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BIDS AT NOON
 in Tyleir Auditorium,
where the student body is invited to watch. From the
auditorium the auditorium the men who
receive bids will branch

## L - C Series Topic: British Playwrights

Miss Jacobson to Discuss<br>Shakespeare and Shaw

Will be the subject of a lecturar-concert sow Auditorium. She will concern her series program on Thursday evening, Feb- writings , and reactions tous authors, their ruary 20. Miss Emilie Jacobson, talented Miss Jacobson, a native of England lecturer, journalist, and actress, will pre- knew Shaw personally. She has Enayed on

FACULTY VOTES
3-3 Plan Set For Sepiember, 1965 ings to see if
should be made. At the same time, the Cur-
riculum Committee, headed by
Boyd, is responsible for Boyd, is responsible for exam
ining graduation requirement for possible changes.
Criticisms and/or suggestions
are welcomed from individuals or responsible student groups,
A series of class meetings being planned for discussion of
the new plan. Members of the Ad Hoc committee will conduct sions in the near future.
Members of the Curriculum
Committee, which meets every
Tuesday night, are Miss Molly Parrish, Dr. Howard Potter,
Dr. Musa Hussayni, Dr. Samuel

## New Library Completion Set for July 1

## Almanian Receives Information About College Honor Systems; Two Outlined in Some Detail

leges and universities in this
country are run under some
kind of arrangement called an
"honor system." The almanian
has recently received informa-
tion in regard to honor systems
in effect at Wooster and at An-
tioch. These proved to be in-
teresting both from the point of
view of their similarities and
their differences.
At Wooster the system is
limited to academic matters
and was adopted by the stud-
ents and faculty in the spring
of 1962. To date it has proven
to be a practical and worth-
while system there. It is based
on the premise that the student
has a responsibility to himself
and to the rest of his communi-
ty to uphold the ethical stand-
ards of the community.
It is a very formalized sys-
tem; the student is required to
sign a pledge to abide by the
honor code when he enters the
college and to write a state-
ment that he did not receive or
give help on every exam that he
takes.
The honor code at Wooster
also spells out in some detail
what acts are considered to be
a violation of the code and
specified one procedure to be In contrast to this limited,
used in dealing with infractions
formalized system, Antioch has of this code. The student who an all-encompassing, informal $\begin{array}{ll}\text { cheats is obliged to turn him- } \\ \text { self in within } 48 \text { hours for dis- } & \begin{array}{l}\text { hystem which rests of a } \\ 40 \text {-year tradition at the school }\end{array}\end{array}$ self in within 48 hours for dis-
ciplinary action. Any students $\begin{aligned} & \text { 40-year tradition at the school. } \\ & \text { Their "Philosophy of an Honor }\end{aligned}$ who observe him cheating are
honor bound to inform the cheater that he was observed and to turn him in.
The argument in The argument in favor of this
system is that there are certain people who will cheat, and that
other students will allow this to go on unless they are honor bound to report an offender. Discipline in the case of violation of the code is in the hands of an academic board
who will meet in consultation with the deans of the college.

Symphony Plays Here Wednesday Next Wednesday at 8 p.m. in
Tyler Auditorium the Saginaw Symphony orchestra, under the direction of Dr. Sam Jones will
play the second and final conplay the second and final con-
cert in their Alma series. Season tickets will be honored; in dividual tickets will be sold at the door for $\$ 1.50$.
heir "Philosophy of an Honor
See 'System', p. 3

## Student Art

Offered For Sale

## is presently being shown and

sold at the International Gift
House on State street. About works are on display, representing the efforts of 15 con
tributors. Most of the works for sate
Mors. Most of the works for sale at
present are prints or other graphic works. Students wishing to exhibit work should see either Mr. Kent Kirby
$\qquad$

Wegner Speaks On 'Lyric Poem In Next Convo

## 25 Dr. Robert Wegner, assistan professor of English, speech, convocation on the topic, "The problem of love in the "The When asked more specifically about his topic, Wegner said that with the title as ed he felt free to talk about nearly anything he wanted to and would like to leave it that way. <br> Wegner has his bachelors de gree from Michigan State Uni- versity and his masters and doctorate from and hestern Reserve University. He has been on the Alma faculty since on the Alma faculty since 1957; many students are familiar with him through his lectures in Western Civilization. <br> In addition to his professional duties Wegner finds time to write short stories, poems, and literary criticism. Within the past year he has published a book on e. e. cummings and in cooperation with Mr. Kent Kir- by produced a small volume of by produced a small volume of poems and prints entitled "Words for Frames." <br> The convocation is open to all students. Attendance is requir- ed for freshmen and juniors.


audience receives a a "combina the
tion of fine entertainment and a
knowledgeable, useful approach
to both of these writers." "Too often," adds Katz, "information
and entertainment are regarded as separate entities." Tickets for the performance
are free. They may be picked up at the information dicke in
Reid-Knox beginning next


Beginning this semester, the minutes of the posted on the will be Council bulletin board

## 'The Burmese Harp' Is Next Film Offering

 Film Series presents The Bur-mese Harp this Sunday evening in Dow Auditorium at 8. This ful, haunting film about war guilt. The story line follows a
Japanese private soldier whose conscience drives him to remain in Burma to bury the
dead, in expiation for all the

comingly, 1945, the war was units in Burma. Private Mizushima's unit was crossing the mountains to escape into Thailand. Mizushima, dressed as a Burmese native, warned his
unit of ambush by walking unit of ambush by walking
ahead and playing his harp as a signal. The others are taken prisoner and sent $\omega$ Mudan for
repatriation; Mizushima volunrepatriation; Mizushima volun-
teers to convince a group of last-ditch fighters of Japan's turn, he is gripped by an obsession to bury his slain countrymen. As prisoners depart for home, they are confronted by a mysterious wandering priest, song of farewell, then disappears into Burma.
In the year of its release, this film won the San Giorgio prize in competition at Venice, where it was cited as the film which best shows "men's capacity to
live with one another." It belongs to a group of works by
director Kon Ichikawa which display a gift for dramatizing the conflict within people under peculiar stress.
Critics have commented on film and on the gentle pacifist plea it presents. Reaction among members of the Toron"one of the mosty speaks of it as

The remaining numbers in his International Film Series are Citizen Kane (February 23),
I'm All Right, Jock and Eve Wants to Sleep (March
22). To date, 115 series tickets have been sold, says Mr. Wes-
ley C. Dykstra. For the series to break even, there should be
160 to 170 holders 160 to 170 holders of season
tickets. Series tickets are still availpair for a married couple). They may be obtained at Hood 203 or at the Dow Lobby before the
showing Sunday evening showing Sunday evening. In-
dividual film admissions are available at 75 c each.
'Sports' Is Theme Of Snow Carnival -If It Snows
"Sports: Past, Present, and
Future" is the title chosen by the committee for this year's Snow Carnival. The reason for this name, according to cothis is Olympic Game year, and much emphasis has been placed on sports. Also the theme is Jusy to work with.
Judges for the
ure, which will be held sculpture, which will be held Febru-
ary 22 if the weather permits, will be chosen from off-campus. This week the sophomore class nominated girls to com-
pete for the title pete for the title of Snow
Queen, and the entire studen body will vote next week for five girls. The almanian will announce the Queen's court, but
identity of the queen will be kept a secret until the day of the crowning.

## responsible action

We are glad to note the beginning of a
series of bi-weekly open houses at Wright series of bi-weekly open houses at Wright
Hall. We welcome this news not only because it provided another, and slightly different, activity for students, but more importantly because it indicates that stuon on this campus, if they take responsiIn strikin

## Seeing You Ask Me

## Write Your Own Headline



## House Views Chapel Program

Mr. Charles House, college
chaplain, commented recently
that this past semesters's pro-
gram of voluntary chapel has
worked out very much as the
faculty expected it to. Attend-
ance has ranged between 50 and
75 people on Thursday morn-
ings and on those Tuesdays
when there has been no conflict
with convocations around 125
people have been in attendance.
House said that he would al-
ways hope that more, would
come, but that he wasn't disap-
pointed in what has happened.
"What is lacking in size is made
up by the very real devotional
vocations on Tuesday and FAG
groups on Thursday that this
renders a significant portion of groups on Thursday that this
renders a significant portion of
the campus unable to attend
to achieve the opening of their dorm more requently to women: they all signed a petition. In many ways this was the easy
way out in contrast to the work that it way out in contrast to the work that it
cook to implement a workable program of pen houses. Signing petitions is not a substitute for constructive action; rather

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Alpha Sigma Tau ryin' Sam is ready at the altar,
and Daisy Mae and Moonbeam
McSwine have their track
shoes on. As you can see,
everyone is ready to greet you
and to take part in the big
event which is coming tomor-
row night from 9 to 12 p.m. We
hope you gals have your guys
and are ready for an exciting
low-brow evening at "Amo Te
in Dogpatch." And don't forget
guys, you can bring track
in Dogpatch." And don't forget
guys, you can bring track

## Alpha Theta <br> 

Delta Sigma Phi nity has been busy with im-
provements at the house on provements at the house on
Saturday's Field Day. An Open
House was held House was held on Sunday afternoon from $2-5 \mathrm{p} . \mathrm{m}$. for all rushees. On Thursday night our annual Spring Smoker was
held at the house. Tomorrow afternoon the Alumni Control Board of our local Gamma Phi chapter will
be meeting at the house to disbe meeting at the house to dis-
cuss several matters of im-
portance. portance. The meeting is
scheduled for 3 p.m.
Kappa lota
The KIs are proud to an-
nounce their newly elected of-
ficers for the spring semester.
They are: president, B. J.
Place; vice-president, Jodie
Z u ka as recording secretary,
Barb Wiley; corresponding sec-
retary, Carolyn Reid; treasurer,
Anne Roberts; assistant treas-
urer, Bonnie Labadie; Pan-
hellenic representative, Sally
Stough.
We would like to take this
opportunity to congratulate
schedule of events
the almanian



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girls, not just one-third of if I think the voting age should

## letters to the editor

| I'd like to raise the question -what are rush rules for? In this day and age rush rules are outmoded. After all doesn't everyone get "rushed" beforehand by the glorious sororities of Alma? <br> Rush rules are fine, I think, if all sororities would promise or rather swear not to visit, talk to, walk to class with, or generally hobnob with the prospective rushees before rush. But this is utterly ridiculous as any discerning coed knows. <br> How else, the cry goes up, will we get to know the girls? Well, my dear sorority friends, that is what the rush program is for-get to know all of the girls, not just one-third of | Sorority rush is great fun if you are a desired rushee. But ah, the other side of the foot -what about those who are not really desired - oops, I mean rushed before rush begins? They too go to the teas, the spreads, and maybe, if they're lucky (or the desired ones go another way or flunk out), come back for the desserts. <br> Therefore, I ask, what are rush rules for??? $\qquad$ Cool Coed <br> Dear Editor, <br> The other day my roommate and I were expressing our opinions about the voting age-or, rather, she asked me if I think the voting age should | plied, "Yes, definitely," and a heated discussion then followed, during which she said, "Why don't you write a letter to the editor about it?" "The almanian editor?" I said. "Of course," she answered. The idea did not appeal to me at first, but since she suddenly changed her opinion about the voting age, agreeing with me that it should be lowered to eighteen, I decided to honor her request and express my opinion to the world by means of the almanian. So I am. I think that the voting age should be lowered to eighteen, and my argument is "the old motto," "old enough to fight; old enough to vote." <br> Barb Werner |
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Rush $=$ Excitement
Rush $=$ Excitement
ing to be filled with exciting chance to coordinate many of
the social activities, and to fit in

February 14-Friday
ruary ${ }^{15-\text { Saturday }}$
February 16 -Sunda
February 17 -Monday
February $19-$ Wednes
February 20-Thursday


## Smith Writes

| The author of this letter, Jerry n, is a former Alma stadent now tative of the college. He is teaching Mayflower school in Nigeria; and return to Alma next fall. <br> January 23, 1964 | the way from Bamenda to Onitsha, Nigeria leaving at 9 in the morning and arriving in Onitsha at 5 the next morning. For 1,500 francs each we would | As we careened down the mountain road in a cloud of dust we had to laugh when we thought how much you'd pay for a ride like that in an |
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| ar friends, | ent packed around us. | amusement park. Our morning delay had been a bit too |
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| ed out Phyllis and me. At | w'th another one. This one was | under the stars. |
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## 'Inner City' Programs To Be Discussed Here



## Placement Casement

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# Seniors Head List As 87 Take Honors 

Garrison, Edard 3.60, Leslie,
Virginia 3.68, Lindley, Marcii Virginia 3.68, Lindley, Marcia G.if, Luchin, Larry 3.93, Motz,
Glady 4.00 Portney, Paul
3.66, Schult, Thomas 3.93, Silver, Nancy 3.93, Snyder, San-
ver,
dra 3.60, Soule, Diane dra 3.60 , Soule, Diane 3.62,
Soule, Donna 4.00 , Stephens,
Stan Sharon 4.00, Tack, Katherine send, Alise 3.56 and Trout,
Michael 3.70.

System, cont. from p. 1 System" points out that a community operates on the basis
of certain agreements among its members; effective operation rests on the premise that members can be relied upon to act in accordance with these agreements, without police or proct oring systems.
Provisions o
Provisions of Antioch's hon-
or system include the absence of head residents in the dorms, no guard at the library door,
and a provision allowing stuand a provision allowing stu-
dents to take exams out of the dents to take exams out of the
classroom to any place that is consrenient to them. Enforcement of Enforcement of the system is
on an informal basis. The em-
phasis is on helping the student phasis is on helping the student
to take a responsible position in the community; if possible, vio-
lations are handled on an individual basis. If one student is honor code by another of the first supposed to discuss the matter with the violator. If this does not result in any
correction of the problem he may report the violamunity government.

Greeks, cont. from p. 2 for the Tau Kappa Epsilon Franoon. As Tekes wait in the middle of campus, fraternity bids will be given out in Tyler Auditorium. We have all been looking forward to the event
for several months and are for several months and are
really anxious with only one more day to go!
We are happy to announce the engagement of frater Tim Johnson to redhead Man-
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