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Players: Example

The appearance of Ralph Bunche, Career Day speaker, at the University is the result of co-ordinated work on the part of many groups and persons.

Sponsored by the College of Business Administration, Dr. Bunche will speak in Schwab Auditorium tomorrow night.

Perhaps one of the finest examples of cooperation with the program was set by the dramatics department when they postponed show time for Players' "Mr. Roberts" until 9:45 p.m. tomorrow to accommodate the Career Day talk. This performance will mark the opening night of the Players' production. Postponement of show time might well have proved disastrous to ticket sales, but Players have graciously converted the entire situation into a unique and potentially successful symbol of willing cooperation.

The postponement of show time alone might prove advantageous to the success of "Mr. Roberts." It will for certain give the coming "big weekend" an early start. The show will last until nearly midnight and give coeds that long-sought opportunity to stay out of the dorms past the 10 p.m. deadline. The Dean of Women has granted women students permission to attend the late show with the condition that they show ticket stubs when they return to their dormitories.

For those students who might otherwise have had to choose between "Mr. Roberts" and Dr. Bunche's talk, the postponement will allow attendance at both events.

The late curtain offers even a scholastic advantage to study-minded students. The three hours between the dinner hour and curtain time will allow for that end-of-the-week research and studying that might have been put off had "Mr. Roberts" been scheduled for the regular 8:15 p.m. opening.

Players have quite accidentally hit upon an unusual beginning to a "big weekend." They should be supported in this experiment, as well as commended for their fine cooperation with the Career Day program.

—Ed Reiss

Blood, Blood, Blood

Would you like to be an A-number-one citizen?

It's really a very simple process—a matter of giving about an hour of your time, rolling up your sleeve, and donating a pint of blood.

Giving to the blood drive is one of the most charitable things a student can do. It costs the donor nothing, and yet, even a single pint may save a person's life.

The act is profitable to the donor, too. A student who has given blood through the Red Cross can draw from the blood supply for himself without cost if this ever is necessary. Thus, it may be a student's own life that he potentially is saving with his donation.

Everyone has at some time seen a movie or a newsreel scene portraying the agony of men and women dying from wounds and loss of blood, only to be saved at the last moment through a successful transfusion. This is not fiction. It is happening every day on battlefields, in hospitals, and in homes.

Nor do those transfusions come from some magical potion concocted in an isolated laboratory. They are your blood . . . the gracious donations of college students and other men and women all over the nation.

The Bloodmobile will be at the Temporary Union Building Nov. 10 and 11. Students can get their pledge cards at the Student Union desks in Old Main and Waring Hall.

The deadline for pledge forms for the current drive has been extended. Three hundred pints is the goal this month; and only 115 pledges have been returned. This might well mean the loss of 185 lives.

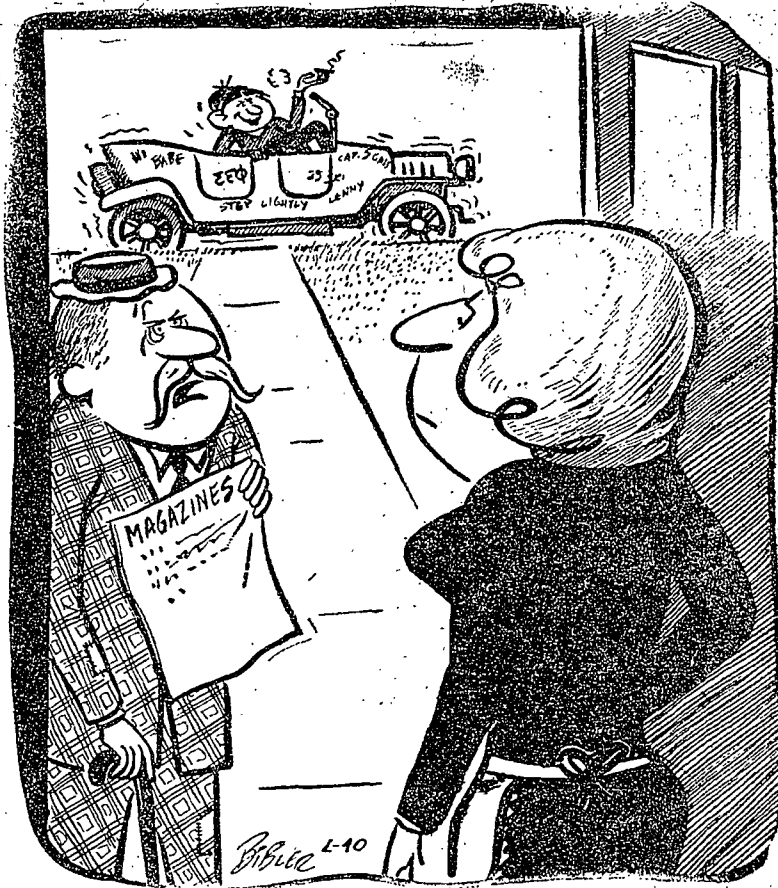
It is within the power of practically every student at this University to help save these lives. Giving blood doesn't hurt. Many students here give during every blood drive. Many more students can give during this blood drive.

Be a number-one citizen. Help yourself to the satisfaction of helping your fellow men. Give a pint of blood!

—Peggy McClain

Little Man on Campus

By Bibler



"I'm trying to work his way through college, Madam and . . ."

Genius and Crackpottery

Singing In The Wilderness

By EDMUND REISS

Last week while attending the discussion on "Must Creative Artists Be Crackpots," we heard one of the panel members say he believed "crackpottery" and genius to be closely related.

This idea interested us, and after thinking about it, we could not help but wonder how such a statement could remain unchallenged, especially by such a learned audience, as was present.

"Crackpottery," which appears to include everything from minor eccentricities to insanity, seems to be entirely unrelated to genius. However, it is a very common occurrence for people to say that so-and-so borders between genius and insanity, and he could become either one, according to circumstances.

This, to pick an example, was an almost standard expression when referring to Thomas Wolfe. Certainly no one questions Wolfe's genius, but many people feel that at times this great writer left the world of reality; and they further point to passages in his works which they say could not have been written if Wolfe had been perfectly balanced.

However, what does "perfectly balanced" mean? How many of us could point to someone we know and say "That person is completely sane?" Furthermore, what is genius? If it is an intelligent quotient beyond a certain number on the scale, say 180, then genius is only a high figure that supposedly measures ability to learn.

With this as the case genius is measured and determined by potentiality, and not by how a person uses his latent intelligence. Therefore, anyone from those in the least creative jobs to those in the most creative way may be a genius, from a clerk to a painter, from an Australian aborigine to a nuclear physicist.

Of course insanity (or rather "crackpottery") may be present in any and all of these groups, and to us, this is the only thing the two terms have in common. Each may appear in any type of person, but each is due to different things. It is obvious that insanity ("crack-

pottery") comes from a mental disorder, a neurotic or psychotic ailment. Is genius also a sign of need for psychological treatment?

Certainly some geniuses may be crackpots, and some crackpots may be geniuses, but we would not replace this "some" by a "most" or "all." Neither state is a sign of the other; neither depends on the other, and neither is related in any way to the other.

Genius and crackpottery are two entirely different things, and it is hard to understand how an intelligent person could think of their being related.

Business Group Elects 4 Officers

The University chapter of Future Business Leaders of America has elected four officers.

They are Francis Catherine, president; Walter Stryczek, vice president; Sheila Preven, secretary; and Carol Schwing, reporter.

The purpose of the local club is to train prospective instructors of business education in their future duties as local sponsors of FBLA.

Tonight on WDFM

- 7:25 91.1 MEGACYCLES Sign On
- 7:30 Stand By, request program conducted by Ken Stern
- 8:00 Open to Question, panel discussion on "American Foreign Policy Towards Russia."
- 8:30 Broadway in Review, transcribed with Kay Armen
- 8:45 Call Card, Beverly Marcus reading "Nightingale and the Rose"
- 9:15 News
- 9:00 House Party, music by campus corobos and bands
- 9:30 Light Classical Jukebox, telephone request program
- 10:30 Sign Off

Gazette . . .

- Today**
- CHEM-PHYS STUDENT COUNCIL, 7 p.m., 306 Osmond
 - GEOPHYSICS SOCIETY, 7:30 p.m., M.S. Auditorium
 - MINERAL INDUSTRIES STUDENT COUNCIL, 7:30 p.m., 100 Carnegie
 - NEWMAN CLUB CHORAL GROUP, 7 p.m., Church
 - NEWMAN CLUB DISCUSSION, 7:30 p.m., Catholic Youth Center
 - RIDING CLUB, 7 p.m., TUB
 - PERSHING RIFLES, 7 p.m., Armory
 - PLAYERS ADVERTISING CREW, 6:45 p.m., Schwab loft
 - UCA ASSEMBLY, 7 p.m., 304 Old Main
 - UNIVERSITY PLACEMENT SERVICE
- Those qualified for interviewing are: undergraduates who will receive degrees in January, 1955; M.S. candidates who have completed at least one semester of study; and PhD candidates who will receive degrees in 1955. Arrangements for interviews may be made now in 112 Old Main.
- GULF RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT: M.S. & PhD in Phys., Geo. Phys., EE, Chem., Chem.E., on Nov. 5
 - PROCTOR & GAMBLE COMPANY: PhD in Chem. on Nov. 5
 - SHELL OIL COMPANIES: PhD in Chem. & Chem.E. on Nov. 5
 - COLUMBIA SOUTHERN CHEMICAL CORP.: B.S. in Chem. E., Chem. & ME on Nov. 8
 - PHILADELPHIA NAVAL SHIPYARD: B.S. in EE, ME, CE, IE, Chem.E., Arch.E. on Nov. 8
 - GENERAL ELECTRIC: PhD in Chem.E., Chem., Comm. Chem., Phys., EE, ME, Ceramics, G & M, Metal. on Nov. 8 & 9
 - AMERICAN CYANAMID COMPANY: B.S., M.S. & PhD in Chem., & Chem.E. on Nov. 8 & 9.

- SHELL COMPANIES: B.S. & M.S. in Chem., Chem.E., CE, EE, IE, ME, Min. & Pet. Engr.; PhD in CE, EE, IE, ME, Min. & Pet. Engr. on Nov. 8 & 9.
- ELECTRO-ORGANIC COMPANY: B.S. in Bus. Admin., Ind. & Labor Relations, Comm., Economics, Ind. Psyc., Acctg., Finance, Metal., Chem., ME, EE, IE, Sci. & CE on Nov. 9.
- SUN OIL COMPANY: B.S. & M.S. in Chem. & Chem.E.; PhD in Organic or Phys. Chem. on Nov. 10.
- CURTIS WRIGHT (PROP. DIV.): B.S. in Aero.E., ME & EE; M.S. in ME & EE on Nov. 10.
- UNION CARBIDE & CARBON CORPORATION: PhD in Chem., Chem.E., ME & Phys. on Nov. 10, 11 & 12.
- NATIONAL SUPPLY COMPANY: B.S. in CE, EE, IE, ME, Mining Engr., PNG, Metal., Acctg., Bus. Admin. on Nov. 10.
- FEDERAL TELECOMMUNICATION LABS.: B.S., M.S. & PhD in EE & Phys. on Nov. 11.
- OLIN MATHIESON CHEMICAL CORP.: B.S. in Chem.E., ME, IE, EE, Metal., Phys., Math., Chem. Acctg., & Bus. Admin.; M.S. & PhD in Phys., Math. & Chem. on Nov. 11.
- UNITED AIRCRAFT CORP. (RESEARCH DEPT.): B.S., M.S. & PhD in Aero.E. & ME on Nov. 11.
- BENDIX AVIATION (98 DIVS.): B.S., M.S. & PhD in EE, ME, Phys., Aero.E. & Math., IE & Metal. on Nov. 12.
- CHANCE VUGHT AIRCRAFT: B.S., M.S. & PhD in ME, Aero.E., Arch.E., CE, EE & Math. on Nov. 12.
- GLENN L. MARTIN CO.: B.S. in Aero.E., ME, EE, IE, CE, Chem.E., Metal., Phys. & Acctg. on Nov. 12.
- CHAS. PFIZER & CO., INC.: B.S. in Chem. & Chem.E. on Nov. 15.
- RCA CORPORATION: B.S., M.S. & PhD in EE, ME & Phys. on Nov. 15.
- SCOTT PAPER COMPANY: B.S., M.S., & PhD in Chem., Chem.E., ME, IE, Lib. Arts, Bus. Admin., Wood Utilization on Nov. 15 & 16.
- STANDARD OIL OF CALIFORNIA: B.S. in Chem.E. & ME; M.S. & PhD in Geology, Geophysics, Chem., Chem.E. & ME on Nov. 15 & 16.
- U.S. RUBBER COMPANY: PhD in Physical & Org. Chem. on Nov. 15.

Syracuse University will award associate's degrees to students who successfully complete two years of academic work, beginning this fall. The degrees have been set up to help outstanding high school students who feel that two years as a full-time student is all they can manage.

The Ohio State University Board of Trustees recently set up a seven-man Faculty Advisory Committee and provided that three of its members shall take part in any hearing on "incompetence or grave misconduct" of

a faculty member. The committee's purpose will be to provide a channel of communication through which the president and trustees may secure faculty advice and counsel on university matters.

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