnings. The action is being regarded as a protest over faculty rejection of the Committee on Administration's open dorm plan.

## Senate Action Elicits Response

# Administration Spokesmen Avoid 'Hard-Line' Position

In light of tonight's scheduled open dorm implementation, the Lawrentian interviewed key administration officials. Those interviewed were: Francis L. Broderick, Kenneth R. Venderbush, Miss Mary Morton, and Curtis W. Tarr.

Administration officials have expressed their disapproval of the Student Senate decision to establish its own program of invitational open dorms. The controversy stems from Senate's decision to begin an open dorm policy tonight under the plan proposed by the Student-Faculty Committee on Student Affairs.

This plan was discarded by the Committee on Administration, which then substituted its own proposal. This proposal was later vetoed by the faculty.

Kenneth R. Venderbush, dean of men, sees the program as a "protest of faculty action on the committee's compromise program." Venderbush maintains that the Student Senate has no authority in the matter and termed the new program "presumptuous."

The dean warned that the open dorm program is in violation of the school's social code, and those students who violate it are subject to judicial action.

Venderbush stressed the fact that the Student Senate constitution had never been submitted to either the administration or the college's Board of Trustees. It is from Article V, Section B of this constitution that the Senate maintains its authority in this matter.

The dean explained that there is a difference between violating the social regulations once as a form of protest, and a continuing disregard of them which would constitute a defiant test of administration authority. Such repeated violations would be "most unfortunate," the dean explained.

Miss Mary Morton, dean of women, had, at the time of our interview, only a brief knowledge of the new proposal. She said she hoped the students would not resort to anything "illegal," as the issue could evolve into "a power struggle between students

and administration and faculty."

There are other means, she felt, to reopen the issue such as appealing once more to the Student-Faculty Committee on Student Affairs or the Committee on Administration.

Francis L. Broderick, Dean of Lawrence and Downer Colleges, also expressed some concern at the new open dorm policy. Broderick said the policy had "not a shadow of legality."

Broderick admitted that the open dorms question is in "need of clarification." The entire subject is now under review, and had been prior to the Senate decision. Broderick refused further comment, saying his position is stated in the administration's memorandum circulated this week.

President Curtis W. Tarr termed the contemplated action "very

## Maesch to Play Organ in Recital

LaVahn Maesch, dean of the Conservatory of Music and Charles S. Farrar-Laura Norcross Marrs, professor of fine arts, will present an organ recital at 4:30 Sunday, April 9, in the Chapel.

Maesch has been on the Lawrence faculty since 1926 and holds degrees from Lawrence and the Eastman School of Music. He has studied with Marcel Dupre and Harold Gleason and for a number of years directed the Lawrence Concert Choir.

The recital program includes Chaconne, by Louis Couperin; Les Cloches, by Nicholas le Begue; Prelude and Fugue in E minor, by Nicholaus Bruhns; Concerto No. V, in C minor, by Georg Phillip Telemann; Concertante for Organ, Celesta and Percussion, by Daniel Pinkham; Improvisation on the Agincourt Hymn, by Myron Roberts; Prelude for Yom Kippur, by Herman Berlinski; and Toccata on Donne Secours, by Maesch.

Maesch will be assisted by Connie Magistrelli, Kathleen McCullough and Sarah Swanson, percussionists.

serious." He pointed out that the bylaws of the university assign all final responsibility in these matters to the Board of Trustees. The Student Senate has "no real authority" in the matter, Tarr maintained. He sees the faculty's vote as final, until they choose to reconsider the matter.

## Urban Education Program Accepts Six Lawrentians

Six Lawrence students have been accepted for the Urban Semester Program in Education sponsored by the ten members of the Associated Colleges of the Midwest in the fall of 1967.

The Urban Semester consists of student teaching in the Chicago public schools and seminars in urban education and sociology.

Seven Lawrentians have taken part in previous Urban Semester programs. New appointees are: Eileen Chase, English; Sally Hickerson, French; Elizabeth Nock, government; Helen Stephens, mathematics; Nancy Stover, English; and Kristine Strom, history. This is the largest single group to participate in the program from Lawrence.

The Urban Semester program recognizes the growing importance of urban education in the American scene. It recognizes that institutions preparing significant numbers of teachers need to give increased attention to the needs of city schools. Each student taking part in the program has two periods of teaching in contrasting socio-economic areas.

A great flexibility of program is available to student teachers: they may teach in either their major or minor subjects, at varying grade levels, or in schools serving pupils with special needs and backgrounds, such as schools for the physically handicapped, schools serving low income groups or new arrivals, or schools employing closed-circuit television, team teaching or language laboratories.

## Senate Initiates Own Open Dorm Program

Last Monday evening the Student Senate, in light of the faculty meeting defeat of the Committee on Administration's open dorm plan last March 10, voted 36-5 to form a committee to establish and implement its own program of invitational open dorm visiting, a program that will begin tonight at 7 o'clock.

The Senate meeting, attended by over 90 students, was tense with anticipation as Steve Wilson, in the call for old business, introduced a motion that "Student Senate hereby adopt the Student - Faculty Committee on Student Affairs recommendation for invitational open house policies and that a student committee be formed to investigate the implementation of these policies." The committee met immediately after the Senate had adjourned; in an almost unanimous vote it decided to revive and implement immediately the original Student-Faculty Committee open dorm plan that was first proposed last fall.

This plan calls for invitational visiting in men's dorms on Friday evenings and in women's dorms on Wednesday nights. The Senate committee also voted to hold participation referendums in each dorm yesterday and the program would begin in those dorms that approved the program tonight.

The committee acted with the understanding that Article V, section B of the Constitution of the Student Senate gave them

legislative power; this section permits the Representative Council "to legislate on matters pertaining to the interests of the student body where they do not interfere with the national obligations of groups."

In the debate on the Senate floor opinions generally favored the Wilson motion for a wide variety of reasons. Jim Barker urged the Senate to view its initiative in the light of two terms of no gain on the open dorm issue. "We can't let this issue die down and relinquish the initiative," Barker said.

Barker also noted that the passage of the Wilson motion would clarify many inconsistencies in the present constitution and delineate to the faculty the need for the LUCC Constitution.

Assistant Dean of Men Charles A. Judge raised a new issue when he questioned the validity of the Student Senate constitution, particularly the clause that is the basis for the Senate's assumption of legislative power. "Why don't you get your constitution approved?" Judge suggested.

Ex-president Harris rose to defend the legitimacy of the constitution noting that it was approved by the Committee on Administration when the Student Senate was formed.

In the final debate Barker again called for "decisive mature action." Dave Pflieger added that the initiative would "be a clarification of the Senate's position within the power structure of the university."

### MEN'S COUNSELORS

Applications for Counselors in the freshman men's residence halls are available now in the Deans' office, and at the Brokaw, Plantz and Trever desks. They will be due in the Deans' office at 9 a.m., Monday, April 10. Assistant head counselors will be announced Friday, April 14; the rest of the counseling staff selections will be in the Lawrentian for April 22.

## Rehl To Give Solo Recital

A 37-year stretch of Austrian-German history will provide the backdrop for a recital by Theodore Rehl, Conservatory faculty pianist, at 8 p.m. Sunday, April 2, at the Music-Drama Center.

Four major works written in the years 1794 to 1831 are programmed: Sonata in C major, No. 50, by Haydn; Sonata in A-Flat Major, Op. 110, by Beethoven; Papillons, Op. 2, by Schumann; and Sonata in B-Flat Major, Op. posthumous, by Schubert.

The program will be Rehl's first solo venture of the season. Earlier, he teamed with a faculty colleague, Clyde Duncan, to present a duo-piano recital. In the fall, he was heard on an all-faculty chamber music concert.

Since coming to Lawrence, Rehl has made more than two dozen solo recital, chamber music, concerto and duo-piano appearances. Together with Duncan, he has averaged a half dozen professional two-piano concerts annually outside the Fox Valley.

## Con Students Win Contests

Three Lawrence Conservatory of Music students were ranked among the winners of a regional contest of the National Federation of Music Clubs competition held recently in Chicago.

First places were won by Mary Finnigan, flutist, a pupil of Fred Schroeder; and Fred Schuetze, baritone, a pupil of Eugene Casselman. Second place was awarded to Janice Rinke, soprano, a recent graduate who is continuing her study with Mari Taniguchi while she teaches in the Kaukauna Public Schools.

Miss Finnigan and Schuetze are now eligible to enter the national contest in the spring. Two years ago another Lawrence student, Dale Duesing of Milwaukee, won the national student male voice division of the same contest.



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### From the Editorial Board

## Open Dorms

The Lawrentian strongly endorses the Senate's action on the open dorm issue. Any student who supports the Senate's assertion of the right of students to have a continuing and important voice in the governing of their own lives should demonstrate his support by participating in the open dorms this evening.

We feel that the open dorms tonight are in no way a rejection of the university's right to establish rules, but rather a mature assertion of a challenge to the existing procedure of making those rules.

The statement of the administration on the Senate's open dorms, although it naturally asserts the authority of the university and its power of discipline, implicitly gives the impression that while rejecting the Senate's right to legislate social regulations, the administration will countenance this demonstration of student feeling.

The legislation of open dorms by the students through the Senate is the most legitimate and eloquent form of action left to us after 6 months of struggling with endless proposals and committee meetings in an effort to bring about some revision. The total rejection by the faculty of the Committee on Administration's proposal must bring a response from the students or the open dorm issue is dead and with it will lie the rights of the students in the area of social regulations. This is our only effective recourse.

If nothing else comes out of tonight's open dorms, the students will receive a very clear indication of just how much voice they have in the formation of the rules that govern their lives.

We are not so naïve as to think that this demonstration of our objections will necessarily evoke any great change; but if there is ever to be a change for the better, we must express ourselves so that there will be no mistaking our sentiments.

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## Letters to the Editor

### A MODEST PROPOSAL To the Editor:

We commend the faculty on the noble stand they have taken in order to preserve our academic atmosphere through the curtailing of our relationship with the opposite sex. However, it seems to us that the potential of this academic institution could be more fully realized with the following expansion of their dictum.

Since the analogous family lives of the faculty members necessarily divert their attentions from their principle function here, which is the dispensing of knowledge, we propose that the faculty divorce themselves from their own personal relationships in order to fulfill their obligation to the realization of the Lawrence ideal.

JIM FRY  
JOHN THOMASON

## LU Site of Summer Physics Research

A new offering in the program for the summer session will be "Directed Research in Physics," sponsored jointly by the University and companies in the Fox River Valley area, from June 19 to August 11.

The program, directed by Fred T. Phelps, assistant professor of physics, intends to "involve students full time in individual research projects similar to those they might face in an industrial laboratory." Also, the participants will gain an increased awareness of industrial research by associating directly with companies in the Lawrence community.

Each student will devote the full eight weeks to one research project, agreed upon in advance by the sponsoring company, the student, and the director. A seminar involving all of the students will be the unifying element of the program; topics in physics of mutual interest will be considered, and each participant will give a series of lectures and will present a report of his summer's work.

Each sponsored student will be paid two dollars an hour for the work on his project. If he wishes to receive course credit for Physics 57, he must pay the tuition fee of \$150 per credit (one or two credits offered).

Additional information about the program is available from Dr. Phelps. The final day to receive permission to register is May 1.

### LECTURE CANCELLED

The Phi Beta Kappa Lecture scheduled to be given by Warren Beck, professor of English emeritus, on Tuesday, April 4 has been cancelled.

## LITTLE MAN ON CAMPUS



"THIS WOULD BE THE IDEAL CAMPUS ON WHICH TO TEACH IF IT WEREN'T FOR TH' DANG STUDENTS."

### Calendar

- Sunday, April 2**  
Film Classics, Through a Glass Darkly, 2 and 7:30 p.m., Stansbury  
Faculty Recital, Theodore Rehl, piano, 8 p.m., Harper
- Monday, April 3**  
Senior Voice Recital, Margaret Schafer, soprano, 8 p.m., Harper
- Tuesday, April 4**  
Science Colloquium; Prof. Sam Legvold, Department of Physics, Iowa State University; "Metals, Phonons, and Magnons with Demonstrations," 4:30 p.m., Young-child 161
- Wednesday, April 5**  
Winter Sports Awards Banquet, 6:15 p.m., Colman  
LWA, 6:15 p.m., Union
- Thursday, April 6**  
Convocation, Theodore Cloak, 10:40 a.m., Chapel  
Senior Violin Recital, Nora Bailey, 8 p.m., Harper
- Friday, April 7**  
Student Recital, Lois Beck, organ, and Robert Boening, trombone, 2:30 p.m., Chapel  
Honors Tea, 4 p.m., Art Center  
WRA Folk Dance Festival, 7:30-11:00 p.m., Experimental Theatre  
Debate, Harvard vs. Lawrence, 8 p.m., Union

### PLACEMENT CALENDAR

- Tuesday, April 4**  
Flint, Michigan, C a r m a n School District  
Rich Township High School, Park Forest, Illinois  
Swartz Creek, Michigan Schools
- Wednesday, April 5**  
Crystal Lake, Illinois High School
- Thursday, April 6**  
Marshall Field and Company  
U.S. Navy Activities of Great Lakes, Illinois
- Friday, April 7**  
Federal Service Entrance Examinations on campus  
Xerox Corporation

## New Field Building To Supercede Gym

Alexander Gymnasium will be torn down this summer and will be replaced by a new multi-million dollar field house. The new structure, which will include a co-educational badminton facility and a sex education classroom, will be called Heselton House.

The new field house received the approval of the faculty and administration because, in the words of one faculty member, "We, as faculty members, would not do anything to restrict the students' pursuit of happiness."

The improved athletic facilities were viewed by the faculty and administration as logical and necessary outlets for the sexual frustrations of the student.

In conjunction with this view, the co-educational badminton court and the classroom for sex education are meant to be wholesome adjuncts to the Lawrence social life. This altruistic step taken by the faculty has been endorsed and requested by the student body.

The inundation of spectators at the indoor athletic contests made it virtually impossible to find a seat, and the new facility will hopefully alleviate this problem. The lack of seating has also resulted in problems controlling the uninhibited Lawrence fans.

Several times during the basketball season play had to be stopped and frenzied students had to be dragged from the playing area. The avid Lawrence fans will hopefully be somewhat appeased and satisfied with the new field house.

Heselton House may mark the beginning of a new era for the Lawrence community. The liberal attitude taken by the faculty in ensuring student happiness is truly a landmark in student-faculty relationships.

## AFROTC Honors Cadet Chuck Porter

Charles Porter, a Lawrence senior, was named an outstanding AFROTC cadet chosen from eight schools in a three-state region at a recent meeting of the Arnold Air Society held in Lincoln, Neb.

He has "shown a high degree of leadership capability by attaining a Distinguished Military Cadet rating, thereby furthering the goals of the United States Air Force and Arnold Air Society," according to his citation.

Porter, who is commanding officer of Lawrence's chapter of the society, called the John Stewart Mills squadron for a distinguished Lawrence alumnus, also accepted a plaque for the squadron recognizing its improved performance.

### SPEAKERS FORUM

Any freshman or sophomore interested in chairing Speakers Forum next year should contact James Streater at ext. 312.

# Wrolstad Sets June 1968 Completion for Food Center

By September of 1968, many Lawrence students will be eating in new, modern, air-conditioned dining rooms. The new Jason Downer Food Service Center is scheduled to be completed by June 1968, according to Marwin O. Wrolstad, university business manager.

The new food service center will be erected alongside Kohler dormitory for women, which is presently under construction. Wrolstad reported that bids for construction will be opened on April 20, the award will be made soon afterwards, and building will begin May 1, if plans go according to schedule.

The 690-capacity dining hall will have two floors plus a basement kitchen. Two dining rooms, accommodating 120 and 160 students, will be on the first floor, while the second floor will have four dining rooms with seating capacities of 120, 80, 30 and 20 persons.

Wrolstad remarked that each of the six dining rooms will have its own unique decor and thus offer variety to the student who enjoys eating in different atmospheres. The two smallest rooms are designed for meal meetings and may be reserved for various school functions.

Although the 80-capacity dining room is intended primarily for meetings, it will be available for student use at any time when it is unreserved.

The novel characteristic of the food service center is the choice of meals it will offer to students. Three cafeteria lines will be open at each meal, two on first floor and one on second.

Students may choose to go through a "hot" meal line, consisting of conventional foods, or through a "light" line in which mostly cold foods (sandwiches, salads, soups) will be served.

First floor lines will offer both types of meals, while second floor will serve only "hot" meals. Full menus will be posted outside the main dining room to facilitate students' meal choices.

The variety of meal lines and dining rooms, in addition to the choice factor, is designed to avoid long lines and large, imposing rooms, and to increase efficiency, pointed out Wrolstad.

Another feature of the Jason Downer building will be the Chapman room, to be located on the second floor. It will serve as a university reception room much of the time, Wrolstad explained.

## Science Speaker To Give Lecture

The first Science Colloquium of the third term will present Sam Legvold, professor of physics at Iowa State University, next Tuesday at 4:30 p.m. in Youngchild 161. He will speak on "Metals, Phonons, and Magnons with Demonstrations."

Legvold is speaking under the auspices of the Visiting Scientists Program in Physics. He received the A.B. degree (1935) from Luther College and the M.S. (1936) and the Ph.D. (1946) degrees from Iowa State.

He has done research on low temperature physics and magnetism, and has worked under grants from the Air Force Office of Scientific Research, and the Ames Laboratory of the Atomic Energy Commission.

### POETRY READING

Mr. Dale of the English department will read Canadian poetry tomorrow afternoon at 4 in the Riverview Lounge.

## May Date Planned For Building Start

He remarked that the ornately decorated room will be "one of the most unusual rooms around."

The Chapman room is part of the "dowry" from Milwaukee-Downer College for women, which merged with Lawrence College in September, 1964. One of the conditions of the merger was that the room, decorated with intricately hand-carved teakwood furniture from India, would be kept and later relocated at Lawrence University.

The room is named after the Chapman family of Milwaukee who gave large gifts to Milwaukee-Downer in the 1930's. The family bought the room and relocated it in their home.

Later it was rebuilt into the library of Milwaukee-Downer College. Since then the room has been taken apart carefully piece by piece and stored. It will be put back together again as it was originally, with some furniture additions.

The total cost of Lawrence's new dormitory and food center will be approximately \$2 million, \$1,200,000 of which has been borrowed from the federal government.

About half of the loan for the two buildings will be used to construct Kohler and half to build the Jason Downer Center, speculated Wrolstad.

Although plans for erecting the two buildings were made at the same time, it was decided that Kohler would be the first project since a new dorm is needed more quickly than an additional food service.

## Alumni Group Plans Conference Series

Gaylord Nelson, D-Wis., heads the list of panelists who will appear during April in a series of three continuing education conferences held in upper Midwest cities under University sponsorship.

Lawrence Reading Program (LRP) conferences are set for April 8, at the Holiday Inn Central, Milwaukee, Wis.; April 22, at Lawrence University, Appleton, Wis.; and April 29, at the Water Tower Inn, Chicago, Ill.

The series, a second annual presentation of the Alumni Association, is based on the theme "Man Makes His Environment." The conferences climax a year-long reading program conducted by the association for the university's alumni and friends.

Moderators for the conferences will be Lawrence president Curtis W. Tarr and Dean Francis L. Broderick. Dean Broderick, who holds the Gordon R. Clapp professorship in American studies, will also serve on the panel at two of the meetings.

Two Lawrence faculty members will speak at each of the conferences. Named to the Milwaukee session are Anne P. Jones, John N. Bergstrom professor of French, and John M. Stanley, assistant professor of religion. Speakers at Appleton will be Daniel L. Arnaud, instructor in classics, and Sumner Richman, associate professor of biology. Chicago speakers are Elisabeth Koffka, professor of history, and Edwin Olson, Jr., associate professor of psychology and director of counseling.

Wrolstad commented: "We have regretted the temporary meal arrangement in Sage since it was put in, but our architects could not do both the dorm and the food service center at once."

When completed, the Jason Downer Food Service Center will replace the Sage and Brokaw cafeterias. Some equipment will be transferred from these dorms to the new cafeteria building.

Wrolstad stated that the June '68 date is not critical because it comes at the end of a school year. However, if finished, the food service center may be used during 1968 commencement for an open house. The June date will give the Downer kitchen staff all summer to test and get used to the new cafeteria equipment.

Architects for the food service building are Shattuck, Siewart, and Associates, Inc.

## Project '85 Blocked From Lack of Funds

A plan, originally proposed 14 months ago, to reroute College Avenue around the Lawrence campus is being delayed by lack of funds, Walter C. Rasmussen, Appleton's director of city planning, stated in an interview with the Lawrentian. He said that completion of the project might be possible within five or ten years.

The proposed rerouting would interconnect College Avenue and Franklin Street between Badger and Richmond Streets to the west and between Meade and Green to the east, and, in addition, would connect Sixth Street with Water and Drew Streets to the south near the Oneida Street bridge.

Rasmussen said that current work on College Avenue is directed toward repair and reconstruction of the street in downtown Appleton.

In spite of this present pre-occupation, the long-range goal has not been abandoned. According to Rasmussen the main stumbling block now is the acquisition of from a million to a million and a half dollars worth of property necessary for the rerouting. Engineers are soon to be hired to do some preliminary work at the Oneida Street site.

Complementing this program is Project '85, a city beautification program launched by the Appleton Chamber of Commerce. Under this long-range plan the downtown business district of Appleton would be improved and modified to make it particularly attractive to pedestrians.

### HONORS TEA

The annual honors tea will take place this year at 4 p.m. on Friday, April 7, in the Art Center. All students interested in learning more about the honors program are invited to attend. They will have an opportunity to hear senior honors candidates discuss their projects. This year Susan Raccoli (music), Nancy Sell (chemistry, doing honors in physics), David Pflieger (political science), and Dan Le Mahieu (history, doing honors in English) will speak and answer questions about honors work. Afterwards refreshments will be served, during which time students will have an opportunity to talk informally about honors with this year's honors candidates and members of the faculty.



MARY MORTON, dean of women, and Mary Ann Michael, president of LWA, review the details of the new women's hours and the specifics of the interclass living plan for women. The new rules, which include no hours for senior women, were approved by the Committee on Administration over spring vacation and will go into effect next September.

## Seniors' Hours Abolished, Interclass Living Okayed

In a recent interview for the Lawrentian Miss Mary Morton, dean of women, and Mary Ann Michael, president of LWA, discussed the Committee on Administration's approval of the abolition of hours for senior women in Kohler hall and the instatement of interclass living for women, both effective next year.

### Overwhelmingly

The Committee on Administration, meeting March 23, voted "overwhelmingly" in favor of eliminating hours for senior women in the new Kohler hall. Mary Ann Michael stated that seniors will have the option next year of living in Kohler or Colman.

All seniors are expected to reside in Kohler, but for "strong reasons" may choose to live in Colman. Those senior women living in Colman, however, will forfeit their privileges of unlimited hours.

### Privileged Juniors

Kohler, having an occupancy of 120, may be able to house a few "privileged juniors" who will petition to live in Kohler. As yet it is undecided who will review the petitions and make the selections. Juniors in Kohler will have the same hours as all other juniors.

Miss Morton added that in Kohler an all-night desk clerk, probably a man, will be on duty from 12 midnight to 6 a.m. to let girls in after the dorm closes. There will still be provisions for girls signing out, despite unlimited hours, to give an indication of how many will be out of town, and so on.

### Some Amendments

The Committee on Administration also recommended some amendments for hours in the other classes. These will be worked on by the Rule Revision committee of LWA, headed by Jean Gurney, and Miss Morton. Next year Sage, Colman, and

Ormsby will have a mixture of juniors, sophomores, and freshmen as women's interclass living plan will go into effect. Miss Morton and Miss Michael indicated that each floor would have roughly a third of each class. Like the old system, the plan will "set aside freshman sections with counselors."

### Quota System

The freshman sections will have already been blocked out, but the remainder of the rooms on each floor will be filled by a quota system with juniors having first choice of rooms, followed by sophomores.

### Further Polling

Judy Hलगren, new housing committee chairman, will be working out the details of interclass living with her committee. The rules committee will do further work on polling senior women for special arrangements in Kohler, such as an honors section, a language section, and so forth. At the end of three years the whole program will be evaluated.

### CAST ANNOUNCEMENT

"Hobson's Choice," a Lanchashire comedy in four acts by Harold Brighouse will be presented May 10-13 at 8 p.m. in Stansbury Theatre. Joseph Hopfensperger, who is directing the spring production, has announced the following cast.

Alice Hobson ... Marcia Smith  
Maggie Hobson ... Sue Buesing  
Vickey Hobson ... Sharon Taylor  
Albert Prosser ... Craig Campbell  
Henry Horatio Hobson

..... Winsor Whiton  
Mrs. Hepworth ... Alice Wild  
Timothy Wadlow ... Ken Harris  
William Mossop ... Jeff Jones  
Jim Heeler ... Tom Lightburn  
Ada Figgins ... Sharon Litchfield  
Fred Beenstock ... Rick Walsh  
Dr. MacFarlane ... John O'Boyle



MISS LORNA BLAKE, a native of Ireland, will come to Lawrence next fall from Milton Academy Girls' School to take a position as associate director of admissions. Arthur Peekel, currently assistant director of admissions, will resign to continue his education.

## Lorna Blake Selected For Admissions Post

Lorna Blake, presently assistant to the headmistress and director of college placement at Milton Academy Girls' School, Milton, Mass., has been appointed associate director of admissions at Lawrence University, it has been announced by Director Edward B. Wall.

Miss Blake will assume her new duties at Lawrence on September 15. A native of Belfast, North Ireland, and a British subject, Miss Blake was educated at St. Jude's School and Methodist College, both in Belfast, and received the B.A. degree from Queen's University there in 1952.

From 1952-56 she was assistant teacher of history and English as well as field hockey coach at Portadown College, Portadown, Ireland, and from 1956-65 she was headmistress of Antigua Girls' High School in the West Indies.

For the past two years she has

held her present post at Milton, as well as serving as dean of women for the summer school at Phillips Exeter Academy, Exeter, N.H., in the summers of 1966 and '67.

The admissions staff at Lawrence next fall will consist of Director Wall, Miss Blake and Donald W. Boya, both associate directors; and John Davidson, assistant director. Davidson, a Lawrence alumnus with the class of 1963, has been attending graduate school in biochemistry at the University of Chicago and taught at Harvard-St. George School until he joined the Lawrence admissions staff in November. Arthur Peekel, who has been at Lawrence since 1963, has resigned to continue his education.

Professor Dan C. Sparks of the conservatory faculty will continue to handle music admissions.

## Trackmen Cop Fifth In Conference Meet

Following a mediocre fifth place performance at the Conference Indoor Track Meet on March 3rd, the Lawrence University track team has begun preparing for a lengthy outdoor season.

Although handicapped by lack of practice, and insufficient indoor facilities, the thinclads showed encouraging evidence of their potential at this meet, which was held in the University of Chicago field house.

The field events were highlighted by Juan Biolo's third place in the shot put, Stan McKee's third and fourth place finish in the broad jump and high jump respectively, and H. P. Negley's third place in the pole vault with a soaring vault of 11 feet 6 inches.

With the addition of Pete House in the javelin, a healthy Paul Henningsen in the shot, and Dick Schultz in the broad jump, the team should show even greater depth in the field events.

Admirable performances by Ron "Bars" Messman, Twig Miller and Captain Chuck Porter showed promise for a balance in the sprints and the relays. Also, places were taken by Chuck McKee and fast improving sophomore, Jim Leslie in both the hurdles.

With the acquisition of the new all-weather track, and the addition of several trackmen who couldn't compete in the indoor season, Coach Gene Davis is hopeful for a successful outdoor season climaxed by the Conference Track Meet, planned at Lawrence on May 19-20.

## Merb's Hopes High For Viking Batmen

The Lawrence baseball team opens its 1967 season at St. Norbert College April 11, with high hopes for its first championship season. Last spring in his first year at the helm, Coach Roger Merb molded the Vikes into the most successful team in Lawrence history.

Seven returning lettermen and a bright crop of rookies will spark this year's promising team. Lettermen providing the nucleus of this year's squad are catcher and team captain Gary Hietpas, pitcher Chris Olson, infielders Dennis Kirchoff and Don Brook and outfielders Dick Briden, Chip Taggart and Jeff Riley.

Among the promising sophomores are pitchers Doug Faile and Bob Townsend, second baseman Rob Thomas, outfielder Rick Wiley and utility man Dave Matz.

According to Merb, this lineup is as strong as any in the league. He further commented, "The championship is possible; and if the ball club wants it badly enough, they'll win it."

## Cloak to Give Convo On State of Theatre

F. Theodore Cloak, chairman of the department of theatre and drama, will speak in convocation at 10:40 a.m. Thursday, April 6, in the Chapel. Cloak's address will be entitled "How Violent Can You Get?" His topic concerns the state of the professional, regional and university theatres.

### DEBATE

The Harvard debating team will debate a Lawrence team consisting of Dan LeMahieu and David Pflieger next Thursday, April 6 at 8 p.m. in the Union.

## VIEW FROM THE BENCH

By BILL GODFREY and DAVE FRASCH

Now that spring is here and winter term and winter sports are things of the past, it is best to let sleeping dogs lie. To evoke criticisms on the now past winter sports would accomplish very little. I do not wish to imply that athletics at Lawrence are above criticism, but people are too often cynical and unfair in their excoriations of both the coaches and the players.

There is very little glory in athletics at Lawrence. Competing at Lawrence requires a great deal of sacrifice and for this reason much of the criticism is unwarranted. It is one thing to sit in the stands and say that so and so can't tackle worth a damn or that so and so can't rebound but quite another thing to go out and do a better job than the person one is criticizing.

Perhaps more support and less criticism is the panacea that Lawrence athletics requires. Admittedly everyone is not interested in athletics but antipathy should not be the grounds for deprecation. It is difficult for one to do well in anything when instead of cheers the athlete receives snide remarks.

With this in mind a more unbiased if not optimistic approach to the spring sports is merited. I am not attempting to proselytize the student body in favor of athletics but merely attempting to place the sports and most specifically the spring sports in the proper perspective. If you do not want to lend your support to athletics do not strive to undermine its foundation.

N.B. None of the coaches is paying for this article.

## Roberts Has High Hopes For Tennis Team Victories

The Lawrence tennis team strengthened by last year's top six players and eight sophomores from the 1966 freshman team appears to have an excellent chance of improving on their third place in the Midwest conference last year.

Unusually good weather has enabled the netters to get their earliest outdoor start in recent years.

Coach Ron Roberts is attempting to pick a varsity lineup in preparation for the opening match at Cornell on April 14.

Commenting on the season, Coach Roberts said, "I see Carleton and possibly Knox as the teams to beat. We should be better than last year, and I have high hopes for the conference meet that will be held at Lawrence in May."

Roberts has been working the tennis team on long distance running in order to improve the condition of some of the players.

The returning players from

last year's varsity include Pat Kenney, Bob Bletzinger, John Beldo, Bob Krohn, Doug Opel, and Dave Klitzke.

Among the sophomores are Paul Croake, Dave Frasch, Dave Holzworth, Dick Ramsey, Dennis Waters, Reid Ewing, Ron Nicholson, and Mark Swanson.

Ron Falter, who was second man on the 1965 freshman team, is also out for the varsity. The combination of experience and new talent makes Lawrence appear strong.

The frosh team has its first meet at Beloit on April 4. Several highly talented freshmen are expected to keep Lawrence prominent in tennis for several years.

## Basketballers Split Final Two Contests

The final weekend for Midwest Conference basketball saw the Lawrence Vikings drop a heart-breaker to co-champion Cornell on Friday night and then return on Saturday night to set two records in trouncing Grinnell.

The Lawrence "giant killers" gave Cornell a real scare before time ran out with the score 64-63 in Cornell's favor. The Vikings, who trailed throughout the entire game, never quit. In the waning moments it looked as if the Vikings' momentum would carry them to victory, but unfortunately time was on Cornell's side.

Lawrence returned after this defeat to stun Grinnell, beating them 120-86. The output was the highest ever recorded by a Lawrence basketball team.

In addition to this record, a school scoring record was set by senior captain Dick Schultz, who tallied 45 points in his final game.

The total boosted Schultz to third in the Midwest Conference scoring race and was the season's top individual effort in a single game. Schultz was awarded second team all-Midwest Conference honors.

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