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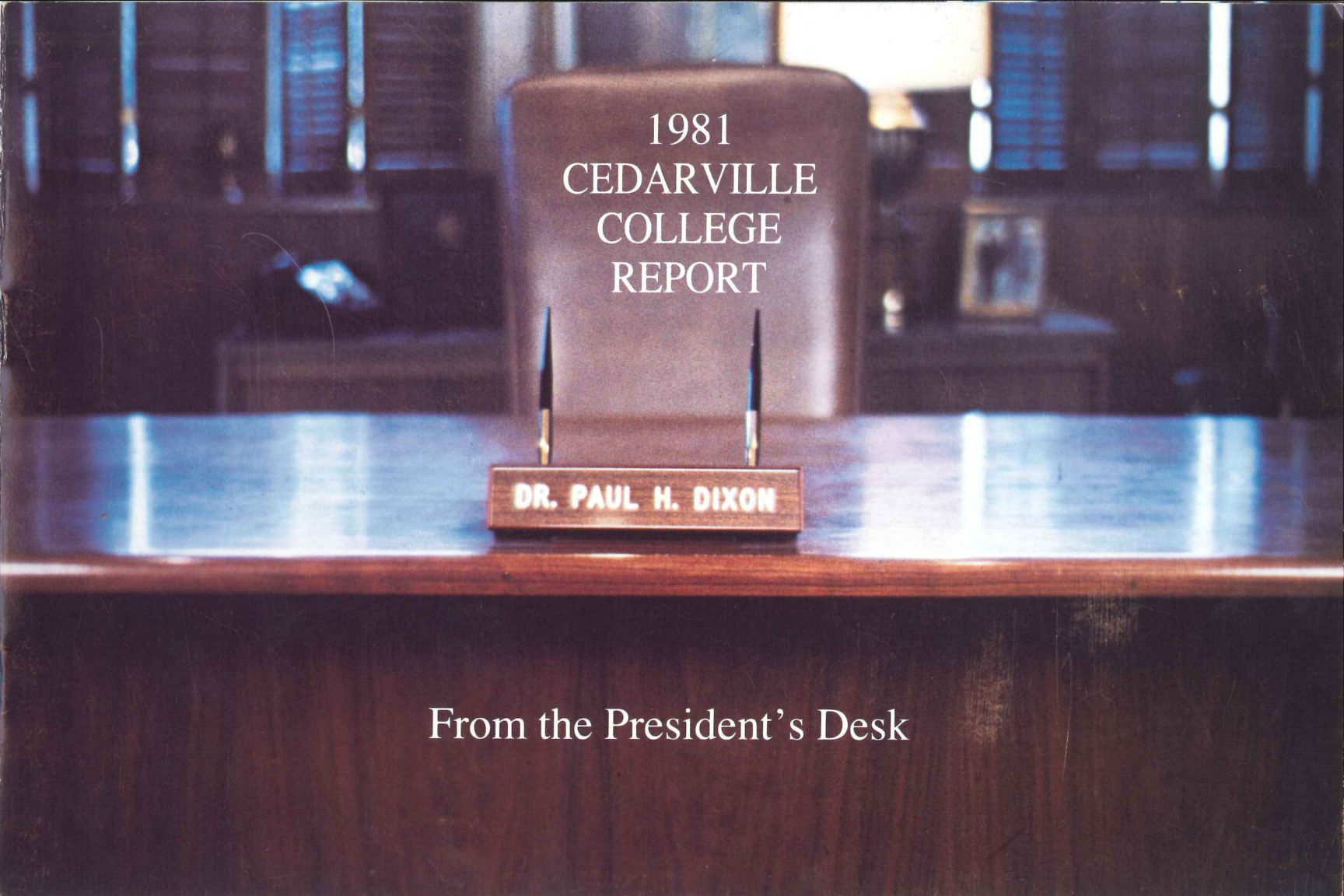
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CEDARVILLE  
COLLEGE  
REPORT

DR. PAUL H. DIXON

From the President's Desk

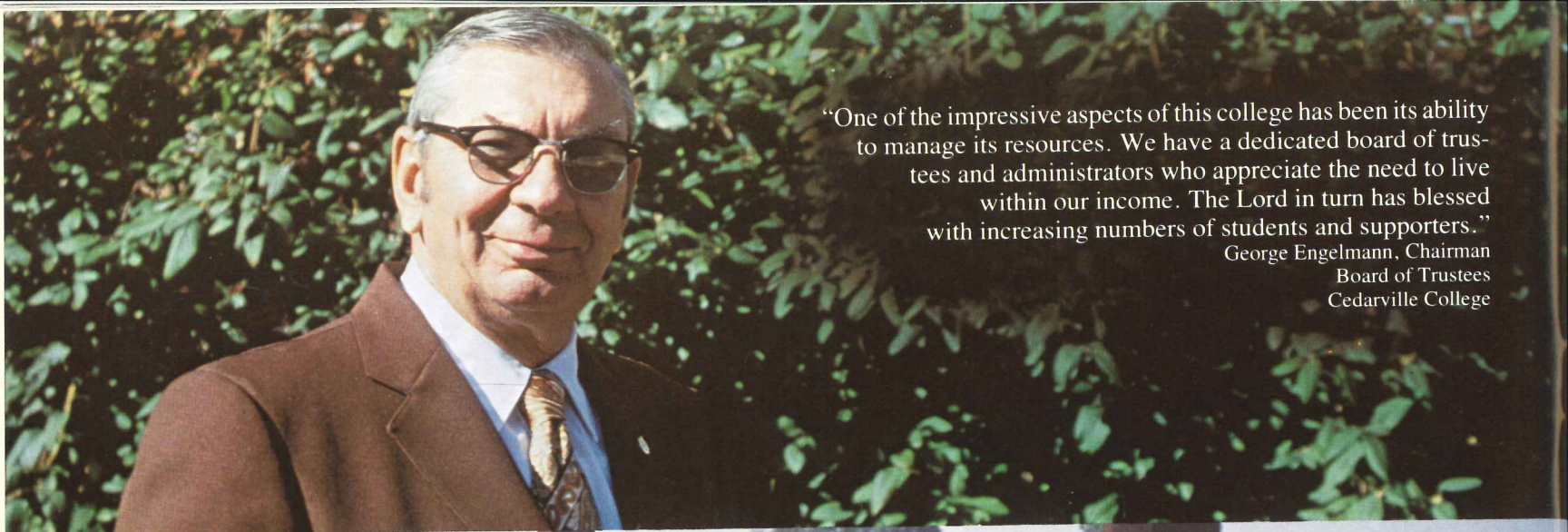


**DR. PAUL H. DIXON**

Dear Friend of Cedarville College:

“Excellence” is a tradition at Cedarville College. It is not quickly acquired, nor is it easily maintained. I am happy to report that through the fruitful efforts of our faculty and staff, the college enjoys financial health and academic strength.

On the next few pages you will read the comments of a cross section of friends of the college. I feel that they capulize what Cedarville College is all about. In addition, the brief summary pages review one of the most exciting years in the history of the college.



“One of the impressive aspects of this college has been its ability to manage its resources. We have a dedicated board of trustees and administrators who appreciate the need to live within our income. The Lord in turn has blessed with increasing numbers of students and supporters.”

George Engelmann, Chairman  
Board of Trustees  
Cedarville College



“Student life at Cedarville is unique. It enriches culturally, spiritually, and socially. It is well-rounded and wholesome.”

Rhonda Crist  
Junior Education Major  
Cedarville College



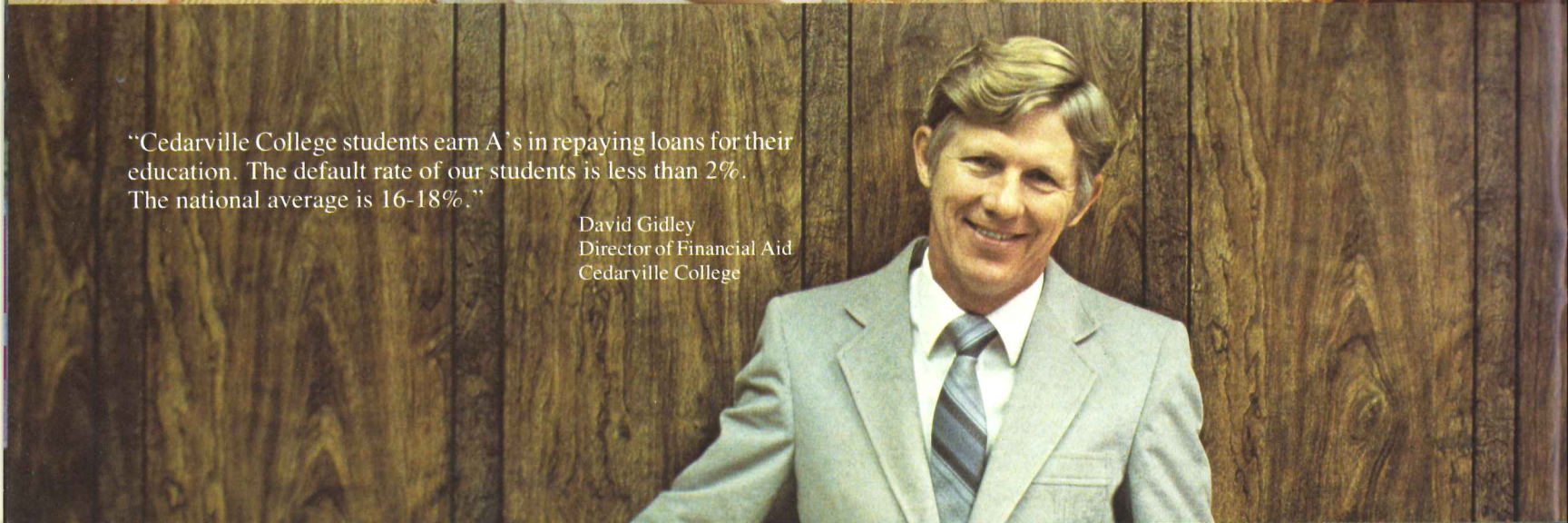
“Cedarville College provided me the opportunity to learn leadership skills through participation – an opportunity that might have been denied me in a larger institution. Furthermore, the Christian environment nurtured the growth of eternal values which have enabled me to relate realistically and tolerantly to a wide spectrum of social and cultural values and to cope satisfactorily in a competitive and changing society without eroding my spiritual values.

Roy Linton – 1938 alumnus  
President and Chief Operating Officer  
Standard Register Company



“Cedarville College provides excellent preparation for the future. I believe that I was better prepared than many of my counterparts when I entered graduate school.”

Paul Entner, Ph.D. – 1969 alumnus  
Psychologist  
Dayton, Ohio



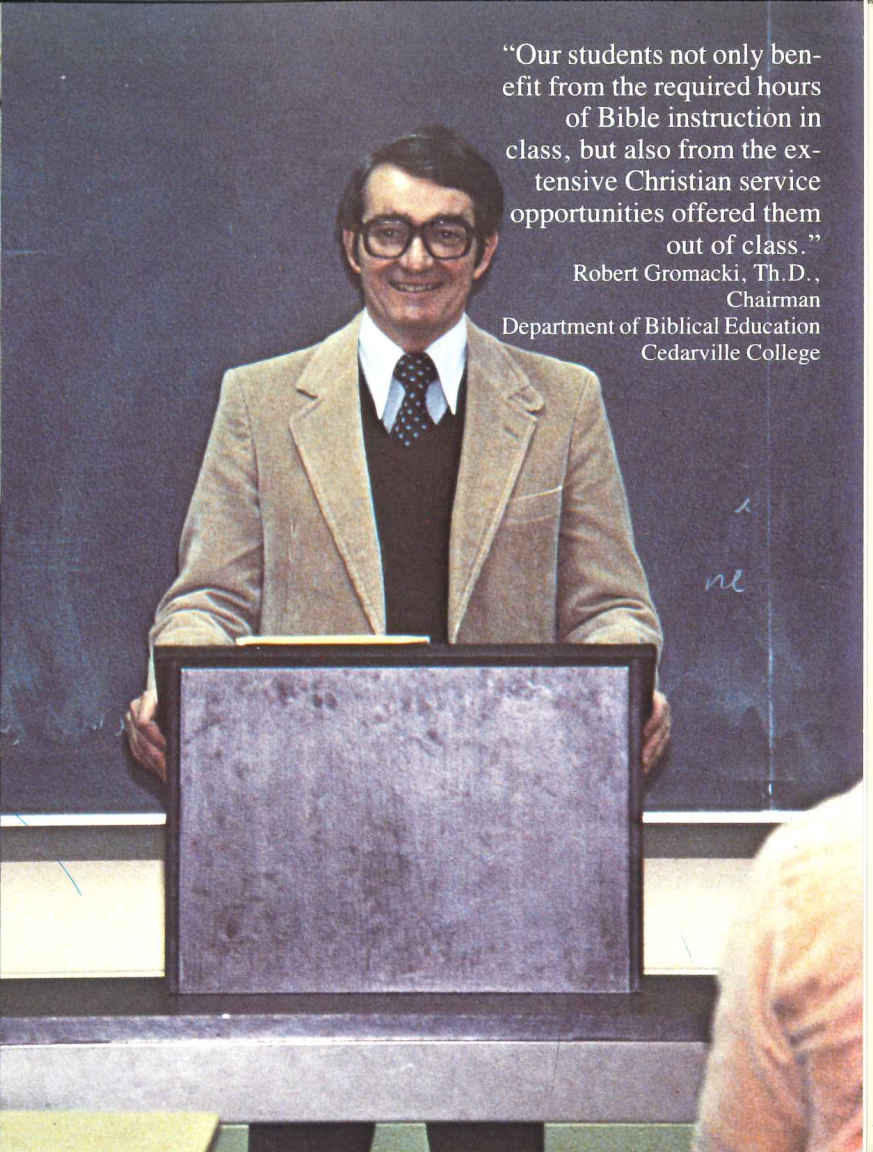
“Cedarville College students earn A’s in repaying loans for their education. The default rate of our students is less than 2%. The national average is 16-18%.”

David Gidley  
Director of Financial Aid  
Cedarville College



“The Lord wants me to be a teacher, and I understand that Cedarville College offers one of the best programs in that field.”

Brenda Wear  
Prospective Student  
Fairfield, Ohio



“Our students not only benefit from the required hours of Bible instruction in class, but also from the extensive Christian service opportunities offered them out of class.”

Robert Gromacki, Th.D.,  
Chairman  
Department of Biblical Education  
Cedarville College

## SUMMARY 1981

**Free Enterprise** is an integral part of the Cedarville College philosophical foundation. The college remains one of the few four-year accredited colleges in the nation to refuse federal and state monies for operating or capital purposes.

**Outstanding chapel and conference speakers** ministered to our students — men such as Evangelist Fred Brown, Rev. George Gardiner, Dr. Duane Gish, Dr. Louis Goldberg, Rev. David Moore, Dr. Henry Morris, and Dr. Paul Tassell.

Each quarter began with a **special spiritual emphasis**: Fall Bible Conference, Winter Annual Missionary Conference, Spring Enrichment Week.

The **Artist Series** brought to campus performers of world renown such as master pianist André-Michel Schub.

The 1980-81 men's varsity basketball team was crowned both **conference and district champions** with a record of 25 wins and 4 losses.

The 1981 men's **soccer team** won second place in the National Christian College Athletic Association National Tournament.

The men's tennis and golf teams also won their district titles and went on to the **national play-offs**.

During the 1981 spring break, over 200 students participated in **Christian ministries** around the country.

**Gift income** increased 8.4%. The college ended the 1980-81 fiscal year with an excess of income over expenses.

Over **350 churches** were directly impacted by a variety of gospel

teams from Cedarville College.

In June 1981, **293 students were graduated**.

Typically, 70% of our recent premed graduates have been **accepted into medical school**.

During the summer of 1981, 100 young people **served the Lord worldwide** under the college's unique Missionary Internship Service program.

During the Christmas break of 1981, the **Jamaica Team** gave 18 gospel concerts in 14 days with very fruitful results.

**M.I.S.** teams traveled to Australia, Brazil, China, Israel, the Philippines, and Scotland.

Three summer conferences afforded **special vacation retreat opportunities**: Alumni Enrichment Week, the Laymen's Conference, and the fourteenth annual Pastors' Conference.

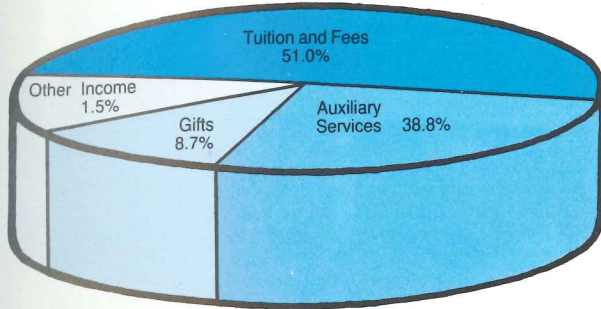
There was another **record enrollment** of 1657 students for the fall quarter 1981. This represents an increase of 10% over the previous year and 40% in three years.

**Nine new faculty** were hired for fall quarter 1981.

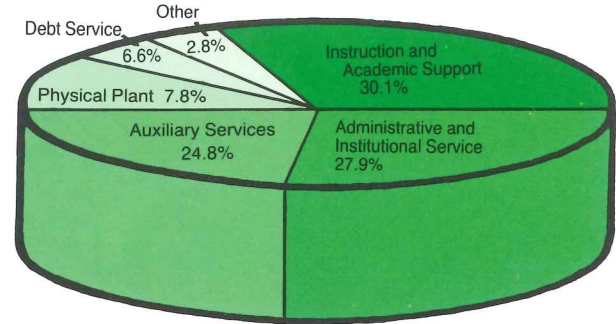
**Five capital projects were completed**: gymnasium and first floor of the Athletic Center; two new dormitories (192 beds); renovation of Williams Hall into office/classroom space; remodeling the old gym to accommodate a new 850 seat dining hall.



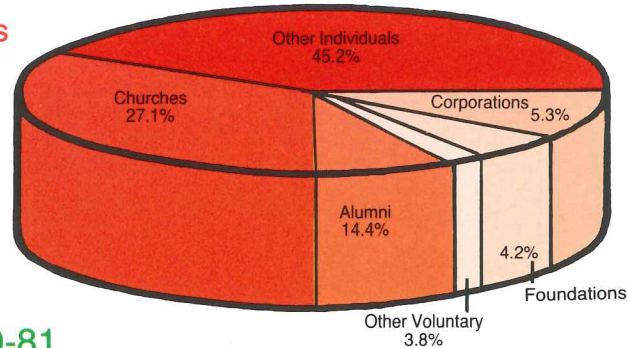
## Current Fund Income Fiscal 1980-81



## Current Unrestricted Fund Expenditures Fiscal 1980-81



## Gift Income by Sources — All Gifts



Corporations	\$ 50,106
Churches	259,000
Alumni	137,346
Other Individuals	432,334
Foundations	40,364
Other Voluntary	36,699
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$955,849</b>

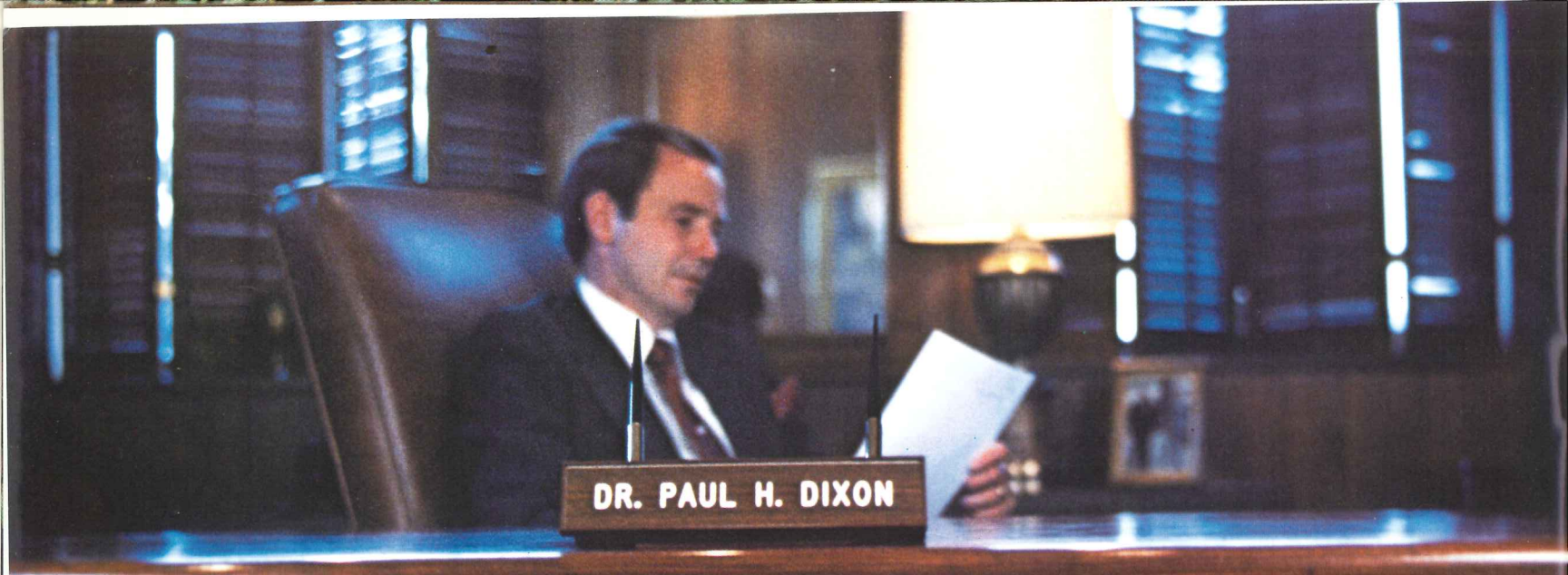
## Gift Highlights for Fiscal 1980-81

General Fund Gifts – those which go toward operations – increased 8.5% to \$412,318.

Alumni Gifts increased by 66.6% to an all-time high of \$137,346.

Bequests totaled \$35,126.

Overall Gift Income increased 8.4% from previous year.



**DR. PAUL H. DIXON**

I predict that Cedarville College will continue to grow in quality. Already, applications are up 22% over those received by this time last year. This is because people everywhere are finding out about the "Excellence Experience" that we offer our students.

I am encouraged by the increasing financial support of individuals, businesses, and foundations. The Kresge Foundation's \$200,000 challenge grant for our new athletic Center is an indication of the private sector's confidence in the soundness of our institution, our programs, and our commitment to the principles of free enterprise.

It is certainly evident that God has blessed our college in an unusual way. Therefore, this *1981 Cedarville College Report* is a testimony to His faithfulness on our behalf.

Sincerely in Christ,

Paul Dixon  
President

# IN MEMORIAM

*Gifts to Cedarville College have been made in loving memory of:*

Mark Baldwin  
Henry Bresson  
Marty Brown  
Jim Bucholtz '73N  
Donna H. Burns '17  
JoAnne Buschmann '72N  
Mr. and Mrs. Sanford Byrd  
Scott D. Christian  
Jonathan David Clater  
Donley Clithero  
Andrew G. and Mary R. Collins  
James Dalton  
Jesse and Naomi Dodson  
Edward Fabisch  
Lawrence E. Fisher  
Beulah E. Gerber  
Frank and Anna Greenwood  
Peter F. Guenther

Virgil Hall  
George and Linda Hartman  
Ralph O. Hofmeister  
Edward Van Howell  
Robert L. Hutchinson '18  
Walter Iliff  
Carrie Rife Jamieson '04  
John E. Kohl  
Henry Jero Kyle  
Ruby Lamb  
L. B. Lathrop  
Polly Leunk '66N  
Lois M. Marmon  
Frances McChesney '30  
J. Earl McClellan '13  
Phoebe E. Murphy  
Bruce L. Phillips  
Lois Playter

J. David Price Jr. '74N  
Nathan Allen Rice  
Ralph L. Rife  
Maud Ringer  
Roy Rippey  
Henry D. Schimkus  
Herman Scott '33  
N. Jean Scott  
Andrew Smith  
Lloyd D. Smith  
John H. Strube  
Charles Swanton  
Verna Tallmon '71  
Gerald D. Thomas  
Walter Thornton  
Philip Welborn  
Donald S. Wickerham '24  
Jack Willetts '58

A close-up shot of a dark wood nameplate on a desk. The nameplate is rectangular with the name "DR. PAUL H. DIXON" printed in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters. Two pens are held upright in the nameplate. The background is a blurred office interior with a lamp and window blinds.

**DR. PAUL H. DIXON**