

Shaw Conducting Cleveland Symphony Joys outweigh disappointments

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Cleveland Orchestra under direction of Robert Shaw fulfilled many expectations

BY JACK BURNAM

The Cleveland Orchestra provided an auspicious The Cleveland Orchestra provided an auspicious first event in another of Houghton's consistently superb Artist Series. In the course of the evening the ensemble fulfilled many expectations. Unfortunately, it was dif-ficult to escape an occasional feeling that this was a great orchestra playing at somewhat less than capacity. Perhaps a relatively small and unimportant cultural cen-ter should resign itself patiently to this sort of thing; in any event, the joys of the evening far outweighed the disappointments.

in any event, the joys of the evening far outworghed the disappointments. Schubert's Symphony No. 3 in D opened the pro-gram with cheer and gusto. The first clarinetist de-serves credit for an unusually satisfying performance

of the charming solo in the second movement. Drama and emotion characterized Tcheikowsky's popular *Romeo and Juliet*, although conductor Robert Shaw's reading was restrained, with a minimum of "slush."

From a purely technical standpoint, perhaps the Bach Harpsichord Concerto in D was the most suc-cessfully performed work. Harpsichordist Fernando Valenti's playing was virtually flawless, and the per-formance as a whole was remarkably free from man-nerisms; only the music spoke.

In spite of its massive sweep, Stravinsky's Firebird Suite, is a masterpiece of precision and detail. Stravin-sky's images are succinct and carefully drawn, but (Continued on Page 4)

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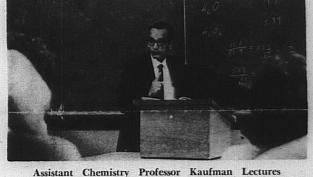
Tonight at 8:00 p.m.

About fifty representatives of fif-teen universities, Christian colleges and Bible schools will meet here this weekend for the second annual Norcheast Student Missions Work-shop. Members of the Houghton For-eign Missions Fellowship are week-end hosts. Workshop planning com-mittee members, Wesley Lytle, Vir-ginia MacNeill, David Hicks and Eugene Kindschi have been working towards the Workshop for more than six months.

Student Missions' leaders

meet for FMF workshop

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 The Rev. Jack Shepherd of the Latin America Missions leaders will represent Barrington College, Berian Bible Institute, Cornell University, Gordon College and Divinity School, Lancaster School of the Bible, Oneonta State Teachers College, Northeast Bible Institute, Philadelphia College of Bible, Robert 23, 1966



Prepared for Houghton students

Sixteen new instructors

join Houghton faculty

Hall interim College Dean

BY NORA SWINDLER

On June 24, 1966, Chairman of Theology and Christian Education, Bert H. Hall finished teaching summer school, corrected the final exams, Wesleyan Bible Commentary, and flew with his wife to Taiwan.

temporarily exchanged teaching for administration as he assumes the one-year interim position as Dean of the College in this his twentieth year at Houghton. Prof. Hall, who taught Ethics the first session of summer school, has In an interview, Dean Hall commented, "I'd rather teach, but here's Registration establishes mark

a job that has to be done, and I'm ready to help out in this interim period. The classroom, though, is my first

love.' He does not visualize a loss of con-

tact with the students, though Dean Hall did observe that he would prob-ably meet more student leaders than the "cross-grain" present in the class-

On June 24, the manuscript of the section "The Major Prophets" of The Wesleyan Bible Commentary written by Prof. Hall sped to the publisher. This section fills about one-half of Volume Three, which should be available next sum

The flight to Taiwan began a twomonth speaking tour of the Far East, starting with three weeks at the Wesstarting with three weeks at the Wes- for both the missionaries and nation-leyan Graduate Study Seminar in als of the Oriental Missionary So-Taiwan. Using an interpreter, Dean ciety. Hall taught contemporary theology Hurrying on to Manila for three to 70 Chinese pastors. days at the Far-Eastern Bible Insti-Hall taught contemporary theology to 70 Chinese pastors.



Dean Bert Hall

The following week in Hong Kong, tute and Seminary, Prof. Hall spoke Prof. Hall carried on Bible studies (Continued on Page 4)

Registration this year gave Houghton 356 new students and fifteen new courses. Men students hold an advantage in the social register, as the women registered with a surplus of 123. Four hundred ninety-seven men and six hundred twenty women enrolled by Friday, September 16.

Total enrollment for the Fall semester stands at 1117, including 304 Freshmen. The 175 women in this class have a majority of 46 over the 129 men. Fifty-five per cent of the total enrollment is female, with only a slightly higher percentage of women in the Freshman class.

Fifty-seven transfer students also came to Houghton this semester. Men led these ranks with 28. Fifteen transfers had attended Houghton previously. Naturally 60% of those who transferred and retransferred back to Houghton were women.

Fifteen added courses came to the curriculum this fall. Among these were a concentrated English Literature course and a new study, Classics of the Western World. Foreign Language and Literature added Intermediate Russian and Independent Study for Seniors in French, Spanish, German, Greek, and Latin.

The History Department added African History and Contemporary Ine History Department added Atrican History and Contemporary Visiting Professor of Lingüistics is European History to its list of courses. Mathematics for Teachers, Linear Dr. Robert Longacre, who received Algebra and Algebraic Structures joined the list of courses in the Science his Ph.D. from the University of and Math Department, while Business Mathematics was dropped. The Pennsylvania. Mrs. Elke H. Miller, Arts added a course in music called Observation and Participation, and a recent Houghton graduate, is In-dropped Interior Decoration and Graphic Arts. (Continued on Page 4)

Sixteen new teachers complement Houghton's faculty this year. Whether it is from Sierre Leone or from the U.S. Army Band or from Fillmore Central School, each has come prepared for Houghton College students. Doctoral candidate at Cornell, Mr. Gene B. Chase, B.S., is Instructor

in Mathematics. Mr. Keith C. Clark, Associate Professor of Brass Instru-ments, has come to us after twenty years as a member of the U.S. Army

Band. Former missionary in Puerto Rico and Colombia, Mr. Robert L. Crosby, B.A., is Instructor in Spanish. Instructor in Spansa. Instructor in Biology, Mr. Charles E. Doolittle, received his B.S. from Penn State. Dr. Ray Hazlett who has been retired since 1957, has come back to teach Drama Seminar.

A former teacher at the South Dakota State College, Mr. Richard Jacobsen, M.S., is currently Asso-ciate Professor in Mathematics. Mr. Willis M. Kaufman, M.A., Assistant Professor of Chemistry, was previous-ly engaged in industrial work with the Shell Development Company. Graduate of Houghton and former teacher at Fillmore Central School, Mrs. Vivian King is now Instructor in Spanish. Mrs. Carmen V. Liddick, Instructor in English, received her M.A. from the University of

Michigan. Visiting Professor of Linguistics is Dr. Robert Longacre, who received his Ph.D. from the University of Pennsylvania. Mrs. Elke H. Miller,

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Editorial . . . What's New?

The 1966 Star is completely new. Every aspect, every feature, every story is tailored to fit the Houghton Campus mind. Complaints and dissatisfactions (regard-ing the Star, that is) are a thing of the past. Ridiculous? If course. With a 57-year heritage

Ridiculous? If course. With a 57-year heritage no student organization, particularly a publication, could possibly be "completely new." Every article might conceivably be tailored to fit the campus mind if such a unified entity were real and chartable. Fortunately, approaches, tastes and viewpoints differ. No matter how technically delicious and timely the text, the *Star* will alway irritate some will always irritate some.

Fully realizing that we are building upon a history of student journalism and convinced that the best serwe can bring to Houghton lies in the area of ulating reflection, we shall attempt to present a balstim anced spectrum of campus events, an exploration of our relation to life beyond Taylor's garage and a responsible discontent with parts of the *status quo* which are wilting on the vine

Weird collection of people & animals

All features in the Star aren't completely serious.

Society News . , .

DOIG - DUNHAM

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Thomas of West Seneca, New York, announce of Parish, New York, announce the the engagement of their daughter, engagement of their daughter, Bon-Bonnie Doig ('66), to Mr. Verjee C. Dunham ('66), son of Rev. and Mrs. Verne Dunham of Lorain, Ohio. No wedding date has been set. * * * New York. 1.10 for the wedding. * *

STAUB - GAY

Mr. Melvin O. Staub of Manlius, New York, announces the engage-ment of his daughter, Sheryl Lee Altoona, Pennsylvania, announce the ('68), to Willis H. Gay, Jr. ('67), engagement of their daughter, Danice son of Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Gay, Marie ('67) to Mr. Daniel Smith Sr., of Martville, New York. A ('66), son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. June 1968 wedding is planned.

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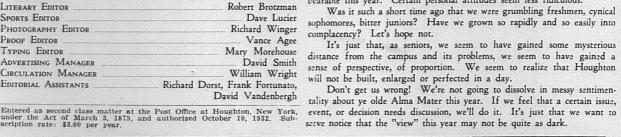
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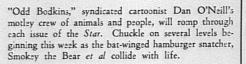
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Welcome, new school year

If initation and Honor Court are any indication, If initiation and Pionor Court are any indication, this will be an outstanding year. The transistorized schedule of "Frosh humbling" and "Soph punishing" eliminated the traditional Tuesday morning lag. By conducting initiation entirely before classes began, total participation was boosted and much of what was con-sidered objectionable in the past was avoided. Congratulations, Sophs and Frosh! You played the

well.

game well. But now we all must turn to new or renewed portunities of more mature community living, scholar-ship and deepening spiritual preception. For the most part, the year will be what we make it. Academic, social and spiritual growth are results of effort, in-volvement and love for each other. Let's have a good year together. dih

ORATORIO MEETS

If you enjoy singing but have mortal fear of tryouts, join the oratorio Society. The emphasis Oratorio Society. The emphasis this year is on the Baroque period. Students and townsfolk alike are invited to participate in selected choruses and solos from Handel's *Messiah*, and the complete Vivaldi Gloria. Under the direction of Donald Doig, the Society will pre-esnt these works at the December

esnt these works at the December 11th Christmas Concert. Take sixty minutes out of your wakeful hours to sing with the Oratorio every Monday night at seven.

The Limb

BOB, DAVE AND FRANK

Preliminary Warning Well, here we all are! Preliminary frosh tests taken, initiation over,

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Agenda

Star program, Wesley Chapel, 8:00 p.m. P-G soccer, Alumni Field, 8:00 p.m. TONITE - P-G football, Alumni Field, 1:45 p.m. N.E. Student Missions Workshop TOMORROW MONDAY - WJSL skating party TUESDAY - Last day for schedule change WEDNESDAY - Soph Recital, 7:30 p.m. THURSDAY — Field Hockey, 3:30 p.m. (4-3) Freshman Orientation, 7:00 p.m. FRIDAY - P-G football, Alumni Field, 8:00 p.m.

The Magus', a pioneer of surrealism in novel

Faculty Recital, Dr. Finney, 8:00 p.m.

BY CLARENCE DRISKILL THE MAGUS by John Fowless. The story line in The Magus is labyrinthine. In nearly six hundred pages Fowles takes the reader, via impressionistic narrative and recount of stories in flashback form, through an intricate plot covering a great majority of the lives of at least five characters, encompassing most of this to Greece. Calculatedly unbelievable, The Ma

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to Greece. Calculatedly unbelievable, The Ma-gus is, among other things, a study of the importance of human per-spective and physical limitation in the determination of the nature of reality. A young man is drawn into a wild group of super-dramatists led by a in the drama as a mosterious chart calculatedly unbelievable, The Ma-Grecian isles and is befriended by Maurice Conchis, a neighboring estate holder. Conchis, actually the Magus, ittillates Urfe (the young teacher) of beautiful twins who has been cast in the drama as a mosterious chart A young man is drawn into a wild group of super-dramatists led by a rather daft philosopher-physician who makes the poor fellow the butt of a tremendous game taking the form of the immediate post-Gibson era. She becomes the lure, and Conchis is the fisherman, with the other twin and a half-dozen or more extras along for the ride, including a Negro football player type who dresses up

football player type who dresses up like a satyr. The plot snakes along, and Urfe's emotions are flung from one extreme to another as he tries to decide whether to love or hate this lovely apparition.

With the reader, however, it may With the reader, however, it may be a different story for his emotions are not so involved as Urfe's, and he is likely not to sympathize with this business of full-time, world-wide drama; and the plot, which often borders on the ludicrous, probably will leave him cold. Liberally sprinkled with elaborate time shifts and often with elaborate time shifts and often given to over-exotic description, the novel becomes hard to follow without a close reading, and could easily swamp even an experienced reader.

It reads more like a first novel than classes are started. To us oldtimers, the routine seems strikingly familiar, does his fabulously successful The and one might say potentially nostalgic. The pen of a senior is a pen Collector (which was his first), for apt to drip with treacle, according to Plato or somebody, and its true. The Collector (which was his first) for and one might say potentially nostalgic. The pen of a senior is a pen apt to drip with treacle, according to Plato or somebody, and its true. The whole place, its denizens, its moods seem somehow more sensible, more bearable this year. Certain personal attitudes seem less ridiculous. Was it such a short time ago that we were grumbling freshmen, cynical sophomores, bitter juniors? Have we grown so rapidly and so easily into any treatment of home anot. The Magus, intervent of home anot. instead of being one of those no one cannot put down as was his first, becomes one which the reader puts aside through lack of patience but picks up again and again of its spectacular originality, sheer bulk of thought and because of a significantly new approach to the concept of the novel.

> A distinct departure from the demands of realistic portrayal which has more or less dominated the Eng-lish novel from its conception, *The Magus* strikes out into an area of something akin to surrealism that has already been explored in poetry and drama. Surrealism in the other genres has already been passed by, and whether the lead that Fowles has taken will be followed by others in the field of the novel would certainly be irresponsible speculation, but for my part it would be a welcome shift.



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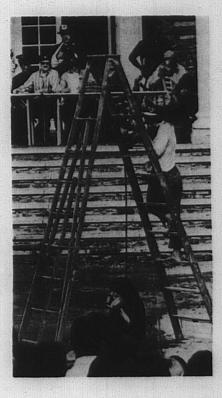


chocolate and hair and mud i was covered with mud after the hike my clothes grass stained but fun and the chocolate i still taste the bitter chocolate on top of that ladder i wonder what the hair means waiting wonder if he'll come back seeing her there coated like that she took it well she did her share sophomores they seem so does that smirk hide thankfulness thankfulness at having moved up the ladder she was on the field i saw her running and the other general gone for half dollars i hoped he wouldn't get them at first but i've got nothing against them now it was fun three friends already the tall trumpet one he says he's a music major they laugh

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by Driskill, Brotzman, Tonnesen photos by Winger



The frosh mentality

i'd like to be the other one too bad he couldn't get back on time wonder what the girl who's pouring thinks there are the six they made the tent it fell muddy and dirty as some of the girls the girls that slipped crossing the puddle those melons look good even on the girls wonder what we'll have for supper the frosh junior banquet alice in wonderland that was good and the mural figures the juniors worked hard my big brother i wonder where he is i've hardly seen him they worked hard he's back but without the coins wonder what they'll do to him he looks tired i'm tired will i like it here slow sometimes time to think anyway it's been fun so far that white tub those guys dressed up like goons they seem ok and the jury's funny someone will get a bath the jury they let him go over the tub exonerated what a mess classes tomorrow







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More participation, spirit a must for future athletics

BY DAVE LUCIER

BY DAVE LUCIER Another year of "athletics for everyone and everyone for athletics" gets underway tonight when the soccer season open; at 8:00 p.m. Last Saturday 53 men were on the lower field for soccer and football. Gold football accounted for almost half of the number as they fielded 23.

Maybe our motto is coming true. It seems a shame, with a definite interest being shown in the fall sports, that once again there are schedule conflicts. Why is it that Satursports, that once again there are schedule conflicts. Why is it that Satur-day nights are open when two or three different activities must compete for attendance on Friday nights? Those who plead that students won't attend church if they are out Saturday night must realize that everything starts an hour later on Sunday anyway. Only one athletic event is scheduled for a Saturday night, that one being the alumni basketball game. From what little I have seen thus far this year it appears that the Athletic Association intends to take an active role this year. President Phil Stockin has some things he wants to do and appears ready to step on a few toes if necessary to get results. A strong A.A. that could feel the pulse of the student body could do a lot for the cause of intercollegiate athletics.

athletics

The future looks bright for making intercollegiate sports a reality in the near future. The students and most of the faculty are ready to take this step, and even in high administration circles it is admitted to be only a matter of time.

Spirit always remains a question. Right now the morale of the athletes mselves is high. The one thing that will make this remain so will be

experience as a pastor and teacher in Canada, is a welcome addition to the ddition to the Assistant Professor. Assistant Professor.

Instructor in French, Mr. John L. Roederer, B.A., formerly taught at as tight race begins

DR. HALL . . .

eral Mission, Dean Hall spent three days in Korea, viewing the World Vision work. Climaxing the trip was one week's rest in Honolulu with Commander Richard Bareiss (Houghton '51) who is chaplain of Ford Island at Pearl Harbor. Dean Hall was graduated from the corner penalty shots. One of the top competitors on the field, Owen Ndungu, will give Gold stability and three years' experience at center half-back. Owen will be flanked by either Tim Nasser or transfer Soph Harvey Reath on the right side with Wayne Erickson on the left. The fullbacks will be Mark Weidemann and football refugee Doug Fraser. Rounding out the team, Gary King returns to the goalie spot. The Purple pharaohs, who lost out by half a game last year after a Dean Hall was graduated from the company.

Dean Hall was graduated from three game dominance, will try to regain the top spot once again. With the Northern Baptist Theological Tom Willett the Pharaohs have the best fullback in the College. His big Seminary in 1946 and received the foot will mean a lot to their defense. Bud Jowers will bring his experience degree of Doctor of Theology there to the left wing position. A returning letterman, Fred Danner, will add a in 1949. Previous to this appoint good toe to the backfield. Varsity man, Phil Stockin, moves from the ment, he served as professor of Philos- line to goalie where he will vie with Soph John Ennis for the position. ophy and Chairman of the Division Adding speed and ability to the Purple line will be Jim Parks, returning of Theology, Philosophy and Chris- after a year of football. tian Education at Houghton. It will be a tight race, but give Gold a slim one point edge tonight.

BY DAVE LUCIER

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Depint always remains a question. Right now the morale of the athletes themselves is high. The one thing that will make this remain so will be the support of the student body. Tonight the soccer season starts and at 1:45 tomorrow the football campaign gets underway. It can be a good year, but the support — or lack of it — on the campus will be a deciding factor. NEW FACULTY . . . (Continued from Page 1) structor in German. With a Ph.D. from Penn State, Dr. Donald W. Monroe, Jr. comes to us as Assistant K. Mullen, M.A., with considerable K. Mullen, M.A., with considerable

Practice Becomes Competition on Saturday Afternoon Will the Gold Gladiators overcome?

Gladiators look for victory as

signals again this year. Seniors Pete Tonight at 8:00 p.m. one of the best seasons ever for Houghton soccer Friedrick and Keith Greer will be in the chaper and taught two classes con-ducted by Robert and Norma Pritch-ett, class of '51. After the next two weeks in Japan where he spoke fourteen times in fifteen days at the Summer Bible Conference of the Immanuel Gen-transfer, Cass on the field, Owen Ndungu will on the halfback slots. Both are hard and fast runners with three years' experience. At wingback is speedy Don Tilley. Purple's interior line is strong with 'Tiny' Dwyer and Dick Pope. Strong and experienced they one of the top competitors on the field, Owen Ndungu will on the halfback slots. Both are hard and fast runners with three years' experience. At wingback is speedy Don Tilley. Purple's interior line is strong with 'Tiny' Dwyer and Dick Pope. Strong and experienced they will be the Pharoahs immovable Vill be under way. For a change, both squads are getting out enough the halfback slots. Both are hard practice to make it worthwhile. And if physical conditioning has any part and fast runners with three years'

depth in their backness Wells could start either Mike Holmes or Skip Hartman at quarterback or could play them at halfback position. in oppener booins Hurple will bring a strong, solid, The Pharcahs' line will average 190 bounds and its backfield packs plenty

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